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reflecting telescope
refracting telescope
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spotting scope
terrestrial telescope
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twin telescope
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water telescope
zenith telescope, zenith tube

.15 **spectroscopes, spectrometers**

analytical spectrometer
diffraction spectroscope
direct-reading spectrometer
direct-reading spectroscope
microspectrophotometer
microspectroscope
monochromator
ocular spectroscope
prism spectroscope
reversion spectroscope
spectrograph
spectrophotometer
spectroradiometer
star spectroscope

444. VISIBILITY

.1 NOUNS **visibility,** visibleness, perceptibility, discernibleness, observability, visuality, seeableness; exposure; manifestation; outcrop, outcropping; the visible, the seen, what is revealed, what can be seen; revelation, epiphany.

.2 **distinctness, plainness,** evidence [archaic], evidentness, obviousness, patentness, manifestness; **clearness, clarity,** crystal-clearness; **definiteness,** definition; percipi; prominence, conspicuousness, conspicuity; high *or* low visibility; atmospheric visibility, seeing, ceiling, ceiling unlimited, visibility unlimited, visibility zero.

.3 **field of view,** field of vision, range *or* scope of vision, **sight,** limit of vision, eyereach, **eyesight,** eyeshot, ken; **vista, view, horizon, prospect, perspective, outlook,** survey, –scape; range, scan, scope; line of sight, sightliness; naked eye; command, domination, outlook over.

.4 VERBS **show,** show up, show through, shine out *or* through, **appear** 446.8, **be visible,** be seen, be revealed, be evident, be noticeable, meet the gaze, impinge on the eye, present to the eye, meet *or* catch *or* hit *or* strike the eye; **stand out,** stand forth, loom large, glare, **stare one in the face,** hit one in the eye, **stick out like a sore thumb.**

.5 **be exposed,** be conspicuous, have high visibility, stick out, hang out [slang], crop out; live in a glass house.

.6 ADJS **visible,** visual, **perceptible,** perceivable, **discernible, seeable,** viewable, witnessable, beholdable, observable, detectable, noticeable, recognizable, to be seen, phaner(o)–; **in sight,** in view, in plain sight, in full view, present to the eyes, before one's eyes, under one's eyes, open, naked, outcropping, hanging out [slang], exposed, showing, open *or* exposed to view; **evident,** in evidence, **manifest, apparent;** revealed, disclosed, unhidden, unconcealed, unclouded, undisguised.

.7 **distinct, plain, clear, obvious, evident, patent,** unmistakable, not to be mistaken, plain to be seen, for all to see, showing for all to see; **definite, defined, well-defined,** well-marked, well-resolved, in focus; **clear-cut,** clean-cut; crystal-clear, clear as crystal; as clear as day, as plain as a pikestaff [informal], as plain as the nose on one's face, under one's nose, as plain as plain can be; **conspicuous,** glaring, staring, **prominent,** pronounced, well-pronounced, in bold *or* strong *or* high relief.

.8 ADVS **visibly, perceptibly,** perceivably, discernibly, seeably, recognizably, observably, markedly, noticeably; **manifestly, apparently,** evidently; **distinctly, clearly,** with clarity *or* crystal clarity, **plainly,** obviously, patently, definitely, unmistakably; conspicuously, undisguisedly, unconcealedly, prominently, pronouncedly, glaringly, starkly, staringly.

445. INVISIBILITY

.1 NOUNS **invisibility,** imperceptibility, unperceivability, indiscernibility, unseeableness, viewlessness; nonappearance; disappearance 447; the invisible, the unseen; unsubstantiality 4, immateriality 377, **secrecy** 614, **concealment** 615.

.2 **inconspicuousness,** half-visibility, semivisibility, low profile; **indistinctness, unclearness,** unplainness, **faintness,** paleness, feebleness, weakness, **dimness,** bleariness, darkness, shadowiness, **vagueness,** vague appearance, indefiniteness, obscurity, uncertainty, indistinguishability; **blurriness,** blur, soft focus, defocus, **fuzziness, haziness,** mistiness, filminess, fogginess.

.3 VERBS be invisible *or* unseen, escape notice; lie hid 615.8, **blush unseen;** disappear 447.2.

.4 **blur, dim, pale,** soften, film, mist, fog; defocus, lose resolution *or* sharpness *or* distinctness, go soft at the edges.

.5 ADJS **invisible,** aphan(o)–; **imperceptible,** unperceivable, **indiscernible,** undiscernible, **unseeable,** viewless, unbeholdable, unapparent, insensible; **out of sight,** *à perte de vue* [Fr]; **secret** 614.11–16; **unseen,** sightless, unbeheld, unviewed, unwitnessed, unobserved, unnoticed, unperceived; behind the curtain *or* scenes; dis-

ROGET'S INTERNATIONAL THESAURUS

PETER MARK ROGET

(1779–1869)

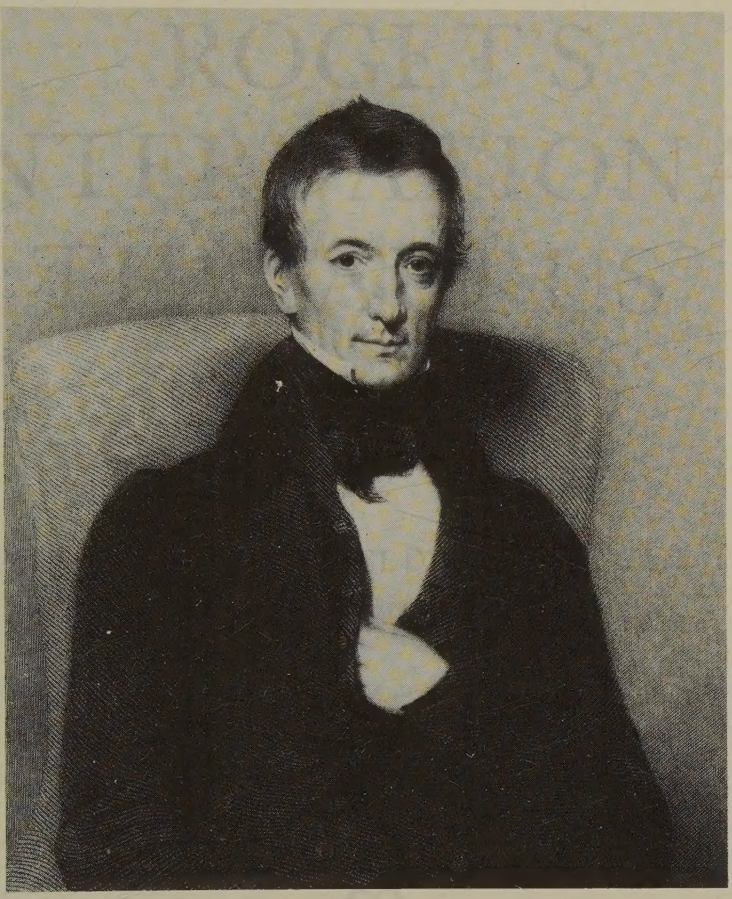
PETER MARK ROGET was born January 18, 1779, in Broad (now Broadwick) Street, a few blocks from Soho Square. His father, John Roget, hailed from Geneva and was pastor of a French Protestant church in Soho. His mother, Catherine, was a sister of Sir Samuel Romilly, the renowned law reformer. Peter was but five years old when his father died; his mother moved to Edinburgh in 1793 and in that year, at fourteen, Peter entered the university there. He was graduated from the medical school at the early age of nineteen, and soon distinguished himself by research on subjects such as pulmonary consumption and the effects of laughing gas. In 1802 he started out on a continental tour with two sons of a wealthy Manchester merchant, to whom he acted as tutor. When the Peace of Amiens was breached, Roget found himself at Geneva, a prisoner-on-parole of the French (Napoleon had annexed Geneva to France a few years earlier). He gained his freedom by pleading the Genevan—and thus French—citizenship of his family, and made his way back to England late in 1803.

In 1805 he joined the medical staff of the Public Infirmary at Manchester and made a name for himself in that city by giving a series of lectures on medical subjects. In 1808, to advance his career, he moved to London. There, in 1810, he helped establish a charity clinic, the Northern Dispensary, and contributed his services to it, gratis, for eighteen years. Combining in an unusual degree exact knowledge with a power of apt and vivid presentation, he gained eminence as a lecturer on medical and other subjects, a work he continued for nearly fifty years. He was an early member of the Medical and Chirurgical Society and edited its *Transactions* for twelve years. In 1815 he became a Fellow of the Royal Society and served as its secretary for more than twenty years. He was examiner in physiology in the University of London. He wrote numerous papers on physiology and health, among them *On Animal and Vegetable Physiology* (1834), a two-volume work on phrenology (1838), and articles for several editions of the *Encyclopædia Britannica*.

These activities would be more than enough for most men, but Roget's insatiable thirst for knowledge and his appetite for work led him into many other fields. He played an important role in the establishment of the University of London; he was a founder of the Society for the Diffusion of Knowledge and wrote for it a series of popular manuals; he devised a slide rule and spent much time trying to perfect a calculating machine; he showed remarkable ingenuity in inventing and solving chess problems and designed an inexpensive pocket chessboard. In 1828, as head of a commission to study the water supply of London, he issued a report that was the first of its kind; but, even though it graphically documented the simultaneous use of the Thames for sewage disposal and drinking water, the government took no action on its sound recommendations for pollution control.

Roget retired from professional life in 1840, and about 1848 he began preparing for publication the one work that was to perpetuate his memory. This was a catalog of words organized by their meanings, the compilation of which had been an avocation since 1805. Its first printed edition, in 1852, was called *Thesaurus of English Words and Phrases Classified and Arranged so as to Facilitate the Expression of Ideas and Assist in Literary Composition*. During his lifetime the work had twenty-eight printings; after his death it was revised and expanded by his son, John Lewis Roget, and later by John's son, Samuel Romilly Roget.

Peter Mark Roget died at West Malvern on September 12, 1869, at the age of ninety.



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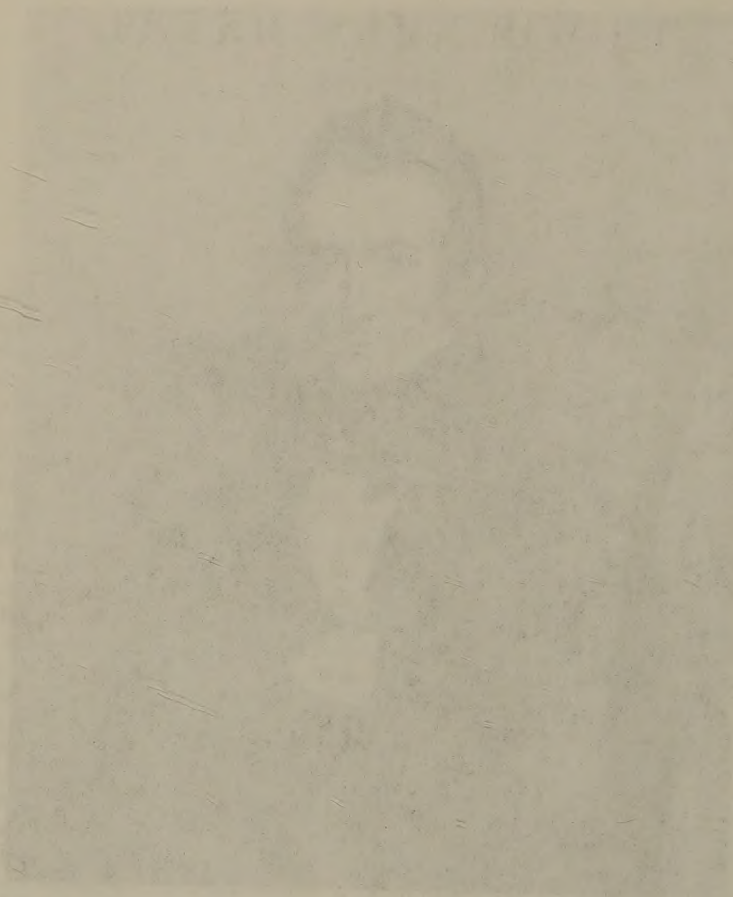

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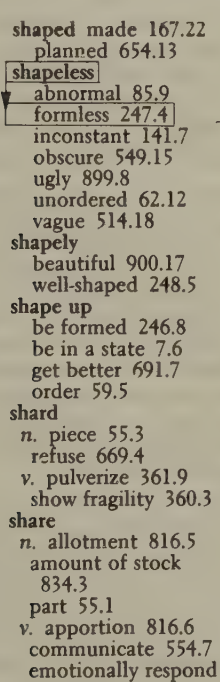
HOW TO USE THIS BOOK

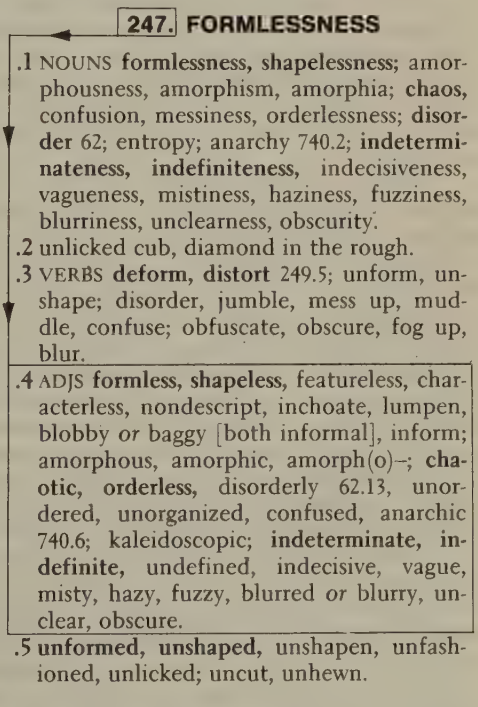
The *International* is a "true" thesaurus, compiled according to the plan devised originally by Peter Mark Roget. It has a text of about 250,000 words and phrases, arranged in categories by their meanings, and a comprehensive index.

The search for a word that you need is a simple, two-step process which begins in the index. Suppose that you want a word to describe something that is without a well-defined shape:

1. In the index, look up the word **shapeless** and pick the subentry closest to the meaning you want.



2. Follow its number into the text and you will find a whole paragraph of adjectives for things "shapeless" or "formless."


247. FORMLESSNESS
.1 NOUNS **formlessness, shapelessness;** amorphousness, amorphism, amorphia; **chaos,** confusion, messiness, orderlessness; **disorder** 62; entropy; anarchy 740.2; **indeterminateness, indefiniteness,** indecisiveness, vagueness, mistiness, haziness, fuzziness, blurriness, unclearness, obscurity.
.2 unlicked cub, diamond in the rough.
.3 VERBS **deform, distort** 249.5; unform, unshape; disorder, jumble, mess up, muddle, confuse; obfuscate, obscure, fog up, blur.
.4 ADJS **formless, shapeless,** featureless, characterless, nondescript, inchoate, lumpen, blobby *or* baggy [both informal], inform; amorphous, amorphic, amorph(o)–; **chaotic, orderless,** disorderly 62.13, unordered, unorganized, confused, anarchic 740.6; kaleidoscopic; **indeterminate, indefinite,** undefined, indecisive, vague, misty, hazy, fuzzy, blurred *or* blurry, unclear, obscure.
.5 **unformed, unshaped,** unshapen, unfashioned, unlicked; uncut, unhewn.

Tracking down words in this simple fashion is the most obvious and direct use of the thesaurus. The notes that follow explain some of the broader, more subtle ways in which the unique features of the *International* will help you to solve word problems.

The thesaurus is basically a tool for transforming ideas into words. A dictionary will tell you many things about a word—spelling, pronunciation, meaning, and origins. You use a thesaurus, on the other hand, when you have an idea but do not know, or cannot remember, the word or phrase that expresses it best. You use a thesaurus also when the word that comes to mind strikes you as inadequate and you want a better one, because you know that there are always more ways than one to express an idea and that some are more effective than others. A thesaurus presents you with various possibilities and you choose the one that you think is best.

The *International*, besides being an efficient word-finder, has a structure especially designed to stimulate thought and help you to organize your ideas. The backbone of this structure is the ingenious overall arrangement of the large categories. The plan is outlined in the Synopsis of Categories, which begins on page xvii. It is not necessary to memorize this grandly methodical design; to make good use of the thesaurus all you need to remember is that it contains many sequences of closely related categories. Beginning at 448, for example, you will see HEARING, DEAFNESS, SOUND, SILENCE, FAINTNESS OF SOUND, LOUDNESS, etc., a procession of similar, contrasting, and opposing concepts, all dealing with the perception and quality of sounds. So, when you are not quite satisfied with what you find in one place, glance at nearby categories too; it may be that your original intention was not the best. If you are having trouble framing a thought in a positive way, you may find that it can be more effectively expressed negatively. Seeing related terms, and antonyms, will often open up lines of thought that had not occurred to you.

You will have already noticed that the large categories of ideas are numbered in sequence; there are 1042 of them in this edition of Roget. Within each category the terms are presented in short paragraphs and these are numbered also. References from the index to the text are made with two-part numbers such as 247.4, the first part being the number of the category, the second the number of the paragraph within that category. This system, unique to the *International*, makes for quick and easy pinpointing of the area in which you will find the words you need.

The terms within a category are organized also by part of speech, in this order: nouns, verbs, adjectives, adverbs, prepositions, conjunctions, and interjections. An occasional mixed bag of expressions at the end is labeled simply "phrases." This grouping by parts of speech is another aspect of the *International*'s usefulness. When you are casting about for a way of saying something, rather than looking for a specific word, do not limit your search to the narrow area of the category suggested by the index reference, but examine the offerings in all parts of speech.

There is a further refinement of word arrangement. The sequence of terms within a paragraph, far from being random, is determined by close relationships. The words closest in meaning are offered in clusters that are set off with semicolons; the semicolon signals a slight change in sense or application. A close examination of the groupings will make you aware of the fine distinctions between synonyms, and you will soon recognize that few words are truly interchangeable. As a help in focusing on the *right* word, terms with special uses—foreign words, slang, informal words, and technical terms—are identified by labels in brackets.

Cross references are another convenience of the text. They suggest additional meanings of the words you are examining and sometimes they will save you the trouble of looking back again to the index. Notice also that the paragraphs of text are highlighted with terms in boldface type. The bold words are those most commonly used for the idea at hand.

Combining forms, prefixes such as *geo-* ("earth," "of the earth") and suffixes such as *-lith* ("stone"), are inserted among the complete words that share their meanings. These are invaluable aids to vocabulary-building (and, incidentally, common fare in crossword puzzles).

The use of an apt quotation often livens up a formal speech or an essay. Here again, the *International* can help you, for it contains thousands of quotes on scores of subjects. Another bonus of the thesaurus is its dozens of word lists. These contain the names of specific things—animals, weapons, measurements, architectural ornaments—few of which have synonyms. The lists can save you many excursions to specialized reference books.

Thus, the *International* can help you in countless ways to improve your writing and speech and to enrich your vocabulary of useful words. But you should remember the caution that very few words are true synonyms and use the thesaurus in conjunction with a good dictionary whenever necessary.

PUBLISHER'S PREFACE

Like all great reference books *Roget's International Thesaurus* is the product of continuous improvement and recurring investment. This process has been going on for roughly a century and three quarters, ever since 1805, when Dr. Peter Mark Roget began compiling a list of useful words for his own convenience.

However, that catalogue of words and phrases was not like others. There have been glossaries and word lists since literature began. Roget himself knew about the thousand-year-old *Amarakosha* ("treasury of Amara"), which was a crude arrangement of words according to subjects, by the Sanskrit grammarian Amara Sinh. Roget also knew about a *Pasigraphie*, published in Paris in 1797, which tried to classify language so that it could be understood universally without translation. But Dr. Roget, this erudite physician with a flair for invention, developed a superb and revolutionary principle: *the grouping of words according to ideas*. That mechanism enables one to find just the right expression to fit one's thought without groping and without searching through the alphabet. When in 1852 he published the first book ever to carry out this concept with thoroughness and precision, he called it a "thesaurus" (from the Greek and Latin, meaning "treasury" or "storehouse"). And *thesaurus* it has remained to this day. Indeed, any attempt to produce a "thesaurus in dictionary form" is self-destructive, for it demolishes the very structure that makes the thesaurus so effective.

So successful was this *Thesaurus of English Words and Phrases, Classified and Arranged so as to Facilitate the Expression of Ideas and Assist in Literary Composition* that a second edition followed one year later in 1853. A third "cheaper edition enlarged and improved" followed in 1855 and by Dr. Roget's death in 1869 there had been no less than twenty-eight editions and printings. Peter Roget's son, Dr. John Lewis Roget, greatly expanded the book for still another edition, which appeared a decade later in 1879.

Mr. Thomas Y. Crowell acquired that property and published the first Crowell edition in 1886. Then in 1911, as one of the last acts in his distinguished career, he published a revised and reset edition which contained many additional words and phrases. Mr. Crowell had the sagacity to enlarge the size of the page and set the book in large, clear type. This has been one of its many valuable characteristics ever since.

Mr. Crowell's son, Mr. T. Irving Crowell, undertook another edition for publication in 1922. Again revised and reset, it was greatly expanded, most especially with Americanisms and with a generous increase in foreign expressions. It was now virtually a new book, and the title was changed to *Roget's International Thesaurus*—that is, *Roget's International Thesaurus* I.

This writer, Thomas Y. Crowell's grandson, carried the work forward with *Roget's International Thesaurus* II of 1946. Then much slang and substandard speech were added, together with useful quotations. The old parallel arrangement of synonyms against antonyms was converted into a more efficient tandem format. Paragraphs were numbered, and the book was equipped with a decimal finding system for the user's convenience.

Roget's International Thesaurus III appeared in 1962. In this edition some 45,000 new terms were added, together with numerous words without synonyms classified in special lists. To make the book even easier to use, all key words were set in boldface type.

Now, with a very special sense of pride, we present *Roget's International Thesaurus* IV. It has been modernized and improved throughout, to the point where there are now more than

250,000 useful words and phrases, many of them from the 1970's. Among the new features is the inclusion of combining forms such as prefixes (*cryo–*, "cold") and suffixes (*–lith*, "rock" or "stone"). The new page design with its hanging indention is a delight.

There were many and varied contributions to the excellences of the Fourth Edition; we acknowledge them here with heartfelt thanks.

Our principal debt of gratitude is to Professor Robert L. Chapman, who applied his superior lexicographic skills to every category, judiciously pruning, reorganizing, and augmenting the work of his predecessors, Lester V. Berrey and C. O. Sylvester Mawson.

The new pages owe their attractive and efficient features to Milton B. Glick; regrettably, he did not live to see his design in published form.

For the demanding work of editorial preparation we owe thanks to Tania Romero and John Alleman, who copyedited the manuscript, contributed additional textual improvements, and coded the copy for CRT composition and computer-extraction of the index.

We are especially indebted to editor-proofreader Carol Cohen for contributions at successive stages in the translation of the manuscript to printed page. She brought to bear on the work considerable expertise in the handling of computer-processed copy, troubleshooting the sometimes arcane problems and making many editorial refinements. She also headed the very able corps of index editors, Cheryl Jimerson, Rebecca MacLean, Muriel Rosenblum, Lynn Miller, Joseph Blitman, Lorna Harbus, Sheila Brantley, James Cregan, Nancy Levering, and Susan Simon; our thanks to each of them.

Our thanks also to the many users of the *International* who have written over the years suggesting additions and calling our attention to editorial slips and typographical errors. We are dedicated to the perpetual improvement of the volume—work on *Roget's International Thesaurus* V has already begun—and we always appreciate hearing from those who want to help make a great reference book even better.

ROBERT L. CROWELL

April 11, 1977

PETER ROGET'S PREFACE

TO THE FIRST EDITION

(1852)

It is now nearly fifty years since I first projected a system of verbal classification similar to that on which the present work is founded. Conceiving that such a compilation might help to supply my own deficiencies, I had, in the year 1805, completed a classed catalog of words on a small scale, but on the same principle, and nearly in the same form, as the Thesaurus now published. I had often during that long interval found this little collection, scanty and imperfect as it was, of much use to me in literary composition, and often contemplated its extension and improvement; but a sense of the magnitude of the task, amidst a multitude of other avocations, deterred me from the attempt. Since my retirement from the duties of Secretary of the Royal Society, however, finding myself possessed of more leisure, and believing that a repertory of which I had myself experienced the advantage might, when amplified, prove useful to others, I resolved to embark in an undertaking which, for the last three or four years, has given me incessant occupation, and has, indeed, imposed upon me an amount of labor very much greater than I had anticipated. Notwithstanding all the pains I have bestowed on its execution, I am fully aware of its numerous deficiencies and imperfections, and of its falling far short of the degree of excellence that might be attained. But, in a work of this nature, where perfection is placed at so great a distance, I have thought it best to limit my ambition to that moderate share of merit which it may claim in its present form; trusting to the indulgence of those for whose benefit it is intended, and to the candor of critics who, while they find it easy to detect faults, can at the same time duly appreciate difficulties.

P. M. Roget

April 29, 1852

FOREWORD

BY ROBERT L. CHAPMAN

This new edition of *Roget's International Thesaurus* is published in the hope and conviction that it will be more useful than its predecessors for precisely the two classes of persons Dr. Roget had in mind when he presented his original thesaurus of 1852. He expected that the book would be very welcome, first, to "those who are . . . painfully groping their way and struggling with the difficulties of composition." That is, to writers of all sorts for whom the right word has not flashed into mind. The others who might profit from his monumental effort he called "metaphysicians engaged in the more profound investigation of the Philosophy of Language." Today we would call them linguists, semanticists, or linguistic philosophers, depending on the discipline they claim.

The success of the thesaurus as a practical aid to writers has been immense. Literally millions of persons have put Roget's work to its widest proper use as a memory-jogger for words they know but cannot recall, or as a source of words new to them which, when the sense is confirmed by looking at the dictionary, can become a part of their active vocabulary. Thousands, too, have used Roget's as a browsing book, a book that stimulates thought and exploration because it uniquely collects great semantic "domains" under large conceptual headings, and shows by the manner of organization the tracks the mind may take as it ranges about in a given territory.

This edition has been prepared along lines set down by previous *International Thesaurus* editors, who have constantly improved upon the format invented by Dr. Roget. Numbered paragraphs are used to give clearly visible distinctions among sense-groups. Boldface type highlights the terms of greatest frequency within any sense-group. Everything has been done to facilitate quick consultation, while at the same time each sense-group is developed to nearly its maximum range for those whose expressive or stylistic wishes require variation, or even strangeness. Nearly every possible point-of-entry is available in the comprehensive index—one of the hallmarks of a true thesaurus.

The editor and the publisher of this fourth edition have used resources not available to previous editors. These include the newest and best general dictionaries of English and of specialized subjects, new specialized encyclopedias, and reverse-indexes of English that make the lexicon accessible in terms of sense-forming suffixes. They have used computer technology for index making, assuring a greater precision of the index than has ever been possible.

The editing policy has been exactly the same as Dr. Roget's. First, even though one cannot hope to keep up completely with our growing and shifting vocabulary, new words and phrases were carefully collected for inclusion. Second, the broadest possible range of levels and styles ("registers," as some linguists call them) has been encompassed. Noting that some of the words he entered might be condemned as vulgarisms or slang, Roget judged that "having due regard to the uses to which this Work was to be adapted, I did not feel myself justified in excluding them solely on that ground, if they possessed an acknowledged currency in general intercourse." He properly felt that choice of style was the province of the writer, and not of the reference-book maker.

For nonformal varieties of English the labels "informal" and "slang" have been used, with some trepidation. Labeling judgments are subjective and imprecise, so the designations here can hardly be taken as solidly authoritative. Nevertheless, it was felt that some sign ought to be

given of the genuine semantic distinctions inherent in differences of level and style, perhaps for no better reason than that it goes against a deep semantic grain to print formal words and slang words side by side unmarked as if they were readily interchangeable.

Ready interchangeability without change of meaning is of course what makes two or more words synonymous, and a note of caution should be uttered in every thesaurus against confusing this kind of book with a synonym book. Naive users who take all the words under any heading to mean the same as the heading, and who do not read prefaces, will no doubt continue to use the thesaurus to write very strange English. Sameness or similarity of meaning is not the primary key to compiling a thesaurus. The key is membership in the cluster of linguistic signs that go to make up some very large and general concept. Most of the terms found under a major heading will in some demonstrable and logical way represent subordinate or less general parts of the larger idea. Quite inevitably, given the fact that semantic doubling or near-doubling occurs in every natural language, many of these terms will be synonymous or nearly synonymous in various parts of their range. But this is an accident of Roget's method, and not the aim of the method itself. It cannot be doubted that most users, most of the time, are in search of synonyms, and they find them, but even near-synonymity will be seen to attenuate quite rapidly as one goes along the lines of association in one direction or another.

Roget's hope that his book would "materially assist" linguistic scholars and theoreticians was largely unrealized until quite recently, but this revision has been edited in the increasing awareness that the *Thesaurus* may at last become a productive tool of linguistic research. One strain of contemporary linguistic thought, the so-called Chomskyan Revolution, has reopened speculation about the universality of language forms and elements. Roget himself worked quite consciously in the tradition of the seventeenth-century rationalist philosophers who attempted to map the totality of concepts available to the human mind, and the relations among these concepts, regardless of what language may be used to express them. The editor and the publisher believe that the new edition of the *International* constitutes the most elaborate approach yet made to the specification of possible concepts. It is the best empirical base for research in structural semantics, an area of concern generally left aside as structural linguistics worked out its theories of grammar.

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SYNOPSIS OF CATEGORIES

CLASS ONE: ABSTRACT RELATIONS

I. EXISTENCE

A. Being in the Abstract
1. Existence
2. Nonexistence

B. Being in the Concrete
3. Substantiality
4. Unsubstantiality

C. Formal Existence
5. Intrinsicality
6. Extrinsicality

D. Modal Existence
7. State
8. Circumstance

II. RELATION

A. Absolute Relation
9. Relation
10. Unrelatedness
11. Relationship by Blood
12. Relationship by Marriage
13. Correlation
14. Identity
15. Contrariety
16. Difference
17. Uniformity
18. Nonuniformity
19. Multiformity

B. Partial Relation
20. Similarity
21. Dissimilarity
22. Imitation
23. Nonimitation
24. Copy
25. Model

C. Correspondence of Relationship
26. Agreement
27. Disagreement

III. QUANTITY

A. Simple Quantity
28. Quantity
29. Degree

B. Comparative Quantity
30. Equality
31. Inequality
32. Mean
33. Compensation
34. Greatness
35. Smallness
36. Superiority
37. Inferiority
38. Increase
39. Decrease

C. Conjunctive Quantity
40. Addition
41. Adjunct
42. Subtraction
43. Remainder
44. Mixture
45. Simplicity
46. Complexity
47. Joining
48. Analysis
49. Separation
50. Cohesion
51. Noncohesion
52. Combination
53. Disintegration

D. Wholeness
54. Whole
55. Part
56. Completeness
57. Incompleteness
58. Composition

IV. ORDER

A. Order in General
59. Order
60. Arrangement
61. Classification
62. Disorder
63. Disarrangement

B. Consecutive Order
64. Precedence
65. Sequence
66. Precursor
67. Sequel
68. Beginning
69. Middle
70. End
71. Continuity
72. Discontinuity

C. Collective Order
73. Accompaniment
74. Assemblage
75. Dispersion

D. Distributive Order
76. Inclusion
77. Exclusion
78. Extraneousness
79. Generality
80. Particularity
81. Specialty

E. Conformity to Rule
82. Conformity
83. Noncomformity
84. Normality
85. Abnormality

V. NUMBER

A. Number in General
86. Number
87. Numeration
88. List

B. Determinate Number
89. Unity
90. Duality
91. Duplication
92. Bisection
93. Three
94. Triplication
95. Trisection
96. Four
97. Quadruplication
98. Quadrisection
99. Five and Over

C. Indeterminate Number
100. Plurality
101. Numerousness
102. Fewness
103. Repetition
104. Infinity

VI. TIME

A. Absolute Time
105. Time
106. Timelessness
107. Period
108. Spell
109. Interim
110. Durability
111. Transience
112. Perpetuity
113. Instantaneousness
114. Measurement of Time
115. Anachronism

CLASS ONE (Continued)

B. Relative Time
116. Priority
117. Posteriority
118. Simultaneity
119. The Past
120. The Present
121. The Future

C. Time with Reference to Age
122. Newness
123. Oldness
124. Youth
125. Youngster
126. Age
127. Adult or Old Person

D. Time with Reference to Season
128. Season
129. Timeliness
130. Untimeliness
131. Earliness
132. Lateness
133. Morning, Noon
134. Evening, Night

E. Recurrent Time
135. Frequency
136. Infrequency
137. Regularity of Recurrence
138. Irregularity of Recurrence

VII. CHANGE

139. Change
140. Permanence
141. Changeableness
142. Stability
143. Continuance
144. Cessation
145. Conversion
146. Reversion
147. Revolution
148. Evolution
149. Substitution
150. Interchange

VIII. EVENT

151. Event
152. Imminence

IX. CAUSATION

153. Cause
154. Effect
155. Attribution
156. Chance

X. POWER

A. Power in General
157. Power, Potency
158. Impotence
159. Strength
160. Weakness
161. Energy
162. Violence
163. Moderation

B. Power in Operation
164. Operation
165. Productiveness
166. Unproductiveness
167. Production, Birth
168. Product
169. Reproduction, Procreation
170. Ancestry
171. Posterity

C. Indirect Power
172. Influence
173. Absence of Influence
174. Tendency
175. Liability
176. Involvement

D. Combination of Forces
177. Concurrence
178. Counteraction

CLASS TWO: SPACE

I. SPACE IN GENERAL

A. Abstract Space
179. Space

B. Specific Space
180. Region
181. Country
182. The Country
183. Town, City

C. Relative Space
184. Location
185. Dislocation

D. Existence in Space
186. Presence
187. Absence
188. Habitation
189. Nativeness
190. Inhabitant, Native
191. Abode, Habitat
192. Room
193. Container
194. Contents

II. DIMENSIONS

A. General Dimensions
195. Size
196. Littleness
197. Expansion, Growth
198. Contraction
199. Distance
200. Nearness
201. Interval

B. Linear Dimensions
202. Length
203. Shortness
204. Breadth, Thickness
205. Narrowness, Thinness
206. Filament
207. Height
208. Lowness
209. Depth
210. Shallowness
211. Top
212. Bottom
213. Verticalness
214. Horizontalness
215. Pendancy
216. Support
217. Shaft
218. Parallelism
219. Obliquity
220. Inversion
221. Crossing
222. Weaving
223. Sewing

C. External and Internal Dimensions
224. Exteriority
225. Interiority
226. Centrality
227. Layer
228. Covering
229. Skin
230. Hair, Feathers
231. Clothing
232. Divestment
233. Environment
234. Circumscription
235. Bounds
236. Enclosure
237. Interposition
238. Intrusion
239. Contraposition
240. Front
241. Rear
242. Side
243. Right Side
244. Left Side

III. STRUCTURE; FORM

A. General Form
245. Structure
246. Form
247. Formlessness
248. Symmetry
249. Distortion

B. Special Form
250. Straightness
251. Angularity
252. Curvature
253. Circularity
254. Convolution
255. Sphericity, Rotundity

C. Superficial Form
256. Convexity, Protuberance
257. Concavity
258. Sharpness
259. Bluntness
260. Smoothness
261. Roughness
262. Notch
263. Furrow

CLASS TWO (Continued)

264. Fold
265. Opening
266. Closure

IV. MOTION

A. Motion in General
267. Motion
268. Quiescence
269. Swiftness
270. Slowness

B. Change of Place
271. Transference
272. Vehicle
273. Travel
274. Traveler
275. Water Travel
276. Mariner
277. Ship, Boat
278. Aviation
279. Aviator
280. Aircraft
281. Rocketry, Missilery
282. Space Travel

C. Motion Conjoined with Force
283. Impulse, Impact
284. Reaction
285. Pushing, Throwing
286. Pulling
287. Leverage, Purchase
288. Attraction
289. Repulsion

D. Motion with Reference to Direction
290. Direction
291. Deviation
292. Leading
293. Following
294. Progression
295. Regression
296. Approach
297. Recession
298. Convergence
299. Divergence
300. Arrival
301. Departure
302. Ingress, Entrance
303. Egress, Emergence
304. Insertion
305. Extraction
306. Reception
307. Eating
308. Food
309. Nutrition
310. Ejection
311. Excretion
312. Secretion
313. Overrunning
314. Shortcoming
315. Ascent
316. Descent
317. Elevation
318. Depression
319. Leap
320. Plunge
321. Circuitousness
322. Rotation
323. Oscillation
324. Agitation

CLASS THREE: PHYSICS

I. PHYSICS
325. Physics
326. Atomics
327. Radiation and Radioactivity

II. HEAT
328. Heat
329. Heating
330. Cooking
331. Fuel
332. Incombustibility
333. Cold
334. Refrigeration

III. LIGHT
335. Light
336. Light Source
337. Darkness, Dimness
338. Shade
339. Transparency
340. Semitransparency
341. Opaqueness

IV. ELECTRICITY AND ELECTRONICS
342. Electricity
343. Electronics
344. Radio
345. Television
346. Radar and Radiolocators

V. MECHANICS
347. Mechanics
348. Tools and Machinery
349. Automation
350. Friction

VI. PHYSICAL PROPERTIES
351. Texture
352. Weight
353. Lightness
354. Density
355. Rarity
356. Hardness, Rigidity
357. Softness, Pliancy
358. Elasticity
359. Toughness
360. Brittleness, Fragility
361. Powderiness, Crumbliness

VII. COLOR
362. Color
363. Colorlessness
364. Whiteness
365. Blackness
366. Grayness
367. Brownness
368. Redness
369. Orangeness
370. Yellowness
371. Greenness
372. Blueness
373. Purpleness
374. Variegation

CLASS FOUR: MATTER

I. MATTER IN GENERAL
375. Universe
376. Materiality
377. Immateriality
378. Materials
379. Chemicals
380. Oils, Lubricants
381. Resins, Gums

II. INORGANIC MATTER

A. Mineral Kingdom
382. Inorganic Matter
383. Minerals and Metals
384. Rock

B. Soil
385. Land
386. Body of Land
387. Plain

C. Liquids
388. Liquidity
389. Semiliquidity
390. Pulpiness
391. Liquefaction
392. Moisture
393. Dryness
394. Rain
395. Stream
396. Channel
397. Ocean
398. Lake, Pool
399. Inlet, Gulf
400. Marsh

D. Vapors
401. Vapor, Gas
402. Air
403. Wind

404. Cloud
405. Bubble

III. ORGANIC MATTER

A. Animal and Vegetable Kingdom
406. Organic Matter

B. Vitality
407. Life
408. Death
409. Killing
410. Interment

C. Vegetable Life
411. Plants
412. Botany
413. Agriculture

D. Animal Life
414. Animals, Insects
415. Zoology
416. Animal Husbandry

E. Mankind
417. Mankind
418. Peoples

F. Male and Female
419. Sex
420. Masculinity
421. Femininity

CLASS FIVE: SENSATION

I. SENSATION IN GENERAL
422. Sensation
423. Insensibility
424. Pain

II. TOUCH
425. Touch
426. Sensations of Touch

III. TASTE
427. Taste
428. Savoriness
429. Unsavoriness
430. Insipidness
431. Sweetness
432. Sourness
433. Pungency
434. Tobacco

IV. SMELL
435. Odor
436. Fragrance
437. Stench
438. Odorlessness

V. SIGHT
439. Vision
440. Defective Vision
441. Blindness
442. Spectator
443. Optical Instruments
444. Visibility
445. Invisibility
446. Appearance
447. Disappearance

VI. HEARING

A. Perception of Sound
448. Hearing
449. Deafness

B. Sound
450. Sound
451. Silence
452. Faintness of Sound
453. Loudness

C. Specific Sounds
454. Resonance
455. Repeated Sounds
456. Explosive Noise
457. Sibilation
458. Stridor
459. Cry, Call
460. Animal Sounds

D. Unmusical Sounds
461. Discord

E. Musical Sounds
462. Music
463. Harmonics, Musical Elements
464. Musician
465. Musical Instruments

CLASS SIX: INTELLECT

I. INTELLECTUAL FACULTIES AND PROCESSES

A. Faculties
466. Intellect
467. Intelligence, Wisdom
468. Wise Man
469. Unintelligence
470. Foolishness
471. Fool
472. Sanity
473. Insanity, Mania
474. Eccentricity

B. Comprehension
475. Knowledge
476. Intellectual
477. Ignorance

C. Functions of the Mind
478. Thought
479. Idea
480. Absence of Thought
481. Intuition

D. Reasoning Processes
482. Reasoning
483. Sophistry

E. Consideration
484. Topic
485. Inquiry
486. Answer
487. Solution
488. Discovery

F. Assessment
489. Experiment
490. Measurement
491. Comparison
492. Discrimination
493. Indiscrimination

G. Conclusion
494. Judgment
495. Prejudgment
496. Misjudgment
497. Overestimation
498. Underestimation

H. Theory
499. Theory, Supposition
500. Philosophy

I. Belief
501. Belief
502. Credulity
503. Unbelief
504. Incredulity

J. Grounds for Belief
505. Evidence, Proof
506. Disproof

K. Qualifications
507. Qualification
508. No Qualifications
509. Possibility
510. Impossibility
511. Probability
512. Improbability
513. Certainty
514. Uncertainty
515. Gamble

L. Conformity to Fact
516. Truth
517. Maxim
518. Error
519. Illusion
520. Disillusionment

M. Acceptance
521. Assent
522. Dissent
523. Affirmation
524. Negation, Denial

II. STATES OF MIND

A. Mental Attitudes
525. Mental Attitude
526. Broad-mindedness
527. Narrow-mindedness
528. Curiosity
529. Incuriosity
530. Attention
531. Inattention
532. Distraction, Confusion
533. Carefulness
534. Neglect

B. Creative Thought
535. Imagination

CLASS SIX (Continued)

536. Unimaginativeness

C. Recollection
537. Memory
538. Forgetfulness

D. Anticipation
539. Expectation
540. Inexpectation
541. Disappointment
542. Foresight
543. Prediction
544. Presentiment

III. COMMUNICATION OF IDEAS

A. Nature of Ideas Communicated
545. Meaning
546. Latent Meaningfulness
547. Meaninglessness
548. Intelligibility
549. Unintelligibility
550. Ambiguity
551. Figure of Speech
552. Interpretation
553. Misinterpretation

B. Modes of Communication
554. Communication
555. Manifestation
556. Disclosure
557. Information
558. News
559. Publication
560. Communications
561. Messenger

C. Education
562. Teaching
563. Misteaching
564. Learning
565. Teacher
566. Student
567. School

D. Indication
568. Indication
569. Insignia
570. Record
571. Recorder

E. Representation
572. Representation
573. Misrepresentation

F. Arts of Design
574. Art
575. Sculpture
576. Ceramics
577. Photography
578. Graphic Arts
579. Artist

G. Language
580. Language
581. Letter
582. Word
583. Nomenclature
584. Anonymity
585. Phrase

H. Grammar
586. Grammar
587. Ungrammaticalness

I. Style; Mode of Expression
588. Diction
589. Elegance
590. Inelegance
591. Plain Speech
592. Conciseness
593. Diffuseness

J. Spoken Language
594. Speech
595. Imperfect Speech
596. Talkativeness
597. Conversation
598. Soliloquy
599. Public Speaking
600. Eloquence
601. Grandiloquence

K. Written Language
602. Writing
603. Printing
604. Correspondence
605. Book, Periodical
606. Treatise
607. Abridgment

L. Linguistic Representation
608. Description
609. Poetry
610. Prose
611. Show Business
612. Entertainer

M. Uncommunicativeness; Secrecy
613. Uncommunicativeness
614. Secrecy
615. Concealment

N. Falsehood
616. Falseness
617. Exaggeration
618. Deception
619. Deceiver
620. Dupe

CLASS SEVEN: VOLITION

I. VOLITION IN GENERAL

A. Will
621. Will
622. Willingness
623. Unwillingness

B. Resolution; Determination
624. Resolution
625. Perseverance
626. Obstinacy

C. Irresolution; Caprice
627. Irresolution
628. Change of Allegiance
629. Caprice
630. Impulse

D. Evasion
631. Avoidance
632. Escape
633. Abandonment

E. Inclination
634. Desire
635. Eagerness
636. Indifference

F. Choice
637. Choice
638. Rejection
639. Necessity
640. Predetermination
641. Prearrangement

G. Custom
642. Custom, Habit
643. Unaccustomedness
644. Fashion
645. Social Convention
646. Formality
647. Informality

H. Motive
648. Motivation, Inducement
649. Pretext
650. Allurement
651. Bribery
652. Dissuasion

I. Purpose
653. Intention
654. Plan
655. Pursuit
656. Business, Occupation

J. Ways and Means
657. Way
658. Means
659. Provision, Equipment
660. Store, Supply
661. Sufficiency
662. Insufficiency
663. Excess
664. Satiety

K. Use
665. Use
666. Consumption
667. Misuse
668. Disuse
669. Uselessness

II. CONDITIONS

A. Adaptation to Ends
670. Expedience
671. Inexpedience
672. Importance
673. Unimportance
674. Goodness
675. Badness
676. Bane
677. Perfection
678. Imperfection
679. Blemish
680. Mediocrity

B. Wholesomeness
681. Cleanness
682. Uncleanness
683. Healthfulness
684. Unhealthfulness

CLASS SEVEN (Continued)

C. **Health**
685. Health
686. Disease
687. Remedy
688. Healing Arts
689. Therapy
690. Psychology and Psychotherapy

D. **Physical Progress**
691. Improvement
692. Impairment
693. Destruction
694. Restoration
695. Refreshment
696. Relapse

E **Security**
697. Danger
698. Safety
699. Protection
700. Refuge
701. Preservation
702. Rescue
703. Warning
704. Alarm

III. VOLUNTARY ACTION

A. **Action**
705. Action
706. Inaction
707. Activity
708. Inactivity
709. Haste
710. Leisure
711. Rest, Repose
712. Sleep
713. Wakefulness

B. **Exertion; Endeavor**
714. Endeavor
715. Undertaking
716. Exertion
717. Fatigue
718. Worker, Doer
719. Workplace

C. **Preparation**
720. Preparation
721. Unpreparedness

D. **Accomplishment**
722. Accomplishment
723. Nonaccomplishment
724. Success
725. Failure
726. Victory
727. Defeat
728. Prosperity
729. Adversity
730. Hindrance
731. Difficulty
732. Facility

E. **Adroitness**
733. Skill
734. Unskillfulness
735. Cunning
736. Artlessness

F. **Conduct**
737. Behavior
738. Misbehavior

IV. AUTHORITY; CONTROL

A. **Prerogative**
739. Authority
740. Lawlessness

B. **Politics and Government**
741. Government
742. Legislature, Government Organization
743. United Nations, International Organizations
744. Politics
745. Politico-Economic Principles
746. Politician

C. **Direction**
747. Direction, Management
748. Director
749. Master
750. Servant, Employee

D. **Directions**
751. Precept
752. Command
753. Demand
754. Advice
755. Council

E. **Constraint**
756. Compulsion
757. Strictness
758. Laxness
759. Leniency

F. **Restraint**
760. Restraint
761. Confinement

G. **Unrestraint**
762. Freedom
763. Liberation

H. **Subjugation**
764. Subjection

I. **Compliance**
765. Submission
766. Obedience
767. Disobedience
768. Observance
769. Nonobservance

J. **Pledge**
770. Promise
771. Compact
772. Security

K. **Proposal**
773. Offer
774. Request

L. **Consent**
775. Consent
776. Refusal
777. Permission
778. Prohibition
779. Repeal

M. **Commission**
780. Commission
781. Deputy, Agent
782. Promotion
783. Demotion, Deposal
784. Resignation

V. SUPPORT AND OPPOSITION

A. **Support**
785. Aid
786. Cooperation
787. Associate
788. Association
789. Labor Union

B. **Opposition**
790. Opposition
791. Opponent
792. Resistance
793. Defiance

C. **Concord**
794. Accord
795. Disaccord

D. **Contention**
796. Contention
797. Warfare
798. Attack
799. Defense
800. Combatant
801. Arms
802. Arena

E. **Peace**
803. Peace
804. Pacification
805. Mediation

F. **Mid-course**
806. Neutrality
807. Compromise

VI. POSSESSIVE RELATIONS

A. **Possession**
808. Possession
809. Possessor
810. Property
811. Acquisition
812. Loss
813. Retention
814. Relinquishment

B. **Sharing**
815. Participation
816. Apportionment

C. **Transfer of Property**
817. Transfer of Property or Right
818. Giving
819. Receiving
820. Lending
821. Borrowing

D. **Appropriation**
822. Taking
823. Restitution
824. Theft
825. Thief
826. Illicit Business

E. **Interchange of Property**
827. Commerce, Economics
828. Purchase
829. Sale
830. Businessman, Merchant
831. Merchandise
832. Market
833. Stock Market
834. Securities

F. **Monetary Relations**
835. Money
836. Finance, Investment
837. Wealth
838. Poverty
839. Financial Credit

CLASS SEVEN (Continued)

840. Debt
841. Payment
842. Nonpayment
843. Expenditure
844. Receipts
845. Accounts
846. Price, Fee
847. Discount
848. Expensiveness
849. Cheapness
850. Costlessness
851. Economy
852. Parsimony
853. Liberality
854. Prodigality

CLASS EIGHT: AFFECTIONS

I. PERSONAL AFFECTIONS

A. Emotion
855. Feelings
856. Lack of Feelings

B. Excitability
857. Excitement
858. Inexcitability
859. Nervousness
860. Unnervousness
861. Patience
862. Impatience

C. Pleasure and Pleasurableness
863. Pleasantness
864. Unpleasantness
865. Pleasure
866. Unpleasure
867. Dislike
868. Contentment
869. Discontent
870. Cheerfulness
871. Solemnity
872. Sadness
873. Regret
874. Unregretfulness
875. Lamentation
876. Rejoicing
877. Celebration
878. Amusement
879. Dancing
880. Humorousness
881. Wit, Humor
882. Banter
883. Dullness
884. Tedium
885. Aggravation
886. Relief
887. Comfort

D. Anticipative Emotions
888. Hope
889. Hopelessness

E. Concern
890. Anxiety
891. Fear, Frighteningness
892. Cowardice
893. Courage
894. Rashness
895. Caution

F. Discriminative Affections
896. Fastidiousness
897. Taste, Tastefulness
898. Vulgarity
899. Ugliness
900. Beauty
901. Ornamentation
902. Plainness
903. Affectation
904. Ostentation

G. Pride
905. Pride
906. Humility
907. Servility
908. Modesty
909. Vanity
910. Boasting
911. Bluster
912. Arrogance
913. Insolence

H. Esteem
914. Repute
915. Disrepute
916. Honor
917. Title
918. Nobility
919. Commonalty

I. Contemplative Emotions
920. Wonder
921. Unastonishment

II. SYMPATHETIC AFFECTIONS

A. Social Relations
922. Sociability
923. Unsociability
924. Seclusion
925. Hospitality, Welcome
926. Inhospitality

B. Social Affections
927. Friendship
928. Friend
929. Enmity
930. Hate
931. Love
932. Lovemaking, Endearment
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ROGET'S INTERNATIONAL THESAURUS

THESAURUS OF ENGLISH WORDS AND PHRASES

1. EXISTENCE

.1 NOUNS **existence, being;** subsistence, entity, essence, *ens* [L], *esse* [L], *l'être* [Fr]; **occurrence,** presence; **materiality** 376, **substantiality** 3; **life** 407; –dom, –oma *or* –ome, onto–, –ure.

.2 **reality, actuality,** factuality, empirical *or* demonstrable *or* objective existence; historicity; **truth** 516; **authenticity** 516.5; sober *or* grim reality, not a dream, more truth than poetry; accomplished fact, *fait accompli* [Fr].

.3 **fact,** the case, the truth of the matter, not opinion, not guesswork, what's what [informal]; **matter of fact,** "plain, plump fact" [R. Browning]; **bare fact,** naked fact, bald fact, **simple fact,** sober fact; **cold fact,** hard fact, **stubborn fact, brutal fact,** the nitty-gritty [informal]; **actual fact,** positive fact, absolute fact; **self-evident fact,** axiom, postulate; **accepted fact,** conceded fact, admitted fact, fact of experience, well-known fact, established fact, inescapable fact, indisputable fact, undeniable fact; **demonstrable fact,** provable fact; empirical fact; given fact, datum, **circumstance** 8; **salient fact,** significant fact.

.4 **the facts,** the information 557, the particulars, the details, the specifics, **the data;** the dope *or* the scoop *or* the score [all slang]; the picture [informal], the gen [Brit slang]; the fact *or* facts *or* truth of the matter, the facts of the case, the whole story [informal]; "irreducible and stubborn facts" [W. James]; essentials, basic *or* essential facts, brass tacks [informal].

.5 **self-existence,** uncreated being, noncontingent existence, aseity, innascibility.

.6 **mere existence,** just being, **vegetable existence, vegetation,** mere tropism; stagnation, inertia, torpor; indolence, sloth.

.7 (philosophy of being) ontology, metaphysics, existentialism.

.8 VERBS **exist, be,** be in existence, be extant, have being; breathe, **live** 407.7; subsist, stand, obtain, hold, prevail, be the case; **occur,** be present, be there, be found, be met with, have place, happen to be.

.9 **live on,** continue to exist, persist, last, endure 110.6.

.10 **vegetate,** merely exist, just be; stagnate, pass the time.

.11 **exist in, consist in,** subsist in, lie in, rest in, repose in, reside in, abide in, inhabit, dwell in, **inhere in,** be present in, be a quality of, be comprised in, be contained in, be constituted by, be coextensive with.

.12 **become,** come to be, go, get, get to be, turn out to be; be converted into, turn into 145.17; grow 148.5; be changed 139.5; –en, –ize *or* –ise.

.13 ADJS **existent, existing,** in existence; **subsistent,** subsisting; **being,** in being; –ic(al), –etic, –ar; **living** 407.11; present, **extant, prevalent, current,** in force *or* effect, on foot, under the sun, on the face of the earth.

.14 **self-existent,** self-existing, innascible; uncreated, increate.

.15 **real, actual,** factual, veritable, for real [slang], *de facto* [L]; historical; positive, undeniable, absolute; **true** 516.12; honest-to-God [slang], genuine, **authentic** 516.14; **substantial** 3.6.

.16 ADVS **really, actually; genuinely,** veritably, **truly** 516.17; **in reality,** in actuality, in effect, in fact, *de facto* [L], in point of fact, as a matter of fact; positively, absolutely; no buts about it [informal]; no ifs,

ands, or buts [informal]; obviously, manifestly 555.14.

2. NONEXISTENCE

.1 NOUNS **nonexistence,** nonsubsistence; nonentity, **nonbeing,** unbeing, not-being; **nothingness,** nullity, nihility; vacancy, deprivation, emptiness, vacuity 187.2; vacuum, void 187.3; "the intense inane" [Shelley]; negativeness, negation, negativity; nonoccurrence; **unreality,** nonreality, unactuality; absence 187.

.2 **nothing, nil,** *nihil* [L], *nichts* [Ger], nix [slang], *nada* [Sp], **naught, aught;** zero, cipher, goose egg [slang]; nothing whatever, nothing at all, zilch [slang], Sweet Fanny Adams [Brit slang], nothing on earth *or* under the sun, no such thing; thing of naught 4.2.

.3 **none,** not a one, not a blessed one [informal]; never a one, ne'er a one, nary one [dial]; **not any, not a bit,** not a whit, not a hint, not a smitch *or* smidgen [dial], not a speck, not a mite, not a particle, not an iota, not a jot, not a scrap, not a trace, not a lick [informal], not a lick or smell [informal], not a suspicion, not a shadow of a suspicion, neither hide nor hair.

.4 VERBS **not exist,** not be in existence, not be met with, not occur, not be found, be absent *or* lacking.

.5 **cease to exist** *or* **be, be annihilated,** be destroyed, **be wiped out,** be extirpated, be eradicated; **go, vanish,** be no more, leave no trace, "leave not a rack behind" [Shakespeare]; **disappear** 447.2, evaporate, fade, fade away *or* out, fly, flee, dissolve, melt away, die out *or* away, pass, pass out of the picture [informal], turn to nothing *or* naught, peter out [informal]; **perish, expire,** pass away, **die** 408.19.

.6 **annihilate** 693.13, **exterminate** 693.14, eradicate, extirpate, **wipe out, stamp out** [informal], put an end to 693.12.

.7 ADJS **nonexistent,** nonsubsistent, existless, unexisting, without being, nowhere to be found; **minus, missing,** lacking, –less; **null,** nulli–, **void,** devoid; vacuous 187.13; negative.

.8 **unreal,** unactual, not real; merely nominal; **immaterial** 377.7; **unsubstantial** 4.5; **imaginary, fanciful** 535.19–22; unrealistic; illusory 519.9.

.9 **unmade,** uncreated, unborn, unbegotten, unconceived, unproduced.

.10 **no more, extinct, defunct, dead,** expired, passed away; vanished, gone glimmering; perished, annihilated; gone, all gone; all over with, had it [slang], kaput [informal], *kaputt* [Ger], done for *or* dead and done for [both informal], down the drain [slang].

.11 ADVS **none, no,** not at all, in no way, to no extent; from scratch, from the ground up.

3. SUBSTANTIALITY

.1 NOUNS substantiality, substantialness; materiality 376; **substance, body,** mass; **solidity,** density, concreteness, stere(o)–; **tangibility,** palpability, ponderability; **sturdiness, stability,** soundness, firmness, steadiness, stoutness, toughness, **strength,** durability.

.2 **substance, stuff, material, matter** 376.2; building blocks, fabric; atoms, medium; tangible.

.3 **something, thing,** –ing; an existence, **being, entity,** entelechy, unit, individual, person, persona, personality, ont(o)–; creature, critter [dial]; organism; life; body; soul, monad; **object** 376.4.

.4 **embodiment,** incarnation, materialization, substantiation, concretization; reification.

.5 VERBS **embody,** incarnate, **materialize,** body forth, lend substance to, reify, entify, hypostatize, solidify, concretize.

.6 ADJS **substantial,** substantive; **solid, concrete; tangible,** sensible, appreciable, palpable, ponderable; **material** 376.9; **real** 1.15.

.7 **sturdy,** stable, **solid,** sound, firm, steady, tough, stout, **strong,** "strong as flesh and blood" [Wordsworth], rugged; **durable,** lasting, enduring; hard, dense, unyielding, adamantine; **well-made,** well-constructed, well-built; **well-founded,** well-grounded; **massive,** bulky, heavy.

.8 ADVS **substantially,** essentially 5.10.

4. UNSUBSTANTIALITY

.1 NOUNS unsubstantiality, insubstantiality, unsubstantialness; **immateriality** 377; bodilessness, incorporeality, unsolidity, unconcreteness; **intangibility,** impalpability, imponderability; **tenuousness,** tenuity, subtlety, subtility, airiness, mistiness, vagueness, ethereality; unreality; **flimsiness** 160.2.

.2 thing of naught, nullity, zero; **nonentity, nobody** *or* nebbish [both informal]; cipher; man of straw, jackstraw, lay figure, puppet, dummy, hollow man; flash in the

pan, dud [slang]; pushover [slang]; **trifle** 673.5,6; nothing 2.2.

.3 **spirit,** shadow, air, **thin air,** "airy nothing" [Shakespeare], smoke, vapor, mist, ether, **bubble,** "such stuff as dreams are made on" [Shakespeare]; "a spume that plays upon a ghostly paradigm of things" [Yeats]; illusion 519; phantom 1017.1.

.4 VERBS spiritualize, **disembody,** dematerialize; etherealize, **attenuate,** subtilize, rarefy; weaken, enervate, sap.

.5 ADJS **unsubstantial,** insubstantial, nonsubstantial, unsubstanced; intangible, impalpable, imponderable; **immaterial** 377.7; pseudo–; **bodiless,** incorporeal, unsolid, unconcrete; weightless 353.10.

.6 **tenuous, subtile, subtle; rarefied; ethereal,** airy, windy, spirituous, vaporous, gaseous; air-built, cloud-built; **chimerical,** gossamery, shadowy, phantomlike 1017.7; dreamlike, **illusory, unreal;** fatuous, fatuitous; imaginary, fanciful 535.19–22.

.7 **flimsy,** shaky, weak, unsound, infirm 160.12–16.

.8 **baseless, groundless,** ungrounded, **without foundation,** not well-founded, built on sand.

5. INTRINSICALITY

.1 NOUNS intrinsicality, internality, inner-ness, **inwardness; inherence,** immanence, **inbeing,** indwelling; innateness, indigenousness; essentiality, fundamentality; **subjectivity,** nonobjectivity.

.2 **essence, substance,** stuff, inner essence; quid, quiddity; **quintessence,** elixir, flower; **essential,** principle, fundamental, hypostasis, postulate, axiom; **gist,** gravamen, **nub** [informal], nucleus, center, focus, kernel, **core, pith,** meat, nuts and bolts, the nitty-gritty [both informal]; sap, marrow, **heart,** soul, spirit.

.3 **nature, character, quality,** suchness; **constitution,** crasis [archaic], composition, **characteristics,** makeup, constituents; physique 246.4, physi(o)–, physic(o)–; body-build, somatotype, system [informal], diathesis; complexion [archaic], humor *or* humors [both archaic]; **temperament,** temper, fiber, **disposition,** spirit, ethos, genius, dharma; tenor, way, habit, frame, cast, hue, tone, grain, vein, streak, stripe, mold, brand, stamp; **kind** 61.3, **sort, type,** ilk; **property, characteristic** 80.4; **tendency** 174; the way of it, the nature of the beast [slang].

.4 **inner nature,** inside, internal *or* inner *or* esoteric reality, true being, essential nature, true inwardness, center of life, vital principle, nerve center; **spirit, soul, heart, breast, bosom, inner man;** heart of hearts, secret heart, inmost heart *or* soul, secret *or* innermost recesses of the heart, heart's core, bottom of the heart, cockles of the heart; vitals, quick, depths of one's being.

.5 VERBS **inhere,** indwell, belong to *or* permeate by nature; run in the blood, run in the family, be born so, be built that way [informal].

.6 ADJS **intrinsic,** internal, **inner,** inward; **inherent,** resident, implicit, immanent, indwelling; inalienable, unalienable, uninfringeable, unquestionable, unchallengeable, irreducible; **ingrained,** in the very grain; infixed, implanted, inwrought, deep-seated; **subjective,** esoteric, private, secret; self–.

.7 **innate, inborn, congenital; native, natural,** natural to, connatural, native to, indigenous; **constitutional,** bodily, physical, temperamental, organic; born; **inbred, genetic, hereditary,** inherited, incarnate, bred in the bone, in the blood, running in the blood *or* race *or* strain, etc.; connate, connatal, coeval 118.4; **instinctive,** instinctual, atavistic, primal.

.8 **essential,** of the essence, **fundamental; primary,** primitive, primal, elementary, elemental, original, *ab ovo* [L], radical; **basic, gut** [informal], basal, underlying; substantive, substantial, material; constitutive, constituent.

.9 ADVS **intrinsically, inherently,** innately; internally, **inwardly,** immanently; originally, primally, primitively; **naturally, congenitally,** genetically, **by birth, by nature.**

.10 **essentially, fundamentally, primarily, basically; at bottom,** *au fond* [Fr], at heart; in essence, at the core, in substance, in the main; substantially, materially; *per se* [L], of *or* in itself.

6. EXTRINSICALITY

.1 NOUNS **extrinsicality,** externality, outwardness, **extraneousness,** otherness, discreteness; foreignness; **objectivity,** nonsubjectivity, impersonality.

.2 **nonessential,** inessential *or* unessential; **accessory, extra,** collateral; other, not-self; **appendage,** appurtenance, auxiliary, **supplement,** addition, addendum, superaddition, adjunct 41; secondary, subsidiary; **contingency,** contingent, incidental, accidental, accident, happenstance, mere chance.

.3 ADJS **extrinsic, external,** outward, outside, outlying; **extraneous,** foreign; **objective,** nonsubjective, impersonal, extraorganismal.

.4 **unessential,** inessential *or* nonessential; **accessory, extra,** collateral, auxiliary; adventitious, appurtenant, adscititious, ascititious, **additional, supplementary,** supplemental, superadded, supervenient; **secondary,** subsidiary; **incidental,** circumstantial, contingent; accidental, fortuitous, casual, superfluous.

7. STATE

.1 NOUNS **state,** mode, modality; **status, situation,** position, posture, footing, location, bearings, spot [informal]; estate, **rank,** station, place, **standing; condition,** circumstance 8; –ance, –ancy, –cy, –ence, –ery, –hood, –ice, –ion, –ism, –ity, –ization *or* –isation, –ment, –ness, –or, –osis, –phoria, –ry, –ship, –th, –tude, –ty, –y; case, **lot; predicament,** plight, pass, pickle [slang], fix [slang], jam [slang].

.2 **the state of affairs,** the nature *or* shape of things, the way it shapes up [informal], the way of the world, how things stack up [slang], **how things stand,** how things are, the way of things, the way it is, like it is, where it's at, **the way things are,** the way of it, the way things go, how it goes, **how it is,** the status quo, *status in quo* [L], the size of it [informal]; how the land lies, the lay of the land [informal].

.3 **good condition, bad condition;** adjustment, fettle, form, order, repair, **shape** [informal], trim.

.4 **mode, manner, way** 657, fashion, style, form, shape, guise, complexion, tenor, tone, turn.

.5 **role, capacity, character,** part, quality, relation, status, position, condition.

.6 VERBS be in *or* **have** a certain state, be such *or* so *or* thus, **fare,** go on *or* along; **enjoy** *or* **occupy** a certain position; **get on** *or* **along,** come on *or* along [informal]; **manage** [informal], **contrive, make out** [informal], come through, get by; **turn out,** come out, stack up [slang], shape up [informal].

.7 ADJS conditional, modal, formal; –ate(d), –phoric; a–.

.8 **in condition** *or* **order** *or* repair, etc.; out of commission [informal], **out of kilter,** out of kelter [both informal], out of whack [informal], **out of order.**

8. CIRCUMSTANCE

.1 NOUNS **circumstance, occurrence, occasion, event, incident;** juncture, conjuncture, contingency, eventuality; **condition** 7.1.

.2 **circumstances,** total situation, existing conditions *or* situation, set of conditions, **environment** 233, context, status quo; whole picture [informal], full particulars, ins and outs.

.3 **particular, instance, item, detail,** point, count, case, fact, matter, article, datum, element, factor, facet, aspect, thing; respect, regard; minutia, minutiae [pl]; incidental, minor detail.

.4 **circumstantiality,** particularity, specificity, minuteness of detail; accuracy 516.3.

.5 **circumstantiation,** itemization, particularization, specification, anatomization, atomization, analysis 48.

.6 VERBS **circumstantiate, itemize, specify,** particularize, **detail,** go *or* enter into detail, descend to particulars, give full particulars, atomize, anatomize, spell out [informal]; instance, cite, adduce, document, quote chapter and verse; **substantiate** 505.12.

.7 ADJS **circumstantial,** conditional, provisional; **incidental,** occasional, contingent, adventitious, accidental, casual, unessential *or* inessential *or* nonessential, aleatory.

.8 environmental, environing, surrounding, contextual.

.9 **detailed, minute, full, particular,** meticulous, fussy, finicky, picayune, nice [archaic], precise, exact, specific, special.

.10 ADVS **thus, thusly** [informal], in such wise, thuswise, this way, this-a-way [dial], thus and thus, thus and so, **so,** just so, like so [informal], like this, like that, just like that; similarly 20.18, precisely 516.20.

.11 **accordingly, in that case, in that event, at that rate,** that being the case, such being the case, that being so, **under the circumstances,** the condition being such, as it is, as matters stand, as the matter stands, **therefore** 155.7, **consequently** 154.9; **as the case may be,** as it may be, according to circumstances; as it may happen *or* turn out, as things may fall; **by the same token,** equally.

.12 **circumstantially,** conditionally, provisionally; provided 507.12.

.13 **fully, in full, in detail,** minutely, specifically, particularly, in particular, wholly

54.13, *in toto* [L], completely 56.14–18, **at length,** *in extenso* [L].

9. RELATION

.1 NOUNS **relation, relationship, connection;** relatedness, connectedness, **association** 788, assemblage 74, **affiliation,** filiation, bond, union, alliance, tie, tie-in [informal], link, linkage, linking, liaison, **addition** 40, adjunct 41, junction 47.1, **combination** 52; deduction 42.1, disjunction 49.1, contrariety 15; **affinity, rapport,** mutual attraction, sympathy, accord 794; **closeness,** propinquity, **proximity,** approximation, contiguity, nearness 200, intimacy; **relations, dealings,** affairs, intercourse; **similarity,** homology.

.2 **relativity,** dependence, contingency; **interrelation, correlation** 13.

.3 **kinship,** common source *or* stock *or* descent *or* ancestry, consanguinity, agnation, cognation, enation, blood relationship 11; family relationship, affinity 12.1.

.4 **relevance, pertinence,** relatedness, materiality; **appositeness,** germaneness; application, applicability; **connection,** reference, **bearing,** concern, concernment, interest, respect, regard.

.5 VERBS **relate to,** refer to, **apply to,** bear **on** *or* **upon,** respect, regard, **concern, involve,** touch, affect, interest; **pertain to,** appertain to, belong to; answer to, correspond to; **have to do with,** have connection with, link with, connect, tie in with [informal], liaise with [informal], deal with, treat of, touch upon.

.6 **relate, associate, connect,** ally, link, wed, bind, tie, couple, bracket, equate, identify; bring into relation with, bring to bear upon, apply; parallel, parallelize, draw a parallel; **interrelate,** relativize, **correlate** 13.4.

.7 ADJS **relative,** relational; connective, linking, associative; **relating,** pertaining, appertaining, pertinent, referring, referable; congenial, *en rapport* [Fr], sympathetic, affinitive; **comparative,** comparable; proportional, proportionate, proportionable; correlative 13.10.

.8 **approximate,** approximating, approximative, proximate; **near, close** 200.14; comparable, relatable, **like,** homologous, **similar** 20.10.

.9 **related, connected; linked,** tied, coupled, knotted, twinned, wedded, wed, conjugate, bracketed, bound, yoked, spliced, joined 47.13; **associated, affiliated,** filiated, **allied,** associate, affiliate; interlocked, **interrelated,** interlinked, involved, implicated, **correlated** 13.10; in the same category, of that kind *or* sort *or* ilk; parallel, collateral; –al, –an, –ar, –ary, –ative, –atory, –ean, –ese, –etic, –ey, –ial, –ian, –ic(al), –ie, –ile, –ine, –ing, –istic(al), –itious, –ling, –orial, –ory, –ular, –y.

.10 **kindred, akin, related,** of common source *or* stock *or* descent *or* ancestry, agnate, cognate, enate, connate, connatural, congeneric, congenerous, consanguine(ous), genetically related, related by blood 11.6, affinal 12.4.

.11 **relevant, pertinent,** appertaining, **germane, apposite,** material, admissible, applicable, applying, pertaining, belonging, involving, appropriate, **apropos,** *à propos* [Fr], to the purpose, **to the point,** in point, *ad rem* [L].

.12 ADVS **relatively,** comparatively, proportionately, not absolutely, to a degree, to an extent; **relevantly,** pertinently, appositely, germanely.

.13 PREPS **with** *or* **in relation to,** with *or* in reference to, **with** *or* **in regard to,** with respect to, in respect to *or* of, relative to, relating to, **pertaining to,** pertinent to, referring to, in relation with, **in connection with,** apropos of, speaking of; **as to,** as for, as respects, as regards; in the matter of, on the subject of, in point of, on the score of; re, *in re* [L]; **about,** anent, of, on, upon, **concerning,** touching, respecting, **regarding.**

10. UNRELATEDNESS

.1 NOUNS **unrelatedness,** irrelation; **irrelevance,** impertinence, inappositeness, immateriality, inapplicability; inconnection *or* disconnection, inconsequence, independence; unconnectedness, separateness, discreteness, dissociation, disassociation, disjuncture, disjunction 49.1.

.2 **misconnection,** misrelation, wrong *or* invalid linking, misapplication, misapplicability, misreference; misalliance, *mésalliance* [Fr].

.3 VERBS **not concern,** not involve, not imply, not implicate, not relate to, not connect with, have nothing to do with.

.4 foist, drag in 237.6; impose on 963.7.

.5 ADJS **unrelated,** irrelative, unrelatable, **unconnected,** unallied, **unassociated,** unaffiliated *or* disaffiliated; disrelated, disconnected, dissociated, detached, discrete, disjunct, removed, separated, separate, segregate, apart, other, independent;

isolated, insular; **foreign, alien,** strange, exotic, outlandish; incommensurable, incomparable; –xene; extraneous 6.3.

.6 **irrelevant,** irrelative; **impertinent, inapposite,** inconsequent, inapplicable, immaterial, inappropriate, inadmissible; adrift, away from the point, *nihil ad rem* [L], **beside the point,** beside the mark, **beside the question,** off the subject, not to the purpose, **nothing to do with the case,** not at issue, out-of-the-way; **unessential,** nonessential, extraneous, extrinsic 6.3; incidental, parenthetical.

.7 **farfetched, remote,** distant, out-of-the-way, strained, forced, neither here nor there, brought in from nowhere, quite another thing, something else again; improbable 512.3.

.8 ADVS **irrelevantly,** irrelatively, impertinently, inappositely; without connection, without reference *or* regard.

11. RELATIONSHIP BY BLOOD

.1 NOUNS **blood relationship,** blood, ties of blood, consanguinity, common descent *or* ancestry, **kinship,** kindred, **relation, relationship,** sibship; propinquity; cognation; agnation, enation; filiation, affiliation; alliance, connection, **family connection** *or* tie; motherhood, maternity; fatherhood, paternity; patrocliny, matrocliny; patrilineage, matrilineage; patriliny, matriliny; patrisib, matrisib; brotherhood, brothership, fraternity; sisterhood, sistership; cousinhood, cousinship; **ancestry** 170.

.2 **kinsmen, kinfolk** *or* **kinsfolk, kindred,** kinnery [dial], **kin,** kith and kin, **family, relatives, relations, people,** folks [informal], connections; **blood relation** *or* **relative,** flesh, blood, flesh and blood, uterine kin, consanguinean; cognate; agnate, enate; kinsman, kinswoman, sib, sibling; german; near relation, distant relation; next of kin; collateral relative, collateral; distaff *or* spindle side, distaff *or* spindle kin; sword *or* spear side, sword *or* spear kin; **tribesman,** clansman; **ancestry** 170, **posterity** 171.

.3 **brother,** bub *or* bubba [both dial], bud *or* buddy [both informal], frater, adelpho–; brethren [pl] 1039.1; **sister,** sis [informal], sissy [informal]; sistern [pl dial]; kid brother *or* sister; blood brother *or* sister, uterine brother *or* sister, brother- *or* sister-german; half brother *or* sister, foster brother *or* sister, stepbrother *or* stepsister; **aunt,** auntie [informal]; **uncle,** unc *or* uncs [both slang], nunks *or* nunky [both slang], nuncle [dial]; **nephew, niece; cousin,** cousin-german; first cousin, second cousin, etc.; cousin once removed, cousin twice removed, etc.; country cousin; great-uncle, granduncle; great-granduncle; great-aunt, grandaunt; great-grandaunt; grandnephew, grandniece; **father, mother** 170.9,10; **son, daughter** 171.3.

.4 **race, people** 418, **folk, family, house, clan, tribe, nation;** patriclan, matriclan, deme, sept, gens, phyle, phyl(o)–, phratry, totem; **lineage,** line, blood, strain, stock, stem, species, stirps, **breed,** brood, kind; plant *or* animal kingdom, class, order, etc. 61.5.

.5 **family,** brood, **house, household,** hearth, ménage, people, folks [informal], homefolks [informal]; **children,** issue, **offspring,** get.

.6 ADJS **related, kindred, akin;** consanguineous *or* consanguinean *or* consanguineal, consanguine, of the blood; cognate, uterine, agnate, enate; sib, sibling; allied, affiliated, congeneric; german, germane; collateral; foster, novercal; patrilineal, matrilineal; patroclinous, matroclinous; patrilateral, matrilateral; avuncular; intimately *or* closely related, remotely *or* distantly related.

.7 **racial, tribal, national, family,** clannish, totemic, **lineal; ethnic;** phyletic, phylogenetic, genetic; gentile, gentilic.

12. RELATIONSHIP BY MARRIAGE

.1 NOUNS **marriage relationship,** affinity, marital affinity; connection, family connection, marriage connection.

.2 **in-laws** [informal], **relatives-in-law;** brother-in-law, sister-in-law, father-in-law, mother-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law.

.3 stepfather, stepmother; stepbrother, stepsister; stepchild, stepson, stepdaughter.

.4 ADJS **affinal,** affined, by marriage; step–, –in-law.

13. CORRELATION

(reciprocal or mutual relation)

.1 NOUNS **correlation,** corelation; correlativity, correlativism; **reciprocation,** reciprocity, reciprocality, relativity 9.2; mutuality, communion; community, commutuality; proportionality, direct *or* inverse relationship, direct *or* inverse ratio, direct *or* inverse proportion; **equilibrium, balance,**

symmetry 248; **correspondence, equivalence,** equipollence, coequality.

.2 **interrelation,** interrelationship; **interconnection,** interlocking, interdigitation, intercoupling, interlinking, interlinkage, interalliance, interassociation, interaffiliation, interdependence; covariation.

.3 **interaction,** interworking, intercourse, intercommunication, **interplay;** alternation, seesaw; meshing, intermeshing, mesh, engagement; complementary distribution; **interweaving,** interlacing, intertwining 222.1; **interchange** 150, tit for tat, *quid pro quo* [L]; **concurrence** 177, coaction, **cooperation** 786.

.4 **correlate,** correlative; **correspondent,** analogue, counterpart; reciprocator, reciprocatist; each other, one another.

.5 ecology, ecosystem; symbiosis, symbiotics, parasitism, commensality.

.6 VERBS **correlate,** corelate.

.7 **interrelate, interconnect,** interassociate, interlink, intercouple, interlock, interdigitate, interally, intertie, interjoin, interdepend.

.8 **interact,** interwork, **interplay;** mesh, intermesh, engage, dovetail, mortise; **interweave,** interlace, intertwine; **interchange;** coact, **cooperate.**

.9 **reciprocate, correspond,** correspond to, respond to, answer, answer to, complement, coequal.

.10 ADJS **correlative,** corelative, correlational, corelational; **correlated,** corelated; co–.

.11 **interrelated, interconnected,** interassociated, interallied, interaffiliated, interlinked, interlocked, intercoupled, intertied, interdependent; inter–.

.12 **interacting,** interactive, interworking, interplaying; in gear, in mesh; dovetailed, mortised.

.13 **reciprocal,** reciprocative; **corresponding,** correspondent, answering, analogous, homologous, equipollent, tantamount, equivalent, coequal; **complementary,** complemental; equi–.

.14 **mutual,** commutual, **common, joint,** communal, conjoint; respective, two-way.

.15 ecological, ecotopic; symbiotic, parasitic, commensal.

.16 ADVS **reciprocally,** back and forth, backward and forward, backwards and forwards, alternately, seesaw, to and fro; vice versa, *mutatis mutandis* [L].

.17 **mutually, commonly,** communally, **jointly;** respectively, each to each; *entre nous* [Fr], *inter se* [L].

.18 ecologically; symbiotically, parasitically, commensally.

14. IDENTITY

.1 NOUNS **identity,** identicalness; **sameness,** selfsameness; indistinguishability, no difference, not a bit of difference; **coincidence,** correspondence, agreement, congruence; **equivalence, equality** 30, coequality; **synonymousness,** synonymity, synonymy; **oneness, unity,** homogeneity; selfness, selfhood, self-identity; homoousia, consubstantiality.

.2 **identification,** unification, coalescence, combination, union, fusion, merger, synthesis.

.3 **the same, selfsame,** very same, one and the same, identical same, no other, none other, very *or* actual thing, a distinction without a difference, the same difference [informal]; **equivalent** 20.3; **synonym;** homonym, homograph, homophone; ditto [informal], *idem* [L], *ipsissima verba* [L, the very words]; **duplicate,** double, *Doppelgänger* [Ger], twin, very image, dead ringer [informal], spitting image *or* spit and image [both informal] 572.3, **exact counterpart, copy** 24.1–7, replica, facsimile, carbon copy.

.4 VERBS **coincide, correspond,** agree, match, tally.

.5 **identify,** make one, **unify,** unite, join, combine, coalesce, synthesize, merge, fuse 52.3.

.6 **reproduce,** copy, replicate, **duplicate,** ditto [informal].

.7 ADJS **identical,** identic; **same, selfsame,** one, **one and the same,** all the same, all one, of the same kidney; undifferent, indistinguishable, without distinction, without difference; **alike, like** 20.10, just alike, exactly alike, alike as two peas in a pod; duplicate, twin; homoousian, consubstantial; aut(o)–, taut(o)–.

.8 **coinciding,** coincident, coincidental; **corresponding,** correspondent, congruent; **synonymous, equivalent,** six of one and half a dozen of the other [informal]; **equal** 30.7, coequal, coextensive, coterminous; co–, equi–, hom(o)–, is(o)–.

.9 ADVS **identically,** synonymously, **alike;** coincidentally, correspondently, correspondingly, congruently; **equally** 30.11, coequally, coextensively, coterminously; on the same footing, on all fours with; **likewise,** the same way, just the same, as is, ditto, same here [informal]; *ibid., ibidem* [both L].

15. CONTRARIETY

.1 NOUNS contrariety, **oppositeness, opposition** 790, opposure; **antithesis, contrast,** contraposition 239, counterposition, contradiction, contraindication, contradistinction; **antagonism,** perversity, repugnance, oppugnance, oppugnancy, **hostility,** inimicalness, antipathy, clashing, confrontation, showdown, collision, cross-purposes 795.2, conflict; polarity; discrepancy, inconsistency, **disagreement** 27.

.2 **opposite, the contrary,** contra, counter, **antithesis, reverse,** inverse, converse, obverse; the other side, the mirror *or* reverse image, the other side of the coin, the flip side [slang]; the direct *or* polar opposite, the other *or* opposite extreme; antipode, antipodes; countercheck *or* counterbalance *or* counterpoise; antipole, counterpole, counterpoint; opposite number [informal], vis-à-vis; offset, setoff, foil; **antonym,** counterterm.

.3 (contrarieties joined or coexisting) self-contradiction, **paradox** 27.2, antinomy, oxymoron, ambivalence, **irony;** equivocation, **ambiguity.**

.4 VERBS **go contrary to, run counter to,** counter, **contradict,** contravene, controvert, fly in the face of, be *or* play at cross-purposes; **oppose,** be opposed to, go *or* run in opposition to; **conflict with,** come in conflict with, oppugn, conflict, clash; contrast with, **offset,** set off, countercheck *or* counterbalance, countervail; **counteract,** counterwork; counterpose *or* contrapose, counterpoise, juxtapose in opposition.

.5 **reverse,** transpose 220.5.

.6 ADJS **contrary;** contrarious, perverse, **opposite,** antithetic(al), **contradictory,** counter, contrapositive, contrasted; **converse, reverse,** obverse, inverse; con–, contra–, counter–, adverse, adversative *or* adversive, **opposing, opposed,** oppositive, oppositional; anti [informal], dead against; **antagonistic,** repugnant, oppugnant, hostile, inimical, antipathetic(al), discordant; inconsistent, discrepant, conflicting, clashing, at cross-purposes, confronting, squared off [informal], eyeball to eyeball [slang]; contradistinct; antonymous; countervailing, counterpoised, balancing, counterbalancing, compensating; mis–, un–.

.7 **diametric(al), diametrically opposite,** ant(i)– *or* anth–, de(s)–, ob–, retro–; antipodal *or* antipodean; opposite as black and white *or* light and darkness *or* day and night *or* fire and water *or* the poles, etc., "Hyperion to a satyr" [Shakespeare].

.8 self-contradictory, **paradoxical,** antinomic, oxymoronic, ambivalent, **ironic;** equivocal, **ambiguous.**

.9 ADVS contrarily, contrariously, contra, contrariwise, conversely, inversely, **vice versa,** topsy-turvy, upside down, arsy-varsy [dial], **on the other hand,** *per contra* [L], **on** *or* **to the contrary,** *tout au contraire* [Fr], in flat opposition; rather, nay rather, quite the contrary, otherwise 16.11, just the other way, just the other way around, **oppositely,** just the opposite *or* reverse; by contraries, by way of opposition; against the grain, *à rebours* [Fr].

.10 PREPS **opposite,** over against, in contrast with, contrary to, vis-à-vis.

16. DIFFERENCE

.1 NOUNS **difference,** otherness, separateness, discreteness, distinctness, **distinction;** unlikeness, **dissimilarity** 21; **variation,** variance, variegation, variety, **mixture** 44, heterogeneity, diversity; **deviation,** divergence *or* divergency, departure; **disparity,** inequality 31; odds; **discrepancy,** inconsistency, inconsonance, incongruity, discongruity, unconformity *or* nonconformity, disconformity, unorthodoxy 1025, incompatibility, irreconcilability; **disagreement, dissent** 522, disaccord *or* disaccordance, inaccordance, discordance, dissonance, inharmoniousness, inharmony; **contrast,** opposition, **contrariety** 15; far cry, whale of a difference [slang].

.2 **margin,** wide *or* narrow margin, **differential;** differentia, distinction, point of difference; **nicety, subtlety,** refinement, delicacy, nice *or* fine *or* delicate *or* **subtle distinction,** fine point; shade *or* particle of difference, **nuance,** hairline, a distinction without a difference.

.3 **different thing,** different story [informal], **something else,** something else again [informal], *tertium quid* [L, a third something], *autre chose* [Fr], another kettle of fish [informal], different breed of cat [informal], horse of a different color, bird of another feather; **nothing of the kind,** no such thing, **quite another thing; other, another.**

.4 **differentiation,** differencing, **discrimination,** distinguishment, **distinction;** demarcation, **separation** 49, division, atomiza-

tion, anatomization, analysis, disjunction, segregation, severance, severalization; **modification, alteration, change** 139, variation, diversification; specialization, particularization, individualization, individuation, personalization; disequalization, desynonymization.

.5 VERBS **differ, vary,** diverge, stand apart, be distinguished *or* distinct; **deviate from,** diverge from, divaricate from, depart from; **disagree with,** disaccord with, conflict with, contrast with, stand over against, clash with, jar with; bear no resemblance to 21.2, not square with, not accord with, not go on all fours with.

.6 **differentiate,** difference; **distinguish, make a distinction,** mark, mark out *or* off, **discriminate; separate,** sever, severalize, segregate, divide; set off, set apart; **modify,** vary, diversify, **change** 139.5,6; specialize, particularize, individualize, individuate, personalize; atomize, analyze, anatomize, disjoin 49.9; disequalize, desynonymize; split hairs, sharpen *or* refine a distinction, chop logic.

.7 ADJS **different,** differing; unlike, **dissimilar** 21.4; **distinct,** distinguished, differentiated, discriminated, discrete, separated, separate, disjoined 49.21, widely apart; **various,** variant, varying, varied, heterogeneous, multifarious, motley, assorted, variegated, diverse, divers, **diversified** 19.4; **several,** many; **divergent,** deviative, diverging, deviating, departing; **disparate,** unequal 31.4; **discrepant,** inconsistent, inconsonant, incongruous, incongruent, unconformable, incompatible, irreconcilable; **disagreeing,** in disagreement; at variance, at odds; inaccordant, disaccordant, discordant, dissonant, inharmonious; contrasting, contrasted, poles apart, poles asunder, worlds apart; **contrary** 15.6; all-(o)–, de–, dis–, heter(o)–, xen(o)–.

.8 **other, another,** else, otherwise, other than *or* from; not the same, not the type [informal], not that sort, of another sort, of a sort *or* of sorts [both informal]; **unique,** rare, **special,** peculiar, *sui generis* [L, of its own kind], in a class by itself.

.9 **differentiative,** differential; **distinguishing,** discriminating, discriminative, characterizing, individualizing, individuating, personalizing, differencing, separative; diagnostic, diacritical; **distinctive,** contrastive, characteristic, peculiar, idiosyncratic.

.10 ADVS **differently,** diversely, variously; in a different manner, in another way, with a difference.

.11 **otherwise,** in other ways, **in other respects;** elsewise, else, or else; than; other than; **on the other hand;** contrarily 15.9; alias.

17. UNIFORMITY

.1 NOUNS **uniformity, evenness,** equability; **steadiness,** stability 142, steadfastness, constancy, persistence, continuity, **consistency;** consonance, correspondence, accordance; unity, **homogeneity,** monolithism; equanimity, equilibrium, unruffledness, calm.

.2 **regularity, constancy,** even tenor *or* pace, smoothness, clockwork regularity; sameness, sameliness; **monotony,** monotonousness, undifferentiation, the same old thing; daily round *or* routine, treadmill; unvariation, undeviation, orderliness, invariability; monotone, drone, dingdong, singsong, monologue.

.3 VERBS **persist, prevail,** run through; run true to form *or* type, continue the same; drag on *or* along; hum, drone.

.4 **make uniform,** uniformize; **regulate,** regularize, normalize, stabilize, damp; **even, equalize,** symmetrize, harmonize, balance, equilibrize; **level,** smooth, flatten; homogenize, standardize, stereotype, assimilate to *or* with.

.5 ADJS **uniform, equable,** equal, **even; level,** flat, smooth; **regular, constant,** steadfast, persistent, continuous; **unvaried,** unruffled, unbroken, undiversified, undifferentiated, unchanged; invariable, unchangeable, immutable; **unvarying,** undeviating, unchanging, steady, stable; **ordered,** balanced, measured; **orderly,** methodic(al), systematic(al), mechanical, robotlike, automatic; **consistent,** consonant, correspondent, accordant, homogeneous, **alike,** of a piece, monolithic; equi–, hol(o)–, hom(o)–, is(o)–, mon(o)–.

.6 **same,** samely; **monotonous, humdrum,** unrelieved, tedious 884.8, boring 884.9; repetitive, drab, gray.

.7 ADVS **uniformly,** equably, **evenly;** monotonously, in a rut *or* groove, dully, tediously, routinely, unrelievedly.

.8 **regularly; constantly, steadily,** continually; **invariably,** without exception, at every turn, never otherwise; methodically, orderly, systematically; **always** 112.11; like clockwork.

18. NONUNIFORMITY

.1 NOUNS **nonuniformity, unevenness, irregularity,** raggedness, choppiness, jerkiness,

disorder 62; **difference** 16; inequality; **inconstancy, inconsistency,** variability, changeability *or* changeableness, mutability, capriciousness, mercuriality, wavering, **instability, unsteadiness; variation, deviation,** divergence, differentiation, divarication; versatility, **diversification,** nonstandardization; unconformity *or* unconformism, nonconformity *or* nonconformism, unorthodoxy, **pluralism;** variegation, variety, variousness, motleyness, dappleness.

.2 VERBS **diversify, vary,** variate, variegate 374.7; differentiate; divaricate, diverge; **differ** 16.5; dissent 522.4; break up, relieve, disunify.

.3 ADJS **nonuniform,** ununiform, **uneven, irregular,** ragged, choppy, jerky, jagged, rough, disorderly, unsystematic; **different** 16.7, unequal, unequable; **inconstant, inconsistent, variable,** varying, **changeable,** changing, mutable, capricious, impulsive, mercurial, erratic, spasmodic, sporadic, wavering, **unstable, unsteady;** deviating *or* deviative *or* deviatory, divergent, divaricate, erose; **diversified,** variform, diversiform, nonstandard; **nonconformist,** unorthodox; **pluralistic,** variegated, motley 374.9–15; various; diversi–, vari(o)–, heter(o)–.

.4 ADVS **nonuniformly,** ununiformly, unequally, **unevenly, irregularly,** inconstantly, **inconsistently,** unsteadily, erratically, spasmodically, capriciously, impulsively, sporadically; unsystematically, chaotically, helter-skelter, higgledy-piggledy; in all manner of ways, every which way [informal], all over the shop; here, there, and everywhere.

19. MULTIFORMITY

.1 NOUNS **multiformity,** multifariousness, **variety,** nonuniformity 18, **diversity,** diversification, variation, variegation 374, manifoldness, multiplicity, heterogeneity; omniformity, omnifariousness, everything but the kitchen sink [informal], polymorphism, heteromorphism; allotropy *or* allotropism [both chem]; Proteus, shapeshifting, shapeshifter; "God's plenty" [Dryden], "her infinite variety" [Shakespeare].

.2 VERBS **diversify, vary,** variate, variegate 374.7; ring changes.

.3 ADJS **multiform,** diversiform, "of every shape that was not uniform" [James Russell Lowell]; **manifold,** multifold, multiplex, multiple, multifarious, multiphase; polymorphous *or* polymorphic, heteromorphous *or* heteromorphic, metamorphic *or* metamorphotic; omniform(al), omnifarious, omnigenous; protean, proteiform; allotropic(al) [chem]; allo–, diversi–, heter(o)–, multi–, omni–, parti– *or* party–, poecil(o)– *or* poikil(o)–, poly–, vari(o)–.

.4 **diversified, varied, assorted,** heterogeneous; **various,** many and various, divers [archaic], diverse, sundry, **several, many;** of all sorts *or* kinds *or* shapes *or* descriptions *or* types.

.5 ADVS **variously, severally,** sundrily, multifariously, diversely, manifoldly.

20. SIMILARITY

.1 NOUNS **similarity, likeness,** alikeness, **sameness,** similitude; **resemblance,** semblance; **analogy, correspondence,** conformity, accordance, agreement, comparability, comparison, parallelism, parity, community, alliance, consimilarity; **approximation,** approach, closeness, nearness; assimilation, likening, **simile, metaphor; simulation, imitation,** copying, aping, mimicking; identity 14.

.2 **connaturality** *or* connaturalness, connature, connateness, congeneracy; congeniality, affinity; **kinship,** family likeness, family favor, generic resemblance.

.3 **likeness,** like, the like of *or* **the likes of** [informal]; suchlike, such; **analogue,** analogon, **parallel;** ally, associate; cognate, congener, congenator; **counterpart, complement, correspondent,** pendant, similitude, tally; coordinate, reciprocal, obverse, equivalent; correlate, correlative; **close imitation** *or* reproduction *or* copy *or* facsimile *or* replica, near duplicate, simulacrum; **close match, fellow, mate;** soul mate, kindred spirit *or* soul, **companion, twin,** brother, sister; *mon semblable* [Fr], second self, alter ego; chip off the old block; image, picture; –aria, –ee, –ella, –o, –ode, –ops(is), –type.

.4 **close** *or* **striking resemblance,** startling *or* marked *or* decided resemblance; close *or* near likeness; **faint** *or* **remote resemblance,** mere hint *or* shadow.

.5 **set,** group, matching pair *or* set, couple, pair, twins, look-alikes, two of a kind, birds of a feather, peas in a pod.

.6 (of words or sounds) assonance, alliteration, rhyme, slant rhyme, near rhyme, jingle, clink; pun, paronomasia.

.7 VERBS **resemble,** be like, bear resemblance; put one in mind of [informal], remind one of, bring to mind, be reminis-

cent of, suggest, evoke, call up, call to mind; **look like,** favor [informal], mirror; **take after,** partake of, follow, appear like, seem like, sound like; savor *or* smack of, be redolent of; **have all the earmarks of,** have every appearance of, have all the features of, have all the signs of, have every sign *or* indication of; **approximate,** approach, near, come near, come close; **compare with,** stack up with [informal]; **correspond, match, parallel;** not tell apart, not tell one from the other; **imitate** 22.5,6, **simulate,** copy, ape, mimic, counterfeit; nearly reproduce *or* duplicate *or* replicate.

.8 **similarize,** approximate, assimilate, bring near; connaturalize; –fy, –ify.

.9 **assonate,** alliterate, rhyme, chime; pun.

.10 ADJS **similar, like, alike,** something like, not unlike; **resembling,** following, favoring [informal], savoring *or* smacking of, suggestive of, **on the order of;** consimilar; **simulated, imitated,** imitation, copied, aped, mimicked, fake *or* phony [both informal], counterfeit, **mock,** synthetic, ersatz; nearly reproduced *or* duplicated *or* replicated; uniform with, homogeneous, identical 14.7; –acean, –aceous, –an, –ar, –ean, –ed, –esque, –eous, –etic, –ey, –ful, –ian, –ic(al), –ie, –ine, –ish, –like, –ly, –oid(al), –ular, –y; hol(o)–, hom(o)– *or* home(o)–, near–, par(a)–, pseud(o)–, quasi–, semi–, syn– *or* sym–.

.11 **analogous,** comparable; **corresponding,** correspondent, equivalent; **parallel,** paralleling; **matching,** cast in the same mold, of a kind, of a size, of a piece; duplicate, twin, of the same hue *or* stripe.

.12 **such as,** suchlike, so.

.13 **connatural,** connate, cognate, agnate, enate, conspecific, correlative; congenerous, congeneric(al); congenial, affinitive; **akin, allied, connected;** brothers *or* sisters under the skin.

.14 **approximating,** approximative, approximate; **near, close;** much the same, much at one, nearly the same, same but different, "like—but oh! how different" [Wordsworth]; quasi.

.15 **very like, mighty like,** powerful like [dial], uncommonly like, remarkably like, extraordinarily like, strikingly like, **ridiculously like, for all the world like,** as like as can be; a lot alike, pretty much the same, damned little difference [informal]; as like as two peas in a pod, "as lyke as one pease is to another" [John Lyly], "as like as eggs" [Shakespeare], *comme deux gouttes d'eau* [Fr, like two drops of water]; faintly *or* remotely like.

.16 **lifelike,** speaking, faithful, living, breathing, to the life, **true to life** *or* nature; **realistic, natural.**

.17 (of words or sounds) assonant, assonantal, alliterative, alliteral; rhyming, chiming, punning.

.18 ADVS **similarly,** correspondingly, **like, likewise,** either; in the same manner, **in like manner,** in kind; in that way, like that, like this; **thus** 8.10; so; by the same token, by the same sign; identically 14.9.

.19 **so to speak,** in a manner of speaking, **as it were,** in a manner, in a way; kind of, sort of [both informal].

21. DISSIMILARITY

.1 NOUNS **dissimilarity,** unsimilarity; **dissimilitude,** dissemblance, **unresemblance; unlikeness,** unsameness; **disparity,** diversity, divergence, **contrast, difference** 16; nonuniformity 18; incomparability, incommensurability; dissimilation, camouflage, makeup, **disguise;** poor imitation, bad likeness *or* copy, mere caricature *or* counterfeit.

.2 VERBS **not resemble, bear no resemblance,** not look like, **not compare with; differ** 16.5; have little *or* nothing in common.

.3 dissimilate, camouflage, **disguise;** vary 139.6.

.4 ADJS **dissimilar,** unsimilar, unresembling; **unlike, unalike,** unsame, unidentical; **disparate,** diverse, divergent, **contrasting, different** 16.7; nonuniform 18.3; scarcely like, hardly like, a bit *or* mite different; off, a bit on the off side; unmatched, odd, counter, out; offbeat; heter(o)–, near–, off–; –ish.

.5 **nothing like,** not a bit alike, not a bit of it, **nothing of the sort,** nothing of the kind, something else, something else again [informal], quite another thing, cast in a different mold, not the same thing at all; not so you could tell it, not that you would know it, **far from it,** far other [all informal]; way off, away off, a mile off, way out, no such thing, no such a thing [informal]; "no more like than an apple to an oyster" [Sir Thomas More].

.6 **not to be compared with,** not comparable to; incomparable, incommensurable, incommensurate.

.7 ADVS **dissimilarly, differently** 16.10,11, with a difference, disparately, contrastingly.

22. IMITATION

.1 NOUNS **imitation, copying,** counterfeiting, repetition; emulation, the sincerest form of flattery, following, mirroring; **simulation** 616.3; fakery, forgery, plagiarism *or* plagiary; **imposture, impersonation** 572.2, **takeoff** *or* hit-off [both informal], **impression;** mimesis; parody, onomatopoeia.

.2 **mimicry, mockery,** apery, parrotry; protective coloration *or* mimicry, aggressive mimicry, aposematic *or* synaposematic mimicry, cryptic mimicry, playing possum.

.3 **reproduction, duplication, imitation** 24.1, **copy** 24.1, dummy, mock-up, **replica,** facsimile, representation, paraphrase, model, version, knockoff [informal]; –een, –ette, –type; parody, burlesque, travesty 967.6.

.4 **imitator,** simulator, **impersonator, impostor** 619.6, **mimic,** mimicker, mimer, mime, –mimus, **mocker;** mockingbird, cuckoo; **parrot,** polly, poll-parrot *or* polly-parrot, **ape,** monkey; **echo,** echoer, echoist; **copier,** copyist, **copycat** [informal]; faker, counterfeiter, forger, plagiarist; dissimulator, dissembler, hypocrite, phony [informal], poseur; conformist, sheep.

.5 VERBS **imitate, copy, repeat,** ditto [informal]; do like [informal], do [slang], act like, go like [informal], make like [informal]; **mirror, reflect; echo,** reecho, chorus; **borrow,** steal one's stuff [slang], take a leaf out of one's book; assume, **affect; simulate** 616.21; counterfeit, fake [informal], hoke *or* hoke up [both slang], forge, plagiarize, crib.

.6 **mimic, impersonate,** mime, **mock; ape,** copycat [informal]; parrot; take off, hit off, hit off on, take off on.

.7 **emulate, follow,** follow in the steps *or* footsteps of, walk in the shoes of, put oneself in another's shoes, follow in the wake of, follow the example of, follow suit, follow like sheep, jump on the bandwagon; **copy after,** model after, pattern after, take after, take a leaf out of one's book, take as a model.

.8 ADJS **imitation, mock, sham** 616.26, fake *or* phony [both informal], counterfeit, forged, plagiarized; **pseudo,** synthetic(al), ersatz, hokey [slang], quasi; mim(o)–, ne(o)–, near–, semi–.

.9 **imitative,** simulative; **mimic,** mimetic, **apish;** emulative; echoic, onomatopoetic, onomatopoeic; –ish, –like.

.10 imitable, copiable.

.11 ADVS imitatively, apishly; onomatopoetically; synthetically; quasi.

.12 PREPS **in imitation of,** after, in the semblance of, on the model of, *à la* [Fr].

23. NONIMITATION

.1 NOUNS **nonimitation, originality, novelty,** newness, innovation, freshness, uniqueness; **authenticity** 516.5; inventiveness, creativity *or* creativeness 535.3.

.2 **original, model** 25, archetype, prototype 25.1, pattern, pilot model; **innovation,** new departure.

.3 **autograph,** holograph, first edition.

.4 VERBS **originate, invent** 167.13; **innovate** 139.8; **create** 167.10; revolutionize.

.5 ADJS **original,** novel; unique; new, fresh 122.7; underived, **firsthand; authentic** 516.14, **imaginative, creative** 535.18; avant-garde; revolutionary.

.6 **unimitated,** uncopied, **unduplicated,** unreproduced, unprecedented, unexampled; prototypal 25.9, primary.

24. COPY

.1 NOUNS **copy, representation, image, likeness** 20.3, **resemblance,** semblance, similitude, picture, portrait, icon, simulacrum; ectype; pastiche, *pasticcio* [Ital]; fair copy, faithful copy; certified copy; **imitation** 22.3, **counterfeit** 616.13, forgery, fake [slang], phony [slang].

.2 reproduction, duplication, reduplication; reprography; transcription; tracing, rubbing; mimeography, xerography, hectography.

.3 **duplicate, duplication,** dupe [slang], ditto [informal]; **double;** clone; representation, **reproduction, replica,** replication, facsimile, model, **counterpart;** chip off the old block; triplicate, quadruplicate, etc.; repetition 103.

.4 **transcript, transcription,** apograph, tenor [law]; **transfer,** tracing, rubbing, **carbon copy,** carbon; manifold [archaic]; microcopy, microform; microfiche, fiche; recording.

.5 **print,** offprint; **impression,** impress; **reprint,** proof, second edition; photostatic copy, Photostat, stat [informal]; mimeograph copy, Ditto copy, hectograph copy, Xerox copy, Xerox [informal]; photograph, positive, negative, print, enlargement, contact print, photocopy.

.6 **cast,** casting; mold, **molding,** stamp, seal.

.7 **reflection,** reflex; **shadow,** silhouette, outline 235.2, adumbration; **echo.**

.8 VERBS **copy, reproduce,** replicate, **dupli-**

cate, dupe [slang]; clone; reduplicate; **transcribe;** trace; double; triplicate, quadruplicate, etc.; manifold [archaic], multigraph, mimeograph, mimeo, Photostat, stat [informal], facsimile, hectograph, ditto, Xerox; microcopy, microfilm.

.9 ADVS in duplicate, in triplicate, etc.

25. MODEL

(thing copied)

.1 NOUNS **model, pattern, standard, criterion,** classic example, rule, mirror, paradigm; original, urtext; **type, prototype,** antetype, archetype, genotype, biotype, type specimen, type species, antitype; **precedent,** lead; representative, **epitome;** fugler, fugleman; imitatee.

.2 **example,** exemplar; **representative,** type, symbol, emblem; exponent; **exemplification,** illustration, demonstration, explanation; **instance,** relevant instance, **case,** typical example *or* case, case in point; object lesson.

.3 **sample, specimen;** piece, taste, swatch.

.4 **ideal,** beau ideal, ego ideal, acme, highest *or* perfect *or* best type; cynosure, apotheosis; **shining example,** hero, mirror, paragon, "the observed of all observers" [Shakespeare].

.5 artist's model, dressmaker's model, photographer's model, mannequin; dummy, lay figure; clay model, wood model, pilot model, mock-up.

.6 **mold, form** 246, cast, template, matrix, negative; **die,** punch, stamp, intaglio, seal, mint; last, shoe last.

.7 VERBS **set an example,** set the pace, lead the way; exemplify, epitomize; fit the pattern.

.8 ADJS **model, exemplary,** precedential, typical, paradigmatic, representative, standard, classic; ideal; type(o)–.

.9 **prototypal,** prototypic(al), archetypal, archetypic(al), antitypic(al).

26. AGREEMENT

.1 NOUNS **agreement, accord** 794, accordance; **concord,** concordance; **harmony, cooperation** 786, peace 803, *rapport* [Fr], concert, consort, **consonance,** unisonance, **unison,** union, chorus, oneness; **correspondence,** coincidence, intersection, overlap, parallelism, symmetry, tally, equivalence 14.1; congeniality, compatibility, affinity; **conformity,** conformance, conformation, uniformity 17; congruity, congruence *or* congruency; **consistency,** self-consistency, coherence; synchronism, sync [informal], timing; **assent** 521.

.2 **understanding,** entente; mutual *or* cordial understanding, consortium, *entente cordiale* [Fr]; **compact** 771.

.3 (general agreement) consensus, consentaneity, *consensus omnium, consensus gentium* [both L], **unanimity** 521.5; **like-mindedness,** meeting *or* intersection *or* confluence of minds.

.4 **adjustment, adaptation,** coaptation, **regulation,** attunement, harmonization, **coordination,** accommodation, squaring, integration, assimilation; reconciliation, reconcilement, synchronization, timing.

.5 **fitness** *or* fittedness, **suitability, appropriateness,** propriety, admissibility; **aptness,** aptitude, qualification; **relevance** 9.4, felicity, appositeness, applicability.

.6 VERBS **agree, accord** 794.2, **harmonize, concur** 521.9, **cooperate** 786.3,4, **correspond, conform,** coincide, parallel, intersect, overlap, **match,** tally, hit, register, lock, interlock, check [informal], square, dovetail, jibe [informal]; **be consistent,** cohere, stand *or* hold *or* hang together, fall in together, fit together, chime; **assent** 521.8, come to an agreement 521.10, be of one *or* the same *or* like mind, see eye to eye, sing in chorus; **go together,** go with, conform with, be uniform with, square with, sort *or* assort with, go on all fours with, consist with, register with, answer *or* respond to.

.7 (make agree) **harmonize,** coordinate, accord, make uniform 17.4, equalize 30.6, similarize, assimilate, homologize *or* homologate; **adjust, set,** regulate, **accommodate, reconcile,** synchronize, sync [informal]; adapt, fit, tailor, measure, proportion, adjust to, trim to, cut to, gear to, key to; fix, **rectify,** true, true up, right, set right, make plumb; **tune,** attune, put in tune.

.8 **suit,** fit, **qualify, do,** serve, answer, relate 9.6, be OK [informal], do the job [informal], fill the bill [informal].

.9 ADJS **agreeing, in agreement; in accord, concurring,** positive, affirmative, in rapport, *en rapport* [Fr], **in harmony,** in accordance, **at one,** on all fours, of one *or* the same *or* like mind, **like-minded,** consentient, consentaneous, **unanimous** 521.15, unisonous *or* unisonant; **harmonious,** accordant, **concordant,** consonant; **consistent,** self-consistent; uniform, co-

herent, conformable, of a piece, equivalent, **coinciding** 14.8, coincident, corresponding *or* correspondent; answerable, reconcilable; commensurate, proportionate; **congruous,** congruent; **agreeable,** congenial, compatible, cooperating *or* cooperative 786.5, coexisting *or* coexistent, symbiotic; synchronous, **synchronized,** in synchronization, in sync [informal]; con–, syn– *or* sym–, uni–.

.10 **apt, apposite, appropriate, suitable;** applicable, relevant, likely, sortable, seasonable, opportune; **fitting,** befitting, **suiting,** becoming; **fit,** fitted, qualified, **suited,** adapted, geared, tailored, dovetailing, meshing; **right,** just right, **pat,** happy, felicitous, just what the doctor ordered [informal]; to the point, to the purpose, *ad rem* [L], *à propos* [Fr], **apropos,** on the button [informal]; –ile.

.11 ADVS **in step,** in concert, **in unison,** in chorus, **in line, in keeping,** hand in glove, just right; with it [slang]; **unanimously, harmoniously,** concordantly, consonantly, **by consensus;** agreeably, congenially, compatibly; fittingly.

.12 PREPS in agreement with, together with, with, right with, in there with, right along there with; in line with, in keeping with; together on.

.13 PHRS that's it, that's the thing, that's just the thing, that's the very thing, that's the idea, that's the ticket [both informal]; right on [informal].

27. DISAGREEMENT

.1 NOUNS **disagreement, discord,** discordance *or* discordancy; **disaccord** 795, disaccordance, inaccordance; disunity, disunion; **disharmony,** unharmoniousness; dissonance, dissidence; jarring, clashing; **difference** 16, **variance,** divergence, diversity; **disparity,** discrepancy, inequality; antagonism, **opposition** 790, **conflict,** controversy, faction, oppugnancy, repugnance, dissension 795.3, argumentation 482.4; **dissent** 522, negation 524, contradiction.

.2 **inconsistency, incongruity,** asymmetry, inconsonance, incoherence; **incompatibility,** irreconcilability, incommensurability; disproportion, disproportionateness, nonconformity *or* unconformity, nonconformability *or* unconformability, heterogeneity, heterodoxy, unorthodoxy, heresy; self-contradiction, paradox, antinomy, oxymoron, **ambiguity,** ambivalence, equivocality.

.3 **unfitness, inappropriateness, unsuitability,** impropriety; **inaptness,** inaptitude, **inappositeness, irrelevance** *or* irrelevancy, infelicity, uncongeniality, inapplicability, inadmissibility; abnormality, anomaly; **maladjustment,** misjoining, misjoinder; mismatch, mismatchment; misalliance, *mésalliance* [Fr].

.4 **misfit, nonconformist,** individualist, inner-directed person, oddball [informal]; freak, sport, anomaly; naysayer, crosspatch; fish out of water, square peg in a round hole.

.5 VERBS **disagree, differ** 16.5, vary, be at cross-purposes, **disaccord** 795.8–14, **conflict,** clash, **jar,** jangle, jostle, collide, square off, break, break off; mismatch, mismate; **dissent** 522.4, agree to disagree, object, **negate** 524.3,4, **contradict,** counter; be *or* march out of step, "hear a different drummer" [Thoreau].

.6 ADJS **disagreeing, differing** 16.7, **discordant** 795.15,16, disaccordant; dissonant, dissident; **inharmonious,** unharmonious, disharmonious; discrepant, disproportionate; divergent, variant; at variance, **at odds,** at war, at loggerheads, at cross-purposes; hostile, antipathetic, antagonistic, repugnant; inaccordant, out of accord, out of whack [informal]; clashing, grating, jarring, jangling; **contradictory, contrary; disagreeable,** cross, cranky, negative, uncongenial, incompatible, immiscible [chem]; contra–, counter–, dis–.

.7 **inappropriate, inapt,** unapt, inapposite, **irrelevant,** malapropos, *mal à propos* [Fr]; **unsuited,** ill-suited; **unfitted,** ill-fitted; **maladjusted,** unadapted, ill-adapted; ill-sorted, ill-assorted, ill-chosen; ill-matched *or* -mated, mismatched *or* mismated, misjoined; misplaced; **unfit,** inept, unqualified; unfitting, unbefitting; **unsuitable,** improper, **unbecoming,** unseemly; infelicitous, inapplicable, inadmissible; **unseasonable,** ill-timed, untimely; **out of place,** out of line, out of keeping, out of character, out of proportion, out of joint, out of tune, out of time, out of season, out of its element; ill–, mal–, mis–.

.8 **inconsistent, incongruous, inconsonant,** inconsequent, incoherent, **incompatible,** irreconcilable; incommensurable, incommensurate; disproportionate, out of proportion, self-contradictory, paradoxical, oxymoronic, **absurd; abnormal,** anomalous.

.9 **nonconformist,** individualistic, inner-directed; **unorthodox,** heterodox, heretical.

.10 PREPS **in disagreement with, against,** counter to, **contrary to,** in defiance of, in contempt of, in opposition to; out of line with, not in keeping with.

28. QUANTITY

.1 NOUNS **quantity,** quantum, amount, **whole** 54; mass, **bulk,** substance, matter, magnitude, amplitude, **extent, sum; measure,** measurement; strength, force, numbers.

.2 **amount,** quantity, large amount 34.3,4, small amount 35.2, **sum, number,** count, **measure,** parcel, **part** 55, **portion,** group, clutch, ration, lot, deal; batch, bunch, heap [informal], pack, mess [informal], gob [slang], chunk [informal], hunk [slang], budget [archaic], dose; –ful *or* –full.

.3 **some,** somewhat, something; **aught; any,** anything.

.4 VERBS **quantify,** quantize, **count, number** 87.10, rate, fix; parcel, apportion, divide 49.18; **increase** 38.4–6, **decrease** 39.6, reduce 39.7; **measure** 490.11.

.5 ADJS **quantitative,** quantitive, quantified, quantized, measured; **some,** certain, one; a, an; **any.**

.6 ADVS **approximately,** nearly, some, about, circa; more or less, *plus ou moins* [Fr].

.7 PREPS **to the amount of,** to the tune of [informal]; as much as, all of [informal], no less than.

.8 **indefinite quantities**

armful
bag(ful)
barrel(ful)
basin(ful)
basket(ful)
bin(ful)
bottle(ful)
bowl(ful)
box(ful)
bucket(ful)
can(ful)
capful
carton(ful)
case(ful)
crate(ful)
cup(ful)
flask(ful)
glass(ful)
handful
jar(ful)
keg(ful)
kettle(ful)
lapful
mouthful
mug(ful)
pail(ful)
pitcher(ful)
plate(ful)
pocketful
pot(ful)
roomful
sack(ful)
scoop(ful)
shovel(ful)
skepful
spoon(ful)
tablespoon(ful)
tank(ful)
teacup(ful)
teaspoon(ful)
thimble(ful)

29. DEGREE

.1 NOUNS **degree, grade, step,** *pas* [Fr], leap; round, rung, tread, stair; **point,** mark, peg; **notch,** cut; plane, level, plateau; **period,** space, interval; **extent, measure,** amount, ratio, proportion, stint, standard, height, pitch, reach, remove, compass, range, scale, scope, caliber; **shade,** shadow, nuance.

.2 **rank, standing,** footing, **status,** station, stage, **position,** place, sphere, order, echelon, precedence, condition; rate, rating; class, caste; **hierarchy,** power structure; –ance, –ence.

.3 **gradation, graduation,** grading, shading.

.4 VERBS **graduate, grade,** calibrate; shade off; differentiate; **increase** 38, **decrease** 39.6,7.

.5 ADJS **gradual,** gradational, calibrated, graduated, scalar; regular, progressive; hierarchic(al); –escent.

.6 ADVS **by degrees,** degreewise; **gradually,** gradatim; **step by step,** grade by grade, *di grado in grado* [Ital], **bit by bit, little by little,** inch by inch, drop by drop; by slow degrees, by inches, by little and little, a little at a time; –meal, **inchmeal,** by inchmeal; slowly 270.13.

.7 to a degree, to some extent, in a way, in a measure, in some measure; somewhat, kind of [informal], sort of [informal], rather, pretty, quite, fairly; a little, a bit; slightly, scarcely, to a small degree 35.9,10; very, extremely, to a great degree 34.15–23.

30. EQUALITY

.1 NOUNS **equality, parity,** par, equation, **identity** 14; equivalence *or* equivalency, **correspondence,** parallelism, equipollence, coequality; likeness, levelness, evenness, coextension; **balance,** poise, equipoise, **equilibrium,** equiponderance; symmetry, proportion; **justice,** equity.

.2 **equating** *or* **equation; equalizing** *or* **equalization,** equilibration, evening, evening up; coordination, integration, accommodation, adjustment.

.3 **the same** 14.3; **tie, draw, standoff** [informal], stalemate, deadlock, dead heat, neck-and-neck race, photo finish; tied *or* knotted score; a distinction without a difference, six of one and half a dozen of the other, Tweedledum and Tweedledee; even break [slang], fair shake [slang].

.4 **equal, match,** mate, twin, fellow, **like, equivalent,** opposite number, counterpart, equipollent, coequal, parallel, ditto [informal]; **peer,** compeer, **rival.**

.5 VERBS **equal, match, rival, correspond,** reach, touch; keep pace with, keep step

with, run abreast; **amount to,** come to, run to; **measure up to,** come up to, stack up with [slang], match up with; lie on a level with, **balance, parallel,** ditto [informal]; even, even off, break even [slang]; **tie, draw,** knot.

.6 **equalize; equate; even,** even up, square, level; **balance,** strike a balance, poise; compensate, counterpoise; countervail, counterbalance, cancel; coordinate, integrate, proportion; fit, accommodate, adjust.

.7 ADJS **equal, equalized,** like, **alike, even,** level, par, **on a par,** at par, au pair, commensurate, proportionate; on the same level, on the same plane, on the same footing; on terms of equality, **on even** *or* **equal terms,** on even ground; on a level, on a footing, in the same boat; **square,** quits, even stephen [informal]; half-and-half, **fifty-fifty;** nip and tuck, **drawn, tied,** deadlocked, stalemated, knotted; co–, equi– *or* aequi–, homal(o)–, is(o)–, pari–.

.8 **equivalent, tantamount,** equiparant, equipollent, coequal, coordinate; **identical** 14.7; corresponding *or* correspondent; convertible, much the same, as broad as long, neither more nor less; **all one,** all the same.

.9 **balanced, poised,** apoise, **on an even keel;** equibalanced, equiponderant *or* equiponderous; symmetric(al); stato–, sym–.

.10 **equisized,** equidimensional, equiproportional, equispaced; equiangular, isogonic, isometric; equilateral, equisided.

.11 ADVS **equally, correspondingly, proportionately,** equivalently, **evenly; identically** 14.9; without distinction, indifferently; to the same degree, *ad eundem* [L]; as, so; as well; to all intents and purposes, other things being equal, *ceteris paribus* [L]; as much as to say.

.12 **to a standoff** [informal], to a tie *or* draw.

31. INEQUALITY

.1 NOUNS **inequality, disparity, unevenness, contrariety** 15, **difference** 16, odds; **irregularity,** nonuniformity 18, heterogeneity; disproportion, asymmetry; **unbalance,** imbalance, disequilibrium, overbalance, inclination of the balance; **inadequacy,** insufficiency, shortcoming; **injustice,** inequity, unfair discrimination.

.2 VERBS unequalize, disproportion.

.3 **unbalance,** disbalance, disequilibrate, overbalance, **throw off balance,** upset, skew.

.4 ADJS **unequal,** disparate, **uneven; irregular** 18.3; disproportionate, **out of proportion,** skew, skewed, asymmetric(al); mismatched *or* ill-matched, ill-sorted; **inadequate,** insufficient; odd; aniso–.

.5 **unbalanced, ill-balanced,** overbalanced, off-balance, listing, heeling, leaning, canted, top-heavy; lopsided; unstable, unsteady.

.6 ADVS **unequally,** disparately, disproportionately, variously, **unevenly;** nonuniformly 18.4.

32. MEAN

.1 NOUNS **mean, median, middle** 69; **golden mean,** *juste-milieu* [Fr]; **medium,** happy medium; middle-of-the-road, middle course, *via media* [L]; middle state *or* ground *or* position *or* point, midpoint; **average,** balance, par, normal, norm, rule, run, generality; mediocrity; **center** 226.2.

.2 VERBS **average,** average out, **split the difference,** take the average, strike a balance, pair off; do on an average; keep to the middle, avoid extremes.

.3 ADJS **medium,** mean, **intermediate,** intermediary, median, medial; **average,** normal, standard; middle-of-the-road, moderate; **middling, ordinary,** usual, routine, common, mediocre, banal; **central** 226.11; medi(o)–, mes(o)–, mezzo–, semi–.

.4 ADVS **mediumly,** medianly; medially, midway 69.5, intermediately, in the mean; **centrally** 226.15.

.5 **on the average, in the long run; taking one thing with another,** taking all things together, **all in all, on the whole,** all things considered, on balance; **generally** 79.17; in round numbers.

33. COMPENSATION

.1 NOUNS **compensation, recompense,** repayment, indemnity, indemnification, measure for measure, rectification, restitution, **reparation; amends,** expiation, atonement; **redress,** satisfaction; commutation, substitution; **offsetting,** balancing, **counterbalancing,** counteraction; **retaliation** 955, revenge, *lex talionis* [L].

.2 **offset,** setoff; **counterbalance,** counterpoise, equipoise, counterweight, make-weight; **balance,** ballast; equivalent, consideration, something of value, *quid pro quo* [L, something for something], tit for tat, give-and-take 150.1.

.3 **counterclaim,** counterdemand.

.4 VERBS **compensate,** make compensation, make good, set right, rectify, **make up for,** make amends; do penance, atone, ex-

piate; **recompense,** pay back, repay, indemnify; cover, fill up; give and take, retaliate.

.5 **offset** 15.4, set off, **counteract,** countervail, **counterbalance,** counterweigh, counterpoise, **balance,** equiponderate; square, square up.

.6 ADJS **compensating, compensatory;** recompensive, amendatory, indemnificatory, reparative, rectifying; **offsetting,** counteracting *or* counteractive, countervailing, balancing, **counterbalancing;** expiatory, penitential; retaliatory; counter–.

.7 ADVS **in compensation,** in return, back; in consideration, for a consideration.

.8 ADVS, CONJS **notwithstanding,** but, all the same [informal], still, yet, even; **however, nevertheless,** nonetheless; **although,** when, though; howbeit, albeit; **at all events,** in any event, **in any case,** at any rate; **be that as it may,** for all that, even so, **on the other hand,** rather, again, at the same time, just the same, **however that may be;** after all, after all is said and done.

.9 ADVS, PREPS **in spite of,** spite of [informal], **despite,** in despite of, with, even with; **regardless of,** regardless, irregardless [informal], irrespective of, without respect *or* regard to; cost what it may, regardless of cost, at any cost, at all costs.

34. GREATNESS

.1 NOUNS **greatness, magnitude,** muchness; **amplitude,** ampleness, fullness, plenitude, great scope *or* compass *or* reach; **grandeur,** grandness; **immensity,** enormousness *or* enormity, **vastness,** tremendousness, expanse, boundlessness, infinity 104; stupendousness, formidableness, prodigiousness; might, mightiness, strength, power, intensity; **largeness** 195.6, **hugeness,** gigantism, bulk.

.2 **eminence, loftiness, prominence,** distinction, consequence, notability, nobility, sublimity, **magnanimity,** majesty; fame, renown, **glory;** heroism.

.3 **quantity** 28, **quantities, much, abundance,** copiousness, superabundance, superfluity, profusion, plenty, plenitude; **volume, mass,** mountain, load; peck, bushel; bags, barrels, tons; world, worlds, acres, ocean, oceans, sea; flood, spate; **multitude** 101.3, numerousness, countlessness 104.1.

.4 **lot, lots,** deal, **good** *or* **great deal, considerable,** sight, **heap,** heaps, **pile,** piles, **stack,** stacks, loads, **raft,** rafts, **slew,** slews, whole slew, spate, wad, wads, **batch,** mess, mint, peck, pack, pot, **tidy sum,** quite a little; **oodles, gobs, scads,** lashings [Brit].

.5 VERBS **loom, bulk,** loom large, bulk large, stand out; **tower,** rear, soar, outsoar; tower above, rise above, overtop; **exceed,** transcend, outstrip.

.6 ADJS **great, grand, considerable,** consequential; powerful, **mighty,** strong, irresistible, intense; main, maximum, **total, full,** plenary, comprehensive, exhaustive; grave, **serious,** heavy, deep; –ulent.

.7 **large** 195.16, **immense, enormous, huge** 195.20; **gigantic,** mountainous, titanic, colossal, mammoth, Gargantuan, monster, monstrous, outsize, sizable, overgrown, king-size, monumental; **massive,** massy, weighty, bulky, voluminous; **vast,** boundless, **infinite** 104.3, immeasurable, cosmic, astronomical, galactic; **spacious,** amplitudinous, extensive; **tremendous,** stupendous, awesome, prodigious; meg(a)–, multi–, super–.

.8 **much, many,** ample, **abundant,** copious, generous, overflowing, superabundant, multitudinous, plentiful, **numerous** 101.6, countless 104.3.

.9 **eminent, prominent,** high, elevated, towering, soaring, exalted, **lofty,** sublime; august, majestic, noble, distinguished; **magnificent,** magnanimous, heroic, godlike, superb; famous, renowned, lauded, glorious.

.10 **remarkable, outstanding,** extraordinary, superior, **marked,** of mark, signal, conspicuous, **striking; notable,** noticeable, noteworthy; **marvelous,** wonderful, formidable, exceptional, uncommon, astonishing, appalling, fabulous, fantastic, incredible, egregious.

.11 [informal terms] **terrific,** terrible, horrible, **dreadful, awful,** fearful, frightful, deadly; **whacking, thumping, rousing,** howling.

.12 **downright, outright, out-and-out; absolute, utter, perfect, consummate,** superlative, surpassing, the veriest, positive, definitive, classical, pronounced, decided, regular [informal], proper [Brit informal], precious, profound, stark; **thorough,** thoroughgoing, **complete,** total; **unmitigated,** unqualified, unrelieved, unspoiled, undeniable, unequivocal; **flagrant,** arrant, shocking, shattering, egregious, intolerable, unbearable, unconscionable, glaring, stark-staring, **rank,** crass, gross.

.13 **extreme, radical,** out of this world, way

or far out [informal], too much [slang]; **greatest,** furthest, **most, utmost,** uttermost; **ultra,** ultra-ultra; at the height *or* peak *or* limit *or* summit *or* zenith.

.14 **undiminished,** unabated, unreduced, unrestricted, unretarded, unmitigated.

.15 ADVS **greatly, largely,** to a large *or* great extent, in great measure, on a large scale; **much,** muchly [informal], pretty much, very much, so, so very much, ever so much, ever so, never so; **considerably,** considerable [dial]; abundantly, plenty [informal], no end of, no end [informal], not a little, galore [informal], **a lot,** a deal [informal], **a great deal,** *beaucoup* [Fr]; **highly,** to the skies; like *or* as all creation [informal], like *or* as all get-out [slang].

.16 **vastly, immensely, enormously, hugely, tremendously,** gigantically, colossally, titanically, prodigiously, stupendously.

.17 **by far, far and away,** far, far and wide, by a long way, by a great deal, by a long shot *or* long chalk [informal], out and away.

.18 **very, exceedingly;** awfully *or* terribly *or* terrifically [all informal], **quite,** just, so, **really,** real [informal], right [dial], **pretty,** only too, mightily, **mighty** [informal], almighty [dial], powerfully [dial], powerful [dial].

.19 (in a positive degree) **positively, decidedly, clearly,** manifestly, unambiguously, patently, **obviously,** visibly, unmistakably, observably, **noticeably,** demonstrably, sensibly, quite; **certainly,** actually, **really, truly,** verily, **undeniably,** indubitably, without doubt, assuredly, **indeed,** for a certainty, for real [slang], seriously, in all conscience.

.20 (in a marked degree) **intensely, acutely,** exquisitely, **exceptionally,** surpassingly, superlatively, eminently, preeminently; **remarkably, markedly, notably, strikingly,** signally, emphatically, pointedly, prominently, conspicuously, pronouncedly, impressively, famously, glaringly; **particularly, singularly,** peculiarly; uncommonly, extraordinarily, **unusually; wonderfully,** wondrous, amazingly, magically, surprisingly, astonishingly, marvelously, exuberantly, incredibly, awesomely; **abundantly,** richly, profusely, amply, **generously,** copiously; **magnificently,** splendidly, nobly, worthily, magnanimously.

.21 (in a distressing degree) **distressingly, sadly, sorely, bitterly,** piteously, grievously, miserably, **cruelly,** woefully, lamentably, balefully, dolorously, shockingly; **terribly, awfully, dreadfully, frightfully, horribly,** abominably, **painfully,** excruciatingly, torturously, **agonizingly,** deathly, deadly, something awful *or* fierce *or* terrible [informal], in the worst way [informal]; shatteringly, staggeringly; **excessively,** exorbitantly, extravagantly, **inordinately,** preposterously; **unduly, improperly,** intolerably, unbearably; **inexcusably,** unpardonably, unconscionably; **flagrantly,** blatantly, egregiously; **unashamedly,** baldly, nakedly, brashly, openly; **cursedly,** confoundedly, **damnably,** deucedly [informal], infernally, hellishly.

.22 (in an extreme degree) **extremely, utterly,** in the extreme, **most,** *à outrance* [Fr, to the utmost]; **immeasurably,** incalculably, indefinitely, **infinitely;** beyond compare *or* comparison, **beyond measure,** beyond all bounds, all out [informal], flat out [Brit informal]; **perfectly, absolutely,** essentially, fundamentally, radically; **purely, totally,** completely; unconditionally, unequivocally, downright, dead; with a vengeance.

.23 (in a violent degree) **violently,** furiously, hotly, fiercely, severely, **desperately,** madly, **like mad** [informal]; **wildly,** demonically, like one possessed, **frantically,** frenetically, fanatically, uncontrollably.

35. SMALLNESS

.1 NOUNS **smallness,** exiguity *or* exiguousness; **insignificance,** inconsiderableness, unimportance, pettiness, triviality, inconsequentiality; **slightness,** moderateness, scantiness, puniness, picayunishness, meanness, meagerness; daintiness, delicacy; tininess, diminutiveness, minuteness; **littleness** 196; **fewness** 102; insufficiency 662.

.2 **modicum,** minim; **minimum; little, bit,** little *or* wee *or* tiny bit [informal], **particle,** fragment, spot, **speck,** flyspeck, fleck, point, dot, jot, tittle, **iota,** ounce, **dab** [informal], mote, **mite** [informal] 196.7; whit, ace, **hair,** scruple, groat, farthing, pittance, dole, trifling amount, **smidgen** [informal], smitch [informal], pinch, gobbet, dribble, driblet, dram; grain, granule, pebble; molecule, **atom;** thimbleful, spoonful, handful, nutshell; trivia, minutiae; dwarf 196.6.

.3 **scrap,** tatter, smithereen [informal], patch, **stitch, shred,** tag; snip, **snippet,** snick, chip, nip; splinter, sliver, shiver; **morsel,** *morceau* [Fr], **crumb.**

.4 **hint,** *soupçon* [Fr], **suspicion, suggestion,** intimation; **trace, touch, dash,** cast, **smattering,** sprinkling; tinge, tincture; **taste, lick, smack,** sip, sup, **smell;** look, **thought,** idea; **shade,** shadow; gleam, spark, scintilla.

.5 **hardly anything, mere nothing,** next to nothing, **trifle,** bagatelle, **a drop in the bucket** *or* **ocean;** the shadow of a shade, the suspicion of a suspicion.

.6 ADJS **small, insignificant, inconsiderable, inconsequential, negligible,** trifling, petty, trivial, no great shakes, footling, picayune *or* picayunish; shallow, depthless, cursory, superficial, skin-deep; **little** 196.10, **tiny** 196.11, **miniature** 196.12, **meager** 662.10, **few** 102.4; **short** 203.8; **low** 208.7; mei(o)– *or* mi(o)–, sub–.

.7 **dainty, delicate; subtle,** subtile, tenuous, thin 205.16, rarefied 355.4.

.8 **mere, sheer,** stark, bare, plain, simple, unadorned, unenhanced; psil(o)–.

.9 ADVS (in a small degree) **scarcely, hardly,** not hardly [informal], **barely,** only just, by a hair, by an ace *or* jot *or* whit *or* iota, **slightly,** lightly, exiguously, scantily, inconsequentially, **insignificantly, negligibly,** imperfectly, minimally, inappreciably, **little; minutely,** meagerly, triflingly, faintly, weakly, feebly; **a little, a bit,** just a bit, to a small extent, on a small scale; ever so little, *tant soit peu* [Fr], as little as may be.

.10 (in a certain or limited degree) **to a degree, to a certain extent, to some degree,** in some measure, to such an extent, *pro tanto* [L]; **moderately,** mildly, **somewhat,** detectably, modestly, appreciably, visibly, **fairly,** tolerably, **partially,** partly, part, in part, incompletely, not exhaustively, not comprehensively; **comparatively, relatively; merely,** simply, purely, only; **at least,** at the least, leastwise, at worst, at any rate; **at most,** at the most, at best, at the outside [informal]; in a manner, in a manner of speaking, **in a way,** after a fashion; so far, thus far.

.11 (in no degree) **noway,** noways, **nowise,** in no wise, in no case, in no respect, **by no means,** by no manner of means, **on no account, under no circumstances,** at no hand, nohow [informal], **not in the least,** not much, **not at all,** never, not by a damn sight [slang], not by a long shot [informal]; not nearly, **nowhere near; not a bit,** not a bit of it, not a whit, not a speck, not a jot, not an iota.

36. SUPERIORITY

.1 NOUNS **superiority, preeminence, greatness** 34, **lead,** transcendence *or* transcendency, ascendancy, prestige, favor, prepotence *or* prepotency, preponderance; predominance *or* predomination; precedence 64, **priority,** prerogative, privilege, right-of-way; **excellence** 674.1, virtuosity, inimitability, incomparability; majority, **seniority,** deanship; one-upmanship; **success** 724, accomplishment 722, **skill** 733.

.2 **advantage,** vantage, odds, inside track [informal]; **upper hand,** whip hand; start, head *or* flying *or* running start; **edge,** bulge, jump, drop [all informal]; **card up one's sleeve** [informal], ace in the hole [informal], something extra *or* in reserve; vantage ground *or* point, coign of vantage.

.3 **supremacy, primacy,** paramountcy, **first place,** height, acme, zenith, be-all and end-all, top spot [informal]; **sovereignty, rule, control** 739.5; kingship, **dominion** 739.6; lordship, **command,** imperium, sway, hegemony, directorship, management, mastery, mastership 739.7; headship, presidency, **leadership; authority** 739, jurisdiction, power, say [informal], authorization; influence 172; effectiveness; maximum, highest, most, *ne plus ultra* [L, no more beyond]; **championship,** palms, first prize, blue ribbon, new high, record.

.4 **superior, chief,** head, boss [informal], commander, **ruler, leader,** dean, *primus inter pares* [L, first among equals], **master** 749; higher-up [informal], senior, principal; superman, **genius** 733.12; prodigy, nonpareil, paragon, virtuoso, ace, **star,** superstar, champion, top dog [slang], laureate, fugleman, A per se, A1, A number 1, the greatest, the most [slang].

.5 **the best** 674.8, the best people, nobility 918; **aristocracy,** barons, top people [informal], **elite,** cream, upper crust, upper class, one's betters; **the brass** [informal], the VIP's [informal], lords of creation, ruling circles, **establishment,** power elite, power structure, **ruling class,** bigwigs [informal].

.6 VERBS **excel, surpass, exceed, transcend, overcome,** overpass, best, **better,** improve on, perfect, go one better [informal]; **cap,** trump; top, tower above *or* over, overtop; **predominate,** prevail, preponderate; **outweigh,** overbalance, overbear.

.7 **best, beat, defeat** 727.6; beat all hollow [informal], trounce, clobber [slang], worst, lick [informal], skin [slang], have it all over [informal]; bear the palm, take the cake [informal], bring home the bacon [informal]; **triumph** 726.3; **win** 726.4.

.8 **overshadow, eclipse, throw into the shade,** extinguish, take the shine out of [informal]; put to shame, show up [informal], put one's nose out of joint, put down [slang], fake out [slang].

.9 **outdo, outrival,** outvie, **outclass, outshine,** overmatch; **outstrip,** outgo, outrange, outreach, outpoint, **outperform;** outplay, overplay, outmaneuver, outwit; outrun, outstep, outpace, outmarch, run rings *or* circles around [informal]; outride, override; outjump, overjump; outleap, overleap.

.10 **outdistance, distance; pass, surpass,** overpass; **get ahead of,** shoot ahead of; leave behind, leave in the lurch; come to the front, have a healthy lead [informal], hold the field; steal a march.

.11 **take precedence, precede** 64.2; **come** *or* **rank first, outrank,** rank, rank out [slang]; come to the front, **lead** 292.2; play first fiddle, **star.**

.12 ADJS **superior, greater,** better, finer, major, **higher,** upper, over, super, above; ascendant, in the ascendant, in ascendancy; eminent, outstanding, rare, distinguished, marked, of choice, chosen; **surpassing, exceeding, excellent** 674.12, **excelling, rivaling, eclipsing,** capping, topping, **transcending,** transcendent *or* transcendental; **ahead,** a cut *or* stroke above, one up on [slang]; more than a match for; ano–, meta–, out–, pre–, preter–, super–, supra–, sur–, trans–, ultra–.

.13 **superlative, supreme, greatest, best, highest,** maximal, maximum, most, utmost; top, topmost, **uppermost,** tip-top, top-notch [informal], **first-rate** 674.15, first-class, of the first water, of the highest type, A1, A number 1; –est *or* –st, –most.

.14 **chief, main, principal,** paramount, **foremost,** headmost, **leading, dominant,** crowning, capital, **cardinal;** great, arch, banner, master, magisterial; central, focal, prime, **primary,** primal, first; **preeminent,** supereminent; **predominant,** preponderant, prevailing, hegemonic(al); ruling, overruling; **sovereign** 739.17; topflight, ranking; **star,** stellar; **champion;** arch–, prot(o)–.

.15 **peerless, matchless; unmatched,** unmatchable, unrivaled, unparagoned, unparalleled, immortal, **unequaled,** never-to-be-equaled, unpeered, unexampled, unapproached, unapproachable, **unsurpassed, unexcelled;** unsurpassable; inimitable, **incomparable,** beyond compare *or* comparison, **unique;** without equal *or* parallel, *sans pareil* [Fr], in a class by itself, *sui generis* [L], easily first, *facile princeps* [L]; second to none, *nulli secundus* [L]; **unbeatable,** invincible.

.16 ADVS **superlatively, exceedingly, surpassingly;** eminently, egregiously, prominently; supremely, paramountly, preeminently, **the most,** transcendently, to crown all, *par excellence* [Fr]; inimitably, incomparably, to *or* in the highest degree, far and away.

.17 **chiefly, mainly, in the main,** in chief; dominantly, **predominantly; mostly, for the most part; principally, especially, particularly,** peculiarly; **primarily, in the first place,** first of all, **above all; indeed,** even, yea, still more, more than ever, all the more, *a fortiori* [L]; ever so, never so, no end.

.18 **peerlessly, matchlessly,** unmatchably; unsurpassedly, unsurpassably; inimitably, **incomparably; uniquely,** second to none, *nulli secundus* [L]; **unbeatably,** invincibly.

.19 **advantageously,** to *or* with advantage, favorably; melioratively, amelioratively, improvingly.

37. INFERIORITY

.1 NOUNS **inferiority, subordinacy,** subordination, secondariness; **juniority,** minority; **subservience, subjection,** servility, lowliness, humbleness, humility; back seat [informal], second fiddle [informal], second *or* third string [informal].

.2 **inferior, underling,** understrapper, **subordinate,** subaltern, **junior;** secondary, second fiddle [informal], second *or* third stringer [informal], low man on the totem pole [informal]; lightweight, follower, pawn, cog, flunky, yes-man, creature; –ling; lower class *or* orders *or* ranks, commonalty *or* commonality, *hoi polloi* [Gk], masses.

.3 **inadequacy, mediocrity** 680, deficiency, imperfection, insufficiency 662; **incompetence,** maladroitness, unskillfulness 734; **failure** 725; smallness 35; littleness 196; meanness, baseness, pettiness, triviality, shabbiness, vulgarity 898; **fewness** 102; subnormality.

.4 VERBS **be inferior, not come up to, not**

measure up, fall *or* **come short, fail** 725.8, not make *or* hack it [slang]; want, be found wanting; **not compare,** have nothing on [slang], **not hold a candle to** [informal], not approach, not come near; serve, subserve, rank under *or* beneath, follow, play second fiddle [informal], take a back seat [informal].

.5 **bow to, hand it to** [slang], tip the hat to [informal], yield the palm; retire into the shade; give in [informal], lose face.

.6 ADJS **inferior, subordinate,** subaltern, sub, **secondary; junior, minor;** co–, par(a)–, sub–; second *or* third string, second *or* third rank, low in the pecking order; **subservient,** subject, servile, low, **lowly,** humble, modest; **lesser,** less, lower; in the shade, thrown into the shade; **common,** vulgar, **ordinary;** underprivileged, disadvantaged; **beneath one's dignity** *or* station, infra dig, demeaning.

.7 **inadequate, mediocre,** deficient, imperfect, **insufficient; incompetent,** unskillful, maladroit; small, little, mean, base, petty, trivial, shabby; **not to be compared, not comparable, not a patch on** [informal]; not in it, not in the same street with, out of it, out of the picture, **out of the running,** left a mile behind [all informal].

.8 **least, smallest,** littlest, slightest, **lowest,** shortest; minimum, minimal, minim; few 102.4.

.9 ADVS **least, less,** least of all; **under, below,** short of; under par, below the mark, at a low ebb; at the bottom of the scale, at the nadir, at the bottom of the heap [informal], in the gutter [slang]; at a disadvantage.

38. INCREASE

.1 NOUNS **increase, gain,** augmentation, greatening, **enlargement, amplification, growth,** development, widening, spread, broadening, elevation, **extension,** aggrandizement, access, accession, **increment,** accretion; **addition** 40; **expansion** 197; **inflation,** swelling, ballooning, edema, tumescence, bloating; **multiplication, proliferation,** productiveness 165; accruement, accrual, accumulation; **advance,** appreciation, ascent, mounting, crescendo, waxing, snowballing, **rise** *or* raise, boost [informal], hike [slang], **up** *or* upping [both informal], buildup; **upturn,** uptrend, upsurge, upswing; leap, jump; boom; **flood,** surge, gush.

.2 **intensification, heightening, deepening,** tightening, turn of the screw; **strengthening,** beefing-up [informal], enhancement, **magnification,** blowup, blowing up, exaggeration; aggravation, exacerbation, heating-up; **concentration,** condensation, consolidation; **reinforcement,** redoubling; pickup, step-up, **acceleration,** speedup, accelerando; explosion, population explosion, information explosion.

.3 **gains,** winnings, increase [archaic], **profits** 811.3.

.4 VERBS **increase, enlarge,** aggrandize, **amplify, augment, extend,** maximize, **add to; expand** 197.4, **inflate;** lengthen, broaden, fatten, fill out, thicken; **raise,** exalt, boost [informal], hike *or* hike up [both slang], jack up [informal], jump up [informal], put up, **up** [informal]; **build, build up;** pyramid, parlay.

.5 **intensify, heighten, deepen,** enhance, **strengthen;** beef up [informal], aggravate, exacerbate; exaggerate, blow up, **magnify;** whet, sharpen; **reinforce,** double, redouble, triple; **concentrate,** condense, consolidate; **complicate,** ramify, make complex; give a boost to, **step up** [informal], accelerate; key up, hop up [slang], soup up [slang], jazz up [slang]; add fuel to the flame, heat *or* hot up [informal].

.6 **increase, advance,** appreciate; **spread, widen,** broaden; **gain,** get ahead; grow, develop, wax, swell, balloon, bloat, mount, **rise,** go up, crescendo, snowball; **intensify,** gain strength, strengthen; accrue, accumulate; **multiply, proliferate,** breed; run *or* shoot up, boom.

.7 ADJS **increased, heightened,** raised, elevated; **intensified,** deepened, reinforced, strengthened, beefed-up [informal], tightened, stiffened; **enlarged, extended,** augmented, aggrandized, amplified, **enhanced,** boosted, hiked [slang]; broadened, widened, spread; **magnified, inflated, expanded,** swollen, bloated; **multiplied,** proliferated; **accelerated,** jazzed up [slang].

.8 **increasing,** crescent, **growing,** waxing, swelling, lengthening, **multiplying,** proliferating; spreading, spreading like a cancer *or* like wildfire, expanding; tightening, intensifying; incremental; **on the increase,** crescendoing, snowballing, growing like a mushroom; –er.

.9 ADVS **increasingly,** growingly, more, **more and more,** on and on, greater and greater, ever more; in a crescendo.

39. DECREASE

.1 NOUNS **decrease,** decrescence, decrement, **diminishment,** diminution, **reduction, lessening, lowering,** scaling down, miniaturization; depression, damping, dampening; **letup** [informal], abatement; alleviation, relaxation, mitigation; attenuation, extenuation, weakening, sagging, dying, dying off *or* away, fade-out, languishment; depreciation, **deflation; deduction** 42.1; subtraction, **abridgment** 203.3; **contraction** 198; simplicity 45.

.2 **decline,** declension, **subsidence,** slump [informal], lapse, **drop,** collapse, crash; dwindling, wane, ebb; downturn, downtrend, retreat, remission; fall, plunge, dive, decline and fall; decrescendo, diminuendo; catabasis, deceleration, slowdown.

.3 **decrement, waste, loss,** dissipation, wear and tear, erosion, ablation, depletion, corrosion, attrition, consumption, shrinkage, exhaustion; deliquescence, dissolution.

.4 **curtailment, retrenchment,** cut, cutback, rollback [informal], pullback.

.5 **minimization,** minification, **belittling,** belittlement, detraction; qualification 507.

.6 VERBS **decrease, diminish, lessen;** let up, bate, abate; **decline, subside,** shrink, wane, ebb, dwindle, languish, sink, sag, die away, tail off [informal]; **drop,** drop off, dive, plummet, plunge, fall, fall off, fall away, fall to a low ebb, run low; **waste,** wear, waste *or* wear away, crumble, erode, ablate, corrode, consume, consume away, be eaten away; melt away, deliquesce.

.7 **reduce, decrease, diminish, lessen,** take from; **lower, depress,** damp, dampen, **step down** [informal], tune down [informal], scale down [informal]; **downgrade;** depreciate, **deflate; curtail,** retrench; **cut,** cut down, cut back, pare, roll back [informal]; deduct 42.9; **shorten** 203.6, abridge; **compress** 198.7; **simplify** 45.4.

.8 **abate,** bate, ease; **weaken,** dilute, water down, attenuate, extenuate; alleviate, mitigate, slacken, remit.

.9 **minimize,** minify, **belittle,** detract from; dwarf, bedwarf; play down, underplay, downplay, de-emphasize.

.10 ADJS **reduced, decreased, diminished, lowered,** dropped, fallen; bated, **abated; deflated,** contracted, shrunk, shrunken; dissipated, **eroded,** consumed, ablated, **worn;** curtailed, shorn, retrenched, cutback; weakened, attenuated, watered-down; scaled-down, miniaturized; minimized, belittled; **lower,** less, lesser, smaller, shorter.

.11 **decreasing, diminishing, lessening, subsiding, declining,** languishing, dwindling, waning, on the wane; decrescent, reductive, deliquescent, **contractive;** diminuendo, decrescendo.

.12 ADVS **decreasingly, diminishingly,** less, **less and less,** ever less; decrescendo, diminuendo; on a declining scale, at a declining rate; de–.

40. ADDITION

.1 NOUNS **addition,** accession, annexation, affixation, suffixation, prefixation, agglutination, attachment, junction, joining 47, adjunction, uniting; **increase** 38; **augmentation, supplementation,** reinforcement; superaddition, superposition, superjunction, superfetation, suppletion; juxtaposition 200.3; adjunct 41.

.2 [math terms] plus sign, plus; addend; sum, summation, total; subtotal.

.3 **adding,** computation 87.3; **adding machine,** calculator 87.19.

.4 VERBS **add,** plus [informal], put with, **join** *or* **unite with, affix, attach,** annex, adjoin, append, conjoin, subjoin, prefix, suffix, infix, postfix, tag, tag on, **tack on** [informal], slap on [informal], hitch on [informal]; glue on, paste on, agglutinate; superpose, superadd; burden, encumber, saddle with; **complicate,** ornament, decorate.

.5 **add to, augment, supplement; increase** 38.4; **reinforce,** strengthen, fortify; recruit, swell the ranks of.

.6 **compute,** add up 87.11,12; sum, total, total up, tot *or* tot up [both informal], tote *or* tote up [both informal], tally.

.7 **be added,** advene, supervene.

.8 ADJS **additive,** additional, additory; **cumulative,** accumulative; summative *or* summational.

.9 **added,** affixed, **attached,** annexed, appended, appendant; adjoined, adjunct, conjoined, subjoined; superadded, superposed, superjoined; super–, pleo– *or* pleio–.

.10 **additional, supplementary, supplemental; extra,** plus, further, farther, fresh, **more,** new, **other,** another, ulterior; **auxiliary,** ancillary, supernumerary, contributory, **accessory,** collateral; **surplus,** spare.

.11 ADVS **additionally, in addition, also,** and also, and all [informal], and so, **as well,**

too, else, beside, **besides, to boot, into the bargain;** on top of, over, above; **beyond, plus; extra,** on the side [informal], for lagniappe; **more, moreover,** *au reste* [Fr], *en plus* [Fr], farther, further, **furthermore,** at the same time, then, again, yet; similarly, likewise, by the same token, by the same sign; item; therewith; all included, altogether; among other things, *inter alia* [L].

.12 PREPS **with, plus, including,** inclusive of, **along** *or* **together with,** coupled with, **in conjunction with; as well as,** to say nothing of, not to mention, let alone; over and above, **in addition to,** added to, linked to; with the addition of, attended by.

.13 CONJS **and, also,** and also.

.14 PHRS **et cetera, etc., and so forth, and so on,** *und so weiter* [Ger]; **et al.,** *et alii* [L], and all [informal], and others, and other things, *cum multis aliis* [L, with many others]; and everything else, **and more of the same, and the rest, and the like;** and suchlike *or* and all that sort of thing *or* and all that [all informal], and all like that *or* and stuff like that [both slang]; **and what not, and what have you,** and I don't know what, and God knows what, and then some [all informal]; and the following, *et sequens* [L], et seq.

41. ADJUNCT

(thing added)

.1 NOUNS **adjunct, addition,** increase, **increment,** *additum* [L], additament, additory, addendum, addenda [pl], accession, fixture; **annex,** annexation; **appendage,** appendant, pendant, appanage, tailpiece, coda; augment, augmentation, undergirding, reinforcement; appurtenance, appurtenant; **accessory,** attachment; **supplement,** complement, continuation, extrapolation, extension; offshoot, side issue, corollary, side effect, **concomitant, accompaniment** 73, **additive,** adjuvant.

.2 (written text) **postscript, appendix;** rider, allonge, codicil; **epilogue,** envoi, coda, tail; note, marginalia, scholia, commentary; **interpolation,** interlineation; affix, prefix, suffix, infix; enclitic, proclitic.

.3 (building) wing, **addition, annex,** extension, ell *or* L.

.4 **extra, bonus, premium,** something extra, extra dash, extra added attraction, lagniappe, something for good measure; **padding,** stuffing, filling; trimming, **frill,** flourish, filigree, decoration, ornament; superaddition; fillip, wrinkle, twist.

42. SUBTRACTION

.1 NOUNS **subtraction, deduction,** subduction, **removal,** taking away; abstraction, ablation, sublation; erosion, abrasion; refinement, purification.

.2 **reduction, diminution,** decrease, decrement, impairment, **cut** *or* **cutting,** curtailment, shortening, truncation; dip, lessening; **shrinkage,** depletion, **attrition,** remission; **depreciation,** detraction, disparagement, derogation; retraction, retrenchment; **extraction.**

.3 **excision,** abscission, rescission, extirpation; **elimination,** exclusion, extinction, eradication, destruction, annihilation; **amputation,** mutilation.

.4 **castration,** gelding, emasculation, deballing [slang], altering, fixing [both informal]; spaying.

.5 (written text) **deletion,** erasure, cancellation, omission; editing, blue-penciling, striking *or* striking out; expurgation, bowdlerization, censoring *or* censorship; abridgment, abbreviation.

.6 [math terms] subtrahend, minuend; negative; minus sign, minus.

.7 (thing subtracted) **deduction,** decrement, minus.

.8 (result) **difference, remainder** 43, epact [astron], discrepancy, net, balance, surplus 663.5, deficit, credit.

.9 VERBS **subtract, deduct,** subduct, take away, take from, **remove,** withdraw, abstract; **reduce,** shorten, curtail, retrench, lessen, **diminish, decrease,** impair, bate, abate; **depreciate,** disparage, detract, derogate; erode, abrade, eat *or* wear *or* rub *or* shave *or* file away; **extract,** leach, drain; thin, thin out, weed; **refine,** purify.

.10 **excise,** cut out, cut, extirpate, enucleate; **eradicate,** root out, wipe *or* stamp out, **eliminate,** annihilate, extinguish; **exclude,** except, take out, rule out, bar, ban; set aside *or* apart, isolate, pick out, cull; **cut off** *or* **away,** take *or* strike *or* knock off, truncate; **amputate,** mutilate, abscind; **prune,** pare, peel, clip, crop, bob, dock, lop, nip, shear, shave, strip, strip off *or* away.

.11 **castrate,** geld, emasculate, eunuchize, spay, fix *or* alter [both informal], unsex, deball [slang].

.12 (written text) **delete,** erase, expunge, cancel, omit; **edit,** edit out, blue-pencil; strike, strike out *or* off, rub *or* blot out,

cross out *or* off, kill, cut; void, rescind; **censor,** bowdlerize, expurgate; abridge, abbreviate.

.13 ADJS **subtractive, reductive,** deductive; ablative, erosive.

.14 PREPS **off, from; minus,** less, without, excluding, except *or* excepting, with the exception of, save, leaving out *or* aside, barring, exclusive of, not counting, exception taken of, discounting.

43. REMAINDER

.1 NOUNS **remainder, remains, remnant, residue,** residuum, **rest, balance;** holdover; **leavings, leftovers; refuse,** odds and ends, scraps, rags, **rubbish, waste,** orts, candle ends; scourings, offscourings; parings, sweepings, filings, shavings, sawdust; chaff, straw, stubble, husks; **debris,** detritus, ruins; end, fag end; stump, butt *or* butt end, roach [slang], rump; survival, vestige, trace, shadow, afterimage, afterglow; **fossil,** relics.

.2 **dregs, grounds, lees,** dross, slag, draff, scoria, feces; **sediment, settlings, deposits,** deposition; precipitate, precipitation, sublimate [chem]; alluvium, alluvion, diluvium; silt, loess, moraine; scum, offscum, froth; ash, ember, cinder, sinter, clinker; soot, smut.

.3 **survivor,** heir, successor; **widow,** widower, relict, **orphan.**

.4 **excess** 663, **surplus,** surplusage, overplus, overage; superfluity, redundancy.

.5 VERBS **remain, be left** *or* **left over, survive,** subsist, rest.

.6 **leave,** leave over, leave behind.

.7 ADJS **remaining, surviving,** over, left, **leftover,** remanent, odd; **spare,** to spare; unused, unconsumed; **surplus,** superfluous; outstanding, net.

.8 **residual,** residuary; sedimental, sedimentary.

44. MIXTURE

.1 NOUNS **mixture,** mixing, blending; **admixture,** composition, commixture, immixture, intermixture, **mingling,** minglement, commingling *or* comminglement, intermingling *or* interminglement, interlarding *or* interlardment; syncretism, eclecticism; **pluralism; fusion,** interfusion; amalgamation, **integration,** alloyage, coalescence; **merger, combination** 52; –mixis.

.2 **imbuement, impregnation, infusion,** suffusion, decoction, infiltration, instillment, instillation, permeation, pervasion, interpenetration, penetration; saturation, steeping, soaking, marination.

.3 **adulteration, corruption,** contamination, denaturalization, **pollution, doctoring** [informal]; fortifying, lacing, spiking [informal]; **dilution,** cutting [informal], watering; debasement, bastardizing.

.4 **crossbreeding,** crossing, **interbreeding,** miscegenation; **hybridism,** hybridization, mongrelism, mongrelization.

.5 **compound, mixture, admixture,** intermixture, immixture, commixture, **composite, blend,** composition, confection, concoction, **combination,** combo [slang], ensemble; amalgam, alloy; paste, magma.

.6 **hodgepodge,** hotchpotch, hotchpot; **medley, miscellany,** mélange, pastiche, *pasticcio* [Ital], **conglomeration, assortment,** assemblage, mixed bag, olio, *olla podrida* [Sp], **scramble, jumble,** mingle-mangle, **mix,** mishmash, magpie, **mess,** mash, hash, patchwork, salad, gallimaufry, salmagundi, **potpourri,** stew, sauce, omnium-gatherum, Noah's ark, **odds and ends,** all sorts, everything but the kitchen sink [slang], "God's plenty" [Dryden], broad spectrum, what you will.

.7 (slight admixture) **tinge, tincture, touch, dash, smack,** taint, tinct, tint, **trace,** vestige, hint, inkling, intimation, soupçon, suspicion, suggestion, thought, shade, tempering; sprinkling, seasoning, sauce, spice, infusion.

.8 **mosaic,** chimera; pomato, potomato, topato.

.9 **hybrid, crossbreed,** cross, mixed-blood, mixblood, **half-breed,** half-bred, half blood, half-caste; **mongrel;** *ladino* [Sp]; mustee *or* mestee, *mestizo* [Sp], *mestiza* [Sp fem], *métis* [Fr], *métisse* [Fr fem]; Eurasian; **mulatto,** high yellow [slang], quadroon, quintroon, octoroon; sambo, zambo, *cafuso* [Brazil Pg], Cape Colored [S Africa], griqua [S Africa]; griffe; zebrule, zebrass, cattalo, mule, hinny, liger, tigon; tangelo, citrange, plumcot.

.10 **mixer, blender,** beater, agitator; cement mixer, eggbeater, churn; homogenizer, colloid mill, emulsifier; crucible, melting pot.

.11 VERBS **mix,** admix, commix, immix, **intermix, mingle,** bemingle, commingle, immingle, **intermingle,** interlace, interweave, intertwine, interlard; syncretize; **blend,** interblend; **amalgamate, integrate,** alloy, coalesce, **fuse, merge,** compound, compose, concoct; **combine** 52.3; mix up, hash, stir up, **scramble,** conglomerate,

shuffle, **jumble,** mingle-mangle, throw *or* toss together; knead, work; homogenize, emulsify.

.12 **imbue,** imbrue, **infuse,** suffuse, transfuse, breathe, **instill,** infiltrate, **impregnate, permeate,** pervade, penetrate, leaven; **tinge, tincture,** entincture, temper, color, dye, flavor, season; saturate, steep, decoct, brew, dredge, besprinkle.

.13 **adulterate, corrupt,** contaminate, **debase,** denaturalize, pollute, denature, bastardize, **tamper with, doctor** *or* doctor up [both informal]; **fortify,** spike [slang], lace; **dilute,** cut [informal], water, water down [informal].

.14 **hybridize, crossbreed, cross, interbreed,** miscegenate, mongrelize.

.15 ADJS **mixed, mingled,** blended, compounded, amalgamated; **combined** 52.5; **composite,** compound, **complex,** many-sided, multifaceted, intricate; **conglomerate,** pluralistic, multiracial, multinational, heterogeneous, varied, **miscellaneous,** medley, motley, dappled, patchy; promiscuous, indiscriminate, **scrambled, jumbled,** thrown together; half-and-half, fifty-fifty [informal]; amphibious; equivocal, **ambiguous,** ambivalent, ironic; syncretic, eclectic; mixo–.

.16 **hybrid, mongrel,** interbred, **crossbred,** crossed, cross; **half-breed,** half-bred, half-blooded, half-caste; demi–.

.17 miscible, mixable.

.18 PREPS **among,** amongst, 'mongst; **amid,** mid *or* 'mid, amidst, midst *or* 'midst, **in the midst of, in the thick of; with,** together with.

45. SIMPLICITY

(freedom from mixture or complexity)

.1 NOUNS **simplicity, purity,** simpleness, **plainness,** starkness, severity; unmixedness, monism; **unadulteration,** unsophistication, fundamentality, elementarity; **singleness,** oneness, unity, integrity, homogeneity, uniformity 17.

.2 **simplification,** streamlining, refinement, purification, distillation; **disentanglement,** disinvolvement; uncluttering, unscrambling, unsnarling; stripping, stripping down, narrowing.

.3 **oversimplification, oversimplicity,** oversimplifying; **simplism,** reductivism; intellectual childishness *or* immaturity, conceptual crudity.

.4 VERBS **simplify,** streamline, **reduce,** reduce to elements *or* essentials; purify, refine, distill; strip down; narrow; oversimplify.

.5 **disinvolve,** disintricate, unmix, disembroil, **disentangle,** untangle, **unscramble, unsnarl,** unknot, untwist, unbraid, unweave, untwine, unwind, uncoil, unthread, **unravel,** ravel; unclutter, clarify, clear up, sort out, get to the core *or* nub *or* essence.

.6 ADJS **simple, plain,** bare, mere; hapl(o)–; **single,** uniform, homogeneous, of a piece; **pure,** simon-pure, pure and simple; **essential,** elementary, indivisible, **primary,** primal, **irreducible, fundamental,** basic, undifferentiable *or* undifferentiated, undifferenced, monolithic; **austere,** chaste, unadorned, uncluttered, spare, stark, severe; homely, homespun.

.7 **unmixed, unmingled,** unblended, **uncombined,** uncompounded; unleavened; **unadulterated,** uncorrupted, unsophisticated, unalloyed, untinged, undiluted, unfortified; **clear,** clarified, purified, **distilled,** rectified; **neat, straight,** absolute, sheer, naked, bare.

.8 **uncomplicated, uninvolved,** incomplex, straightforward.

.9 **simplified,** streamlined, stripped down.

.10 **oversimplified,** oversimple; **simplistic,** reductive; intellectually childish *or* immature, conceptually crude.

.11 ADVS **simply, plainly, purely;** merely, barely; **singly, solely,** only, **alone,** exclusively, just, simply and solely.

46. COMPLEXITY

.1 NOUNS **complexity, complication, involvement,** involution, convolution, tanglement, **entanglement,** perplexity, **intricacy,** intricateness, ramification, complexness, crabbedness, technicality, subtlety.

.2 **complex,** perplex [informal], **tangle,** tangled skein, **mess** [informal], snafu [slang], ravel, snarl; knot, Gordian knot; **maze,** meander, Chinese puzzle, **labyrinth;** webwork, mesh; wilderness, **jungle;** Rube Goldberg contraption, wheels within wheels; rat's nest, can of worms [informal], snake pit.

.3 VERBS **complicate, involve, perplex,** ramify; **confound, confuse,** muddle, **mix up,** ball *or* screw *or* louse up [slang], foul *or* mess *or* muck up [informal], snarl up, implicate; **tangle,** entangle, embrangle, **snarl,** ravel, knot.

.4 ADJS **complex, complicated,** many-faceted, multifarious, ramified, perplexed, **confused,** confounded, **involved,** impli-

cated, crabbed, **intricate,** elaborate, involuted, convoluted; **mixed up,** balled *or* screwed *or* loused up [slang], fouled *or* messed *or* mucked up [informal]; **tangled,** entangled, tangly, embrangled, **snarled,** knotted, matted, twisted, raveled; mazy, daedal, **labyrinthine,** labyrinthian, meandering; **devious,** roundabout, Byzantine, subtle.

.5 **inextricable,** irreducible, unsolvable.

47. JOINING

.1 NOUNS **joining, junction,** joinder, jointure, **connection, union,** unification, bond, bonding, conjunction, conjoining, conjugation, liaison, marriage, hookup [informal], splice, tie, tie-up *or* tie-in [both informal], knotting; merger, merging; symbiosis; **combination** 52; conglomeration, **aggregation,** agglomeration, congeries; **coupling,** copulation, accouplement, **bracketing,** yoking, pairing; **linking,** interlinking, linkage, concatenation, articulation, agglutination; **meeting,** confluence, convergence, concurrence, concourse, gathering, massing, clustering; communication, intercommunication, intercourse.

.2 **interconnection,** interjoinder, **interlinking,** interlocking, interdigitation; **interassociation,** interaffiliation.

.3 **fastening, attachment, affixation,** annexation; ligation; **binding,** bonding, gluing, sticking, tieing, lashing, trussing, girding, hooking, clasping, zipping, buckling, buttoning; knot 47.21; adhesive 50.4; splice, bond, fastener 47.20; –desis; hel(o)–, perono–.

.4 **joint,** join, joining, **juncture, union, connection,** link, connecting link, **coupling;** clinch, embrace; articulation [anat & bot], symphysis [anat]; **pivot, hinge; knee; elbow,** cubito–; **wrist,** carp(o)–; **ankle,** tars(o)–; **knuckle; hip,** ischi(o)–; **shoulder,** om(o)–; **neck,** cervix, trachel(o)–; ball-and-socket joint, pivot joint, hinged joint, gliding joint; toggle, toggle joint; connecting rod, tie rod; seam, suture, stitch, closure, mortise, miter, butt, scarf, dovetail, rabbet, weld; boundary, interface; arthr(o)–.

.5 VERBS (put together) **join,** conjoin, **unite,** unify, bond, **connect,** associate, league, band, merge, **assemble,** accumulate; **gather,** mobilize, marshal, mass, amass, **collect,** conglobulate; **combine** 52.3; **couple,** pair, accouple, copulate, conjugate, marry, **link,** yoke, knot, splice, tie, chain, bracket; articulate, concatenate, agglutinate; glue, tape, cement, solder, weld; **put together,** fix together, lay together, piece together, clap together, tack together, stick together, lump together, roll into one; **bridge,** bridge over *or* between, span; **include,** encompass, take in, cover, embrace, comprise.

.6 **interconnect, interjoin,** intertie, interassociate, interaffiliate, **interlink,** interlock, interdigitate.

.7 **fasten, fix, attach, affix,** annex, put to, set to; graft, engraft; **secure,** anchor, moor; cement, knit, set, grapple, belay, **make fast;** clinch, clamp, cramp; tighten, trim, trice up, screw up; cinch *or* cinch up.

.8 **hook,** hitch; **clasp,** hasp, clip, snap; **button,** buckle, zipper; lock, latch; **pin,** skewer, peg, nail, tack, staple, toggle, screw, bolt, rivet; **sew,** stitch; **wedge,** jam, stick; rabbet, butt, scarf, mortise, miter, dovetail; batten, batten down; cleat; **hinge,** joint, articulate.

.9 **bind, tie,** brace, truss, **lash,** leash, rope, strap, lace, wire, chain; **splice,** bend; **gird,** girt, belt, girth, girdle, band, cinch; **tie up,** bind up, do up; **wrap,** wrap up, bundle; **bandage,** swathe, swaddle.

.10 **yoke, hitch up,** hook up; harness, harness up; halter, bridle; saddle; tether, fetter.

.11 (be joined) **join, connect, unite, meet,** merge, converge, **come together;** communicate, intercommunicate; knit, grow together; cohere, adhere, hang *or* hold together, clinch, embrace.

.12 ADJS **joint,** joined, **conjoint,** conjunct, conjugate, corporate, compact; concurrent, coincident; inclusive, comprehensive.

.13 **joined, united, connected,** copulate, **coupled,** linked, bracketed, associated, conjoined, incorporated, integrated, **merged,** gathered, assembled, **collected,** allied, leagued, banded together; hand-in-hand, hand-in-glove, intimate; unseparated, undivided; **wedded,** matched, paired, yoked, mated; **tied, bound,** knotted, spliced; ankyl(o)–, gam(o)–; –zygous, –stylic.

.14 **fast, fastened, fixed,** secure, firm, close, tight, set; **bonded,** glued, cemented, taped; **jammed,** wedged, stuck.

.15 **inseparable,** impartible, **indivisible,** undividable, indissoluble, inalienable, inseverable, bound up in *or* with.

.16 **joining, connecting,** meeting; **communicating,** intercommunicating; **connective,**

connectional; conjunctive, combinative, copulative, linking, binding.

.17 jointed, articulate.

.18 ADVS **jointly,** conjointly, corporately, **together; in common,** in partnership, mutually, in concord; **all together,** as one, in unison, in agreement, in harmony; concurrently, at once.

.19 **securely, firmly, fast,** tight; **inseparably,** indissolubly.

.20 **fasteners**

anchor
band
bandage
bar
barrette
bellyband
belt
bind
binding
binding stone
binding twine
bobby pin
bollard
bolt
bonder
bondstone
box hook
brace
braces [Brit]
brad
braid
buckle
button
cable
carpet tack
catch
chain
cinch
cincture
clamp
clasp
cleat
clevis
click
clinch
clip
clothespin
corking pin [dial]
cotter
cotter pin
detent
dowel
drawing pin [Brit]
fibula
fillet
fishhook
funiculus
garter
girdle
girth
grab
grapnel
grappler
grappling iron *or* hook
guy
guy rope
hairpin
hank [naut]
hasp
hawser
haywire
hitch
hitching post
holdfast
hook
hook and eye
inkle
interlocker
kevel [naut]
kingbolt
kingpin
lace
lacing
lariat
latch
latchet
leader
ligament
line
lock
loop
moorings
nail
noose
nut
padlock
paper clip
pawl
peg
pin
pintle
reata [Sp, lariat]
ring
rivet
roller
rope
safety pin
screw
seal
sennit [naut]
setscrew
skewer
snap
snubbing post
spike
splice
staple
strap
string
strop
stub tenon
suspenders
tack
tag
tendon
terret
thole
tholepin
thong
thumbtack
tie
tie beam
toggle
towline
treenail
tug
twine
vise
whang [Scot]
wire
withy
wrist pin
zipper, slide fastener

.21 **knots**

anchor knot
becket knot
Blackwall hitch
bow
bowknot
bowline
bowline knot
builder's knot
carrick bend
cat's-paw
clinch
clove hitch
cuckold's neck
diamond knot
double hitch
Englishman's tie
figure-of-eight knot
fisherman's bend
flat knot
Flemish knot
French shroud knot
German knot
granny knot
half crown
half hitch
harness hitch
hawser bend
hawser fastening
heaving-line bend
inside clinch
lanyard knot
loop knot
magnus hitch
manrope knot
marlinespike hitch
marling hitch
Matthew Walker knot
mesh knot
midshipman's hitch
netting knot
open hand knot
outside clinch
prolonge knot
reef knot
reeving-line bend
rolling hitches
rope-yarn knot
round seizing
round turn and half hitch
running bowline
running knot
sheepshank
shroud knot
single knot
slide knot
slipknot
square knot
stevedore's knot
stopper's knot
studding-sail halyard bend
stunner hitch
surgeon's knot
tack bend
timber knot *or* hitch
truckman's knot
wall knot
weaver's knot *or* hitch
Windsor knot

48. ANALYSIS

.1 NOUNS **analysis,** analyzation, **breakdown,** breaking down, breakup, breaking up; anatomy, anatomizing, dissection; separation, **division, subdivision,** segmentation, reduction to elements *or* parts; chemical analysis, **assay** *or* assaying, resolution, titration, docimasy [archaic], qualitative analysis, quantitative analysis, volumetric analysis, gravimetric analysis; ultimate analysis, proximate analysis; microanalysis, semimicroanalysis.

.2 **itemization,** enumeration, detailing; outlining, schematization, blocking, blocking out; resolution; scansion, parsing.

.3 **classification, categorization, sorting,** sorting out, sifting, sifting out, grouping, factoring, winnowing; **weighing, evaluation,** gauging, assessment, appraisal; **identification.**

.4 **outline,** structural outline, **plan,** scheme, schema, chart, graph; table, table of contents; **diagram,** block diagram, exploded view, **blueprint; catalog,** *catalogue raisonné* [Fr].

.5 **analyst, analyzer, examiner** 485.16.

.6 VERBS **analyze, break down,** break up, anatomize, dissect; **divide, subdivide,** segment; assay, titrate; separate, reduce, reduce to elements, resolve.

.7 **itemize,** enumerate, number, detail; **outline,** schematize, block out; resolve; scan, parse.

.8 **classify,** class, **categorize,** catalog, sort, sort out, sift, group, factor, winnow, thrash out; weigh, **evaluate,** gauge, assess, appraise; identify.

.9 ADJS **analytical,** analytic; segmental; classificatory, enumerative; schematic.

.10 ADVS **analytically,** by parts *or* divisions *or* sections; by categories *or* types.

49. SEPARATION

.1 NOUNS **separation, disjunction,** disjointure, disjointing, disarticulation, **disconnection,** disconnectedness, discontinuity, incoherence, disengagement, disunion, nonunion, disassociation; **parting,** alienation, **removal,** withdrawal, isolation, detachment, abstraction; **subtraction** 42; divorce, divorcement; **division,** subdivision, partition, segmentation; districting, zoning; **dislocation** 185, luxation; separability, partibility; separatism; dis–.

.2 **severance,** disseverment *or* disseverance, **sunderance,** scission, fission, cleavage, dichotomy; **cutting, slitting,** slashing, **splitting,** slicing; **rending, tearing,** ripping, laceration, hacking, chopping, butchering, mutilation; section, resection; **surgery,** amputation, excision, abscission, enucleation; –schisis, –rrhexis.

.3 **disruption, dissolution,** abruption, cataclasm; revolution 147; **disintegration** 53, breakup, **crack-up,** shattering, fragmentation; **scattering,** dispersal, diffusion; scaling, splintering, exfoliation.

.4 **break,** breakage, **breach,** burst, **rupture, fracture; crack,** cleft, **fissure, cut, split,** slit; slash, slice; **gap, rift,** rent, rip, tear; chip, splinter, scale.

.5 **dissection, analysis** 48, resolution, breakdown, diaeresis; anatomy.

.6 **disassembly, dismantlement,** taking down *or* apart, dismemberment, dismounting; undoing, unbuilding; stripping, divestiture, deprivation.

.7 **separator,** sieve, centrifuge, ultracentrifuge; creamer, cream separator; breaker, stripper; slicer, cutter, microtome; analyzer.

.8 VERBS **come apart,** spring apart, fly apart, come unstuck, come undone, come apart at the seams, **come** *or* **drop** *or* **fall to pieces,** go to pieces, crack up, disintegrate, unravel; come *or* fall off, peel off, carry away; get loose, give way, start.

.9 **separate, divide, disjoin, disunite,** dissociate, **disjoint,** disengage, disarticulate, **disconnect;** uncouple, unyoke; **part,** abrupt, cut the knot, **divorce,** estrange; **alienate, segregate,** sequester, isolate, shut off, set apart *or* aside, cut off *or* out *or* adrift; **withdraw, leave, depart,** split [slang]; pull out *or* away *or* back, stand apart *or* aside *or* aloof, step aside; subtract 42.9; delete 42.12; **expel,** eject, throw off *or* out, cast off *or* out.

.10 **detach, remove,** disengage, take *or* lift off, doff; **unfasten, undo,** unattach, unfix; **free, release,** liberate, loose, unloose, unleash, unfetter; **unloosen,** loosen; cast off, weigh anchor; **unhook,** unhitch, unclasp, unclinch, unbuckle, unbutton, unsnap, unscrew, unpin; unbolt, unbar; unlock, unlatch; **untie,** unbind, unbandage, unlace, unstrap, unchain; unstick, unglue.

.11 **sever, dissever,** cut off *or* away, ax, amputate; **cleave, split,** fissure; sunder, cut in two, dichotomize, halve, bisect; **cut,** incise, carve, **slice,** pare, prune, resect, excise 42.10; slit, snip, lance, scissor; **chop, hew,** hack, **slash;** gash, whittle, butcher; saw, jigsaw; **tear, rend,** rive, rend asunder.

.12 **break, burst,** bust [dial or slang], breach; **fracture, rupture; crack,** split, check, fissure; snap; chip, scale, exfoliate.

.13 **shatter, splinter,** shiver, break to *or* into pieces, break to *or* into smithereens [informal]; **smash,** crash, crush, crunch, squash, squish [informal]; **disrupt,** demolish, break up, smash up; **scatter,** disperse, diffuse; **fragment,** fission, atomize; **pulverize** 361.9, grind, cut to pieces, mince, make mincemeat of.

.14 **tear** *or* **rip apart,** take *or* pull apart, **pick** *or* **rip** *or* **tear to pieces,** tear to rags *or* tatters, **shred; dismember,** tear limb from limb, draw and quarter; **mangle,** lacerate, mutilate, maim; skin, flay, strip, peel, denude; defoliate.

.15 **disassemble,** take apart *or* down, tear down; **dismantle, demolish,** dismount, unrig [naut].

.16 **disjoint,** unjoint, **unhinge,** disarticulate,

dislocate, luxate, throw out of joint, unseat.

.17 **dissect, analyze** 48.6, anatomize, break down.

.18 **apportion, portion,** section, partition, compartmentalize, segment; **divide,** divide up, divvy *or* divvy up [both slang], **parcel,** parcel out, **split,** split up, cut up, subdivide; district, zone.

.19 **part company, part, separate,** split up, dispel, disband, scatter, **disperse,** break up, break it up [slang], **go separate ways,** diverge.

.20 ADJS **separate, distinct, discrete; unjoined, unconnected, unattached,** unattended, unassociated; **apart,** asunder, **in two;** discontinuous, noncontiguous, divergent; insular; noncohesive, incoherent 51.4; bipartite, dichotomous, multipartite, multisegmental; subdivided, partitioned, compartmentalized; ap(o)– *or* aph–, chori–, fissi–, par(a)–, schisto–, schiz(o)–, sub–.

.21 **separated,** disjoined, disjoint, disjointed, disjunct, **disconnected,** disengaged, detached, **disunited, divided,** removed, divorced, **alienated,** estranged, **segregated,** sequestered, shut off; scattered, dispersed, isolated, disarticulated, dislocated.

.22 **unfastened,** uncaught, unfixed, **undone, loose, clear, free;** unstuck, **shaky,** rickety; untied, unbound; unanchored, adrift, afloat, floating.

.23 **severed, cut,** cleft, cloven, riven, shivered, splintered, cracked, **split,** slit, reft; **rent, torn;** lacerated, lacerate, mangled, mutilated, ragged, tattered, shredded, in shreds; quartered, **dismembered,** in pieces; –clase, –fid(ate), –sect.

.24 **broken,** busted [dial or slang], **burst, ruptured;** sprung; shattered, in smithereens [informal].

.25 **separating, dividing,** parting; separative, disjunctive.

.26 **separable,** severable, **divisible,** alienable, cleavable, partible; **fissionable,** fissile, scissile; dissoluble, dissolvable.

.27 ADVS **disjointedly,** unconnectedly, sporadically, spasmodically, discontinuously, by bits and pieces, by fits and starts.

.28 **separately,** severally, piecemeal, one by one; **apart,** adrift, asunder, **in two,** in twain; apart from, away from, aside from; abstractly, in the abstract.

.29 **to pieces,** all to pieces, **to bits, to smithereens** [informal], to splinters, to shards, to tatters, to shreds.

50. COHESION

.1 NOUNS **cohesion,** cohesiveness, **coherence, adherence, adhesion,** junction 47.1, 4, sticking, cling, clinging, inseparability; cementation, conglutination, agglutination; concretion, condensation, accretion, solidification, set, congelation, congealment, clotting, coagulation; conglomeration, conglobation, compaction, agglomeration, consolidation; clustering, massing, bunching, nodality.

.2 **consistency** 26.1, connection, **connectedness;** continuity, **seriality,** sequence 65, sequentialness, **consecutiveness** 71.1, orderliness.

.3 **tenacity,** tenaciousness, **adhesiveness,** cohesiveness, retention; **tightness,** snugness; stickiness, **tackiness,** gluiness, gumminess, **viscidity,** consistency, viscosity, glutinosity; persistence *or* persistency, **stick-to-itiveness** [informal], toughness, **stubbornness, obstinacy,** bulldoggedness *or* bulldoggishness, bullheadedness.

.4 (something adhesive or tenacious) adherent, adherer, **adhesive** 50.13; **bulldog,** barnacle, leech, limpet, remora; burr, cocklebur, clotbur, bramble, brier, prickle, thorn; sticker, bumper sticker, decalcomania, decal; **glue, cement,** mucilage, epoxy resin, paste, stickum *or* gunk [both slang]; coll(o)–, gli(o)–; plaster, adhesive plaster; syrup, molasses.

.5 **conglomeration, conglomerate,** breccia [geol], agglomerate, agglomeration, cluster, bunch, mass, clot; concrete, concretion.

.6 VERBS **cohere, adhere, stick, cling,** cleave, hold, persist, stay, stay put [informal]; cling to, freeze to [informal]; hang on, hold on; take hold of, clasp, grasp, hug, embrace, clinch; **stick together, hang** *or* **hold together;** grow to, grow together; **solidify, set,** conglomerate, agglomerate, conglobate; **congeal,** coagulate, **clot; cluster,** mass, bunch.

.7 **be consistent** 26.6, **connect,** connect with, follow; **join** 47.11, link up.

.8 **hold fast, stick close,** stick like glue, stick like a wet shirt, stick closer than a brother, stick like a barnacle *or* limpet *or* leech, cling like ivy *or* a burr, hold on like a bulldog.

.9 **stick together, cement, bind, paste, glue,** agglutinate, conglutinate, gum; **weld,** fuse, **solder,** braze.

.10 ADJS **cohesive, coherent;** cohering, adher-

ing, **sticking, clinging,** cleaving, holding together; stuck, agglutinate.

.11 **consistent** 26.9, **connected;** continuous 71.8, **serial,** uninterrupted, sequential, sequent, **consecutive** 71.9; orderly, tight; **joined** 47.13.

.12 **adhesive, adherent,** stickable, self-adhesive; **tenacious,** clingy; **sticky, tacky,** gluey, gummy, **viscid,** glutinous; **persistent,** tough, **stubborn, obstinate,** bulldoggish *or* bulldogged *or* bulldoggy, bullheaded.

.13 **adhesives**

birdlime	mucilage
cement	paste
fish glue	putty
epoxy resin	rabbitskin glue
glue	rubber cement
gluten	sealing wax
gum	size
library paste	solder
lime	viscin
lute	viscum
mastic	wafer

51. NONCOHESION

.1 NOUNS **noncohesion,** uncohesiveness, incoherence, inconsistency, discontinuity 72, nonadhesion, unadhesiveness, unadherence, untenacity; **separateness,** discreteness, aloofness; **disjunction** 49.1; **dislocation** 185; **dissolution, chaos,** anarchy, **disorder,** confusion, entropy; scattering, dispersion *or* dispersal; diffusion.

.2 **looseness, slackness,** bagginess, **laxness,** laxity, relaxation; sloppiness, shakiness, ricketiness.

.3 VERBS **loosen, slacken, relax;** slack, slack off; ease, ease off, let up; **loose, free,** let go, unleash; **disjoin** 49.9; unstick, unglue; scatter, disperse, diffuse.

.4 ADJS **incoherent,** uncoherent, noncoherent, **inconsistent, uncohesive, unadhesive,** nonadhesive, noncohesive, nonadherent, **untenacious, unconsolidated,** tenuous, lyo–; unjoined 49.20, disconnected, unconnected, gapped, open, **discontinuous** 72.4, broken, detached, discrete, aloof; like grains of sand.

.5 **loose, slack, lax, relaxed,** easy, sloppy; shaky, rickety; flapping, streaming; hanging, drooping, dangling; bagging, baggy.

52. COMBINATION

.1 NOUNS **combination,** combine, combo [slang], composition; hapt(o)–, zyg(o)–; **union, unification,** marriage, wedding, incorporation, embodiment, aggregation, agglomeration, conglomeration, congeries; **amalgamation, consolidation,** assimilation, **integration,** solidification, **encompassment,** inclusion, ecumenism; **junction** 47.1,4; conjunction, conjugation; **alliance,** affiliation, **association** 788, merger, league, hookup [slang], tie-up [slang]; federation, confederation, confederacy, federalization, centralization, cartel; **fusion,** blend, blending, meld, melding; coalescence, coalition; synthesis, syncretism, syneresis; syndication; **conspiracy,** cabal, junta; *enosis* [Gk], *Anschluss* [Ger]; package, package deal; **agreement** 26; **addition** 40.

.2 **mixture** 44, **compound** 44.5.

.3 VERBS **combine, unite, unify,** incorporate, embody, **amalgamate, consolidate,** assimilate, **integrate,** solidify, coalesce, compound, put *or* lump together, roll into one, come together, make one; **connect, join** 47.5; **mix** 44.11; **add** 40.4; **merge,** meld, **blend,** shade into, **fuse,** flux, melt into one; interfuse, interblend; **encompass,** include, comprise; **synthesize,** syncretize; syndicate; reembody.

.4 **league, ally, affiliate, associate,** consociate; unionize, organize, cement a union; federate, confederate, federalize, centralize; **join forces,** join *or* unite with, join *or* come together [informal], join up with [informal], hook up with [slang], tie up *or* in with [slang], **throw in with** [slang], stand up with, go *or* be in cahoots [slang], **pool one's interests, join fortunes with,** stand together, make common cause with; marry, wed; **band together,** club together, bunch, bunch up [informal], gang up [informal], gang, club; team with, **team up with** [informal], couple, pair, pair off, partner; go in partnership, go in partners [informal]; **conspire,** cabal.

.5 ADJS **combined, united, amalgamated, incorporated, consolidated, integrated,** assimilated, one, **joined** 47.13, joint 47.12, conjoint; conjunctive, combinative *or* combinatory, connective, conjugate; **merged,** blended, fused; **mixed** 44.15; **synthesized,** syncretized, syncretistic, eclectic.

.6 **leagued,** enleagued, **allied, affiliated,** affiliate, **associated,** associate, corporate; federated, confederated, federate, confederate; **in league,** in cahoots [slang], in with; **conspiratorial,** cabalistic; partners with, in partnership; teamed, coupled, paired, married, wed, wedded.

.7 **combining, uniting,** incorporating; merg-

ing, blending, fusing; combinative, combinatory; associative; federative, federal; corporative, incorporative, corporational.

53. DISINTEGRATION

.1 NOUNS **disintegration, decomposition, dissolution, decay,** resolution, disorganization, degradation, breakup, atomization; **erosion,** corrosion, crumbling, dilapidation, wear, wear and tear, ablation, ravages of time; **disjunction** 49.1; **incoherence** 51.1; –diastasis, –lysis; lys(o)– *or* lysi–; –lyte.

.2 dissociation; catalysis, dialysis, hydrolysis, proteolysis, thermolysis, photolysis [all chem]; catalyst, hydrolyst [chem]; hydrolyte [chem]; **decay,** fission [phys], splitting.

.3 VERBS **disintegrate, decompose, decay,** dissolve, come apart 49.8, disorganize, **break up,** crack up, disjoin 49.9, split, fission, atomize, **come** *or* **fall to pieces; erode,** corrode, ablate, consume, wear *or* waste away, molder, crumble, crumble into dust; –lyze *or* –lyse.

.4 [chem terms] dissociate; catalyze, dialyze, hydrolyze, electrolyze, photolyze.

.5 ADJS **disintegrative,** decomposing, disintegrating, disruptive, disjunctive; **erosive,** corrosive, ablative; resolvent, solvent, separative; **dilapidated,** disintegrated, ruinous, moldering, ravaged, worn; disintegrable, decomposable, degradable, biodegradable.

.6 [chem terms] dissociative; catalytic, dialytic, hydrolytic, proteolytic, thermolytic, electrolytic, photolytic.

54. WHOLE

.1 NOUNS **whole, totality, entirety,** collectivity; complex; integration, embodiment; **unity** 89, **integrity,** organic unity, oneness; integer.

.2 **total, sum,** sum total, sum and substance, **the amount,** whole *or* gross amount, grand total.

.3 **all, the whole, the entirety,** everything, aggregate, assemblage, one and all, all and sundry, each and every [informal]; package, set, complement, package deal; **the lot,** the corpus, **the ensemble; be-all,** be-all and end-all, beginning and end, "alpha and omega" [Bible], A to Z, A to izzard, the whole range *or* spectrum, length and breadth; everything but the kitchen sink [informal].

.4 [slang terms] **whole bunch, whole mess, whole caboodle, whole kit and caboodle,** whole bit *or* shtick, whole megillah, **whole shooting match,** whole hog, **whole deal,** whole schmear, **whole shebang,** whole works, the works, whole ball of wax, whole show.

.5 **wholeness,** totality, **completeness** 56, **unity** 89, **fullness,** inclusiveness, exhaustiveness, comprehensiveness; holism, holistic *or* total approach; universality.

.6 **major part, best part,** better part, **most; majority,** generality, plurality; **bulk, mass,** body, main body; **lion's share; substance,** gist, meat, essence, thrust, gravamen.

.7 VERBS **form** *or* **make a whole,** constitute a whole; **integrate,** unite, form a unity.

.8 **total, amount to, come to, run to** *or* **into,** mount up to, add up to, tot *or* tot up to [informal], tote *or* tote up to [informal], reckon up to [informal], aggregate to; aggregate, unitize; **number, comprise,** contain.

.9 ADJS (not partial) **whole, total, entire,** aggregate, gross, all; integral, integrated; **one,** one and indivisible; **inclusive,** all-inclusive, **exhaustive,** comprehensive, omnibus, all-embracing; holistic; universal; pan(o)– *or* pam– *or* pant(o)– *or* panta–, coen(o)–.

.10 **intact,** undamaged 677.8, unimpaired.

.11 **undivided,** uncut, unsevered, unclipped, uncropped, unshorn; **undiminished,** unreduced, complete.

.12 **unabridged,** uncondensed, unexpurgated.

.13 ADVS (not partially) **wholly, entirely,** all; **totally,** *in toto* [L], from A to Z, from A to izzard, across the board; **altogether, all put together,** in its entirety, *tout ensemble* [Fr]; **in all,** on all counts, in all respects, at large; **as a whole, in the aggregate,** in the lump, in the gross, in bulk, in the mass, *en masse* [Fr], *en bloc* [Fr]; **collectively, corporately,** bodily, in a body, as a body; lock, stock, and barrel; hook, line, and sinker.

.14 **on the whole, in the long run, all in all,** to all intents and purposes, on balance, **by and large, in the main, mainly, mostly, chiefly,** substantially, essentially, effectually, **for the most part,** almost entirely, for all practical purposes, **virtually;** approximately, nearly.

55. PART

.1 NOUNS **part, portion, fraction;** –ile, –ite, –mere, –tome; percentage; **division** 49.1; **share,** parcel, dole, quota; **section,** sector, **segment;** quarter, quadrant; **item,** detail, particular; installment; **subdivision,** sub-

group, subspecies; detachment, contingent; cross section, sample, random sample, sampling; **component** 58.2; **adjunct** 41; **remainder** 43.

.2 (part of writing) section, front *or* back matter, text, chapter, verse, article; sentence, clause, phrase, paragraph, passage; number, book, fascicle; sheet, folio, page, signature, gathering.

.3 **piece, particle, bit, scrap** 35.3, fragment, morsel, **crumb,** shard, snatch, snack; cut, cutting, clip, clipping, paring, shaving, rasher, snip, snippet, chip, slice, collop, dollop, scoop; **tatter, shred,** stitch; **splinter,** sliver; **shiver, smithereen** [informal]; **lump,** gob [informal], gobbet, **hunk, chunk; stump,** butt, end; modicum 35.2, moiety.

.4 **member, organ,** organo–; appendage; **limb,** mel–; **branch,** imp, bough, twig, sprig, spray, switch; runner, tendril; **offshoot,** ramification, scion, spur; **arm** 287.5, **leg** 273.16, tail; hand 813.4, chir(o)–; **wing,** pinion, ali–, pter(o)–, –pterus, pteryg(o)–; lobe, lobule; joint, link.

.5 **dose, portion;** slug *or* shot *or* nip *or* dram [all informal].

.6 VERBS separate 49.9, apportion, divide 49.18.

.7 ADJS **partial,** part; **fractional,** sectional; segmentary, segmental; **fragmentary;** incomplete 57.4; –meric, –merous, –tomus; semi–.

.8 ADVS **partly, partially,** part, **in part.**

.9 **piece by piece, bit by bit,** part by part, **little by little,** inch by inch, foot by foot, drop by drop; –meal, **piecemeal,** inchmeal, by inchmeal; **by degrees,** by inches; **by** *or* **in snatches,** by *or* in installments, in lots, in small doses, in driblets, in dribs and drabs; in detail.

56. COMPLETENESS

.1 NOUNS **completeness, totality; wholeness** 54.5, entireness, **entirety; unity, integrity,** integrality, intactness; solidity, solidarity; **thoroughness,** exhaustiveness, inclusiveness, comprehensiveness, universality; pervasiveness, ubiquity, omnipresence.

.2 **fullness,** full; **amplitude, plenitude;** impletion, **repletion,** plethora; saturation, saturation point, satiety, congestion; overfullness 663.3, surfeit; high water, high tide, flood tide, spring tide.

.3 **full measure, fill,** full house, "good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over" [Bible]; **load, capacity, complement,** lading, **charge;** the whole bit [slang]; bumper, brimmer; bellyful *or* snootful [both slang], skinful *or* mouthful [both informal]; **crush,** cram [informal], jam up [informal].

.4 **completion, fulfillment, consummation,** culmination, perfection, realization, **accomplishment** 722, topping-off, closure.

.5 **limit, end** 70, **extremity,** extreme, **acme,** apogee, climax, **maximum,** ceiling, **peak,** summit, **pinnacle,** crown, top; **utmost,** uttermost, utmost extent, highest degree, nth degree *or* power, *ne plus ultra* [L]; **all, the whole** 54.3,4.

.6 VERBS (make whole) **complete,** fulfill, **accomplish** 722.4; bring to completion *or* fruition, mature; fill in, **fill out,** piece out, top off, eke out, round out; **make up,** make good, replenish, refill.

.7 **fill, charge, load,** lade, freight, weight; **stuff, wad,** pad, **pack,** crowd, **cram,** jam, jam-pack, ram in, chock; **fill up,** fill to the brim, brim, top off, fill to overflowing, fill the measure of; supercharge, saturate, satiate, congest; overfill 663.15, surfeit.

.8 (be thorough) **go all lengths, go all out, go the limit** [informal], go the whole way, **go the whole hog** [slang], make a federal case, **see it through** [informal], follow out *or* up, follow *or* prosecute to a conclusion; leave nothing undone, not overlook a bet [informal]; **move heaven and earth, leave no stone unturned.**

.9 ADJS **complete, whole, total,** global, **entire,** intact, solid; eu–, hol(o)–, integri–, pan(o)–, per–, tel(o)– *or* tele(o)–, teleut(o)–; **full, full-fledged,** full-dress, **full-scale;** full-grown, mature, matured, ripe, developed; **uncut,** unabbreviated, undiminished, unexpurgated.

.10 **thorough, thoroughgoing,** thorough-paced, exhaustive, intensive, broad-based, comprehensive, all-embracing, all-encompassing, omnibus, radical, sweeping; **pervasive,** all-pervading, ubiquitous, omnipresent, **universal; unmitigated, unqualified, unconditional,** unrestricted, unreserved, **all-out,** wholesale, whole-hog [slang]; out-and-out, **through-and-through,** outright, downright, straight; congenital, born, **consummate,** perfect, veritable, egregious, deep-dyed, dyed-in-the-wool; **utter, absolute, total; sheer,** clear, clean, **pure,** plumb [informal], **plain,** regular [informal].

.11 **full,** filled, **replete,** plenary, capacity, flush, round; **brimful,** brimming; **chockfull,** chuck-full, **cram-full,** topful; **jam-**

full, jam-packed; stuffed, overstuffed, **packed, crammed,** *farci* [Fr]; **swollen** 197.13, bulging 256.14, bursting, ready to burst, full to bursting, fit to bust [slang]; as full as a tick, packed like sardines *or* herrings; standing room only, SRO; **saturated,** satiated, soaked; congested; overfull 663.20, surfeited; –ful.

.12 **fraught,** freighted, **laden, loaded, charged,** burdened; heavy-laden; full-laden, full-fraught, full-charged, supercharged.

.13 **completing, fulfilling,** filling; completive *or* completory, consummative *or* consummatory, culminative, perfective; **complementary,** complemental.

.14 ADVS **completely, totally,** globally, **entirely, wholly, fully,** integrally, roundly, **altogether,** hundred per cent, **exhaustively,** inclusively, comprehensively, largely; **unconditionally,** unrestrictedly, unreservedly; **one and all;** outright, *tout à fait* [Fr]; **thoroughly,** inside out [informal]; in full, in full measure; to the hilt.

.15 **absolutely, perfectly, quite,** right, stark, clean, sheer, plumb [informal], plain; irretrievably, unrelievedly, irrevocably.

.16 **utterly, to the utmost,** all the way, **all out,** flat out [Brit], *à outrance* [Fr], *à toute outrance* [Fr], **to the full, to the limit,** to the backbone, to the marrow, to the nth degree *or* power, to the sky *or* skies, to the top of one's bent, **to a fare-thee-well,** to a fare-you-well *or* fare-ye-well, with a vengeance, all hollow [informal].

.17 **throughout, all over,** overall, **inside and out, through and through;** through thick and thin, down to the ground [informal], **from the ground up,** from the word 'go' [informal]; **to the end** *or* **bitter end,** to the death; **at full length,** *in extenso* [L], *ad infinitum* [L]; every inch, every whit, every bit; root and branch, head and shoulders, heart and soul; to the brim, to the hilt, neck deep, up to the ears, up to the eyes; **in every respect,** in all respects, you name it [informal]; **on all counts,** at all points, for good and all; lock, stock, and barrel [informal].

.18 **from beginning to end,** from end to end, **from first to last, from A to Z,** from A to izzard, from hell to breakfast [slang], from cover to cover; **from top to bottom,** *de fond en comble* [Fr]; from top to toe, **from head to foot,** *a capite ad calcem* [L], cap-a-pie; **from stem to stern,** from clew to earing, fore and aft; from soup to nuts [slang], *"ab ovo usque ad mala"* [L, from egg to apples; Horace].

57. INCOMPLETENESS

.1 NOUNS **incompleteness,** incompletion; **deficiency,** defectiveness, **inadequacy;** underdevelopment, hypoplasia, **immaturity,** callowness, arrestment; sketchiness, scrappiness, patchiness; short measure *or* weight.

.2 (part lacking) **deficiency,** want, **lack, need, deficit,** defect, **shortage;** wantage, outage, ullage; defalcation, arrearage; omission, gap, hiatus, break, lacuna, discontinuity, interval; missing link.

.3 VERBS **lack** 662.7; fall short 314.2.

.4 ADJS **incomplete, deficient,** defective, **inadequate;** semi–; **undeveloped,** underdeveloped, hypoplastic, **immature,** callow, infant, arrested, embryonic, **wanting, lacking,** needing, missing, **partial,** part, failing; in default, in arrear *or* arrears; **in short supply,** scanty; **short,** scant, shy [informal]; sketchy, patchy, scrappy.

.5 **mutilated,** garbled, hashed, **mangled, butchered,** docked, lopped, truncated, castrated, cut short.

.6 ADVS **incompletely, partially,** by halves, by *or* in half measures, in installments, in *or* by bits and pieces; **deficiently,** inadequately.

58. COMPOSITION

(manner of being composed)

.1 NOUNS **composition, constitution, construction, formation,** fabrication, fashioning, shaping, organization; embodiment, incorporation; make, **makeup,** getup *or* setup [both informal]; building, buildup, structure, structuring; **assembly,** assemblage, putting *or* piecing together; synthesis, syneresis; **combination** 52; **compound** 44.5; **junction** 47.1,4; **mixture** 44.

.2 **component, constituent, ingredient,** integrant, **element, factor, part** 55, part and parcel; appurtenance, adjunct 41; feature, aspect, specialty, circumstance, detail, item; contents, makings *or* fixings [both informal].

.3 VERBS **compose, constitute,** construct, fabricate; incorporate, embody; **form, organize,** structure; **enter into,** go into; make, **make up,** build, **build up, assemble,** put *or* piece together; **consist of,** be a feature of, form a part of, combine *or* unite in, merge in; **synthesize; combine** 52.3; join 47.5; **mix** 44.11.

.4 ADJS **composed of,** formed of, **made of,** made up of, made out of, compact of, consisting of; composing, comprising, constituting, including, inclusive of, containing, embodying, subsuming; contained in, embodied in; di(a)–; –en *or* –n, –ine.

.5 **component,** constituent, integrant, integral; **formative,** elementary.

59. ORDER

.1 NOUNS **order, arrangement** 60; **organization** 60.2; **disposition,** disposal, deployment, marshaling; **formation, structure,** array, lineup, setup, layout; system; routine, even tenor; **peace,** quiet, quietude, **tranquillity; regularity,** uniformity 17; symmetry, proportion, concord, **harmony,** order, the music of the spheres; "the eternal fitness of things" [Samuel Clarke], "Heav'n's first law" [Pope].

.2 **continuity,** logical order, serial order; **degree** 29; **hierarchy, gradation,** subordination, rank, place; **sequence** 65.

.3 **orderliness, trimness, tidiness, neatness,** anality; good shape [informal], good condition, fine fettle, good trim, apple-pie order [informal], a place for everything and everything in its place; **discipline,** method, methodology, methodicalness, system, systematicness.

.4 VERBS **order, arrange** 60.8, **organize, regulate;** dispose, deploy, marshal; **form,** structure, array, line up, set up, lay out; **pacify,** quiet, cool off *or* down [informal], **tranquilize; regularize,** harmonize; **systematize,** methodize, normalize, standardize, routinize; hierarchize, grade, rank.

.5 **form, take form,** take order, **take shape,** crystallize, **shape up;** arrange *or* range itself, place itself, take its place, fall in, **fall into place,** fall into line *or* order *or* series, fall into rank, take rank; come together, draw up, gather around, rally round.

.6 ADJS **orderly,** ordered, **regular, well-regulated, well-ordered, methodical, formal,** uniform 17.5, **systematic,** symmetrical, **harmonious;** businesslike, routine, steady, normal, habitual, usual, *en règle* [Fr], in hand; **arranged** 60.14.

.7 **in order, in trim,** to rights [informal], in apple-pie order [informal]; **in condition,** in good condition, in kilter *or* kelter [informal], **in shape,** in good shape [informal], **in good form,** in fine fettle, in good trim, **in the pink** [informal], in the pink of condition; **in repair,** in commission, in adjustment, in working order, fixed; up to scratch *or* snuff [slang].

.8 **tidy, trim, neat,** anal, spruce, sleek, slick [informal], smart, trig, dinky [Brit informal], snug, tight, **shipshape,** shipshape and Bristol fashion; **well-kept,** well-kempt, well-cared-for, well-groomed; neat as a button *or* pin [informal].

.9 ADVS **methodically, systematically, regularly,** uniformly, harmoniously, like clockwork.

.10 **in order, in turn, in sequence, in succession,** hierarchically, in series, *seriatim* [L]; step by step, by stages.

60. ARRANGEMENT

(putting in order)

.1 NOUNS **arrangement, ordering,** structuring, constitution; **disposition, disposal,** deployment, placement, marshaling, **arraying; distribution,** collation, collocation, allocation, allotment, apportionment; **formation,** formulation, form, array; regimentation; syntax; **order** 59; tax(o)– *or* taxi–, –taxia *or* –taxis.

.2 **organization, methodization,** planning, charting, codification, regulation, regularization, routinization, normalization, rationalization; **adjustment,** harmonization, **systematization,** ordination, coordination.

.3 **grouping,** categorization, taxonomy; **gradation,** subordination, **ranking,** placement; **sorting,** sorting out, assortment, sifting, screening, triage, culling, selection.

.4 **table,** code, digest, **index, inventory,** census; table of organization.

.5 **sorter,** sifter, **sieve,** riddle, **screen,** bolter, colander, grate, grating.

.6 (act of making neat) **cleanup,** red-up [dial]; tidy-up, trim-up, police-up [informal].

.7 **rearrangement, reorganization,** reconstitution, **reordering, restructuring,** shake-up; redisposition, redistribution, realignment.

.8 VERBS **arrange,** order 59.4, reduce to order, **put** *or* **set in order,** right, **put** *or* **set to rights,** put in *or* into shape, whip into shape [informal], unsnarl.

.9 **dispose, distribute, fix, place,** set out, collocate, allocate, **compose,** space, **marshal,** rally, array; align, line, **line up,** range; regiment; **allot, apportion,** parcel out, deal, **deal out.**

.10 **organize,** methodize, **systematize,** ration-

alize; **harmonize,** synchronize, **tune,** tune up; **regularize,** routinize, normalize, standardize; **regulate,** adjust, coordinate, fix, settle; **plan,** chart, codify.

.11 **classify** 61.6, **group,** categorize; **grade,** gradate, rank, subordinate; **sort,** sort out, assort; **separate,** divide; collate; **sift,** size, sieve, **screen,** bolt, riddle.

.12 tidy, **tidy up,** neaten, trim, **put in trim,** trim up, trig up, **straighten up,** fix up [informal], **clean up,** police *or* police up [both informal], groom, spruce *or* spruce up [both informal], **clear up,** clear the decks.

.13 **rearrange, reorganize,** reconstitute, **reorder, restructure,** shake up; redispose, redistribute, realign.

.14 ADJS **arranged, ordered, disposed,** composed, constituted, fixed, placed, aligned, ranged, arrayed, marshaled, grouped, ranked, **graded;** organized, methodized, **regularized,** routinized, normalized, standardized, **systematized;** regulated, harmonized, synchronized; **classified** 61.8, categorized, **sorted,** assorted; **orderly** 59.6; –tactic.

.15 **organizational,** formational.

61. CLASSIFICATION

.1 NOUNS **classification, categorization,** placement, ranging, **pigeonholing, sorting, grouping; grading,** stratification, ranking, rating; division, subdivision; **cataloging,** codification, tabulation, indexing, filing; **taxonomy,** typology; analysis 48, **arrangement** 60.

.2 **class, category, head, order, division,** branch, set, **group,** grouping, bracket, pigeonhole; **section,** heading, rubric, **label,** title; **grade,** rank, rating, status, estate, stratum, level, station, position; –age, –ate, –cy, –dom, –hood; predicament [logic]; caste, clan, race, strain, blood, kin, sept; **subdivision,** subgroup, suborder.

.3 **kind, sort, ilk, type,** lot [informal], **variety, species,** speci(o)– *or* specie–, **genus,** *genre* [Fr], gen(o)–, phylum, phyl(o)–, denomination, designation, number [informal], description, style, manner, **nature, character,** persuasion, the like *or* likes of [informal]; **stamp, brand,** feather, color, stripe, line, grain, kidney; **make,** mark, label, shape, cast, form, mold; tribe, clan, race, strain, blood, kin, breed.

.4 **hierarchy,** class structure, power structure, pyramid, establishment, pecking order; natural hierarchy, order *or* chain of being; domain, realm, **kingdom,** animal kingdom, vegetable kingdom, mineral kingdom.

.5 (botanical and zoological classifications, in descending order) **kingdom;** subkingdom, **phylum** [zool], branch [bot]; superclass, **class,** subclass, superorder, **order,** suborder, superfamily, **family,** subfamily, tribe, subtribe, **genus,** subgenus, series, section, superspecies, **species;** subspecies, **variety;** biotype, genotype.

.6 VERBS **classify,** class; **categorize,** type, **pigeonhole,** place, **group, arrange** 60.8, range; **order** 59.4, rank, rate, **grade; sort,** assort; **divide, analyze** 48.6, subdivide, break down; **catalog,** list, file, tabulate, **index,** alphabetize, digest, codify.

.7 ADJS **classificational,** classificatory; **categorical, taxonomic(al),** typologic(al), ordinal; divisional, divisionary, subdivisional; **typical,** typal; **special,** specific, characteristic, particular, peculiar, denominative, differential, distinctive, defining.

.8 **classified, cataloged, pigeonholed,** indexed, sorted, assorted, **graded, grouped,** ranked, rated, stratified, hierarchic, pyramidal; placed; filed, on file; tabular.

.9 ADVS of any kind *or* sort, **of any description, at all,** whatever, soever, whatsoever.

62. DISORDER

.1 NOUNS **disorder, disorderliness, disarrangement,** derangement, disarticulation, disjunction 49.1, **disorganization;** discomposure, **dishevelment, disarray,** upset, disturbance, discomfiture, disconcertedness; **irregularity,** randomness, turbulence, perturbation, ununiformity *or* nonuniformity, unsymmetry *or* nonsymmetry, **disproportion, disharmony;** indiscriminateness, promiscuity, promiscuousness, haphazardness; entropy; **disruption** 49.3; **incoherence** 51.1; disintegration 53; "most admired disorder" [Shakespeare], "inharmonious harmony" [Horace].

.2 **confusion, chaos,** anarchy, misrule, license; **muddle,** morass, **mix-up** [informal], foul-up [informal], snafu [slang], screw-up [slang], hassle [informal]; pretty kettle of fish, pretty piece of business, nice piece of work; "Chaos and old Night" [Milton], "the seed of Chaos, and of Night" [Pope], "mere anarchy is loosed upon the world", "fabulous formless darkness" [both Yeats].

.3 **jumble, scramble, tumble, mess,** bloody *or* holy *or* unholy mess [slang], **turmoil,** welter, mishmash, hash, helter-skelter, far-

rago, higgledy-piggledy; **clutter, litter, hodgepodge** 44.6, rat's nest; topsy-turviness *or* topsy-turvydom, arsy-varsiness, hysteron proteron.

.4 **commotion, hubbub, tumult,** turmoil, **uproar, racket,** riot, **disturbance, rumpus** [informal], ruckus *or* ruction [both informal], **fracas, hassle,** shemozzle [Brit slang], shindy [slang], rampage; **ado,** to-do [informal], trouble, bother, pother, dustup [Brit informal], stir [informal], **fuss,** *brouhaha* [Fr], foofaraw [informal]; **row** [informal], **brawl,** free-for-all [informal], donnybrook *or* donnybrook fair, broil, embroilment, melee, scramble; helter-skelter, pell-mell, **roughhouse, rough-and-tumble.**

.5 **pandemonium,** "confusion worse confounded" [Milton], **hell, bedlam,** witches' Sabbath, Babel, confusion of tongues; **cacophony,** noise, static, racket.

.6 slovenliness *or* slovenry, **slipshodness,** carelessness, negligence; **untidiness,** unneatness, looseness, **messiness** [informal], **sloppiness,** dowdiness, seediness, **shabbiness,** tawdriness, chintziness [informal], shoddiness, tackiness [informal], grubbiness [informal], frowziness, blowziness; **slatternliness,** frumpishness [informal], sluttishness; **squalor,** squalidness, sordidness.

.7 **slob** [informal], **slattern, sloven,** frump [informal], sloppy Joe, schlep, schlump; drab, **slut, trollop; pig,** swine; **litterbug.**

.8 VERBS lapse into disorder, come apart 49.8, dissolve into chaos, slacken 51.3, disintegrate 53.3, degenerate, untune.

.9 **disorder, disarrange** 63.2, **disorganize,** dishevel; **confuse** 63.3, **muddle,** jumble; **discompose** 63.4, **upset,** unsettle, **disturb,** perturb; knock galley-west [slang].

.10 **riot,** roister, roil, carouse; **create a disturbance, make a commotion,** make trouble, **make an ado** *or* **to-do** [informal], raise a rumpus [informal], raise a storm [informal], raise a ruckus [informal], create a **riot, cut loose,** run wild, **run riot,** run amok, go on a rampage, go berserk.

.11 [slang or informal terms] **kick up a row,** kick up a shindy, **raise the devil,** raise the deuce *or* dickens, raise Cain, **raise hell,** raise sand, raise the roof, whoop it up, hell around, horse around; **carry on,** go on, maffick [Brit]; **cut up,** cut up rough, **roughhouse.**

.12 ADJS **unordered, orderless, disordered, unorganized, unarranged,** ungraded, unsorted, unclassified; **unmethodical,** immethodical; **unsystematic,** systemless, nonsystematic; disjunct, unjoined 49.20; disarticulated, **incoherent** 51.4; discontinuous; **formless,** amorphous, inchoate, shapeless; ununiform *or* nonuniform, unsymmetrical *or* nonsymmetrical, disproportionate, misshapen; **irregular, haphazard,** desultory, **erratic,** sporadic, spasmodic, fitful, promiscuous, indiscriminate, casual, frivolous, capricious, random, hit-or-miss, vague, dispersed, wandering, planless, undirected, **aimless,** straggling, straggly; senseless, meaningless, gratuitous; dis–.

.13 **disorderly, in disorder,** disordered, **disorganized, disarranged, discomposed,** dislocated, deranged, convulsed; **upset, disturbed,** perturbed, unsettled, discomfited, disconcerted; **turbulent,** turbid, roily; **out of order,** out of place, misplaced, shuffled; **out of kilter** *or* **kelter** [informal], **out of whack** [informal], out of gear, out of joint, out of tune, on the fritz [slang]; **cockeyed** [slang], awry, amiss, askew, haywire [informal].

.14 **disheveled, mussed up** [informal], messed up [informal], **rumpled,** tumbled, ruffled, snarled, snaggy; **tousled,** tously; uncombed, shaggy, matted.

.15 **slovenly, slipshod, careless, loose, slack,** informal, negligent; **untidy, unsightly,** unneat, **unkempt; messy** [informal], mussy [informal], **sloppy** [informal], scraggly, poky, seedy [informal], **shabby,** shoddy, lumpen, chintzy, grubby [informal], **frowzy, blowzy,** tacky [informal]; **slatternly, sluttish, frumpish,** frumpy, draggletailed, drabbletailed, draggled, bedraggled; down at the heel, out at the heels, out at the elbows, in rags, ragged, raggedy, tattered; **squalid,** sordid; dilapidated, ruinous, **beat-up** [slang].

.16 **confused, chaotic,** anarchic, **muddled, jumbled,** scattered, helter-skelter [informal], higgledy-piggledy, hugger-mugger, skimble-skamble, in a mess; **topsy-turvy,** arsy-varsy, upside-down, ass-backwards [slang]; **mixed up, balled** *or* **bollixed up** [slang], **screwed up** [slang], mucked up [informal], **fouled up** [informal], snafu [slang], galley-west [slang].

.17 ADVS **in disorder, in disarray, in confusion, in a jumble, in a tumble, in a muddle, in a mess; higgledy-piggledy,** helter-skelter [informal], hugger-mugger, skimble-skamble, harum-scarum [informal], willy-nilly [informal], every which way [informal]; all over, all over hell [slang],

all over the place, all over the shop [informal].

.18 **haphazardly, unsystematically,** unmethodically, irregularly, desultorily, **erratically,** capriciously, promiscuously, indiscriminately, **sloppily** [informal], **carelessly,** randomly, **fitfully;** by *or* at intervals, sporadically, spasmodically, by fits, **by fits and starts,** by *or* in snatches, in spots [informal]; every now and then, every once in a while [both informal]; **at random,** at haphazard, **by chance, hit or miss.**

.19 **chaotically, anarchically,** turbulently, **riotously; confusedly,** dispersedly, vaguely, wanderingly, **aimlessly,** planlessly, senselessly.

63. DISARRANGEMENT

(bringing into disorder)

.1 NOUNS **disarrangement, derangement,** misarrangement, convulsion, dislocation; **disorganization,** shuffling; **discomposure,** disturbance, perturbation; **disorder** 62; insanity 473.

.2 VERBS **disarrange, derange,** misarrange; **disorder, disorganize,** throw out of order, put out of gear, dislocate, **disarray; dishevel,** rumple, ruffle; tousle [informal], muss *or* **muss up** [both informal], mess *or* **mess up** [both informal]; **litter, clutter,** scatter.

.3 **confuse, muddle, jumble,** confound, garble, tumble, scramble, fumble, pi; **shuffle,** riffle; **mix up,** snarl up, **ball** *or* **bollix up** [slang], **foul up** [informal], **screw up** [slang], muck up [informal], snafu [slang]; make a hash *or* mess of [slang], play hob with [informal].

.4 **discompose,** throw into confusion, **upset, unsettle, disturb,** perturb, trouble, distract, throw [informal], throw into a tizzy *or* snit *or* stew [informal], agitate, convulse, embroil; **psych** *or* spook *or* bug [all slang].

.5 ADJS **disarranged** 62.13, **confused** 62.16, **disordered** 62.12.

64. PRECEDENCE

(in order)

.1 NOUNS precedence *or* precedency, antecedence *or* antecedency, anteposition, anteriority, precession; the lead, front position; **priority,** preference, urgency; top priority; prefixation, prothesis; **superiority** 36; **dominion** 739.6; **precursor** 66; prelude 66.2; preceding 292.1.

.2 VERBS **precede,** antecede, **come first,** come *or* go before 66.3, **go ahead of, go in advance,** stand first, stand at the head, **head,** head up [informal], front, **lead** 292.2, take precedence, have priority; lead off, kick off, usher in; head the table *or* board, sit on the dais; rank, outrank, rate.

.3 (place before) **prefix, preface,** premise, prelude, prologize, preamble, introduce.

.4 ADJS **preceding,** precedent, **prior,** antecedent, anterior, precessional, **leading** 292.3; **preliminary,** precursory, prevenient, prefatory, exordial, prelusive, preludial, proemial, preparatory, initiatory, propaedeutic, inaugural; **first, foremost,** headmost, **chief** 36.14.

.5 **former,** foregoing; aforesaid, aforementioned, beforementioned, above-mentioned, aforenamed, forenamed, forementioned, said, named, same.

.6 ADVS **before** 240.12; above, hereinbefore, hereinabove, *supra* [L], *ante* [L].

65. SEQUENCE

.1 NOUNS **sequence,** logical sequence, **succession,** successiveness, consecution, consecutiveness, following, coming after; descent, lineage, line; **series** 71.2; **order,** order of succession; **progression,** procession, rotation; **continuity** 71; **continuation,** prolongation, extension, posteriority; suffixation, subjunction, postposition.

.2 VERBS **succeed, follow, ensue,** come *or* go after, **come next,** come on, **inherit,** take the mantle of, step into the shoes *or* place of.

.3 (place after) suffix, append, subjoin.

.4 ADJS **succeeding, successive, following, ensuing,** sequent, sequential, sequacious, posterior, **subsequent,** consequent; eka–, rere–; proximate, **next;** appendant, suffixed, postpositive, postpositional.

66. PRECURSOR

.1 NOUNS **precursor, forerunner,** foregoer, *voorlooper* [Du], vaunt-courier, avant-courier, front *or* lead runner; pioneer, *voortrekker* [Du], frontiersman, bushwhacker; scout, pathfinder, explorer, point, trailblazer *or* trailbreaker, guide; **leader** 748.6, bellwether, fugleman; **herald,** announcer, *buccinator* [L], messenger, harbinger, stormy petrel; **predecessor,** forebear, precedent, antecedent, **ancestor; vanguard, avant-garde,** innovator, groundbreaker.

.2 **prelude, preamble, preface,** prologue, foreword, introduction, *avant-propos* [Fr], protasis, proem, proemium, prolegomenon *or* prolegomena, exordium; **prefix,** prefixture; frontispiece; **preliminary,** front matter; overture, voluntary, verse; premise, presupposition, postulate, prolepsis; **innovation** 139.3, **breakthrough** [informal], leap.

.3 VERBS **go before, pioneer,** blaze *or* break the trail, be in the van *or* vanguard; guide; **lead** 292.2; **precede** 64.2; herald, forerun, usher in, introduce.

.4 ADJS **preceding** 64.4; preliminary, exploratory, inaugural; **advanced,** avant-garde, original 23.5.

67. SEQUEL

.1 NOUNS **sequel,** sequela *or* sequelae [pl], sequelant, sequent, sequitur, **consequence** 154.1; **continuation,** continuance, **follow-up** *or* **-through** [informal]; **supplement,** addendum, appendix, back matter; postfix, suffix; postscript, PS, subscript, postface, postlude, epilogue, conclusion, peroration, codicil; refrain, chorus, coda; envoi, colophon, tag; afterthought, second thought, double take [informal], *arrière-pensée* [Fr], *esprit d'escalier* [Fr]; parting *or* Parthian shot; last words, swan song, dying words.

.2 **afterpart,** afterpiece; wake, trail, train, queue; **tail,** tailpiece; tab, tag, trailer.

.3 **aftermath, afterclap,** afterglow, afterimage, aftereffect, side effect, by-product, aftertaste; **aftergrowth,** aftercrop; **afterbirth,** placenta, secundines, maz(o)–; afterpain.

.4 **successor, replacement,** backup man; **descendant,** posterity, **heir,** inheritor.

68. BEGINNING

.1 NOUNS **beginning, commencement, start,** running *or* flying start, starting point, square one [slang], **outset,** outbreak, **onset,** oncoming; dawn; **creation, foundation, institution, origin,** origination, establishment, setting-up, setting in motion; alpha, A; **opening,** rising of the curtain; first crack out of the box [informal], kick-off *or* jump-off *or* send-off *or* start-off *or* take-off *or* blast-off [all informal], the word 'go' [informal]; fresh start, new departure; edge, leading edge, cutting edge, thin end of the wedge.

.2 **beginner, neophyte, tyro;** newcomer 78.4; entrant, **novice,** novitiate, probationer, catechumen; recruit, raw recruit; rookie [informal]; trainee, learner, apprentice; baby, infant; nestling, fledgling; freshman 566.6; tenderfoot, greenhorn, greeny [informal]; debutant, deb [informal].

.3 **first,** prime, **initial,** alpha, primitiveness *or* primitivity, **initiative,** first move, **first step,** *le premier pas* [Fr], first lap, first round, first inning, first stage; breaking-in, warming-up; opening move, gambit; first blush, first glance, first sight, first impression.

.4 **origin,** origination, **genesis, inception,** incipience *or* incipiency, inchoation; –geny, –escence; **birth,** parturition, pregnancy, nascency *or* nascence, nativity; **infancy,** babyhood, childhood, youth; freshman year; incunabula, beginnings, cradle.

.5 **inauguration,** installation *or* installment, induction, **introduction,** initiation; embarkation *or* embarkment, **launching,** floating, flotation, unveiling; debut, first appearance, coming out [informal]; opener [informal], preliminary, curtain raiser *or* lifter; maiden speech, inaugural address.

.6 **basics, rudiments, elements, principles,** principia, **outlines, primer,** hornbook, grammar, alphabet, **ABC's;** first principles, first steps; induction.

.7 VERBS **begin, commence, start; start in, start off, start out, set out,** set sail, set in, set to *or* about, get to, **turn to,** fall to, pitch in [informal], dive in [slang], plunge into, head into [informal], **go ahead,** fire *or* blast away [informal], take off *or* jump off *or* kick off *or* blast off *or* send off [all informal], get the show on the road [informal].

.8 **make a beginning,** make a move [informal], **start up,** get going [informal], get off, **get under way,** get in there [slang]; set a course, **get squared away** [informal]; make an auspicious beginning, **get off to a good start;** get in on the ground floor [informal]; **break in, warm up,** get one's feet wet [slang], cut one's teeth.

.9 enter, **enter on** *or* **upon, embark in** *or* **on** *or* **upon,** take up, go into; make one's debut, come out [informal].

.10 **initiate, originate, create,** invent; **precede** 64.2, **take the initiative, take the first step,** take the lead, pioneer 66.3; **lead,** lead off, lead the way; **head,** head up [informal], stand at the head, stand first; **break the ice,** take the plunge, break ground, cut the first turf, lay the first stone.

.11 **inaugurate,** institute, **found, establish,** set

up [informal]; **install,** initiate, induct; **introduce,** broach, bring up, lift up, raise; **launch,** float; christen [informal]; **usher in,** ring in [informal]; **set on foot,** set abroach, set agoing, turn on, start up, start going, start the ball rolling [informal].

.12 **open,** open up, breach, open the door to; open fire.

.13 **originate, take** *or* **have origin,** be born, take birth, come into the world, **become,** come to be, get to be [informal], see the light of day, rise, **arise,** take rise, take its rise, **come forth, issue,** issue forth, come out, spring *or* crop up; burst forth, break out, erupt, irrupt.

.14 **engender, beget, procreate** 169.8; **give birth to, bear,** birth [dial], bring to birth; father, mother, sire.

.15 ADJS **beginning, initial,** initiatory *or* initiative; **incipient,** inceptive, **introductory,** inchoative, inchoate; inaugural *or* inauguratory; **prime,** primal, **primary,** primitive, primeval; acro–, arche–, eo–, ne(o)–, proto–, *ur–* [Ger]; primogenial; **original,** aboriginal, autochthonous; **elementary,** elemental, **fundamental,** foundational; **rudimentary,** rudimental, abecedarian; **formative, creative,** procreative, inventive; embryonic, in embryo, in the bud, budding, fetal, gestatory, parturient, pregnant, in its infancy; infant, infantile, incunabular; **natal,** nascent, prenatal, antenatal; postnatal; –escent.

.16 **preliminary, prefatory,** preludial, proemial; prepositive, prefixed.

.17 **first, foremost,** front, **head, chief, principal,** premier, **leading, main;** maiden.

.18 ADVS **first,** firstly, **at first,** first off, first thing, **in the first place,** first and foremost, before everything, *primo* [L]; **principally,** mainly, chiefly; **primarily,** initially; **originally, in the beginning,** *in limine* [L], **at the start,** at the first go-off [informal], from the ground up, from the foundations, from the beginning, from the first, **from the word 'go'** [informal], *ab origine* [L], *ab initio* [L]; *ab ovo* [L].

69. MIDDLE

.1 NOUNS **middle,** median, midmost, **midst;** thick, thick of things; **center** 226.2; **heart, core,** nucleus, kernel; **mean** 32; interior 225.2; midriff, diaphragm; waist, waistline, zone; equator; diameter.

.2 **mid-distance,** middle distance; **equidistance; half,** moiety, mediety; halfway point *or* place, midway, midcourse, halfway house; bisection.

.3 VERBS middle, bisect; average 32.2; double, fold.

.4 ADJS **middle, medial,** median, mesial, middling, mediocre, average, **medium** 32.3, mezzo [mus], **mean,** mid; **midmost,** middlemost; mid–, medi(o)–, mes(o)–, mesio–; **central** 226.11, core, nuclear; interior 225.8; **intermediate,** intermediary, intermedi(o)–; equidistant, halfway, midway, equatorial; midland, mediterranean; midships, amidships.

.5 ADVS **midway, halfway, in the middle,** betwixt and between [informal], halfway in the middle [informal]; plump *or* smack *or* slap *or* smack-dab in the middle [informal]; half-and-half, neither here nor there, *mezzo-mezzo* [Ital]; medially, mediumly; in the mean; *in medias res* [L]; **in the midst of,** in the thick of; midships, amidships.

70. END

.1 NOUNS **end,** end point, ending, **termination, terminus, terminal,** term, period, apodosis, **expiration,** cessation 144, ceasing, consummation, culmination, **conclusion, finish, finis, finale,** finality, quietus, stoppage, windup [informal], payoff [slang], curtain, curtains [slang], fall of the curtain, end of the line [informal]; decease, **death** 408; **last,** "latter end" [Bible], last gasp *or* breath, final twitch; omega, Ω, izzard, Z; **goal,** destination, stopping place, resting place; denouement, catastrophe, final solution, resolution; last *or* final words, peroration, swan song, envoi, coda, epilogue; **fate, destiny,** last things, eschatology, last trumpet, crack of doom, doom; **effect** 154.

.2 **extremity, extreme;** acr(o)–, tel(o)– *or* tele–; **limit** 56.5, **boundary,** farthest bound, jumping-off place, Thule, *Ultima Thule* [L], **pole; tip,** point, nib; tail, **tail end,** butt end, tag, tag end, fag end; bitter end; stub, stump, butt; bottom dollar [informal], bottom of the barrel [informal].

.3 **close,** closing; cessation; decline, lapse; **homestretch, last lap** *or* **round** *or* **inning** [informal], last stage; beginning of the end.

.4 **finishing stroke,** ender, **end-all,** quietus, stopper, **deathblow,** death stroke, *coup de grâce* [Fr]; **finisher,** clincher, equalizer, crusher, **settler;** knockout *or* knockout blow [both informal]; sockdolager,

KO *or* kayo *or* kayo punch [all slang]; final stroke, finishing *or* perfecting *or* crowning touch, last dab *or* lick [slang].

.5 VERBS **end, terminate,** determine, close, **finish, conclude,** resolve, finish *or* wind up [informal]; **stop, cease** 144.6; perorate; abort; scrap, scratch [both informal].

.6 **come to an end, draw to a close, expire, die** 408.19; lapse, become void *or* extinct *or* defunct, run out, run its course, have its time *or* have it [both informal], pass, **pass away,** die away, wear off *or* away, go out, blow over, be all over, be no more.

.7 **complete** 56.6, perfect, finish, finalize [informal]; **put an end to,** put a period to, put paid to [Brit], **make an end of,** bring to an end, end off [informal]; **get it over,** get over with *or* through with [informal]; ring down *or* drop the curtain; put the lid on [slang], fold up [informal]; call off [informal], call all bets off [informal]; **dispose of,** polish off [informal]; kibosh *or* put the kibosh on [both slang]; **kill** 409.13, extinguish, scrag [slang], zap [slang], **give the quietus,** put the finisher *or* settler on [informal], knock on *or* in the head, knock out [informal], kayo *or* KO [both slang], shoot down *or* shoot down in flames [both slang], wipe out [slang]; **cancel, delete,** expunge.

.8 ADJS **ended, at an end, terminated, concluded, finished, complete** 56.9, perfected, settled, decided, set at rest; **over, all over,** all up [slang]; all off [informal], all bets off [slang]; **done,** done with, through *or* through with [both informal]; wound up [informal], washed up [slang]; all over but the shouting [informal]; **dead** 408.30, **defunct,** extinct; fini, kaput, shot, done for, SOL, zapped [all slang], wiped out [slang]; **canceled, deleted,** expunged.

.9 **ending, closing, concluding, finishing,** culminating *or* culminative, consummative *or* consummatory, perfecting *or* perfective, terminating, crowning, capping.

.10 **final, terminal,** terminating *or* terminative, determinative, definitive, **conclusive; last,** eventual, farthest, extreme, boundary, limiting, polar, **endmost, ultimate;** caudal, tail.

.11 ADVS **finally,** in fine; **ultimately, eventually; lastly,** last, **at last,** at the last *or* end *or* conclusion, at length, at long last; **in conclusion;** conclusively, once for all.

.12 **to the end, to the bitter end, all the way,** to the last gasp, the last extremity, **to a finish,** *à outrance* [Fr], till hell freezes over [informal], "to the edge of doom", "to the last syllable of recorded time" [both Shakespeare].

.13 PHRS **that's final, that's that,** that buttons it up [informal], that's the end of the matter, so much for that, enough said; the subject is closed, the matter is ended, the deal is off [informal]; "the rest is silence" [Shakespeare].

71. CONTINUITY

(uninterrupted sequence)

.1 NOUNS **continuity, uninterruption, uninterruptedness,** featurelessness, unrelievedness, monotony, unintermittedness, unbrokenness, **uniformity** 17, undifferentiation; fullness, plenitude; seamlessness, jointlessness, gaplessness, smoothness; **consecutiveness,** successiveness; continuousness, **endlessness, ceaselessness, incessancy; constancy** 135.2, continualness, constant flow; steadiness, steady state, equilibrium, stability 142.

.2 **series, succession,** run, **sequence,** consecution, progression, course, gradation; **continuum,** plenum; lineage, descent, filiation; **connection, concatenation,** catenation, catena, **chain,** chaining, articulation, reticulation, nexus; chain reaction, powder train; **train,** range, rank, **file, line, string,** thread, queue, **row,** bank, tier; windrow, swath; single file, Indian file; array; **round, cycle,** rotation, routine, recurrence, periodicity, flywheel effect, pendulum; endless belt *or* chain, Möbius band *or* strip, *la ronde* [Fr], endless round; gamut, spectrum, scale; drone, monotone, hum, buzz.

.3 **procession, train, column, line, string, cortege;** stream, steady stream; –cade, cavalcade, caravan, motorcade; **parade,** pomp; dress parade; promenade, review, march past, flyover [US], flypast [Brit], funeral; skimmington [Brit dial]; mule train, pack train.

.4 VERBS **continue,** be continuous, **connect, connect up, concatenate,** continuate, catenate, **join** 47.5, link, **string together,** string, thread, chain, follow in *or* form a series, run on, maintain continuity.

.5 **align, line, line up,** string out, rank, array, range; row, bank.

.6 **line up, get in line,** form a line, get in formation, **fall in,** fall in *or* into line, fall into rank, take rank, take one's place; queue, **queue up.**

.7 **file,** defile, file off; **parade,** go on parade, promenade, march past.

.8 ADJS **continuous,** continued, **continual,** continuing; **uninterrupted, unintermittent,** unintermitted, featureless, unrelieved, monotonous; **connected, joined** 47.13, linked, concatenated, catenated, articulated; **unbroken,** serried, **uniform** 17.5, undifferentiated, seamless, jointless, gapless, smooth, unstopped; unintermitting, unremitting; **incessant, constant,** steady, stable, **ceaseless,** unceasing, **endless,** unending, never-ending, **interminable,** perennial; **cyclical,** repetitive, **recurrent,** periodic; straight, running, **nonstop; round-the-clock,** twenty-four-hour; immediate, direct.

.9 **consecutive, successive,** successional, progressive; **serial,** ordinal, seriate, catenary; sequent, **sequential;** linear, lineal.

.10 ADVS **continuously, continually; uninterruptedly, unintermittently; without cease,** without stopping, without a break, unbrokenly, **connectedly,** together, cumulatively, on end; **incessantly, constantly, ceaselessly,** unceasingly, **endlessly,** *ad infinitum* [L], perennially, **interminably,** again and again, repetitively, cyclically, monotonously, unrelievedly, on and on, at *or* on a stretch; round the clock.

.11 **consecutively, progressively,** sequentially, successively, **in succession,** one after the other, **in turn,** turn about, turn and turn about; step by step; running, hand running [informal]; **serially,** in a series, *seriatim* [L]; **in a line,** in a row, in column, in file, in a chain, in single file, in Indian file.

72. DISCONTINUITY

(interrupted sequence)

.1 NOUNS **discontinuity,** discontinuousness, discontinuation, discontinuance, noncontinuance; **incoherence** 51.1, **disconnectedness,** disconnection, discreteness, **disjunction** 49.1; **nonuniformity** 18; irregularity, **intermittence,** fitfulness 138.1; brokenness; nonseriality, nonlinearity, non sequitur; incompleteness 57; episode, parenthesis; broken thread.

.2 **interruption, suspension, break,** fissure, breach, gap, hiatus, lacuna, caesura; **interval, pause,** interim 109, lull, cessation, letup [informal], **intermission.**

.3 VERBS **discontinue, interrupt** 144.6,10, **break,** break off, **disjoin** 49.9; **disarrange** 63.2.

.4 ADJS **discontinuous,** noncontinuous, unsuccessive, **incoherent** 51.4, nonserial, nonlinear, nonsequential, discontinued, **disconnected,** unconnected, unjoined 49.20, *décousu* [Fr], **broken;** nonuniform 18.3, irregular; broken off, **interrupted,** suspended; disjunctive, discrete, discretive; **intermittent, fitful** 138.3; scrappy, snatchy, spotty, patchy, jagged; choppy, chopped-off, herky-jerky [slang], jerky, spasmodic; episodic, parenthetic.

.5 ADVS **discontinuously, disconnectedly,** brokenly; at intervals; **haphazardly** 62.18, randomly, occasionally, infrequently, **by fits and starts,** by fits, by snatches, by catches, by jerks, by skips, skippingly, *per saltum* [L]; willy-nilly, **here and there, in spots; intermittently, fitfully** 138.4.

73. ACCOMPANIMENT

.1 NOUNS **accompaniment,** concomitance *or* concomitancy, withness *or* togetherness [both informal]; synchronism, **simultaneity** 118; coincidence, co-occurrence, **concurrence;** parallelism.

.2 **company, association,** consociation, **society,** community; **companionship, fellowship,** consortship, partnership.

.3 **attendant,** concomitant, corollary, **accessory,** appendage; **adjunct** 41.

.4 **accompanier, accompanist** *or* accompanyist; **attendant, companion, fellow, mate,** comate, consort, **partner;** companion piece.

.5 **escort, conductor, usher,** shepherd; **squire,** esquire, swain, cavalier; **chaperon,** duenna; **bodyguard,** guard, safe-conduct, **convoy;** companion, fellow traveler.

.6 **attendance, following, cortege, retinue, entourage,** suite, follower, attendant, satellite, rout, train, body of retainers; **court,** cohort; parasite 907.3–5.

.7 VERBS **accompany,** bear one company, **keep company with,** companion, companionize [informal], go *or* travel *or* run with, **go along with, attend,** wait on *or* upon; **associate with,** assort with, sort with, **consort with,** couple with, hang around with [informal], go hand in hand with; **combine** 52.3,4, **associate,** consociate, confederate, flock *or* band *or* herd together.

.8 **escort, conduct,** marshal, **usher,** shepherd, **guide, lead; convoy,** guard; **squire,** esquire, **attend,** wait on *or* upon, **take out** [informal]; **chaperon.**

.9 ADJS **accompanying, attending, attendant, concomitant,** accessory, collateral; **combined** 52.5,6, **associated,** coupled,

paired; **fellow, twin, joint, joined** 47.13, conjoint, mutual; **simultaneous** 118.4, **concurrent,** coincident; correlative 13.10; parallel; co–, con– *or* col– *or* com– *or* cor–, meta–, syn– *or* sym–.

.10 ADVS hand in hand *or* glove, arm in arm, side by side, cheek by jowl, shoulder to shoulder; therewith, therewithal, herewith.

.11 **together, collectively, mutually,** jointly, unitedly, in conjunction, conjointly, *en masse* [Fr], communally, corporately, **in a body,** all at once, *ensemble* [Fr], in association, in company.

.12 PREPS **with, in company with, along with, together with,** in association with, coupled *or* paired *or* partnered with, in conjunction with.

74. ASSEMBLAGE

.1 NOUNS **assemblage, assembly, collection, gathering,** ingathering, **congregation,** colligation; concourse, concurrence, confluence, confluence, convergence; collocation, juxtaposition, junction 47.1,4; combination 52; mobilization, call-up, muster, *attroupement* [Fr]; roundup, rodeo, corralling; **comparison** 491; canvass, census, data-gathering, survey, inventory; –age, –ana *or* –iana, –ery *or* –ry, –et(te), –oma *or* –ome, –some.

.2 **assembly** (of persons), *assemblée* [Fr], **gathering, forgathering, congregation,** congress, convocation, concourse, **meeting,** meet, **get-together** [informal], turnout [informal]; convention, conventicle, synod, council, diet, **conclave,** levee; caucus; mass meeting, **rally,** sit-in; **session,** séance, sitting; panel, forum, symposium, colloquium; committee, commission; *eisteddfod* [Welsh]; plenum, quorum; **party, festivity** 878.4, fete, at home, housewarming, soiree, reception, **dance,** ball, prom, shindig *or* brawl [both slang]; rendezvous, date, assignation; –fest.

.3 **company, group,** grouping, groupment, **party, band, gang, crew,** complement, cast, outfit, pack, cohort, troop, troupe, tribe, **body,** corps, stable, bunch [informal], mob [slang], crowd [informal]; squad, platoon, battalion, regiment, brigade, division, fleet; **team,** string; covey, bevy; posse, detachment, contingent, detail, *posse comitatus* [L]; phalanx; **party, faction,** movement, wing; in-group, outgroup, peer group, age group; coterie, salon, clique, **set;** junta, cabal.

.4 **throng, multitude, horde,** host, heap [informal], army, panoply, legion; flock, cluster, galaxy; **crowd,** press, crush, flood, spate, deluge, mass; **mob,** rabble, rout, ruck, jam, *cohue* [Fr], everybody and his uncle [informal].

.5 (animals) **flock, bunch, pack,** colony, host, troop, army, **herd, drove,** drive, drift, trip; pride (of lions), sloth (of bears), skulk (of foxes), gang (of elk), kennel (of dogs), clowder (of cats), pod (of seals), gam (of whales), **school** *or* shoal (of fish); (animal young) **litter** 171.2.

.6 (birds, insects) **flock,** flight, **swarm,** cloud; covey (of partridges), bevy (of quail), skein (of geese in flight), gaggle (of geese on water), watch (of nightingales), charm (of finches), murmuration (of starlings), spring (of teal); hive (of bees), plague (of locusts).

.7 **bunch, group,** grouping, groupment, crop, **cluster, clump,** knot; grove, copse, thicket; **batch, lot,** slew [slang], **mess** [informal]; tuft, wisp; tussock, hassock; shock, stook; botry(o)–, cym(o)– *or* kym(o)–, staphyl(o)–.

.8 **bundle,** bindle [slang], **pack, package,** packet, deck, budget, **parcel,** fardel [dial], bale, truss, **roll,** rouleau, bolt; fagot, fascine, fasces; quiver, sheaf; bouquet, nosegay, posy.

.9 **accumulation,** cumulation, gathering, **amassment,** congeries, acervation; agglomeration, conglomeration, glomeration, conglomerate, agglomerate; aggregation, aggregate; conglobation; **mass, lump,** gob [slang], chunk *or* hunk [both informal], wad; snowball; stockpile, stockpiling.

.10 **pile, heap, stack; mound, hill;** molehill, anthill; bank, embankment, dune; haystack, hayrick, haymow, haycock, cock, mow, rick; drift, snowdrift; pyramid.

.11 **collection,** fund, treasure, holdings; corpus, **body,** data, raw data; compilation, collectanea; ana; anthology, florilegium; *Festschrift* [Ger]; chrestomathy; **museum, library,** zoo, menagerie, aquarium.

.12 **set, suit, suite, series,** outfit *or* kit [both informal]; pack, block, battery.

.13 **miscellany,** miscellanea, collectanea; **assortment, medley, variety, mixture** 44; hodgepodge, conglomerate, **conglomeration,** omnium-gatherum [informal]; **sundries,** oddments, **odds and ends.**

.14 (a putting together) **assembly,** assemblage; assembly line, production line; assembly-line production.

.15 **collector,** gatherer, accumulator; collec-

tion agent, bill collector, dunner; tax collector, farmer, exciseman [Brit], *douanier* [Fr]; pack rat, magpie, miser; connoisseur.

.16 VERBS **come together, assemble, congregate, collect,** league 52.4; **unite** 47.5; muster, **meet, gather, forgather,** gang up [informal], mass; **merge,** converge, flow together, fuse; flock together; herd together; **throng, crowd,** swarm, hive, surge, seethe, mill, stream, horde; **cluster,** bunch, bunch up, clot; gather around, gang around [slang]; rally, rally around; **huddle,** go into a huddle; rendezvous, date; **couple,** copulate, link.

.17 **convene, meet,** hold a meeting *or* session, sit; **convoke,** summon, call together.

.18 (bring or gather together) **assemble, gather;** muster, rally, **mobilize; collect,** raise, take up; **accumulate,** cumulate, **amass,** mass, bulk, batch; agglomerate, conglomerate, aggregate; **combine** 52.3, **join** 47.5, **bring together,** get together, **gather together,** draw *or* lump *or* batch *or* bunch together; **bunch,** bunch up; **cluster,** clump; **group,** aggroup; **gather in,** get *or* whip in; scrape together, rake *or* dredge *or* dig up; round up, corral, drive together; **put together,** make up, compile, colligate; collocate, **juxtapose,** pair, match, partner; **compare** 491.4.

.19 **pile, heap, stack,** heap *or* pile *or* stack up; mound, hill, bank, bank up; rick; pyramid; drift.

.20 **bundle,** bundle up, **package,** parcel, **pack,** truss, truss up; bale; wrap, **wrap up,** do *or* tie *or* bind up; roll up.

.21 ADJS **assembled, collected, gathered;** congregate, congregated; meeting, in session; **combined** 52.5; **joined** 47.13; joint, leagued 52.6; **accumulated,** cumulate, massed, **amassed;** heaped, stacked, piled; glomerate, agglomerate, conglomerate, aggregate; **clustered,** bunched, lumped, clumped, knotted; bundled, packaged, wrapped up; fascicled, fasciculated.

.22 **crowded, packed, crammed;** jam-packed [informal]; **compact,** firm, solid, dense, close, serried; **teeming, swarming, crawling,** bristling, populous, **full** 56.11.

.23 **cumulative,** accumulative, total, overall.

75. DISPERSION

.1 NOUNS **dispersion** *or* **dispersal, scattering,** scatterment, diffraction; **distribution, spreading,** strewing, sowing, broadcasting, **broadcast, spread,** publication 559, **dissemination,** propagation, dispensation; **radiation,** divergence 299; expansion, splay; diffusion, attenuation, dilution, volatilization, evaporation, dissipation; circumfusion; fragmentation; sprinkling, spattering; peppering, buckshot *or* shotgun pattern.

.2 **decentralization,** deconcentration.

.3 **disbandment,** dispersion *or* dispersal, diaspora, separation, parting; breakup, split-up [informal]; **demobilization,** deactivation, **release,** detachment; dismissal 310.5; dissolution, disorganization, disintegration 53.

.4 VERBS **disperse, scatter,** diffract; **distribute, broadcast, sow,** disseminate, propagate, publish 559.10; diffuse, **spread,** dispread, strew, bestrew; **radiate,** diverge 299.5; splay, branch *or* fan *or* spread out; **issue, deal out,** retail, utter, dispense; sow broadcast, scatter to the winds; overscatter, overspread, oversow; circumfuse.

.5 **dissipate, dispel,** dissolve, attenuate, dilute, thin, thin out, evaporate, volatilize; drive away, clear away, cast forth, blow off.

.6 **sprinkle,** besprinkle, **spatter,** splatter; **dot,** spot, speck, speckle, stud; **pepper,** powder, dust; flour, crumb, bread; dredge.

.7 **decentralize,** deconcentrate.

.8 **disband, disperse, scatter, separate, part,** break up, split up; part company, go separate ways; **demobilize,** demob [slang], deactivate, muster out, debrief, **release,** detach, discharge, let go; dismiss 310.18; **dissolve,** disorganize, disintegrate 53.3.

.9 ADJS **dispersed, scattered, distributed,** dissipated, disseminated, strown, strewn, broadcast, **spread,** dispread; **widespread,** diffuse, discrete, sparse, **sporadic;** straggling, straggly; all over the lot *or* place [informal], from hell to breakfast [slang].

.10 **sprinkled,** spattered, splattered, **peppered,** spotted, dotted, powdered, dusted, specked, speckled, **studded.**

.11 dispersive, **scattering, spreading,** diffractive *or* diffractional, **distributive,** disseminative, diffusive, dissipative, attenuative.

.12 ADVS **scatteringly, dispersedly,** diffusely, sparsely, **sporadically,** *sparsim* [L], **here and there;** in places, **in spots** [informal]; *passim* [L], at large, everywhere, throughout, wherever you look *or* turn [informal], in all quarters.

76. INCLUSION

.1 NOUNS **inclusion, comprisal, comprehension,** envisagement, embracement, encompassment, coverage, incorporation,

embodiment, assimilation, reception; **membership,** participation, admission, admissibility, eligibility; **completeness** 56, **inclusiveness, comprehensiveness,** exhaustiveness; **whole** 54; openness, toleration *or* tolerance.

.2 **entailment, involvement, implication;** assumption, presumption, subsumption.

.3 VERBS **include, comprise, contain, comprehend,** hold, **take in; cover,** occupy, take up, fill; fill in *or* out, **complete** 56.6; **embrace,** encompass, enclose, encircle, incorporate, assimilate, embody, admit, receive, envisage; **reckon in,** reckon with, reckon among, count in, **number among,** take into account *or* consideration.

.4 (include as a necessary circumstance or consequence) **entail, involve, implicate,** imply, assume, presume, presuppose, subsume, affect, take in, contain, comprise, **call for, require,** take, bring, lead to.

.5 ADJS **included, comprised,** comprehended, envisaged, embraced, encompassed, covered; bound up with, forming *or* making a part of; **involved** 176.3.

.6 **inclusive, including, containing, comprising, covering, embracing,** encompassing, enclosing, encircling, assimilating, incorporating, envisaging; counting, numbering; super–.

.7 **comprehensive, sweeping, complete** 56.9; whole 54.9; **all-comprehensive,** all-inclusive 79.14; without omission *or* exception, **over-all,** universal, global, **total,** blanket, omnibus, across-the-board; encyclopedic, compendious; synoptic; bird's-eye, panoramic.

77. EXCLUSION

.1 NOUNS **exclusion, barring,** debarring, debarment, preclusion, exception, omission, nonadmission; **restriction, circumscription,** narrowing, demarcation; **rejection,** repudiation; **ban,** bar, taboo, injunction; relegation; prohibition, embargo, blockade; boycott, lockout; inadmissibility.

.2 **elimination, riddance,** severance 49.2; withdrawal, **removal,** detachment, disjunction 49.1; discard, eradication, clearance, **ejection,** expulsion, suspension; **deportation, exile,** expatriation, ostracism, outlawing *or* outlawry; disposal, disposition; **liquidation, purge.**

.3 **exclusiveness, narrowness,** tightness; **insularity,** snobbishness, parochialism, ethnocentrism, xenophobia, know-nothingism; **segregation, separation,** division; **isolation,** insulation, seclusion; quarantine; racial segregation, apartheid, color bar, Jim Crow, race hatred; **out-group; outsider, stranger; foreigner, alien** 78.3, outcast 926.4, *persona non grata* [L].

.4 VERBS **exclude, bar,** debar, bar out, lock out, **shut out, keep out,** count out [informal], cut off, preclude; reject, turn thumbs down on [informal], ease *or* freeze out [informal], close the door on, send to Coventry [Brit], ostracize; repudiate, **ban,** prohibit, taboo, **leave out,** omit, pass over, ignore; relegate; blockade, embargo.

.5 **eliminate, get rid of,** rid oneself of, **get quit of,** get shut of [dial], **dispose of, remove,** abstract, eject, expel, cast off *or* out, chuck [slang], throw over *or* overboard [informal]; **deport, exile,** outlaw, expatriate; clear, clear out, clear away, clear the decks; **weed out,** pick out; **cut out,** strike off *or* out, elide; eradicate, root up *or* out; **purge, liquidate.**

.6 **segregate, separate,** divide, cordon, cordon off; **isolate,** insulate, seclude; **set apart,** keep apart; quarantine, put beyond the pale, ghettoize; **set aside,** lay aside, put aside, keep aside; **sort** *or* **pick out,** cull out, sift, screen, sieve, bolt, riddle, winnow; thresh, thrash, gin.

.7 ADJS **excluded, barred,** debarred, precluded, **shut out, left out,** left out in the cold [informal]; not included, not in it, not in the picture [informal]; **banned,** prohibited, tabooed; **expelled,** ejected, **purged,** liquidated; deported, exiled.

.8 **exclusive, excluding,** exclusory; seclusive, preclusive, exceptional, inadmissible, prohibitive, preventive, prescriptive, restrictive; separative, segregative; select, selective; narrow, insular, parochial, ethnocentric, xenophobic, snobbish.

.9 PREPS **excluding, barring,** bar, exclusive of, precluding, omitting, **leaving out; excepting,** except, **except for,** with the exception of, outside of [informal], **save,** saving, save and except, let alone; **besides,** beside, **aside from,** than; unless, without, ex.

78. EXTRANEOUSNESS

.1 NOUNS **extraneousness, foreignness;** alienism, alienage; **extrinsicality** 6; **exteriority** 224; nonassimilation, nonconformity; intrusion.

.2 **intruder,** foreign body *or* element, foreign intruder *or* intrusion; **impurity,** blemish 679; stone, speck 196.7; mote,

splinter *or* sliver, **weed,** misfit 27.4; oddball 85.4; black sheep; monkey wrench.

.3 **alien, stranger, foreigner, outsider,** outlander, *Uitlander* [Afrikaans], tramontane, ultramontane, barbarian, foreign devil [China], *gringo* [Sp Amer]; **exile,** outlaw, wanderer, refugee, emigré, *émigré* [Fr], displaced person, D.P., *déraciné* [Fr]; the Wandering Jew.

.4 **newcomer, new arrival,** *novus homo* [L], upstart, parvenu, arriviste, Johnny-come-lately [informal], new boy [Brit]; **tenderfoot,** greenhorn; settler, emigrant, immigrant; recruit, rookie [slang]; **intruder, squatter,** gate-crasher, stowaway.

.5 ADJS **extraneous, foreign, alien,** strange, exotic; unearthly, extraterréstrial 375.26; exterior, **external** 224.6; extrinsic 6.3; ulterior, outside, outland, outlandish; barbarian, barbarous, barbaric; foreign-born; intrusive; ep(i)– *or* eph–, ex(o)– *or* ef–, xen(o)–.

.6 ADVS **abroad,** in foreign parts; oversea, **overseas,** beyond seas; on one's travels.

79. GENERALITY

.1 NOUNS **generality, universality,** inclusiveness 76.1; worldwideness, globality *or* globalism, ecumenicity *or* ecumenicalism; catholicity; internationalism, cosmopolitanism; generalization.

.2 **prevalence, commonness,** commonality, usualness; **currency,** reign, run; **extensiveness,** widespreadness, sweepingness, rifeness, rampantness; **normality,** averageness, ordinariness, routineness, habitualness, standardness.

.3 **generality, average,** ruck, **run,** general *or* common *or* average *or* ordinary run, **run of the mill;** any Tom, Dick, or Harry, Everyman; common *or* average man, the man in the street, John Q. Public, ordinary Joe; girl next door; everyman, everywoman; *homme moyen sensuel* [Fr].

.4 **all, everyone, everybody, each and every one, one and all,** all hands [informal], every man Jack [informal], every mother's son [informal], **all the world,** *tout le monde* [Fr], the devil and all [informal], **whole, totality** 54.1.

.5 **any, anything,** any one, aught, either; **anybody, anyone.**

.6 **whatever,** whate'er, **whatsoever,** whatsoe'er, **what, whichever,** anything soever which, no matter what *or* which.

.7 **whoever,** whoso, **whosoever, whomever,** whomso, **whomsoever,** anyone, no matter who.

.8 (idea or expression) **generalization,** general idea, **abstraction,** generalized proposition; glittering generality, sweeping statement; **truism, platitude,** commonplace, *lieu commun* [Fr], *locus communis* [L]; **cliché,** tired cliché, bromide, trite *or* hackneyed expression.

.9 VERBS **generalize, universalize,** catholicize, ecumenicize, globalize; **broaden, widen, expand,** extend, spread; make a generalization, deal in generalities *or* abstractions.

.10 **prevail, predominate, obtain,** dominate, reign, rule; be in force *or* effect; be the rule *or* fashion, be the rage *or* thing [slang], be in [slang].

.11 ADJS **general, generalized, nonspecific,** generic, **indefinite,** indeterminate, vague, abstract, nebulous, unspecified, undifferentiated, featureless, uncharacterized, bland, neutral; **broad, wide;** collective.

.12 **prevalent, prevailing, common,** popular, **current,** running; regnant, reigning, **ruling, predominant,** predominating, **dominant; rife, rampant,** pandemic, epidemic, besetting; **ordinary, normal, average, usual,** routine, standard, stereotyped.

.13 **extensive, broad, wide,** liberal, diffuse, large-scale, **sweeping; widespread,** far-spread, far-stretched, **far-reaching,** far-going, far-embracing, far-extending, far-spreading, far-flying, far-ranging, **far-flung,** wide-flung, wide-reaching, wide-extending, wide-extended, wide-ranging, wide-stretching; **wholesale, indiscriminate.**

.14 **universal,** heaven-wide, galactic, planetary, world-wide, **global; total, allover;** catholic, **all-inclusive,** all-including, **all-embracing,** all-encompassing, all-comprehensive, all-comprehending, all-filling, all-pervading, all-covering; glob(o)–, omn(i)–, pan(o)– *or* pam– *or* pant(o)– *or* panta–; nonsectarian, nondenominational, ecumenic(al); cosmopolitan, international; national, country-wide, state-wide.

.15 **every, all,** any; **each,** each one; every one, each and every, each and all, **one and all, all and sundry,** all and some.

.16 **trite, commonplace,** hackneyed, platitudinous, truistic, overworked, stereotyped.

.17 ADVS **generally, in general; generally speaking,** speaking generally, **broadly,** broadly speaking, **roughly,** roughly speaking, as an approximation; **usually** 84.9, **as a rule, ordinarily, commonly, normally,** routinely, as a matter of course, in the usual course; **by and large,** at large, alto-

gether, overall, **all things considered,** taking one thing with another, taking all things together, on balance, **all in all,** taking all in all, taking it for all in all, **on the whole,** as a whole, **in the long run,** for the most part, for better or for worse; **prevailingly, predominantly, mostly,** chiefly, mainly.

.18 **universally,** galactically, cosmically; **everywhere, all over,** the world over, internationally; in every instance, without exception, **invariably, always,** never otherwise.

80. PARTICULARITY

.1 NOUNS **particularity, individuality, singularity, differentiation,** differentness, distinctiveness, uniqueness; identity, individual *or* separate *or* concrete identity; **personality,** personship, personal identity; soul; **selfness,** selfhood, **egohood,** self-identity, "a single separate person" [Whitman]; oneness 89.1, wholeness, integrity; personal equation, human factor; **nonconformity** 83; **individualism,** particularism; nominalism.

.2 **speciality, specialness,** specialty, specificality, **specificness,** definiteness; special case.

.3 **the specific,** the special, **the particular,** the concrete, the individual, the unique; "all things counter, original, spare, strange" [G. M. Hopkins].

.4 **characteristic, peculiarity, singularity,** particularity, specialty, individualism, **character,** nature, **trait,** quirk, mannerism, keynote, trick, **feature,** distinctive feature, lineaments; **mark,** marking, **earmark,** hallmark, index; badge, token; **brand,** cast, stamp, cachet, seal, mold, cut, figure, shape, configuration; impress, impression; differential, differentia; **idiosyncrasy,** idiocrasy; **quality, property, attribute;** savor, flavor, taste, gust, aroma, odor, smack, tang, taint.

.5 **self, ego; oneself,** I, I myself, me, myself, my humble self, number one [informal], yours truly [informal]; yourself, himself, herself, itself; ourselves, yourselves; themselves; you; he, she; him, her; they, them; it; inner self, inner man; subliminal *or* subconscious self; superego, better self, ethical self; other self, alter ego, *alter, alterum* [both L].

.6 **specification, designation, stipulation,** signification, determination, denomination; allocation, attribution, fixing, selection, assignment, pinning down, precision.

.7 **particularization, specialization;** individualization, peculiarization, personalization; localization; itemization 8.5.

.8 **characterization,** distinction, **differentiation;** definition, description.

.9 VERBS **particularize, specialize; individualize,** peculiarize, personalize; **descend to particulars,** precise, get down to brass tacks [informal], get down to cases [slang], come to the point; **itemize** 8.6, detail, spell out.

.10 **characterize, distinguish, differentiate, define, describe; mark, earmark,** mark off, mark out, demarcate, **set apart,** make special *or* unique; keynote [informal], sound the keynote, set the tone *or* mood, set the pace; be characteristic, **be a feature** *or* **trait of.**

.11 **specify,** specialize, **designate, stipulate,** determine, **fix,** set, assign, pin down; **name,** denominate, state, mention, select, pick out, mark, **indicate, signify,** point out, put *or* lay one's finger on.

.12 ADJS **particular, special, especial, specific, express,** precise, **concrete; singular, individual,** individualist(ic); aut(o)–, idio–, self–; **personal,** private, intimate, inner, solipsistic, esoteric; respective, several; **fixed, definite,** defined, distinct, different, determinate, certain, absolute; **distinguished,** noteworthy, **exceptional, extraordinary;** minute, detailed.

.13 **characteristic, peculiar, singular,** single, quintessential, intrinsic, unique, **distinctive,** marked, distinguished; appropriate, proper; idiosyncratic, idiocratic, **in character, true to form;** –acean *or* –aceous, –ey *or* –y, –ious *or* –ous, –ish, –ist *or* –istic(al), –itious, –itic, –ose, –some.

.14 **this,** this and no other, this one, this single; **these; that,** that one; those.

.15 ADVS **particularly, specially, especially, specifically, expressly,** concretely, exactly, precisely, **in particular,** to be specific; **definitely, distinctly; minutely,** in detail, item by item, singly, separately.

.16 **personally,** privately, idiosyncratically, **individually; in person,** in the flesh, *in propria persona* [L]; for all me, **for my part, as far as I am concerned.**

.17 **characteristically, peculiarly,** singularly, intrinsically, **uniquely,** markedly, **distinctively,** in its own way, like no other.

.18 **namely,** nominally, **that is to say,** *videlicet* [L], viz., *scilicet* [L], scil., sc., **to wit.**

.19 **each, apiece;** severally, respectively, one by one, each to each; *per annum, per diem, per capita* [all L].

.20 PREPS **per, for each.**

81. SPECIALTY

(object of special attention or preference)

.1 NOUNS **specialty,** speciality, **line, pursuit, pet subject, field,** area, main interest; **vocation** 656.6; **forte, métier, strong point,** long suit; specialism, specialization; technicality; **way,** manner, **style,** type; cup of tea [informal], bag *or* thing [both slang], weakness [informal].

.2 **special, feature,** main feature; **leader,** lead item, leading card.

.3 **specialist,** specializer, **expert, authority,** savant, scholar, connoisseur; technical expert, technician; pundit, critic; amateur, dilettante; fan, buff, freak *or* nut [both slang], aficionado.

.4 VERBS **specialize, feature; narrow, restrict,** limit, confine; specialize in, **go in for,** be into [slang], have a weakness *or* taste for, be strong in, follow, pursue, **make one's business;** major in, minor in; do one's thing [slang].

.5 ADJS **specialized,** specialist, specialistic; technical; **restricted, limited,** confined; **featured,** feature; **expert, authoritative,** knowledgeable.

82. CONFORMITY

.1 NOUNS **conformity; conformance,** conformation other-direction; **compliance,** acquiescence, obedience, observance, traditionalism, **orthodoxy;** strictness; **accordance,** accord, **correspondence,** harmony, agreement, **uniformity** 17; **consistency,** congruity; **line, keeping; accommodation,** adaptation, adaption, pliancy, malleability, flexibility, adjustment; reconciliation, reconcilement; **conventionality** 645.1.

.2 **conformist,** conformer, sheep, trimmer, parrot, yes-man, organization man; **conventionalist,** Mrs. Grundy [Tom Morton], Babbitt [Sinclair Lewis], Philistine, middle-class type, **bourgeois,** burgher, Middle American, plastic person *or* square [both informal]; model child; teenybopper [informal]; **formalist,** methodologist, perfectionist, precisianist, precisian; anal character, compulsive character; pedant.

.3 VERBS **conform, comply, correspond,** accord, harmonize; **adapt,** adjust, **accommodate,** meet, suit, fit, shape; **comply with,** agree with, tally with, chime *or* fall in with, go by, be guided *or* regulated by, observe, follow, bend, yield, take the shape of; **adapt to,** adjust to, gear to, assimilate to, **accommodate to** *or* **with; reconcile,** settle, compose; rub off corners; **make conform,** mold, force into a mold; straighten, rectify, correct, **discipline.**

.4 **follow the rule,** do it according to Hoyle *or* by the book [informal], play the game [informal]; go through channels; **fit in, follow the crowd,** follow the fashion, swim *or* go with the stream *or* tide *or* current, trim one's sails to the breeze, follow the beaten path, **do as others do, get** *or* **stay in line,** fall into line, fall in with; **keep in step, toe the mark;** keep up to standard, pass muster, come up to scratch [informal].

.5 ADJS **conformable, adaptable,** adaptive, adjustable; **compliant,** pliant, complaisant, malleable, flexible, plastic, acquiescent, other-directed, submissive, tractable, obedient.

.6 **conformist, conventional** 645.5, square *or* straight [both informal]; orthodox, kosher, traditionalist(ic); **bourgeois,** plastic [informal]; **formalistic,** precisianistic, anal, compulsive; pedantic, stuffy [informal], uptight [informal]; in accord, in keeping, in line, in step; **corresponding,** accordant, concordant, harmonious.

.7 ADVS conformably, conformingly, **obediently, pliantly,** flexibly, malleably, complaisantly, yieldingly, **compliantly,** submissively; **conventionally,** traditionally; anally, **compulsively;** pedantically.

.8 **according to rule,** *en règle* [Fr], according to regulations; **according to Hoyle, by the book,** by the numbers [all informal].

.9 PREPS **conformable to, in conformity with,** in compliance with; **according to, in accordance with, consistent with, in harmony with,** in agreement with, in correspondence to; adapted to, adjusted to, accommodated to; proper to, suitable for, agreeable to, agreeably to; answerable to, in obedience to; congruent with, uniform with, in uniformity with; **in line with,** in step with, in lock-step with, **in keeping with; after, by, per.**

.10 PHRS **don't rock the boat, don't make waves;** when in Rome do as the Romans do.

83. NONCONFORMITY

.1 NOUNS **nonconformity,** unconformity, nonconformism, **inconsistency,** incongruity; **inaccordance,** disaccord, disaccordance; originality 23.1; **nonconformance,**

disconformity; **nonobservance, noncompliance,** nonconcurrence, **dissent** 522, **protest** 522.2, disagreement, contrariety, recalcitrance, refractoriness, recusance *or* recusancy; **deviation.**

.2 **unconventionality, unorthodoxy** 1025, revisionism, heterodoxy, heresy, originality, fringiness, Bohemianism, beatnikism, hippiedom.

.3 **nonconformist,** unconformist, **original,** deviant, maverick [informal], swinger [informal], dropout, Bohemian, beatnik, hippie, freak [informal], flower child, street people, yippie; **misfit,** square peg in a round hole, ugly duckling, fish out of water; **dissenter** 522.3; **heretic** 1025.5; sectary, sectarian; nonjuror.

.4 VERBS **not conform,** nonconform, not comply; **get out of line** [informal], **rock the boat,** make waves, **leave the beaten path, go out of bounds,** break step, break bounds; drop out, opt out; **dissent** 522.4, **protest** 522.5; *"épater le bourgeois"* [Fr; Baudelaire], "hear a different drummer" [Thoreau].

.5 ADJS **nonconforming,** unconforming, nonconformable, unadaptable, unadjustable; **uncompliant,** unsubmissive; **nonobservant;** contrary, recalcitrant, refractory, recusant; **deviant; dissenting** 522.6, **dissident.**

.6 **unconventional, unorthodox,** heterodox, heretical; unfashionable, not done, not kosher, not cricket [Brit informal]; offbeat [informal], way out, far out, kinky, out in left field [informal], fringy, breakaway, **out of the way; original,** maverick, Bohemian, beat, hippie; **informal,** free and easy [informal], "at ease and lighthearted" [Whitman].

.7 **out of line, out of keeping,** out of order *or* place, misplaced, **out of step,** out of turn [informal], out of tune.

84. NORMALITY

.1 NOUNS **normality,** normalcy, **normalness, naturalness;** health, wholesomeness, propriety, **regularity;** naturalism, naturism, realism; **order** 59.

.2 **usualness, ordinariness, commonness,** commonplaceness, averageness; **generality** 79, **prevalence,** currency.

.3 **the normal, the usual, the ordinary, the common,** the commonplace, the way things are, the normal order of things; common *or* garden variety.

.4 **rule, law, principle, standard,** criterion, canon, code, maxim, prescription, guideline, regulation; **norm,** norma; **rule** *or* **law** *or* **order of nature,** natural *or* universal law; **form, formula,** formulary, formality, prescribed *or* set form; standing order; **hard and fast rule,** Procrustean law.

.5 normalization, standardization, regularization; codification, formalization.

.6 VERBS normalize, standardize, regularize; codify, formalize.

.7 ADJS **normal,** norm(o)–, **natural; general** 79.11; typical, unexceptional; naturalistic, naturistic, realistic; **orderly** 59.6.

.8 **usual, regular; customary,** habitual, accustomed, wonted, **normative,** prescriptive, standard, regulation, conventional; **common, commonplace, ordinary, average, everyday,** familiar, household, vernacular, stock; **prevailing, predominating,** current, popular; **universal.**

.9 ADVS **normally, naturally; normatively,** prescriptively, **regularly; usually, commonly, ordinarily, customarily, habitually, generally;** mostly, chiefly, mainly, for the most part, most often *or* frequently; **as a rule,** as a matter of course; **as usual,** as per usual [informal]; **as may be expected,** to be expected, as things go.

85. ABNORMALITY

.1 NOUNS **abnormality,** abnormity; **unnaturalness,** unnaturalism; **anomaly,** anomalousness, anomalism; **aberration,** aberrance, aberrancy; **irregularity, deviation,** divergence, **difference** 16; **eccentricity,** erraticism; teratism, monstrosity, amorphism, heteromorphism; **subnormality; inferiority** 37; **superiority** 36; **derangement** 63.1.

.2 **unusualness, uncommonness,** unordinariness, unwontedness, exceptionality; **rarity,** rareness, **uniqueness; extraordinariness, prodigiousness,** marvelousness, fabulousness, mythicalness, remarkableness, stupendousness; **incredibility** 503.3; incredibility, inconceivability, **impossibility** 510.

.3 **oddity, queerness,** curiousness, quaintness, **peculiarity, absurdity** 510.1, singularity; **strangeness,** outlandishness; bizarreness, *bizarrerie* [Fr]; fantasticality, anticness; **freakishness, grotesqueness,** grotesquerie, weirdness, monstrousness, monstrosity, malformation, deformity, teratism.

.4 (odd person) oddity, **character** [informal], *type* [Fr], case [slang], natural, original, odd fellow, queer specimen; **oddball,** odd *or* queer fish, queer duck, rum

one [Brit slang]; rare bird, *rara avis* [L]; eccentric 474.3; *meshuggenah* [Yid]; **screwball** *or* **crackpot** *or* **kook** *or* **nut** [all informal]; **fanatic, crank,** zealot; outsider, alien, pariah, loner, lone wolf, solitary, hermit; hobo, tramp; maverick; **nonconformist** 83.3.

.5 (odd thing) **oddity, curiosity,** funny *or* peculiar *or* strange thing; **abnormality, anomaly;** nonesuch, **rarity,** improbability, exception, one in a thousand *or* million; prodigy, prodigiosity; curio, conversation piece; museum piece.

.6 **monstrosity, monster,** miscreation, abortion, teratism, terat(o)–; **freak,** freak of nature, *lusus naturae* [L]; medus(i)–, –pagus.

.7 **supernaturalism,** supernaturalness *or* supernaturality, supranaturalism, supernormalness, **preternaturalism,** supersensibleness, superphysicalness, superhumanity; numinousness; **unearthliness,** unworldliness, **otherworldliness,** eeriness; transcendentalism; the supernatural, **the occult,** the supersensible; supernature, supranature; **mystery,** mysteriousness, miraculousness; faerie, witchery, elfdom.

.8 **miracle, sign, prodigy, wonder,** wonderwork, ferlie [Scot]; fantasy, enchantment.

.9 ADJS **abnormal, unnatural; anomalous,** anomalistic; **irregular,** eccentric, erratic, deviative, divergent, **different** 16.7; **aberrant,** stray, straying, wandering; heteroclite, heteromorphic; formless, shapeless, amorphous; **subnormal;** anom(o)–, anomal(o)– *or* anomali–, dys– *or* dis–, mal–, ne(o)–, par(a)–, poly–, pseud(o)–.

.10 **unusual,** unordinary, **uncustomary,** unwonted, **uncommon, unfamiliar,** unheard-of, *recherché* [Fr]; **rare, unique,** *sui generis* [L, of its own kind]; **out of the ordinary,** out of this world, out of the way, out of the common, out of the pale, **off the beaten track,** offbeat, breakaway; unexpected, not to be expected, unthought-of, undreamed-of.

.11 **odd, queer, peculiar, absurd** 510.7, **singular, curious, oddball,** kooky [informal], freaky *or* freaked out [both slang], quaint, **eccentric,** funny, rum [Brit slang]; **strange, outlandish,** off the wall [informal], passing strange, "wondrous strange" [Shakespeare]; **weird,** unearthly; off, out.

.12 **fantastic,** fantastical, fanciful, antic; **unbelievable** 503.10, **impossible, incredible,** incomprehensible, unimaginable, unexpected, unaccountable, inconceivable.

.13 **freakish,** freak [informal]; **monstrous, deformed,** malformed, misshapen, **misbegotten,** teratogenic, teratoid; **grotesque, bizarre,** baroque, rococo.

.14 **extraordinary, exceptional, remarkable,** noteworthy, **wonderful, marvelous,** fabulous, mythical, legendary; **stupendous,** stupefying, prodigious, portentous, phenomenal; unprecedented, unexampled, unparalleled, not within the memory of man; indescribable, unspeakable, ineffable.

.15 **supernatural,** supranatural, **preternatural; supernormal,** hypernormal, preternormal; **superphysical,** hyperphysical; numinous; **supersensible,** supersensual, pretersensual; **superhuman,** preterhuman, unhuman, nonhuman; **supramundane,** extramundane, transmundane, extraterrestrial; **unearthly, unworldly, otherworldly, eerie;** fey; psychic(al), **spiritual, occult; transcendental; mysterious,** arcane, esoteric.

.16 **miraculous, wondrous,** wonder-working, thaumaturgic(al), necromantic, **prodigious; magical,** enchanted, bewitched.

.17 ADVS **unusually, uncommonly, incredibly, unnaturally,** abnormally, unordinarily, **uncustomarily,** unexpectedly; **rarely, seldom,** seldom if ever, once in a thousand years, hardly, hardly ever.

.18 **extraordinarily, exceptionally, remarkably, wonderfully, marvelously,** prodigiously, fabulously, unspeakably, ineffably, phenomenally, stupendously.

.19 **oddly, queerly, peculiarly, singularly, curiously,** quaintly, **strangely,** outlandishly, **fantastically,** fancifully; **grotesquely, monstrously; eerily, mysteriously,** supernaturally.

.20 **mythical monsters**

Argus	hippocampus
basilisk	hippocentaur
Briareus	hippocerf
bucentur	hippogriff
Cacus	hircocervus
Caliban	Hydra
centaur	Kraken
Cerberus	Ladon
Ceto	Loch Ness monster
Charybdis	manticore
chimera	Medusa
cockatrice	mermaid
Cyclops	merman
dipsas	Midgard serpent
dragon	Minotaur
drake [archaic]	nixie
Echidna	ogre
Geryon	ogress
Gigantes	opinicus
Gorgon	Orthos *or* Orthros
Grendel	Pegasus
griffin	Python
Harpy	roc

Sagittary
salamander
satyr
Scylla
sea horse
sea serpent
simurgh
siren
Sphinx
Talos
troll
Typhoeus
Typhon
unicorn
vampire
werewolf
windigo
wivern
xiphopagus
zombie

86. NUMBER

.1 NOUNS **number, numeral,** *numero* [Sp], no. *or* n., **figure, digit,** binary digit *or* bit, **cipher,** character, symbol, sign, notation.

.2 (number systems) **Arabic numerals,** algorism *or* algorithm, Roman numerals; **decimal system,** binary system, octal system, duodecimal system, hexadecimal system.

.3 (numbers) finite number; infinity 104; transfinite number; **real number,** real; imaginary number *or* pure imaginary; **complex number,** complex *or* Gaussian integer; **rational number,** rational; **irrational number,** irrational; algebraic number, surd; transcendental number; **integer,** whole number; **fraction** 86.6; mixed number; round number, abbreviated number; perfect number; imperfect number, deficient *or* defective number; abundant number; prime *or* rectilinear number; Fermat number, Mersenne number; composite *or* rectangular number; figurate number, polygonal number, pyramidal number; even number, pair; odd number, impair; cardinal number, cardinal; ordinal number, ordinal, –st, –nd, –rd, –th *or* –eth; serial number.

.4 large number, astronomical number, zillion *or* jillion [both informal]; googol, googolplex; infinity, infinitude 104.1; billion, trillion, etc. 99.12,13.

.5 **sum,** summation, difference, product, **number, count,** x number, n number; account, cast, **score, reckoning, tally,** tale, the story *or* whole story [both informal], the bottom line [informal], **aggregate, amount,** quantity 28; **whole** 54, **total** 54.2; box score [informal].

.6 **ratio, rate, proportion; quota,** quotum; **percentage,** percent; **fraction,** proper fraction, improper fraction, compound fraction, continued fraction; geometric ratio *or* proportion, arithmetical proportion, harmonic proportion; rule of three.

.7 **series, progression;** arithmetical progression, geometrical progression, harmonic progression; Fibonacci numbers.

.8 ADJS **numeric(al),** numeral, numerary, numerative; **odd,** impair, **even,** pair; arithmetical, algorismic *or* algorithmic; **cardinal, ordinal;** figural, **figurate,** figurative, **digital;** aliquot, submultiple, **reciprocal,** prime, fractional, decimal, exponential, **logarithmic,** logometric, differential, integral; positive, negative; rational, irrational, transcendental; surd, radical; real, imaginary; possible, impossible, finite, infinite, transfinite.

.9 **mathematical elements**

addend
aliquot part
antilogarithm
argument
base
Bessel function
binomial
characteristic
coefficient
combination
common divisor *or* measure
complement
congruence
constant
cosecant
cosine
cotangent
cube
cube root
decimal
denominator
derivative
determinant
difference, remainder
differential
discriminate
dividend
divisor
e
elliptical function
equation
exponent
exponential
factor
factorial
formula
function
greatest common divisor, GCD
haversine
hyperbolic function
i
increment
index
integral
Laplace transform
least common denominator, LCD
least common multiple, LCM
logarithm
mantissa
matrix
minuend
mixed decimal
modulus
monomial
multiple
multiplicand
multiplicator
multiplier
norm
numerator
parameter
permutation
pi (π)
polynomial
power
quaternion
quotient
radical
radix
reciprocal
repeating *or* circulating decimal
root
secant
sine
square root
submultiple
subtrahend
summand
tangent
tensor
variable
vector
versine

87. NUMERATION

.1 NOUNS **numeration, enumeration, numbering, counting,** accounting, census, inventorying, telling, tallying; page numbering, pagination, foliation; counting on the fingers, dactylonomy; **measurement** 490; quantification, quantization.

.2 **mathematics** 87.18, math [US informal], maths [Brit informal], mathematic, **numbers, figures;** pure mathematics, abstract mathematics, applied mathematics,

higher mathematics, elementary mathematics; new mathematics, new math [informal]; algorism *or* algorithm.

.3 **calculation, computation, estimation, reckoning,** calculus; adding, footing, casting, ciphering, totaling, toting *or* totting [informal].

.4 (mathematical operations) notation, **addition** 40, **subtraction** 42, **multiplication, division,** proportion, practice, equation, extraction of roots, inversion, reduction, involution, evolution, approximation, interpolation, extrapolation, transformation, differentiation, integration.

.5 **summation, summary, summing, summing up,** recount, recounting, rehearsal, capitulation, **recapitulation,** statement, **reckoning, count,** repertory, census, inventory, head count, nose count, body count; account, accounts.

.6 **account of, count of,** a reckoning of, **tab** *or* **tabs of** [informal], tally of, check of, track of.

.7 **figures, statistics,** indexes *or* indices; vital statistics.

.8 **calculator, computer,** estimator, figurer, reckoner, abacist; statistician, actuary; accountant, bookkeeper 845.7.

.9 **mathematician, arithmetician;** geometer, geometrician; algebraist, trigonometrician, statistician, geodesist, mathematical physicist.

.10 VERBS **number,** numerate, **enumerate, count, tell, tally,** give a figure to, put a figure on, call off, name *or* call over, run over; **count noses** *or* **heads** [informal], call the roll; census, poll; page, paginate, foliate; **measure** 490.11; quantify, quantize.

.11 **calculate, compute, estimate, reckon, figure,** cipher, cast, tally, score; **figure out,** work out, dope out [slang]; take account of, figure in [informal]; **add, subtract, multiply, divide,** algebraize, extract roots; **measure** 490.11.

.12 **sum up,** sum, summate; **figure up,** cipher up, reckon up, **count up, add up,** foot up, cast up, score up, **tally up; total,** total up, tote *or* tot up [informal]; **summarize, recapitulate,** recap [informal], **recount,** rehearse, recite, relate; detail, itemize, inventory.

.13 **keep account of,** keep count of, **keep track of, keep tab** *or* **tabs** [informal], keep tally, keep a check on *or* of.

.14 **check, verify** 513.12, double-check, check out; **prove,** demonstrate; balance, balance the books; **audit,** overhaul; take stock, inventory.

.15 ADJS **numerative, enumerative; calculative,** computative, estimative; **calculating,** computing, computational, estimating; statistical; quantifying, quantizing.

.16 **calculable,** computable, **reckonable,** estimable, countable, numberable, numerable; **measurable** 490.15, mensurable, quantifiable.

.17 **mathematical,** numeric(al), arithmetic(al), algebraic(al), geometric(al), trigonometric(al), analytic(al).

.18 **mathematics**

algebra
algebraic geometry
analysis
analytic geometry
arithmetic
associative algebra
binary arithmetic
Boolean algebra
calculus
calculus of differences
circle geometry
combinatorial mathematics
combinatorial topology
commutative algebra
complex *or* double algebra
denumerative geometry
descriptive geometry
differential calculus
division algebra
elementary arithmetic
elementary *or* ordinary algebra
equivalent algebras
Euclidean geometry
Fourier analysis
game theory
geodesic geometry
geodesy
geometry
Gödel's proof
graphic algebra
group theory
higher algebra
higher arithmetic
hyperalgebra
hyperbolic geometry
infinitesimal calculus
integral calculus
intuitional geometry
invariant subalgebra
inverse geometry
Lagrangian function
Laplace's equation
linear algebra
line geometry
mathematical physics
matrix algebra
metageometry
modular arithmetic
multiple algebra
natural geometry
nilpotent algebra
noncommutative algebra
non-Euclidean geometry
n-tuple linear algebra
number theory
plane trigonometry
point-set topology
political arithmetic
projective geometry
proper subalgebra
quadratics
quaternian algebra
reducible algebra
Riemannian geometry
semisimple algebra
set theory
simple algebra
solid geometry
speculative geometry
spherical trigonometry
statistics
subalgebra
systems analysis
topology
trigonometry, trig [informal]
universal algebra
universal geometry
vector algebra
zero algebra

.19 **calculators**

abacus
adding machine
analog computer
arithmograph
arithmometer
calculating machine
cash register
Comptometer
counter
difference engine
digital computer
electronic computer 349.16
listing machine
Napier's bones *or* rods
pari-mutuel machine
quipu
rule
slide rule, sliding scale
suan pan [Chin]
tabulator
totalizator

88. LIST

.1 NOUNS **list, enumeration, itemization,** items, **schedule, register,** registry; **inventory,** repertory, tally; **checklist;** tally sheet; active list, civil list [Brit], retired list, sick list; waiting list; blacklist.

.2 **table,** contents, table of contents; **chart; index,** thumb index, card index.

.3 **catalog;** classified catalog, *catalogue raisonné* [Fr]; **card catalog, bibliography,** finding list, handlist; publisher's catalog *or* list; **file,** filing system, letter file, pigeonholes.

.4 **dictionary,** word list, **lexicon, glossary, thesaurus, vocabulary,** terminology, nomenclator; promptorium, gradus; **gazetteer.**

.5 **bill,** statement, account, ledger, books; **bill of fare, menu,** carte; **bill of lading,** manifest, waybill, invoice.

.6 **roll, roster,** scroll, rota; **roll call,** muster, **census,** nose *or* head count [informal], **poll,** questionnaire, returns, census report *or* returns; property roll, tax roll, cadastre; muster roll, checkroll, checklist; jury list *or* panel; **calendar,** docket, **agenda,** order of business; **program,** dramatis personae, lineup, beadroll; honor roll, dean's list.

.7 **listing,** tabulation; **cataloging, itemization,** filing, indexing; **registration,** registry, enrollment.

.8 VERBS **list, enumerate, itemize, tabulate, catalog,** tally; **register,** post, enter, **enroll, book;** impanel; **file,** pigeonhole; **index;** inventory; calendar; score, keep score; **schedule,** program.

.9 ADJS **listed, enumerated, entered, itemized, cataloged,** tallied, inventoried; filed, **indexed, tabulated; scheduled,** programmed; inventorial, cadastral.

89. UNITY

(state of being one)

.1 NOUNS **unity, oneness, singleness,** singularity, **individuality,** identity, selfsameness; **particularity** 80; uniqueness; intactness, inviolability, purity, simplicity 45, irreducibility, **integrity,** integrality, integration, unification, fusion, combination 52; solidification, solidity, solidarity, indivisibility, undividedness, **wholeness** 54.5; univocity, organic unity; uniformity 17; "the sacredness of private integrity" [Emerson].

.2 **aloneness,** loneness, **loneliness, lonesomeness; privacy,** solitariness, **solitude;** separateness, aloofness, detachment, seclusion, sequestration, **withdrawal, alienation,** standing *or* moving *or* keeping apart, **isolation,** "splendid isolation" [Sir William Goschen]; celibacy, single blessedness.

.3 **one,** I, **unit,** ace, atom; monad; –on, –eme; one and only, none else, no other, nothing else, nought beside.

.4 **individual,** single, unit, **integer, entity,** singleton, **item,** article, point, module; person, persona, soul.

.5 VERBS **unify,** reduce to unity, make one; **integrate, unite** 52.3.

.6 **stand alone,** stand *or* move *or* keep apart, withdraw, alienate *or* seclude *or* sequester *or* isolate oneself; become an individual.

.7 ADJS **one, single, singular, individual, sole, unique,** a certain, **solitary, lone;** exclusive; **integral,** indivisible, irreducible, monadic, monistic, unanalyzable, noncompound, atomic, unitary, undivided, solid, uniform 17.5, simple 45.6, whole 54.9; an, any, any one, either.

.8 **alone, solitary,** solo, soli–, *solus* [L]; **isolated,** insular, apart, separate, separated, alienated, withdrawn, aloof, detached, removed; **lone, lonely, lonesome;** friendless, kithless, homeless, rootless, companionless, **unaccompanied,** unescorted, unattended; **unaided,** unassisted, unabetted, unsupported, unseconded; **single-handed;** self–.

.9 **sole, unique,** singular, absolute, unrepeated, **alone,** lone, **only,** only-begotten, **one and only,** first and last; odd, impair, unpaired, azygous, azygo–; celibate.

.10 **unitary, integrated,** integral, integrant; **unified,** united, rolled into one, composite.

.11 **unipartite,** unipart, **one-piece;** monadic *or* monadal; uni–, **unilateral, one-sided;** uniangulate, unibivalent, unibranchiate, unicameral, unicellular, unicuspid, unidentate, unidigitate; **unidimensional, unidirectional;** uniflorous, unifoliate, unifoliolate, unigenital, uniglobular, unilinear, uniliteral, unilobed, unilobular, unilocular, unimodular, unimolecular, uninuclear, uniocular; unipolar, **univalent, univocal.**

.12 **unifying, uniting,** unific; **combining,** combinative 52.5,7, combinatory; connective, connecting, connectional; conjunctive 47.16, conjunctival; coalescing, coalescent.

.13 ADVS **singly, individually,** particularly, severally, one by one, one at a time; **sin-**

gularly, in the singular; **alone,** by itself, *per se* [L]; **by oneself,** on one's own, **single-handedly;** separately, apart; **once** 136.6.

.14 **solely, exclusively, only,** merely, **purely,** simply; **entirely,** wholly, totally; **integrally, indivisibly,** irreducibly, unanalyzably, undividedly.

90. DUALITY

.1 NOUNS **duality,** dualism, **doubleness,** duplexity, **twoness;** biformity; polarity; conjugation, pairing; doubling, duplication, twinning, bifurcation; **dichotomy,** halving; **duplicity,** two-facedness, doublethink; **irony,** ambiguity, equivocality, **ambivalence;** Janus.

.2 **two,** twain [archaic]; **couple, pair, twosome,** set of two, duo, duet, brace, team, span, yoke, double harness; match, mates; **couplet,** distich, doublet; duad, dyad; the two, **both.**

.3 **deuce;** pair, doubleton; **craps** *or* **snake eyes** [both dice slang].

.4 **twins,** pair of twins [informal], identical twins, fraternal twins, exact mates; Tweedledum and Tweedledee, Siamese twins; Twin Stars, Castor and Pollux, Gemini.

.5 VERBS **pair, couple, bracket,** team, **yoke,** span, double-team, double-harness; **mate, match,** conjugate; **pair off,** couple up, team up.

.6 ADJS **two,** twain [archaic]; **dual, double,** duplex; **dualistic;** dyadic; duadic; biform; bipartite, bipartisan, bilateral, two-sided, double-sided; dichotomous; bifurcated; twin, identical, matched, twinned, duplicated; ambi– *or* amph(i)–, bi– *or* bin–, bis–, deut(o)– *or* deuter(o)–, di– *or* dis–, didym(o)–, duo–, dyo–, dvi–, gem–, twi–, zyg(o)–.

.7 **both,** the two, either; for two, tête-à-tête, *à deux* [Fr].

.8 **coupled, paired,** yoked, matched, mated, **bracketed;** conjugate, conjugated; biconjugate, bigeminate; bijugate.

91. DUPLICATION

.1 NOUNS **duplication, reduplication,** replication, conduplication; **reproduction, doubling;** twinning, gemination, ingemination; **repetition** 103, iteration, reiteration; **imitation** 22, parroting; **copying** 22.1; **duplicate** 24.3.

.2 repeat, encore, repeat performance; echo.

.3 VERBS **duplicate,** dupe [slang], ditto [informal]; **double;** multiply by two; twin, geminate, ingeminate; **reduplicate, reproduce,** replicate, redouble; **repeat** 103.7; **copy.**

.4 ADJS **double, duplicate,** duple, **dual, duplex, twofold,** bifold, binary, binate; twinned, geminate, geminated; **second, secondary; twin,** biparous; biform, disomatous; bivalent; ambidextrous; two-sided, bilateral; two-faced, double-faced, bifacial, Janus-like; two-ply, two-story, two-level, conduplicate; bi–, bis–, deuter(o)–, di– *or* dis–, diphy(o)–, dipl(o)–, diss(o)–, twi–.

.5 ADVS **doubly,** dually, **twofold,** as much again, twice as much; twice, two times.

.6 **secondly,** second, secondarily, **in the second place** *or* instance.

.7 **again,** another time, **once more,** once again, over again, yet again, *encore, bis* [both Fr]; **anew,** afresh, new, freshly, newly; re–.

92. BISECTION

.1 NOUNS **bisection,** bipartition, bifidity, dimidiation; **dichotomy, halving, division, in half** *or* **by two,** splitting *or* cutting in two; subdivision; bifurcation, forking, ramification, branching.

.2 **half,** moiety, mediety; hemisphere, semisphere, semicircle, **fifty percent;** half-and-half *or* fifty-fifty [both informal].

.3 bisector, diameter, equator, halfway mark, divider, partition 237.5, line of demarcation, boundary 235.3.

.4 VERBS **bisect, halve, divide, in half** *or* **by two,** transect, subdivide; cleave, fission, **split** *or* **cut in two,** dimidiate, **dichotomize;** bifurcate, fork, ramify, branch.

.5 ADJS **half, part, partly, partial,** halfway, bi–, demi–, dich(o)–, hemi–, semi–, sam– [dial]; **one-and-a-half,** sesqui–.

.6 **halved, bisected, divided,** dimidiate; dichotomous; bifurcated, forked *or* forking, ramified, branched, branching; riven, **split,** cloven, cleft.

.7 **bipartite,** bifid, biform, bicuspid, biaxial, bicameral, binocular, binomial, binominal, biped, bipetalous, bipinnate, bisexual, bivalent, unibivalent.

.8 ADVS **in half,** in halves, **in two,** in twain, by two; half-and-half, fifty-fifty [both informal]; apart, asunder.

93. THREE

.1 NOUNS **three, trio, threesome,** trialogue, set of three, tierce [cards], leash, troika; **triad,** trilogy, trine, **trinity,** triunity, ternary, ternion; **triplet,** tercet, terzetto; trefoil, shamrock, clover; tripod, trivet; **tri-**

angle, tricorn, trihedron, trident, trisul, triennium, trimester, trinomial, trionym, triphthong, triptych, triplopy, trireme, triseme, triskelion, triumvirate; triple crown, triple threat; trey, threespot [both cards], deuce-ace [dice].

.2 **threeness,** triplicity, triality, tripleness; triunity, trinity.

.3 ADJS **three, triple,** triplex, trinal, trine, trial; triadic(al); triune, three-in-one, *tria juncta in uno* [L]; triform; **triangular,** deltoid, fan-shaped; tri–, ter–, ternati–.

94. TRIPLICATION

.1 NOUNS **triplication,** triplicity, trebleness, **threefoldness;** triplicate, second carbon.

.2 VERBS **triplicate, triple, treble, multiply by three,** threefold; cube.

.3 ADJS **triple,** triplicate, **treble, threefold,** triplex, trinal, trine, tern, ternary, ternal, ternate; three-ply; trilogic(al); cub(o)– *or* cubi–; ter–, tri–, tripl(o)–, tris–.

.4 **third, tertiary,** tert–, trit(o)–.

.5 ADVS **triply, trebly,** trinely; **threefold; thrice,** three times, again and yet again.

.6 **thirdly,** in the third place.

95. TRISECTION

.1 NOUNS **trisection,** tripartition, trichotomy.

.2 **third,** tierce, third part, one-third; *tertium quid* [L, a third something].

.3 VERBS **trisect, divide in thirds** *or* **three,** third, trichotomize; trifurcate.

.4 ADJS **tripartite,** trisected, triparted, **three-parted,** trichotomous; three-sided, trihedral, trilateral; **three-dimensional;** three-forked, three-pronged, trifurcate; trident, tridental, tridentate(d), trifid; tricuspid; three-footed, tripodic, tripedal; trifoliate, trifloral, triflorate, triflorous, tripetalous, triadelphous, triarch; trimerous, 3-merous; three-cornered, tricornered, tricorn; trigonal, trigonoid; triquetrous, triquetral; trigrammatic, triliteral; **triangular,** triangulate, deltoid; tri–.

96. FOUR

.1 NOUNS **four,** tetrad, quatern, quaternion, quaternary, quaternity, **quartet, quadruplet, foursome;** Little Joe [dice slang]; quadrennium; tetralogy; tetrapody; tetraphony, four-part diaphony; quadrille, square dance; quatrefoil *or* quadrifoil, four-leaf clover; tetragram, tetragrammaton; quadrangle, quad [informal], rectangle; tetrahedron; tetragon, square; biquadrate; quadrinomial; quadrature, squaring; quadrilateral 251.13.

.2 **fourness,** quaternity, quadruplicity.

.3 VERBS **square, quadrate,** form *or* make four; form fours *or* squares; **cube, dice.**

.4 ADJS **four;** foursquare; quaternary, quartile, quartic, quadric, quadratic; tetrad, tetradic; quadrinomial, biquadratic; tetractinal, four-rayed, **quadruped,** four-legged; quadrivalent, tetravalent; quadrilateral 251.9; quadr(i)– *or* quadru–, tetr(a)–, tessar(a)–.

97. QUADRUPLICATION

.1 NOUNS **quadruplication,** quadruplicature.

.2 VERBS **quadruple, quadruplicate,** fourfold, form *or* make four, multiply by four; biquadrate, quadruplex.

.3 ADJS **quadruplicate, quadruple,** quadrable, **quadruplex, fourfold,** tetraploid, quadrigeminal, biquadratic; quadr(i)– *or* quadru–, quater–, tetr(a)–, tetrakis–.

98. QUADRISECTION

.1 NOUNS **quadrisection,** quadripartition, **quartering.**

.2 **fourth,** one-fourth, **quarter,** one-quarter, fourth part, twenty-five percent, twenty-five cents, two bits [archaic or slang]; quartern; quart; farthing; quarto *or* 4 to.

.3 VERBS **divide by four** *or* **into four; quadrisect, quarter.**

.4 ADJS quadrisected, **quartered,** quartercut; quadripartite, quadrifid, quadriform; quadrifoliate, quadrigeminal, quadripinnate, quadriplanar, quadriserial, quadrivial, quadrifurcate, quadrumanal *or* quadrumanous.

.5 **fourth, quarter.**

.6 ADVS **fourthly,** in the fourth place; quarterly, by quarters.

99. FIVE AND OVER

.1 NOUNS **five,** V, cinque, quint, quincunx, **quintet, fivesome, quintuplet,** pentad; five dollars; fiver *or* fin *or* five bucks [all slang]; Phoebe *or* Little Phoebe [both dice slang]; pentagon, pentahedron, pentagram; pentapody, pentameter, pentastich; pentarchy; Pentateuch; pentachord; pentathlon; five-pointed star, pentacle, pentalpha, mullet [her].

.2 **six,** sixer [slang], sise, Captain Hicks [dice slang], **half a dozen, sextet,** sestet, **sextuplet,** hexad; hexagon, hexahedron, hexagram, six-pointed star, estoile [her], Jewish star, star of David, *Magen David* [Heb]; hexameter, hexapody, hexastich;

hexapod; hexarchy; Hexateuch; hexastyle; hexachord.

.3 **seven,** sevener [slang], heptad; heptagon, heptahedron; heptameter, heptastich; heptarchy; Heptateuch; septet, heptachord; septuor, septennate; **week.**

.4 **eight,** eighter [slang]; eighter from Decatur [dice slang]; octagon, octahedron; octave, octavo *or* 8vo; octad; ogdoad, octonary; octet, octameter, octosyllable; octastyle; utas [archaic], Octateuch.

.5 **nine,** niner [slang], Nina from Carolina [dice slang], ennead; nonage, novena; nonagon, nonuplet; enneastyle.

.6 **ten,** X, tenner [slang], **decade,** Big Dick [dice slang]; decagon, decahedron; decagram, decigram, decaliter, deciliter, decare, decameter, decimeter, decastere; decapod, decastyle, decasyllable; decemvir, decemvirate, decurion; decennium, decennary, Ten Commandments *or* Decalogue.

.7 (eleven to ninety) **eleven; twelve, dozen,** boxcar *or* boxcars [both dice slang], duodecimo *or* twelvemo *or* 12mo; **teens; thirteen,** long dozen, baker's dozen; **fourteen,** two weeks, fortnight; **fifteen,** quindecima, quindene, quindecim, quindecennial; **sixteen,** sixteenmo *or* 16mo; **twenty, score; twenty-four,** four and twenty, two dozen, twenty-fourmo *or* 24mo; **twenty-five,** five and twenty, quarter of a hundred *or* century; **thirty-two,** thirty-twomo *or* 32mo; **forty,** twoscore; **fifty,** L, half a hundred; **sixty,** sexagenary; Sexagesima; sexagenarian, threescore; **sixty-four,** sixty-fourmo *or* 64mo *or* sexagesimo-quarto; **seventy,** septuagenarian, threescore and ten; **eighty,** octogenarian, fourscore; **ninety,** nonagenarian, fourscore and ten.

.8 **hundred, century,** C, one C [slang], centred, *centrev or centref* [both Welsh]; centennium, centennial, centenary; centenarian; cental, centigram, centiliter, centimeter, centare, centistere; hundredweight *or* cwt; hecatomb; centipede; centumvir, centumvirate, centurion; (120) great *or* long hundred; (144) gross; (150) sesquicentennial, sesquicentenary; (200) bicentenary, bicentennial; (300) tercentenary, tercentennial, etc.

.9 **five hundred,** D, five centuries; five C's [slang].

.10 **thousand,** M, chiliad; **millennium;** G *or* grand *or* thou *or* yard [all slang]; chiliagon, chiliahedron *or* chiliaëdron; chiliarchia *or* chiliarch; millepede; milligram, milliliter, millimeter, kilogram *or* kilo, kiloliter, kilometer; kilocycle, kilohertz; **ten thousand,** myriad; **one hundred thousand,** lakh [India].

.11 **million;** ten million, crore [India].

.12 **billion,** thousand million, milliard.

.13 trillion, quadrillion, quintillion, sextillion, septillion, octillion, nonillion, decillion, undecillion, duodecillion, tredecillion, quattuordecillion, quindecillion, sexdecillion, septemdecillion, octodecillion, novemdecillion, vigintillion; googol, googolplex; zillion *or* jillion [both informal].

.14 (division into five or more parts) quinquesection, quinquepartition, sextipartition, etc.; decimation, decimalization; fifth, sixth, etc.; **tenth, tithe,** decima.

.15 VERBS (divide by five, etc.) quinquesect; decimalize.

.16 (multiply by five, etc.) fivefold, sixfold, etc.; quintuple, quintuplicate; sextuple, sextuplicate; centuple, centuplicate.

.17 ADJS **fifth,** quinary; **fivefold, quintuple,** quintuplicate; quinquennial; quinquepartite, pentadic, quinquefid; quincuncial, pentastyle; pentad, pentavalent, quinquevalent; pent(a)– *or* pen–, quinqu(e)–, quint(i)–.

.18 **sixth,** senary; **sixfold, sextuple;** sexpartite, hexadic, sextipartite, hexapartite; hexagonal, hexahedral, hexangular; hexad, hexavalent; sextuplex, hexastyle; sexennial; hexatomic; hexamerous; hex(a)–, sex(i)–, sexti–.

.19 **seventh,** septimal; **sevenfold, septuple,** septenary; septempartite, heptadic, septemfid; heptagonal, heptahedral, heptangular; heptamerous; hept(a)–, sept(i)–.

.20 **eighth,** octonary; **eightfold, octuple;** octadic; octal, octofid, octaploid; octagonal, octahedral, octan, octangular; octosyllabic; octastyle; oct(a)– *or* octo–.

.21 **ninth,** novenary, nonary; **ninefold, nonuple,** enneadic; enneahedral, enneastyle; non(a)–, ennea–.

.22 **tenth,** denary, **decimal,** tithe; **tenfold, decuple;** decagonal, decahedral; decasyllabic; deca– *or* deka–, deci–.

.23 **eleventh,** undecennial, undecennary; undec–, hendec(a)–.

.24 **twelfth,** duodenary, duodenal; duodecimal; dodec(a)–.

.25 thirteenth, fourteenth, etc.; eleventeenth, umpteenth [informal]; in one's teens.

.26 **twentieth,** vicenary, vicennial, vigesimal, vicesimal; icos(a)– *or* icosi–, eicos(a)–.

.27 **sixtieth,** sexagesimal, sexagenary.

.28 **seventieth,** septuagesimal, septuagenary.

.29 **hundredth,** centesimal, **centennial,** centenary, centurial; **hundredfold, centuple,** centuplicate; secular; centigrado; cent(i)–, hect(o)–, hecato(n)–.

.30 **thousandth,** millenary, **millennial; thousandfold;** kilo–, milli–.

.31 millionth, meg(a)–, micro–, billionth, giga–, nano–, trillionth, pico–; quadrillionth, quintillionth, etc.

100. PLURALITY

(more than one)

.1 NOUNS **plurality,** pluralness; a greater number, a certain number; several, a few 102.2, more; plural number, the plural, –s *or* –es; compositeness, nonsingleness, nonuniqueness; **pluralism** 18.1, variety; numerousness 101.

.2 **majority,** plurality, more than half, the greater number, the greatest number, **most,** preponderance *or* preponderancy, **bulk, mass;** lion's share.

.3 pluralization, plurification.

.4 **multiplication,** multiplying, proliferation, **increase** 38; multiple, multiplier, multiplicand; tables, multiplication table.

.5 VERBS pluralize, plurify; raise to *or* make more than one.

.6 **multiply,** proliferate, **increase** 38.4,6.

.7 ADJS **plural,** more than one, more; some, certain; not singular, composite, nonsingle, nonunique; plurative; **pluralistic** 18.3, various; numerous 101.6.

.8 **multiple,** multiplied, multifold, multi–; –fold, **manifold; increased** 38.7; multinomial, polynomial [both math].

.9 **majority, most,** the greatest number.

.10 ADVS in majority, **in the majority;** and others, et al., et cetera 40.14.

101. NUMEROUSNESS

.1 NOUNS **numerousness, multiplicity, manyness,** multitudinousness, multifoldness, multifariousness, teemingness, swarmingness, rifeness, profuseness, profusion; **plenty, abundance** 661.2; **countlessness,** innumerability, infinitude.

.2 (indefinite number) **a number,** a certain number, one or two, two or three, **a few, several,** parcel, passel [informal]; eleventeen *or* umpteen [both informal].

.3 (large number) **multitude, throng** 74.4; plurality, **many; numbers, quantities, lots** 34.4, flocks, **scores;** all kinds *or* sorts of, quite a few, tidy sum; muchness, **large amount** 34.3,4; **host, army,** legion, rout, ruck, mob, jam, clutter; **swarm, flock** 74.5, flight, cloud, hail, bevy, covey, shoal, hive, nest, pack, bunch 74.7; a world of, a mass of, worlds of, masses of.

.4 (immense number) **a myriad,** a thousand, **a thousand and one,** a lakh [India], a crore [India], a million, a billion, a quadrillion, a nonillion, etc. 99.10–13; a zillion *or* jillion [informal].

.5 VERBS **teem with,** overflow with, **abound with,** burst with, bristle with, pullulate with, **swarm with,** throng with, creep with, **crawl with, be alive with;** clutter, crowd, jam, pack; multiply 100.6; outnumber.

.6 ADJS **numerous, many,** not a few, no few; **very many,** full many, **ever so many,** considerable *or* quite some [both informal]; multi–, myri(o)–, pluri–, poly–, **multitudinous,** multitudinal, multifarious, multifold, multiple, **myriad,** thousand, million, billion; zillion *or* jillion [both informal]; heaped-up; numerous as the stars, numerous as the sands, numerous as the hairs on the head, "numerous as glittering gems of morning dew" [Edward Young].

.7 **several,** divers, **sundry,** various; fivish, sixish, etc.; some five or six, etc.; upwards of.

.8 **abundant,** copious, ample, plenteous, **plentiful** 661.7.

.9 **teeming, swarming, crowding,** thronging, overflowing, bursting, **crawling, alive with,** populous, prolific, proliferating, crowded, packed, jammed, jam-packed [informal], like sardines in a can [informal], thronged, studded, bristling, rife, lavish, prodigal, superabundant, **profuse,** in profusion, thick, **thick with,** thick-coming, thick as hail *or* flies; "thick as autumnal leaves that strow the brooks in Vallombrose" [Milton].

.10 **innumerable, numberless,** unnumbered, **countless,** uncounted, untold, incalculable, immeasurable, unmeasured, measureless, inexhaustible, endless, infinite, without end *or* limit, more than one can tell, more than you can shake a stick at [informal], no end of *or* to; countless as the stars *or* sands.

.11 **and many more,** *cum multis aliis* [L], and what not, and heaven knows what.

.12 ADVS **numerously,** multitudinously, **profusely,** thickly, copiously, **abundantly, prodigally; innumerably, countlessly,** infinitely, incalculably, inexhaustibly, immeasurably; in throngs, in crowds, in

swarms, in heaps, *acervatim* [L]; no end [informal].

102. FEWNESS

.1 NOUNS **fewness,** infrequency, **sparsity,** sparseness, **scarcity, paucity, scantiness, meagerness,** miserliness, niggardliness, tightness, thinness, stringency, restrictedness; chintziness *or* chinchiness *or* stinginess [all informal], scrimpiness *or* skimpiness [both informal]; **rarity,** exiguity; smallness 35.

.2 **a few,** too few, mere *or* piddling few, only a few, **small number,** limited *or* piddling number, not enough to count *or* matter, **handful, scattering,** sprinkling, trickle.

.3 **minority,** least; the minority, the few; minority group; "we happy few" [Shakespeare].

.4 ADJS **few, not many,** olig(o)–; hardly *or* scarcely any, precious little [informal], of small number, to be counted on one's fingers.

.5 **sparse,** scant, **scanty,** exiguous, **infrequent,** scarce, scarce as hen's teeth [informal], poor, piddling, thin, slim, **meager;** miserly, niggardly, cheeseparing, tight; chintzy *or* chinchy *or* stingy [all informal], scrimpy *or* skimpy [both informal], skimping *or* scrimping [both informal]; **scattered,** sprinkled, spotty, **few and far between; rare,** seldom met with, seldom seen.

.6 **fewer, less,** smaller, not so much *or* many.

.7 **minority,** least.

.8 ADVS **sparsely,** *sparsim* [L], **scantily, meagerly,** exiguously, piddlingly; stingily *or* scrimpily *or* skimpily [all informal], thinly; **scarcely,** rarely, infrequently; **scatteringly,** spottily, in dribs and drabs [informal], **here and there,** in places, in spots.

103. REPETITION

.1 NOUNS **repetition, reproduction,** duplication 91, reduplication, doubling, redoubling; **recurrence,** reoccurrence, return, reincarnation, rebirth, reappearance, renewal, resumption, echo, reecho; regurgitation; **quotation; imitation** 22; plagiarism.

.2 **iteration, reiteration, recapitulation,** recap [informal], retelling, recounting, recountal, **recital, rehearsal, restatement,** rehash [informal]; reissue, reprint; review, summary, critique, résumé, summing up; going over *or* through, practicing; reassertion, reaffirmation; elaboration, dwelling upon; copy 24.

.3 **redundancy, tautology,** tautologism, pleonasm, macrology, battology; tautophony, stammering, stuttering; padding, filling, expletive.

.4 **repetitiousness,** repetitiveness, stale *or* unnecessary repetition; harping; **monotony,** monotone, drone; **tedium** 884; **humdrum,** dingdong, singsong, chime, jingle, jingle-jangle, trot, pitter-patter; **rhyme, alliteration,** assonance, slant *or* near rhyme; **repeated sounds** 455.

.5 repeat, repetend, bis, ditto [informal]; **refrain,** burden, chant, undersong, chorus, bob; bob wheel, bob and wheel; ritornel, *ritornello* [Ital].

.6 **encore,** repeat performance, repeat, reprise; replay, replaying, return match.

.7 VERBS **repeat, redo,** do again, do over, do a repeat, **reproduce, duplicate** 91.3, reduplicate, double, redouble, ditto [informal], **echo,** reecho; regurgitate; renew, reincarnate, revive; come again [slang], say again, repeat oneself, **quote,** repeat word for word *or* verbatim, parrot, repeat like a broken record; **copy, imitate** 22.5; plagiarize.

.8 **iterate, reiterate, rehearse, recapitulate, recount,** rehash [informal], **recite, retell,** retail, **restate,** reword, review, run over, sum up, summarize, resume; reissue, reprint; do *or* say over again, **go over** *or* **through,** practice, say over, go over the same ground, give an encore, quote oneself, go the same round, fight one's battles over again; **tautologize,** battologize, pad, fill; reaffirm, reassert.

.9 **dwell on** *or* **upon,** insist upon, **harp on,** constantly recur *or* revert to, labor, belabor, hammer away at, always trot out, sing the same old song *or* tune, play the same old record, plug the same theme, never hear the last of; **thrash** *or* **thresh over,** go over again and again, go over and over.

.10 **din, ding;** drum 455.4, beat, hammer, pound; **din in the ear,** say over and over.

.11 (be repeated) **repeat, recur,** reoccur, **come again,** come up again, **return, reappear, resume;** resound, reverberate, echo; revert, turn *or* go back; keep coming, come again and again, happen over and over, run through like King Charles's head.

.12 ADJS **repeated,** reproduced, doubled, redoubled; duplicated, reduplicated; regurgitated; **echoed,** reechoed; **quoted,** plagia-

rized; **iterated, reiterated,** reiterate; retold, **twice-told;** warmed up *or* over, *réchauffé* [Fr].

.13 **recurrent,** recurring, **returning,** reappearing, revenant, ubiquitous, ever-recurring, cyclical, periodic, thematic, thick-coming, frequent, incessant, continuous 71.8, haunting.

.14 **repetitious,** repetitive, repetitional *or* repetitionary, repeating; **duplicative,** reduplicative; **imitative** 22.9, parrotlike; echoing, reechoing, echoic; **iterative, reiterative,** reiterant; recapitulative, recapitulatory; battological, **tautological** *or* **tautologous, redundant;** tautophon(ic)al.

.15 **monotonous,** monotone; **tedious** 884.8; harping, labored, belabored, cliché-ridden; **humdrum,** singsong, chiming, chanting, dingdong [informal], jog-trot, jingle-jangle; **rhymed, rhyming, alliterative,** alliterating, assonant.

.16 ADVS **repeatedly, often, frequently, recurrently, again and again, over and over,** over and over again, many times over, time and again, **time after time,** times without number; year after year, day after day, day by day, "tomorrow and tomorrow and tomorrow" [Shakespeare]; **many times,** several times, a number of times, many a time, full many a time and oft; every now and then, every once in a while; re–; –s *or* –es.

.17 **again,** over, over again, **once more,** *encore, bis* [both Fr], two times, twice over, ditto; **anew,** *de novo* [L], afresh; from the beginning, *da capo* [Ital].

.18 INTERJS **encore!,** bis!, once more!, again!

104. INFINITY

.1 NOUNS **infinity,** infiniteness, infinitude; **boundlessness, limitlessness, endlessness;** illimitability, interminability, termlessness; **immeasurability,** unmeasurability, immensity, incalculability, innumerability, incomprehensibility; measurelessness, countlessness, numberlessness; exhaustlessness, inexhaustibility; universality, "world without end" [Bible]; **all-inclusiveness,** all-comprehensiveness; **eternity** 112.1,2, **perpetuity** 112, forever; "a dark illimitable ocean, without bound" [Milton].

.2 VERBS **have no limit** *or* **bounds,** have *or* know no end, be without end, **go on and on,** go on forever, never cease *or* end.

.3 ADJS **infinite, boundless, endless, limitless,** termless, shoreless; unbounded, uncircumscribed, **unlimited,** illimited, infinitely continuous *or* extended, stretching *or* extending everywhere, without bound, without limit *or* end, no end of *or* to; illimitable, **interminable,** interminate; **immeasurable,** incalculable, innumerable, incomprehensible, unfathomable; measureless, countless, sumless; **unmeasured,** unmeasurable, immense, unplumbed, untold, unnumbered, without measure *or* number *or* term; exhaustless, inexhaustible; **all-inclusive,** all-comprehensive 79.14, **universal** 79.14; **perpetual, eternal** 112.7; "as boundless as the sea" [Shakespeare].

.4 ADVS **infinitely, illimitably,** boundlessly, limitlessly, **interminably; immeasurably,** measurelessly, immensely, incalculably, innumerably, incomprehensibly; **endlessly,** without end *or* limit; *ad infinitum* [L], to infinity; **forever, eternally** 112.10, in perpetuity, "to the last syllable of recorded time" [Shakespeare].

105. TIME

.1 NOUNS **time, duration,** *durée* [Fr], lastingness, continuity 71, term, while, tide, space; tense 586.12; **period** 107; cosmic time; kairotic time; space-time 179.6; psychological time; the past 119, the present 120, the future 121; timebinding; **chronology** 114.1.

.2 Time, **Father Time,** Cronus, Kronos; "Old Time, that greatest and longest established spinner of all" [Dickens], "that old bald cheater, Time" [Ben Jonson]; "Old Time, the clocksetter, that bald sexton Time", "that old common arbitrator, Time", "the nurse and breeder of all good" [all Shakespeare], "the soul of the world" [Pythagoras], "the author of authors", "the greatest innovator" [both Francis Bacon], "the devourer of things" [Ovid], "the illimitable, silent, never-resting thing called Time" [Carlyle], "a short parenthesis in a long period" [Donne], "a sandpile we run our fingers in" [Sandburg].

.3 tract of time, corridors of time, whirligig of time, glass *or* hourglass of time, sands of time, ravages of time, noiseless foot of Time, scythe of Time, "the tooth of time" [Shakespeare].

.4 **passage of time, course of time, lapse of time,** progress of time, process of time, succession of time, flow *or* flux of time, sweep of time, stream *or* current *or* tide of time, march *or* step of time, flight of time, time's caravan, "Time's revolving

wheels" [Petrarch], "Time's wingèd chariot" [Andrew Marvell].

.5 VERBS **elapse,** lapse, **pass, expire,** run its course, run out, go *or* pass by; flow, run, proceed, advance, roll *or* press on, flit, fly, slip, slide, glide; continue 71.4, last, **endure,** go *or* run *or* flow on.

.6 **spend time, pass time, put in time,** employ *or* use time, fill *or* occupy time, kill time [informal], consume time, take time, take up time, while away the time; find *or* look for time; race with *or* against time, buy time, work against time, run out of time, make time stand still; weekend, winter, summer; keep time, measure time.

.7 ADJS **temporal, chronological,** chron(o)–, –chronous; durational, durative; lasting, continuous 71.8.

.8 ADVS **when, at which time,** at which moment *or* instant, what time, when as [archaic], on which occasion, **upon which, whereupon,** at which, in which time, at what time, in what period, on what occasion, whenever.

.9 **at that time,** on that occasion, at the same time as, at the same time *or* moment that, then, simultaneously, contemporaneously.

.10 in the meantime, meanwhile 109.5; during the time; for the duration; at a stretch.

.11 **then,** thereat, **at that time,** at that moment *or* instant, in that case *or* instance, on that occasion; **again,** at another time, at some other time, anon.

.12 **whenever,** whene'er, whensoever, whensoe'er, **at whatever time,** at any time, anytime, no matter when; if ever, once.

.13 in the year of our Lord, *anno Domini* [L], AD, in the Common *or* Christian Era, CE; *ante Christum* [L], AC, before Christ, BC, before the Common *or* Christian era, BCE; *anno urbis conditae* [L], AUC; *anno regni* [L], AR.

.14 PREPS **during,** pending, durante [law]; **in the course of,** in the process of, in the middle of; **in the time of,** at the time of, in the age *or* era of, intra–; over, through, **throughout,** throughout the course of, **for the period of;** until the conclusion of.

.15 **until, till,** to, unto, **up to,** up to the time of.

.16 CONJS **when, while,** whilst, the while; **during the time that,** at the time that, at the same time that, at *or* during which time; **whereas, as long as,** as far as.

.17 PHRS **time flies,** *tempus fugit* [L], time runs out, time marches on, "Time rolls his ceaseless course" [Sir Walter Scott], "Time and tide stayeth for no man" [Richard Braithwaite].

106. TIMELESSNESS

.1 NOUNS **timelessness,** neverness, datelessness, eternity 112.1,2; no time, no time at all; time out of time, stopping *or* running out of time; everlasting moment.

.2 (a time that will never come) Greek calends, when hell freezes over, the thirtieth of February.

.3 ADJS **timeless, dateless.**

.4 ADVS **never,** ne'er, **not ever,** at no time, on no occasion, not at all; **nevermore;** never in the world, never on earth; not in donkey's years [Brit], never in all one's born days [informal], never in my life, *jamais de la vie* [Fr].

.5 without date, *sine die* [L].

107. PERIOD

(portion or point of time)

.1 NOUNS **period, point, juncture,** stage; **interval,** space, span, stretch; time lag; **time,** while, **moment,** minute, instant, hour, day, **season;** psychological moment; pregnant *or* fateful moment, kairos, moment of truth; **spell** 108; "this bank and shoal of time" [Shakespeare].

.2 (periods) **moment, second,** millisecond, microsecond; **minute; hour,** man-hour; **day,** sun; weekday; **week;** fortnight; **month,** moon, lunation; calendar month, lunar month; **quarter; semester,** trimester, term, session, academic year; **year,** annum, sun, twelvemonth; common year, regular year, leap year, bissextile year, defective year, perfect *or* abundant year; solar year, lunar year, sidereal year; fiscal year; calendar year; quinquennium, lustrum, luster; **decade,** decennium, decennary; **century; millennium;** –ad.

.3 **term,** time, duration, **tenure;** spell 108.

.4 **age, generation,** time, day, date, cycle; aeon; Platonic year, great year, *annus magnus* [L], indiction, cycle of indiction.

.5 **era, epoch, age;** Golden Age, Silver Age; Ice Age, glacial epoch; Stone Age, Bronze Age, Iron Age, Steel Age; Middle Ages, Dark Ages; Era of Good Feeling; Jacksonian Age; Depression Era; New Deal Era; Prohibition Era.

.6 1870's and 80's, Reconstruction Era, Gilded Age.

.7 1890's, Gay Nineties, Naughty Nineties,

Mauve Decade, Golden Age, Gilded Age.

.8 1920's, Roaring Twenties, Golden Twenties, Mad Decade, Age of the Red-Hot Mamas, Jazz Age.

.9 (modern age) Technological Age, Automobile Age, Air Age, Jet Age, Supersonic Age, Atomic Age, Electronic Age, Computer Age, Space Age, Age of Anxiety.

.10 **geological time periods**

Algonkian
Archean
Archeozoic
Cambrian
Carboniferous
Cenozoic
Comanchean
Cretaceous
Devonian
Eocene
Glacial
Holocene
Jurassic
Lower Cretaceous
Lower Tertiary
Mesozoic
Miocene
Mississippian
Oligocene
Ordovician
Paleocene
Paleozoic
Pennsylvanian
Permian
Pleistocene
Pliocene
Precambrian
Proterozoic
Quaternary
Recent
Silurian
Tertiary
Triassic
Upper Cretaceous
Upper Tertiary

108. SPELL

(period of duty, etc.)

.1 NOUNS **spell,** fit, stretch, go [informal].

.2 **turn, bout, round, inning,** innings [Brit], **time,** time at bat, place, say, whack [slang], go [informal]; opportunity, chance; **relief, spell;** one's turn, one's move [informal], one's say.

.3 **shift,** work shift, **tour,** tour of duty, stint, bit, **watch, trick,** time, **turn,** relay, spell *or* turn of work; day shift, night shift, swing shift, graveyard shift [informal], dogwatch, anchor watch; lobster trick *or* tour, sunrise watch; split shift, split schedule; half time, part time, full time; **overtime.**

.4 **term,** time; **tenure,** continuous tenure, tenure in *or* of office; **enlistment, hitch** [informal], tour; prison term, stretch [informal].

.5 VERBS **take one's turn,** have a go; **take turns,** alternate, turn and turn about; **time off, spell** *or* **spell off** [both informal], **relieve,** cover, **fill in for,** take over for; put in one's time, work one's shift; **stand one's watch** *or* **trick,** keep a watch; have one's innings; do a stint; hold office, have tenure *or* tenure of appointment; **enlist,** sign up; reenlist, re-up [informal]; do a hitch [informal], do a tour *or* tour of duty; serve *or* do time.

109. INTERIM

(intermediate period)

.1 NOUNS **interim, interval, interlude, intermission,** intermittence, pause, break, recess, coffee break, half time *or* half-time intermission, interruption; **lull,** quiet spell, resting point, point of repose, plateau, letup, relief, vacation, holiday, time off, off-time, downtime, time out; **respite** 711.2; entr'acte; *intermezzo* [Ital]; interregnum.

.2 **meantime, meanwhile,** while, the while.

.3 VERBS **intervene,** interlude, interval, intermit; **pause,** break, **recess,** declare a recess; call a break *or* intermission; call time *or* time-out; take five *or* ten, etc., take a break [all informal].

.4 ADJS **interim, temporary,** tentative, provisional, provisory.

.5 ADVS **meanwhile, meantime, in the meanwhile** *or* **meantime,** in the interim, *ad interim* [L]; between acts *or* halves *or* periods, betweenwhiles, betweentimes, between now and then; till *or* until then; *en attendant* [Fr], in the intervening time, during the interval, at the same time, for the meantime, **for the time being,** for the nonce, for a time *or* season; *pendente lite* [L].

110. DURABILITY

(long duration)

.1 NOUNS **durability, endurance,** duration, durableness, **lastingness,** *longueur* [Fr], perennation, abidingness, long-lastingness, perdurability, diuturnity; **continuance,** maintenance, **steadfastness,** constancy, **stability** 142, **persistence, permanence** 140, standing, long standing; **longevity,** long-livedness; **antiquity, age;** survival, survivance, defiance *or* defeat of time; **perpetuity** 112.

.2 **protraction, prolongation,** continuation, extension, lengthening, drawing- *or* stretching- *or* dragging- *or* spinning-out, lingering; procrastination.

.3 **length of time,** distance of time, vista *or* stretch *or* desert of time; corridor *or* tunnel of time.

.4 **long time,** long while, long; **age** *or* **ages** [both informal], **aeon, century, eternity,** years, **years on end,** coon's age [informal], donkey's years [Brit informal], month of Sundays [informal], right smart spell [dial].

.5 **lifetime, life,** life's duration, "threescore

years and ten" [Bible], period of existence, all the days of one's life; **generation, age;** all one's born days *or* natural life [informal].

.6 VERBS **endure, last** *or* **last out,** bide, **abide,** dwell, perdure, **continue,** run, extend, **go on,** carry on, hold on, keep on, stay on, run on; live, **live on,** continue to be, subsist, exist, tarry, **persist;** maintain, sustain, **remain, stay,** keep, hold, stand, prevail, last long, hold out; **survive,** defy *or* defeat time; live to fight another day; perennate; live through, tide over; wear, wear well.

.7 **linger on,** linger, tarry, go on, **go on and on, wear on,** crawl, creep, drag, **drag on,** drag along, drag its slow length along, drag a lengthening chain.

.8 **outlast,** outwear, **outlive, survive.**

.9 **protract, prolong,** continue, **extend, lengthen,** lengthen out, **draw out, spin out,** drag *or* stretch out; linger on, dwell on; dawdle, procrastinate, temporize, drag one's feet.

.10 ADJS **durable,** perdurable, **lasting, enduring,** perduring, **abiding, continuing,** remaining, staying, **stable** 142.12, persisting, **persistent,** perennial, meno–; inveterate, age-long; **steadfast, constant,** intransient, immutable, unfading, evergreen, sempervirent, **permanent** 140.7, perennial; **long-lasting,** long-standing, of long duration *or* standing, diuturnal; long-term; **long-lived,** tough, hardy, vital, longevous *or* longeval; **ancient,** aged, antique; macrobiotic; chronic; **perpetual** 112.7.

.11 **protracted, prolonged,** extended, lengthened; **long,** overlong, interminable, marathon, lasting, **lingering,** languishing; long-continued, long-continuing, long-pending; drawn- *or* stretched- *or* dragged- *or* spun-out, long-drawn, **long-drawn-out;** long-winded.

.12 daylong, nightlong, weeklong, monthlong, yearlong.

.13 **lifelong,** livelong, lifetime, for life.

.14 ADVS **for a long time, long, for long, interminably,** unendingly, undyingly, persistently, protractedly, enduringly; for ever so long [informal], for many a long day, for life *or* a lifetime, for an age *or* ages, for a coon's *or* dog's age [informal], for a month of Sundays [informal], for donkey's years [Brit informal], **forever and a day, for years on end;** all the year round, all the day long, the livelong day, as the day is long; morning, noon, and night; hour after hour, day after day, month after month, year after year; day in day out, month in month out, year in year out; till hell freezes over [slang], till you're blue in the face [informal], till the cows come home [informal], till shrimps learn to whistle [informal], till doomsday, from now till doomsday, from here to eternity, till the end of time; since time began, long ago, long since, time out of mind, time immemorial.

111. TRANSIENCE

(short duration)

.1 NOUNS **transience** *or* transiency, transientness, **impermanence** *or* impermanency, transitoriness, changeableness 141, **mutability, instability, temporariness,** fleetingness, **momentariness;** finitude; **ephemerality,** ephemeralness; evanescence, volatility, fugacity, **short-livedness; mortality,** death, perishability, corruptibility, caducity.

.2 **brevity, briefness,** shortness; swiftness 269, fleetness.

.3 **short time, little while,** little, **instant, moment** 113.3, small space, span, spurt, **short spell;** no time, less than no time; bit *or* **little bit,** a breath, the wink of an eye, pair of winks [informal]; **two shakes** *or* two shakes of a lamb's tail [both informal].

.4 **transient,** transient guest *or* boarder, temporary lodger; **sojourner;** passer, passerby.

.5 **ephemeron,** ephemera [pl], ephemeral; ephemerid, ephemeris, ephemerides [pl]; mayfly; bubble, smoke; nine days' wonder, flash in the pan; snows of yesteryear, *neiges d'antan* [Fr].

.6 VERBS (be transient) flit, **fly,** fleet; pass, **pass away, vanish, evaporate,** evanesce, disappear, fade, melt, sink; fade like a shadow *or* dream, vanish like a dream, burst like a bubble, **go up in smoke,** melt like snow.

.7 ADJS **transient, transitory,** transitive; **temporary,** temporal; **impermanent,** unenduring, undurable, nondurable, nonpermanent; frail, brittle, fragile, insubstantial; changeable 141.6, **mutable, unstable,** inconstant 141.7; capricious, fickle, impulsive, impetuous; **short-lived, ephemeral,** fly-by-night, evanescent, volatile, **momentary;** deciduous; **passing,** fleeting, flitting, flying, fading, dying; fugitive, fugacious; perishable, mortal, corruptible; "as transient as the clouds" [Robert Green Ingersoll], here today and gone tomorrow.

.8 **brief, short,** quick, brisk, swift 269.19, fleet, speedy, "short and sweet" [Thomas Lodge]; meteoric, cometary, flashing, flickering; short-term, short-termed.

.9 ADVS **temporarily,** for the moment, for the time, *pro tempore* [L], pro tem, for the nonce, **for the time being,** for a time, awhile.

.10 **transiently,** fleetingly, flittingly, flickeringly, **briefly, shortly,** swiftly 269.21, quickly, **for a little while,** for a short time; **momentarily,** for a moment; **in an instant** 113.7.

.11 PHRS "all flesh is grass" [Bible].

112. PERPETUITY

(endless duration)

.1 NOUNS **perpetuity,** perpetualness; **eternity,** eternalness, sempiternity, infinite duration; everness, foreverness, **everlastingness, permanence** 140, ever-duringness, durability 110, perdurability, indestructibility; **constancy,** stability, immutability, continuance, continualness, perennialness *or* perenniality, **ceaselessness,** unceasingness, incessancy; timelessness 106; **endlessness,** never-endingness, **interminability; infinity** 104; coeternity.

.2 **forever, an eternity,** endless time, **time without end;** "a moment standing still for ever" [James Montgomery], "a short parenthesis in a long period" [Donne], "deserts of vast eternity" [Andrew Marvell].

.3 **immortality,** eternal life, **deathlessness,** imperishability, undyingness, incorruptibility *or* incorruption, athanasy *or* athanasia; eternal youth, fountain of youth.

.4 **perpetuation,** preservation, eternalization, immortalization; eternal re-creation, eternal return *or* recurrence, steady-state universe.

.5 VERBS **perpetuate, preserve,** preserve from oblivion, keep fresh *or* alive, perennialize, **eternalize,** eternize, **immortalize;** monumentalize; freeze, embalm.

.6 last *or* endure forever, **go on forever,** go on and on, live forever, **have no end,** have no limits *or* bounds *or* term, never cease *or* end *or* die *or* pass.

.7 ADJS **perpetual, everlasting,** everliving, ever-being, ever-abiding, ever-during, ever-durable, permanent 140.7, perdurable, indestructible; **eternal,** sempiternal, eterne [archaic], **infinite** 104.3, olamic, aeonian; dateless, ageless, timeless, immemorial; **endless,** unending, never-ending, without end, **interminable,** nonterminous, nonterminating; **continual,** continuous, steady, **constant, ceaseless,** nonstop, unceasing, never-ceasing, **incessant,** unremitting, unintermitting, uninterrupted, "continuous as the stars that shine" [Wordsworth]; coeternal.

.8 **perennial,** indeciduous, **evergreen,** sempervirent, ever-new; ever-blooming, everbearing.

.9 **immortal,** everlasting, **deathless,** undying, never-dying, **imperishable,** incorruptible, amaranthine; fadeless, **unfading,** never-fading, ever-fresh; frozen, embalmed.

.10 ADVS **perpetually,** in perpetuity, **everlastingly, eternally, permanently** 140.9, perennially, perdurably, indestructibly, **constantly,** continually, steadily, **ceaselessly,** unceasingly, never-ceasingly, **incessantly,** never-endingly, **endlessly,** unendingly, **interminably,** without end, world without end, time without end, "from everlasting to everlasting" [Bible]; **infinitely,** *ad infinitum* [L] 104.4.

.11 **always, all along, all the time,** all the while, at all times, *semper et ubique* [L, always and everywhere]; ever and always, **invariably,** without exception, never otherwise, *semper eadem* [L, ever the same; Elizabeth I].

.12 **forever, forevermore, for ever and ever,** forever and aye; forever and a day [informal], now and forever, *ora e sempre* [Ital], "yesterday and today and forever" [Bible]; **ever, evermore,** ever and anon, ever and again; aye, for aye; **for good,** for keeps [informal], for good and all, for all time; throughout the ages, from age to age, in all ages, "for ages of ages" [Douay Bible]; **to the end of time,** till time stops *or* runs out, "to the last syllable of recorded time" [Shakespeare], to the crack of doom, to the last trumpet, till doomsday; till you're blue in the face [informal], till hell freezes over [slang], till the cows come home [informal].

.13 **for life,** for all one's natural life, for the term of one's days, while life endures, while one draws breath, in all one's born days [informal]; from the cradle to the grave, from the womb to the tomb; **till death,** till death do us part.

113. INSTANTANEOUSNESS

(imperceptible duration)

.1 NOUNS **instantaneousness** *or* **instantaneity,** momentariness, **momentaneousness,**

immediateness *or* immediacy; simultaneity 118.

.2 **suddenness, abruptness,** precipitateness *or* precipitatousness, precipitance *or* precipitancy; **unexpectedness,** unanticipation, inexpectation 540.

.3 **instant, moment, second,** sec [informal], split second, millisecond, microsecond, half a second, half a mo [Brit informal], minute, **trice,** twinkle, **twinkling, twinkling** *or* **twinkle of an eye,** twink, **wink,** bat of an eye [informal], flash, crack, tick, stroke, coup, breath, twitch; two shakes *or* shake *or* half a shake, **jiffy** *or* jiff *or* half a jiffy [all informal].

.4 ADJS **instantaneous,** instant, momentary, momentaneous, **immediate,** presto, quick as thought *or* lightning; lightning-like.

.5 **sudden, abrupt,** precipitant, **precipitate, precipitous; hasty,** headlong, impulsive, impetuous; speedy, swift, quick; **unexpected** 540.10, unanticipated, unpredicted, unforeseen, unlooked-for; **surprising** 540.11, startling, electrifying, shocking, nerve-shattering.

.6 ADVS **instantly,** instanter, momentaneously, momentarily, momently, **instantaneously, immediately; on the instant,** on the spot, on the dot [informal], on the nail, in half a mo [Brit informal]; just then, just now.

.7 **in an instant, in a trice, in a second,** in a moment, in a bit *or* little bit, in a jiff *or* jiffy *or* half a jiffy [informal], in a flash, in a wink [informal], in a twink, **in a twinkling, in the twinkling of an eye,** in two shakes *or* a shake *or* half a shake [informal], in two shakes of a lamb's tail [informal], before you can say 'Jack Robinson' [informal]; **in no time,** in less than no time, in nothing flat [informal], in short order; at the drop of a hat *or* handkerchief, like a shot, like a shot out of hell [slang]; with the speed of light.

.8 **at once,** at once and on the spot, **then and there, now, right now, right away, right off,** straightway, straightaway, forthwith, this minute, this very minute, **without delay,** without the least delay, in a hurry [informal], *pronto* [Sp], *subito* [Ital]; **simultaneously** 118.6, at the same instant, in the same breath; **all at once,** all together, at one time, at a stroke, at one stroke, at a blow, at one blow, at one swoop, "at one fell swoop" [Shakespeare]; at one jump, *per saltum* [L], *uno saltu* [L].

.9 **suddenly,** sudden, of a sudden, on a sudden, **all of a sudden, all at once: abruptly,** sharp; **precipitously** *or* precipitately, precipitantly, impulsively, impetuously, hastily; dash; smack, bang, slap, plop, plunk, plump, pop; **unexpectedly** 540.14, on short notice, without notice *or* warning, unawares, **surprisingly** 540.15, startlingly, like a thunderbolt *or* thunderclap, like a flash, like a bolt from the blue.

.10 PHRS no sooner said than done.

114. MEASUREMENT OF TIME

.1 NOUNS **chronology,** timekeeping, timing, clocking, horology, **chronometry,** horometry, chronoscopy; watch- *or* clock-making; calendar-making; dating, carbon-14 dating, dendrochronology.

.2 **time of day, time** 105, **the time; hour,** minute; stroke of the hour, time signal, bell.

.3 standard time, civil time, zone time, slow time [informal]; mean time, solar time, mean solar time, sidereal time, apparent time, local time; Greenwich time, Greenwich mean time *or* GMT, Eastern time, Central time, Mountain time, Pacific time; Atlantic time; Alaska time, Yukon time; daylight-saving time; fast time [informal], summer time [Brit]; **time zone.**

.4 **date,** point of time, time, day; postdate, antedate; datemark; date line, International Date Line.

.5 epact, annual epact, monthly *or* menstrual epact.

.6 **timepiece** 114.17, timekeeper, **timer, chronometer,** ship's watch; horologe, horologium; **clock,** Big Ben, ticker [informal], **watch,** turnip [slang]; watch *or* clock movement, clockworks, watchworks.

.7 **almanac,** The Old Farmer's Almanac, Ephemeris and Nautical Almanac, Information Please Almanac, Nautical Almanac, Poor Richard's Almanac, Reader's Digest Almanac, Whitaker's Almanack, World Almanac.

.8 **calendar,** calends; calendar stone, chronogram; astronomical calendar *or* almanac, ephemeris; perpetual calendar; Chinese calendar, church *or* ecclesiastical calendar, Cotsworth calendar, Gregorian calendar, Hebrew *or* Jewish calendar, Hindu calendar, international fixed calendar, Julian calendar, Muslim calendar, Republican *or* Revolutionary calendar, Roman calendar.

.9 **chronicle, chronology, register,** registry, record; **annals,** journal, diary; time sheet, time book, log, daybook; timecard, time

ticket, clock card, check sheet; datebook; date slip; timetable; time schedule, time chart; time scale; time study, motion study, time and motion study.

.10 **chronologist,** chronologer, chronographer, horologist, horologer; watchmaker *or* clockmaker; timekeeper, timer; **chronicler,** annalist, diarist; calendar maker, calendarist.

.11 VERBS **time, fix** *or* **set the time,** mark the time; **keep time,** mark time, measure time, beat time; **clock** [informal].

.12 **punch the clock** *or* punch in *or* punch out, **time in, time out** [all informal]; ring in, ring out; clock in, clock out; check in, check out; check off.

.13 **date,** be dated, date at *or* from, bear date; fix *or* set the date, make a date; **predate,** backdate, antedate; **postdate; update,** bring up to date; datemark; date-stamp; dateline.

.14 chronologize, chronicle, calendar, intercalate.

.15 ADJS **chronologic(al),** temporal, timekeeping; **chronometric(al),** chronoscopic, chronographic(al), chronogrammatic(al), horologic(al), horometric(al), metronomic(al), calendric(al), intercalary *or* intercalated; dated; annalistic, diaristic; calendarial.

.16 ADVS **o'clock,** of the clock, by the clock; half past, half after [Brit]; a quarter of *or* to, a quarter past *or* after.

.17 **timepieces, clocks, watches**

alarm clock
alarm watch
astronomical clock
atomic clock
box chronometer
calendar clock
calendar watch
chronograph
chronometer
chronopher
chronoscope
clepsydra
cuckoo clock
dial
digital clock
digital watch
egg glass
electric clock
electronic clock
gnomon
grandfather clock
half-hour glass
half-minute glass
hourglass
hunter
independent-seconds watch
isochronon
journeyman
marine chronometer
metronome
pendule
pendulum clock
pneumatic clock
pocket chronometer
pocket watch
program clock
quartz-crystal clock
repeater
Riefler clock
sandglass
ship's watch
sidereal clock
split-second watch
stemwinder [informal]
stop watch
sundial
telechron clock
telltale
three-minute glass
time ball
time clock
time lock
time recorder
time switch
traveling clock
turret clock
watchman's clock
water clock
wristwatch

115. ANACHRONISM

(false estimation or knowledge of time)

.1 NOUNS **anachronism,** chronological *or* historical error, **mistiming, misdating,** misdate, postdating, antedating; parachronism, metachronism, prochronism; prolepsis, anticipation; earliness, lateness, tardiness, unpunctuality.

.2 VERBS **mistime, misdate;** antedate, foredate, postdate; lag.

.3 ADJS **anachronous** *or* **anachronistic,** parachronistic, metachronistic, prochronistic; **mistimed, misdated;** antedated, foredated, postdated; ahead of time, **beforehand, early;** behind time, **behindhand, late,** unpunctual, tardy; **overdue,** past due; unseasonable, out of season; out of date, dated.

116. PRIORITY

(previous time)

.1 NOUNS **priority, previousness, earliness** 131, **antecedence** *or* antecedency, **anteriority, precedence** *or* precedency 64, precession; *status quo ante* [L], earlier state; preexistence; **anticipation,** predating, antedating; antedate; **past time** 119.

.2 antecedent, precedent, premise; forerunner, precursor 66, ancestor.

.3 VERBS **be prior,** be before *or* early *or* earlier, **precede, antecede,** precurse, **forerun,** come *or* go before; herald, usher in, proclaim, announce, **anticipate,** antedate, predate; preexist.

.4 ADJS **prior, previous, early** 131.7, **earlier,** *ci-devant* [Fr], **former,** fore, prime, first, **preceding** 292.3, precurrent, foregoing, anterior, **anticipatory,** antecedent; preexistent; older, elder, senior; ante– *or* anti–, fore–, pre–, pro–, prot(o)–, proter(o)–, supra–.

.5 **prewar,** ante-bellum, before the war; prerevolutionary; premundane *or* antemundane; prelapsarian, before the Fall; antediluvian, before the Flood; protohistoric, prehistoric 119.10; precultural; pre-Aryan; pre-Christian; premillenarian, premillennial; anteclassical, preclassical, pre-Roman, pre-Renaissance, preromantic, pre-Victorian.

.6 ADVS **previously,** priorly, **hitherto, heretofore,** theretofore; **before, early** 131.11, **earlier,** ere, erenow, ere then, or ever; already, yet; before all; **formerly** 119.13.

.7 PREPS **prior to, previous to, before,** in advance of, in anticipation of, in preparation for.

117. POSTERIORITY

(later time)

.1 NOUNS **posteriority, subsequence,** sequence, **succession, following** 293, **coming after, lateness** 132; provenience, supervenience, supervention; afterlife, next life; remainder 43, hangover [informal]; postdating; postdate; future time 121.

.2 **sequel** 67, **aftermath,** consequence, effect 154, **conclusion** 494.4; **posterity,** offspring, descendant, heir, **successor;** line, **lineage,** dynasty.

.3 VERBS **come** *or* **follow** *or* **go after, succeed,** replace, displace, overtake, supervene; **ensue,** issue, emanate, attend, **result;** follow up, trail, track, come close on *or* tread on the heels of, dog the footsteps of; step into the shoes of, take the place of.

.4 ADJS **subsequent, after, later,** posterior, **following, succeeding,** successive, sequent, lineal, consecutive, ensuing, attendant; junior, cadet, puisne, younger.

.5 **posthumous,** afterdeath; **postprandial,** postcibal, postcenal, after-dinner; **postwar,** *postbellum* [L], after the war; **postdiluvian,** postdiluvial, after the flood; postlapsarian, after the Fall; ep(i)– *or* eph–, infra–, meta–, post–.

.6 ADVS **subsequently, afterwards,** after, after that, after all, **later, next,** since; **thereafter,** thereon, thereupon, therewith, **then;** in the process *or* course of time, as things worked out, in the sequel; at a subsequent *or* later time, in the aftermath; *ex post facto* [L].

.7 **after which, on** *or* **upon which, whereupon,** whereon, whereat, whereto, whereunto, wherewith, wherefore, on, upon; hereinafter.

.8 PREPS **after, subsequent to,** later than, past, beyond, behind.

.9 PHRS *post hoc, ergo propter hoc* [L, after this, therefore on account of this].

118. SIMULTANEITY

.1 NOUNS **simultaneity** *or* **simultaneousness,** coincidence, concurrence, concomitance, coexistence; **contemporaneousness** *or* contemporaneity, coetaneousness *or* coetaneity, coevalness *or* coevalneity; unison; **synchronism,** synchronization; isochronism; accompaniment 73, agreement 26.

.2 **contemporary,** coeval, coexistent, concomitant; dead heat, draw, tie.

.3 VERBS **synchronize,** contemporize; **coincide,** concur, coexist, coextend; **accompany** 73.7, agree 26.6, match, go hand in hand, keep pace with, keep in step; isochronize, put *or* be in phase, be in time, time.

.4 ADJS **simultaneous, concurrent,** concomitant, collateral; coexistent, coexisting; **contemporaneous,** contemporary, coinstantaneous, coetaneous, coeval; coterminous, conterminous; unison, unisonous; isochronous, isochronal; coeternal; accompanying 73.9, agreeing 26.9.

.5 **synchronous,** synchronized, synchronal *or* synchronic, in sync [informal]; **in time,** in step, in tempo, in phase, with *or* on the beat.

.6 ADVS **simultaneously, concurrently,** coinstantaneously; **together,** all together, **at the same time,** at one and the same time, as one, as one man, in concert with, in chorus, with one voice, in unison, in a chorus, in the same breath; at one time, at a clip [informal]; synchronously, isochronously, in phase, in sync [informal], with *or* on the beat.

119. THE PAST

.1 NOUNS **the past,** past, foretime, former times, past times, times past, **days gone by, bygone times** *or* **days, yesterday, yesteryear,** recent past; history, past history; dead past, dead hand of the past; the years that are past, "the days that are no more" [Tennyson], "the irrevocable Past" [Longfellow], "thou unrelenting past" [William Cullen Bryant], "the eternal landscape of the past" [Tennyson].

.2 **old** *or* **olden times,** early times, **old days,** the olden time, times of old, **days of old, days** *or* **times of yore,** yore, yoretime, eld [archaic], good old times *or* days, lang syne *or* auld lang syne [both Scot], way back [informal], **long ago,** time out of mind, days beyond recall; old story, same old story.

.3 **antiquity, ancient times,** time immemorial, ancient history, remote age *or* time, remote *or* far *or* dim *or* **distant past,** distance of time, "the dark backward and abysm of time" [Shakespeare]; ancientness 123; archae(o)– *or* archeo–.

.4 **memory** 537, **remembrance, recollection, reminiscence, retrospection,** musing on the past, looking back; "the remembrance of things past" [Shakespeare], "*la recherche du temps perdu*" [Proust]; **reliving,** reexperiencing; revival 694.3; youth 124.

.5 [gram terms] past tense, preterit, perfect tense, past perfect tense, pluperfect, historical present tense, past progressive tense; aorist; perfective aspect; preterition.

.6 VERBS **pass,** be past, **be a thing of the past,** elapse, lapse, be gone, be dead and gone, be all over, have run its course, have run out, have had its day; **disappear** 447.2, die.

.7 ADJS **past, gone,** by, **gone-by, bygone,** gone glimmering, bypast, ago, **over,** departed, passed, passed away, elapsed, lapsed, vanished, dead, expired, run out, blown over, finished, forgotten, extinct, dead and buried, defunct, deceased, wound up, passé, obsolete, has-been, dated, antique, antiquated; no more, irrecoverable, never to return; archae(o)– *or* archeo–, ex–, pale(o)–, praeter– *or* preter–, retro–; –ed, y– [archaic].

.8 **reminiscent** 537.22, **retrospective, remembered** 537.23, recollected; relived, reexperienced; restored, revived.

.9 [gram terms] past, preterit *or* preteritive, pluperfect, past perfect; aorist, aoristic; perfective.

.10 **former,** past, fore, **previous,** late, recent, **once, onetime,** sometime, **erstwhile,** then, quondam; **prior** 116.4; **ancient, immemorial,** early, primitive, primeval, prehistoric; **old,** olden.

.11 **foregoing,** aforegoing, **preceding** 64.4; last, latter.

.12 **back,** backward, into the past; early; retrospective, retroactive, *ex post facto* [L], *a priori* [L].

.13 ADVS **formerly, previously, priorly** 116.6; **earlier, before,** before now, erenow, erst, whilom, erewhile, **hitherto, heretofore,** aforetime, beforetime, **in the past,** in times past; then; **yesterday,** only yesterday, recently; **historically,** prehistorically, in historic *or* prehistoric times.

.14 **once,** once upon a time, one day, one fine morning, time was.

.15 **ago, since,** gone by; back, back when; backward, to *or* into the past; **retrospectively,** reminiscently, retroactively.

.16 **long ago,** long since, **a long while** *or* **time ago,** some time ago *or* since, some time back, a way *or* away back [informal], ages ago, **years ago,** donkey's years ago [Brit informal]; **in times past,** in times gone by, in the old days, in the good old days; **anciently, of old, of yore,** in ancient times, in olden times, in the olden time, **in days of yore,** early, in the memory of man, time out of mind.

.17 **since,** ever since, until now; **since long ago, long since,** from away back [informal], since days of yore, ages ago, **from time immemorial,** from time out of mind, aeons ago, since the world was made, since the world was young, since time began, since the year one, since Hector was a pup *or* since God knows when [both slang].

120. THE PRESENT

.1 NOUNS **the present,** present, presentness, the present juncture *or* occasion, the present hour *or* moment, this instant *or* second *or* moment, **the present day** *or* **time,** the present age, "the living sum-total of the whole Past" [Carlyle]; **today,** this day, **this day and age; this point,** this stage, this hour, **now,** nowadays, the now, the way things are, the nonce, **the time being; the times,** our times, these days; contemporaneousness, contemporaneity, nowness, **newness** 122, modernity; the Now Generation; historical present, present tense [both gram].

.2 ADJS **present, immediate,** instant, immanent, **latest, current,** running, extant, existent, **existing,** actual, being, that is, as is, that be; **present-day,** present-time, present-age, **modern** 122.13; topical; **contemporary,** contemporaneous; up-to-date, up-to-the-minute, fresh, new.

.3 ADVS **now, at present, at this point,** at this juncture, on the present occasion, **at this time,** at this time of day, at this moment *or* instant, at the present time, "upon this bank and shoal of time" [Shakespeare]; **today,** this day, in these days, **in this day and age,** in our time, **nowadays;** this night, **tonight;** here, hereat, **here and now,** *hic et nunc* [L], even now, but now, **just now,** as of now, as things are; on the spot; for the nonce, for the time being; for this occasion.

.4 **until now,** till now, **hereunto,** heretofore, until this time, by this time, **up to now,** up to the present, up to this time, to this day, **so far,** thus far, **as yet, to date,** yet, already, still, now *or* then as previously.

121. THE FUTURE

.1 NOUNS **the future,** future, futurity, imminence 152, posteriority 117, eventuality 151.1, **hereafter,** aftertime, afteryears, **time to come;** the morrow, **tomorrow,** *mañana* [Sp], time just ahead, **immediate**

or **near future,** immediate prospect, offing; remote *or* deep *or* distant future; **by-and-by,** the sweet by-and-by [informal]; time ahead, course ahead, **prospect,** outlook, expectation, project, probability, prediction, forward look, foresight, prophecy, crystal ball; what is to be *or* come; determinism; future tense; futurism; the womb of time, "the past again, entered through another gate" [Pinero], "the never-ending flight of future days" [Milton].

.2 **destiny** 640.2, **fate;** what bodes *or* looms, what is fated *or* destined *or* doomed, what is in the books; **the hereafter,** the great hereafter, "the good hereafter" [Whittier], a better place, Paradise, Heaven, **afterworld,** otherworld, **next world,** world to come, life *or* world beyond the grave, **the beyond,** the great beyond, the unknown, the great unknown, **the grave,** home, abode *or* world of the dead, eternal home; "They are all gone into the world of light!" [Henry Vaughn], "the great world of light, that lies behind all human destinies" [Longfellow]; **afterlife, postexistence,** future state, **life to come,** life after death.

.3 **doomsday,** doom, day of doom, crack of doom, trumpet *or* trump of doom; **Judgment Day,** Day of Judgment, the Judgment; eschatology, last things, **last days.**

.4 **futurity,** futureness; ultimateness, eventuality, finality.

.5 **advent, coming, approach of time,** time drawing on.

.6 VERBS **come,** come on, **approach,** near, **draw on** *or* **near,** await, stare one in the face; be to be *or* come; be fated *or* destined *or* doomed, be in the books, be in the cards; loom, threaten, be imminent 152.2; lie ahead *or* in one's course; project, plot, plan, predict, expect, foresee, foretell, prophesy; hope, anticipate, look for, look forward to.

.7 **postexist,** live on, survive.

.8 ADJS **future, later,** hereafter; **coming, forthcoming, imminent** 152.3, approaching, nearing, **prospective; eventual** 151.11, ultimate, to-be, **to come; projected,** plotted, planned, looked- *or* hoped-for, desired, emergent, **predicted,** prophesied, probable, extrapolated; determined, fatal, fatidic, fated, destinal, destined; eschatological; futuristic.

.9 ADVS **in the future,** in aftertime, **afterward** *or* afterwards, **later,** at a later time, after a time *or* while, anon; **by and by,** in the sweet by-and-by [informal]; **tomorrow,** *mañana* [Sp], the day after tomorrow; *proximo* [L], prox., **in the near** *or* **immediate future,** just around the corner, **imminently** 152.4, **soon, before long;** probably, predictably, hopefully; fatally, by destiny *or* necessity.

.10 in future, **hereafter,** hereinafter, thereafter, **henceforth, henceforward** *or* henceforwards, thence, **thenceforth,** thenceforward *or* thenceforwards, from this time forward, from this point, from this *or* that time, from then on, **from here** *or* **now on, from now on in** [informal], from here in *or* out [informal], from this moment on.

.11 **in time, in due time,** in due season *or* course, all in good time, **in the fullness of time,** in God's good time, in the course *or* process of time, **eventually** 151.12, **ultimately,** in the long run.

.12 **sometime,** somewhen, **someday, some of these days,** one of these days, some fine day *or* morning, one fine day *or* morning, some sweet day, sometime or other, **sooner or later,** when all is said and done.

.13 PREPS **about to,** at *or* **on the point of,** on the eve of, on the brink *or* verge of, near to, close upon, in the act of.

122. NEWNESS

.1 NOUNS **newness,** freshness, maidenhood, dewiness, pristineness, mint condition, new-mintedness, newbornness, virginity, intactness, greenness, immaturity, rawness, callowness, brand-newness; presentness, nowness; **recentness,** recency, lateness; **novelty,** novelness, gloss of novelty, newfangledness *or* newfangleness; originality; **uncommonness,** unusualness, strangeness, unfamiliarity.

.2 **novelty, innovation,** newfangled device *or* contraption [informal], **new** *or* **latest wrinkle** [informal], **the last word** *or* **the latest thing** [both informal], *dernier cri* [Fr]; what's happening, what's in, the in thing [all informal]; new look, latest fashion *or* fad; advance guard, vanguard, **avant-garde.**

.3 **modernity,** modernness; modernism; modernization, updating, *aggiornamento* [Ital].

.4 **modern,** modern man; modernist; modernizer; neologist, neoterist, neology, neologism, neoterism, neoteric; modern *or* rising *or* new generation; neonate, fledgling, stripling, *novus homo* [L], new man, upstart, arriviste, *nouveau riche* [Fr], par-

venu; Young Turk, bright young man, comer [informal].

.5 VERBS **innovate, invent, coin,** new-mint, mint, inaugurate, neologize, neoterize; **renew,** renovate 694.17.

.6 **modernize,** streamline; update, **bring up to date,** move with the times.

.7 ADJS **new,** young, neoteric, ne(o)–, nov(o)–; **fresh,** fresh as a daisy, fresh as the morning dew; **unused, firsthand, original;** untried, untouched, unhandled, unhandseled, untrodden, unbeaten; virgin, virginal, intact, maiden, maidenly; green, vernal; dewy, pristine, ever-new, sempervirent, evergreen; immature, undeveloped, raw, callow, fledgling, unfledged, nestling.

.8 **fresh, additional, further,** other, another; **renewed.**

.9 **new-made,** new-built, new-wrought, new-shaped, new-mown, new-minted, new-coined, uncirculated, in mint condition, mint, new-begotten, new-grown, new-laid; **newborn,** new-fledged; **new-model,** late-model, like new, factory-new.

.10 [informal terms] **brand-new,** fire-new, **brand-spanking new,** spanking, **spanking new; just out,** hot off the fire *or* griddle *or* spit, hot off the press; newfangled *or* newfangle.

.11 **novel, original, unique, different;** strange, unusual, uncommon; unfamiliar, unheard-of.

.12 **recent, late,** newly come, of yesterday; latter, later; cen(o)– *or* caen(o)–, –cene.

.13 **modern, contemporary, present-day,** present-time, twentieth-century; now [informal], **newfashioned,** fashionable, modish, mod, *à la mode* [Fr], **up-to-date,** up-to-datish, **up-to-the-minute, in,** abreast of the times; **advanced,** progressive, forward-looking, avant-garde; **ultramodern,** ultra-ultra, ahead of its time, far out, way out, modernistic, modernized, streamlined.

.14 **newest, latest,** last, most recent, newest of the new, farthest out.

.15 ADVS **newly,** freshly, new, **anew,** once more, from the ground up, from scratch [informal], *ab ovo* [L], *de novo* [L], **afresh, again;** as new.

.16 **now, recently, lately,** latterly, **of late,** not long ago, a short time ago, the other day, only yesterday; just now, right now [informal].

123. OLDNESS

.1 NOUNS **oldness, age,** eld [archaic], hoary eld; elderliness, seniority, senility, old age 126.5; **ancientness, antiquity,** dust of ages, rust *or* cobwebs of antiquity; venerableness, eldership, primogeniture, great *or* hoary age, "the ancient and honourable" [Bible], inveteracy; old order, old style, *ancien régime* [Fr]; **primitiveness,** primordialism *or* primordiality, aboriginality; atavism.

.2 **tradition, custom,** common law, **immemorial usage;** Sunna [Muslim]; Talmud, Mishnah [both Jewish], ancient wisdom, ways of the fathers; traditionalism *or* traditionality; myth, mythology, legend, lore, folklore, folktale, folk motif; racial memory, archetypal myth *or* image *or* pattern, "Spiritus Mundi" [Yeats].

.3 **antiquation, superannuation,** staleness, disuse; **old-fashionedness,** unfashionableness, out-of-dateness; **old-fogyishness,** fogyishness, stuffiness, stodginess, fuddy-duddiness.

.4 **antiquarianism;** classicism, medievalism, Pre-Raphaelitism, longing *or* yearning *or* nostalgia for the past; **archaeology** 123.22; **archaism.**

.5 **antiquarian,** antiquary, *laudator temporis acti* [L], dryasdust, the Rev. Dr. Dryasdust, Jonathan Oldbuck [both Sir Walter Scott], Herr Teufelsdröckh [Carlyle]; **archaeologist** 123.23; classicist, medievalist, Miniver Cheevy [E. A. Robinson], Pre-Raphaelite; antique dealer, antique collector, antique-car collector; archaist.

.6 **antiquity, antique,** archaism; **relic,** relic of the past, reliquiae [pl]; **remains,** survival, vestige, ruin *or* ruins; **fossil,** –ite, necr(o)–, oryct(o)–; petrification, petrified wood, petrified forest; **artifact,** eolith, mezzolith, microlith, neolith, paleolith, plateaulith; cave painting, petroglyph; ancient manuscript 602.11.

.7 **ancient,** man of old, **prehistoric man** 123.25; preadamite, antediluvian; anthropoid, humanoid, primate, fossil man, protohuman, prehuman, missing link, apeman, hominid, Hominidae [pl]; **primitive, aboriginal,** aborigine, bushman, autochthon; **caveman,** cave dweller, troglodyte; Stone Age man, Bronze Age man, Iron Age man.

.8 (antiquated person) back number [informal]; pop *or* pops *or* dad [all informal], dodo *or* old dodo [both informal]; fossil *or* antique *or* relic [all informal]; **moss-**

back [informal], longhair *or* square [both informal], **mid-Victorian,** antediluvian; old liner, old believer, conservative, traditionalist, reactionary; has-been; fogy, **old fogy,** regular old fogy, old poop *or* crock [informal], **fud** *or* **fuddy-duddy** [both informal]; granny [informal], **old woman,** matriarch; **old man,** patriarch, elder, *starets* [Russ], old-timer [informal], Methuselah.

.9 VERBS **age,** grow old 126.10; **antiquate,** fossilize, date, **superannuate,** outdate; obsolesce, go out of use *or* style, molder, fust, rust, fade, perish, lose currency *or* novelty; become obsolete *or* extinct; belong to the past, be a thing of the past.

.10 ADJS **old, age-old,** auld [Scot], olden [archaic], old-time; **ancient, antique,** venerable, hoary; archae(o)– *or* archeo–, eo–, pale(o)–, proto–; of old, of yore; dateless, timeless, ageless; **immemorial,** old as Methuselah *or* Adam, old as history, old as time, old as the hills; **elderly** 126.16.

.11 **primitive,** prime, **primeval,** primogenial, primordial, pristine, atavistic; **aboriginal,** autochthonous; primoprimitive; ancestral, patriarchal; **prehistoric,** protohistoric, preglacial, preadamite, antepatriarchal; prehuman, protohuman, humanoid.

.12 **traditional;** mythological, heroic; **legendary,** unwritten, oral, handed down; true-blue, tried and true; **prescriptive, customary,** conventional, understood, admitted, recognized, acknowledged, received; **hallowed, time-honored,** immemorial; **venerable,** hoary, worshipful; **long-standing, of long standing,** long-established, established, fixed, inveterate, rooted; folk, of the folk.

.13 **antiquated,** grown old, **superannuated, antique, archaic,** age-encrusted, of other times, old-world; Victorian, mid-Victorian; classical, medieval, Gothic; antediluvian; fossil, fossilized, petrified.

.14 **stale, fusty, musty,** rusty, dusty, moldy, mildewed; **worn, timeworn,** time-scarred; **moth-eaten,** moss-grown, crumbling, moldering, gone to seed, dilapidated, ruined, ruinous.

.15 **obsolete, passé, extinct,** gone out, **dated, out,** out of style *or* use, gone-by, dead, disused, past, run out, **outworn.**

.16 **old-fashioned,** oldfangled, old-timey [informal], **out-of-date, dated,** outdated, **outmoded,** out of fashion, out of season, **unfashionable,** styleless, **behind the times,** of the old school, old hat [informal], back-number [informal], black-letter, has-been [informal].

.17 **old-fogyish,** fogyish, old-fogy; fuddy-duddy, **stuffy, stodgy;** senile, bent *or* wracked *or* ravaged with age.

.18 **secondhand, used,** worn, **unnew,** not new, pawed-over; hand-me-down *or* reach-me-down [both informal].

.19 **older,** senior, Sr., major, elder; **oldest,** eldest; first-born, firstling, primogenitary; former 119.10.

.20 **archaeological,** paleological; antiquarian; paleolithic, eolithic, neolithic, mezzolithic.

.21 ADVS anciently 119.16.

.22 **archaeology**

Assyriology
Egyptology
epigraphy
fossilology
human paleontology
micropaleontology
palaeography
palaeosophy
palaeotypography
palaetiology
paleethnology
paleoanthropography
paleoanthropology
paleobiogeography
paleobiology
paleobotany
paleochorology
paleoclimatology
paleocosmology
paleodendrology
paleoecology
paleoeremology
paleoethnography
paleoethnology
paleogeography
paleoglaciology
paleography
paleoherpetology
paleohistology
paleohydrography
paleolatry
paleolimnology
paleolithy
paleology
paleomammology
paleometeorology
paleontography
paleontology
paleopathology
paleophysiography
paleophysiology
paleophytology
paleopotamology
paleopsychology
paleornithology
paleozoology
prehistoric anthropology
prehistoric archaeology
prehistory
protohistory
Sumerology
underwater archaeology

.23 **archaeologists**

Assyriologist
Egyptologist
epigrapher, epigraphist
fossilologist
palaeotypographist
palaetiologist
paleethnographer
paleethnologist
paleoanthropologist
paleobiologist
paleobotanist
paleochorologist
paleoclimatologist
paleodentrologist
paleoecologist
paleoethnologist
paleoglaciologist
paleographer, paleographist
paleoherpetologist
paleolithist
paleologist
paleomammologist
paleometeorologist
paleontologist
paleophysiologist
paleophytologist
paleornithologist
paleozoologist
prehistorian
protohistorian
Sumerologist
underwater archaeologist

.24 **Stone Age cultures**

Acheulean
Aurignacian
Azilian
Chellean

Combe-Capelle
Cro-Magnon
Eolithic
Magdalenian
Mousterian
Neolithic
Paleolithic
Pre-Chellean
Solutrean

.25 prehistoric men and manlike primates

Aurignacian man
Australanthropus
Australopithecus
Brünn race
caveman
Cro-Magnon man
Dawn man (the Piltdown hoax)
eolithic man
Florisbad man
Furfooz *or* Grenelle man
Galley Hill man
Gigantopithecus
Grimaldi man
Heidelberg man
Java man
Meganthropus
Neanderthal man
neolithic man
Oreopithecus
paleolithic man
Paranthropus
Peking man
Piltdown man (hoax)
Pithecanthropus
Plesianthropus
Rhodesian man
Sinanthropus
Stone Age man
Swanscombe man
Zinjanthropus

.26 prehistoric animals (including types of dinosaurs)

allosaur(us)
ammonite
anatosaur(us)
ankylosaur(us)
apatosaur(us)
archaeohippus
archaeopteryx
archaeornis
archaeotherium
archelon
arthrodiran
atlantosaur(us)
aurochs
bothriolepis
brachiosaur(us)
brontops
brontosaur(us)
brontothere
camarasaur(us)
ceratopsid
ceratosaur(us)
cetiosaur(us)
coccostean
coelodont
compsognathus
coryphodon
cotylosaur
creodont
crossopterygian
cynodictis
diatryma
dimetrodon
dinichthyid
dinothere
diplodocus
dipnoan
duck-billed dinosaur
edaphosaurid
elasmosaur(us)
eohippus
eryopsid
eurypterid
giant sloth
glyptodont
gorgosaur(us)
hadrosaur(us)
hesperornis
hoplophoneus
hyaenodon
hyracodont
hyracothere
ichthyornis
ichthyosaur(us)
iguanodon(t)
imperial mammoth *or* elephant
labyrinthodont
machairodont
mammoth
mastodon
megalosaur(us)
megathere
merodus
merychippus
merycoidodon
merycopotamus
mesohippus
miacis
mosasaurus
nummulite
ornithomimid
ornithopod
ostracoderm
palaeodictyopteron
palaeomastodon
palaeoniscid
palaeophis
palaeosaur
palaeospondylus
pelycosaur
phytosaur
plesiosaur(us)
protoceratops
protohippus
protylopus
pteranodon
pteraspid
pterichthys
pterodactyl, pterosaur
rhamphorhynchus
saber-toothed tiger *or* cat
sauropod
scelidosaur(us)
smilodon
stegocephalian
stegodon
stegosaur(us)
struthiomimus
teleoceras
therapsid
theriodont
theropod
titanosaur(us)
titanothere
trachodon
triceratops
trilobite
tyrannosaur(us)
uintathere
urus
woolly *or* northern mammoth

124. YOUTH

.1 NOUNS **youth,** youthhood, youthhead [Scot], **youthfulness,** youthiness [Scot], **juvenility,** juvenescence, **youngness,** tenderness, tender age, early years, school age, *jeunesse* [Fr], prime of life, flower of life, salad days, springtime *or* springtide of life, seedtime of life, flowering time, bloom, florescence, budtime, "the very May-morn of his youth" [Shakespeare], "the summer of your youth" [Edward Moore], "the red sweet wine of youth" [Rupert Brooke], golden season of life, "the glad season of life" [Carlyle], heyday of youth *or* of the blood, young blood, "my burning youth" [Yeats], "my green age" [Dylan Thomas].

.2 **childhood,** "childhood's careless days" [William Cullen Bryant]; **boyhood; girlhood,** maidenhood *or* maidenhead; puppyhood, calfhood; subteens, pre-teens.

.3 **immaturity, undevelopment,** inexperience, **callowness, unripeness,** greenness, rawness, sappiness, freshness, juiciness, dewiness; **minority,** juniority, infancy, nonage.

.4 **childishness,** childlikeness, **puerility; boyishness,** boylikeness; **girlishness,** girllikeness, maidenliness.

.5 **infancy, babyhood,** incunabula, the cradle, the nursery, "my Angel-infancy" [Henry Vaughn].

.6 **adolescence,** maturescence, pubescence, **puberty;** nubility.

.7 **teens,** teen age, **awkward age,** age of growing pains [informal].

.8 VERBS make young, youthen; **rejuvenate,** reinvigorate.

.9 ADJS **young,** youngling, **juvenile,** juvenal, juvenescent, **youthful,** youthy [Scot], youthlike, in the flower *or* bloom of youth, florescent, flowering; "towering in confidence of twenty one" [Samuel Johnson].

.10 **immature,** unadult, impubic, inexperienced; unseasoned, unfledged, newfledged, **callow, unripe,** ripening, unmellowed, **raw, green,** vernal, primaveral,

dewy, juicy, sappy, budding, tender, virginal, intact, innocent, naïve, ingenuous, **undeveloped,** growing, unformed, unlicked, not dry behind the ears; **minor,** underage.

.11 **childish,** childlike, kiddish [informal], **puerile; boyish,** boylike, beardless; **girlish,** girllike, maiden, maidenly; puppyish, puppylike, puplike, calflike, coltish, coltlike.

.12 **infant,** infantine, **infantile; babyish,** babish, baby; dollish, doll-like; kittenish, kittenlike; **newborn,** neonatal; in the cradle *or* crib *or* nursery, in swaddling clothes, in diapers, in nappies [Brit], in arms, at the breast.

.13 **adolescent,** maturescent, pubescent, hebe–; nubile.

.14 **teen-age,** teen-aged, teenish, **in one's teens;** sweet sixteen [slang].

.15 **junior,** Jr.; **younger,** puisne.

.16 PHRS "Young men are fitter to invent than to judge" [Francis Bacon]; "To be young is to be one of the Immortals" [W. C. Hazlitt], "To be young was very Heaven!" [Wordsworth].

125. YOUNGSTER

.1 NOUNS **youngster,** young person, **youth, juvenile,** youngling, young'un [dial], juvenal [archaic]; **stripling,** slip, sprig, sapling; fledgling; hopeful, young hopeful; **minor,** infant; **adolescent,** pubescent; **teenager,** teener, teenybopper [informal]; junior, younger, youngest, baby; –ling.

.2 **young people, youth,** young, **younger generation,** rising *or* new generation, young blood, young fry [informal], *ragazze* [Ital]; **children,** tots, childkind; small fry, **kids, little kids,** little guys [all informal]; boyhood, girlhood; babyhood.

.3 **child,** ped(o)– *or* paed(o)–, bairn [Scot]; nipper, **kid** [informal], **little one,** little fellow *or* guy, little bugger [slang], shaver *or* little shaver [both informal], little squirt [slang], **tot, little tot,** wee tot, peewee, tad *or* little tad, mite, chit [informal]; innocent, little innocent; darling, cherub, lamb, lambkin, kitten, **offspring** 171.3.

.4 **brat, urchin; minx, imp,** puck, elf, gamin, little monkey, **whippersnapper,** young whippersnapper, *enfant terrible* [Fr], little terror, holy terror; spoiled brat; snotnose kid [slang]; juvenile delinquent, JD [slang], punk, punk kid [both slang].

.5 **boy, lad,** laddie, **youth,** manchild, young man, *garçon* [Fr], *muchacho* [Sp], fledgling, hobbledehoy; fellow 420.5; pup, puppy, whelp, cub, colt; master; sonny, sonny boy; bud *or* buddy [both informal]; bub *or* bubba [both informal]; buck, young buck; schoolboy.

.6 **girl,** girlie [informal], **maid, maiden, lass,** girlchild, **lassie,** young thing, young creature, **damsel,** damoiselle, demoiselle, *jeune fille* [Fr], *mademoiselle* [Fr], *muchacha* [Sp], miss, missy, little missy, slip, wench [dial or slang], colleen; **gal,** dame, **chick,** tomato, **babe** *or* baby, **broad,** frail, **doll,** skirt, jill, cutie, filly, heifer [all slang]; **schoolgirl,** schoolmaid, schoolmiss, junior miss, subteen, subteener; subdebutante, subdeb [informal]; bobbysoxer [informal], teenybopper [informal], **tomboy,** hoyden, romp; piece [slang], nymphet; virgin.

.7 **infant, baby, babe,** *bambino* [Ital], little darling *or* angel *or* doll *or* cherub, bouncing baby, puling infant, mewling infant, babykins [informal], baby bunting; papoose; **toddler; suckling,** nursling, fosterling, weanling; neonate; yearling, yearold; premature baby, preemie [informal], incubator baby; preschooler.

.8 (animals) **fledgling,** birdling, nestling; **chick,** chicky, chickling; **pullet,** fryer; **duckling;** gosling; **kitten,** kit, catling; **pup,** puppy, whelp; **cub; calf,** dogie, weaner; **colt,** foal; piglet, pigling, shoat; **lamb,** lambkin; kid, yeanling; fawn; **tadpole,** polliwog; litter, nest 171.2.

.9 (plants) **sprout, seedling,** set; sucker, shoot, slip; **twig,** sprig, scion, sapling.

.10 (insects) **larva, chrysalis,** aurelia, **cocoon,** pupa; nymph, nympha; wriggler, wiggler; caterpillar, maggot, grub.

126. AGE

(time of life)

.1 NOUNS **age,** years, "the days of our years", "measure of my days" [both Bible], "slow-consuming age" [Thomas Gray], "a tyrant, which forbids the pleasures of youth on pain of death" [La Rochefoucauld].

.2 **maturity, adulthood, majority,** adultness, grown-upness, fullgrownness, mature age, legal age, voting age, driving age, drinking age, *legalis homo* [L]; age of consent; ripe age, riper years, full age *or* growth *or* bloom, flower of age, prime, prime of life, age of responsibility, age *or* years of discretion, age of matured powers; **manhood,** man's estate, virility; *toga virilis*

[L], manlihood; **womanhood,** womanlihood.

.3 **seniority, eldership,** deanship, primogeniture.

.4 **middle age,** middle life, meridian of life, the middle years, the wrong side of forty, the dangerous age.

.5 **old age, oldness,** eld [archaic], **elderliness,** senectitude, advanced age *or* years; geront(o)–, presby(o)–; superannuation, pensionable age, age of retirement; **ripe old age,** the golden years, senior citizenship, hoary age, gray *or* white hairs, vale of years, crabbed age, "an incurable disease" [Seneca]; **decline of life,** declining years, "the downward slope" [Seneca], the shady side [informal]; "the sere, the yellow leaf", "the silver livery of advised age" [both Shakespeare], "a crown of glory" [Bible]; sunset *or* twilight *or* evening *or* autumn *or* winter of one's days; **decrepitude,** ricketiness, infirm old age, infirmity of age, infirmity, debility, caducity, feebleness; dotage, second childhood; senility 469.10, anility; green *or* hale old age, longevity.

.6 **maturation,** maturescence, **development,** mellowing, ripening, seasoning, tempering; **aging,** senescence.

.7 **change of life, menopause,** climacteric, grand climacteric.

.8 **geriatrics,** gerontology.

.9 VERBS **mature, grow up,** grow, **develop, ripen,** mellow, season, temper; flower, bloom; fledge, leave the nest, **come of age,** come to maturity, attain majority, **reach one's majority,** reach twenty-one, reach voting age, reach the age of consent, reach manhood *or* womanhood, write oneself a man, come to *or* into man's estate, put on long trousers *or* pants, assume the *toga virilis,* come into years of discretion, be in the prime of life, cut one's wisdom teeth *or* eyeteeth [informal], have sown one's wild oats, settle down; put up one's hair, not be in pigtails.

.10 **age, grow old,** get on *or* along, **get on** *or* **along in years,** turn gray *or* white; **decline,** wane, fade, fail, sink, waste away; **dodder,** totter, shake; wither, wrinkle, shrivel, wizen; **live to a ripe old age,** cheat the undertaker [informal]; be in one's dotage *or* second childhood.

.11 **have had one's day,** have seen one's day *or* best days, **have seen better days; show one's age,** show marks of age, have one foot in the grave.

.12 ADJS **adult, mature,** old, **of age,** out of one's teens, big, grown, **grown-up;** old enough to know better; **marriageable,** of marriageable age, marriable, nubile; maturescent.

.13 **mature, ripe,** of full *or* ripe age, **developed,** fully developed, **full-grown,** full-fledged, full-blown, in full bloom, in one's prime; **mellow** *or* mellowed, seasoned, tempered, aged.

.14 **middle-aged,** mid-life, *entre deux âges* [Fr], fortyish, matronly.

.15 **past one's prime,** on the shady side [informal], overblown, overripe, of a certain age, over the hill [informal]; "fall'n into the sere, the yellow leaf" [Shakespeare].

.16 **aged, elderly, old,** grown old, in years, **along in years,** years old, advanced, advanced in life *or* years, **at an advanced age, ancient,** senectuous, **venerable,** old as Methuselah *or* as the hills; patriarchal; hoary, hoar, **gray,** white, gray- *or* white-headed, gray- *or* white-haired, gray- *or* white-crowned, gray- *or* white-bearded, gray *or* white with age; wrinkled; wrinkly, with crow's feet, marked with the crow's foot.

.17 **aging,** growing old, senescent, **getting on** *or* **along,** getting on *or* along in years, not as young as one used to be, long in the tooth; **declining,** sinking, waning, fading, wasting, doting.

.18 **stricken in years, decrepit, infirm,** weak, debilitated, feeble, gerontic *or* gerontal, timeworn, the worse for wear, rusty, moth-eaten *or* mossbacked [slang], fossilized, wracked *or* ravaged with age, run to seed; **doddering,** doddery, doddered, tottering, tottery, rickety, shaky, palsied; on one's last legs, with one foot in the grave; **wizened,** crabbed, **withered,** shriveled, like a prune, mummylike, papery-skinned; senile 469.23, anile.

127. ADULT OR OLD PERSON

.1 NOUNS **adult, grownup,** mature man *or* woman, grown man *or* woman, no chicken [informal]; **man, woman;** major, *legalis homo* [L].

.2 **old man, elder,** presbyter [eccl], older, **oldster** [informal]; golden-ager, senior citizen; old chap, old party, **old gentleman,** old gent [informal], old codger [informal], geezer *or* old geezer [both slang], gramps [slang], gaffer, old duffer [informal], old dog [informal], old-timer [informal], dotard, veteran, pantaloon; **patriarch,** graybeard, reverend *or* venerable sir;

grandfather 170.11, grandsire; Father Time, Methuselah, Nestor, Old Paar; sexagenarian, septuagenarian, octogenarian, nonagenarian, centenarian; "the quiet-voiced elders" [T. S. Eliot], "a paltry thing, a tattered coat upon a stick" [Yeats].

.3 **old woman, old lady,** dowager, granny, old granny, dame, **grandam,** grammer [Brit dial], trot *or* old trot [both dial]; old dame *or* hen *or* bag *or* girl [slang]; old battle-ax [slang], war-horse [informal]; **crone,** hag, witch, beldam, frump [informal], old wife; grandmother 170.12.

.4 (elderly couples) Darby and Joan, Baucis and Philemon.

.5 **senior,** Sr., *senex* [L], **elder,** older; dean, *doyen* [Fr], *doyenne* [Fr]; father, sire; firstling, first-born, **eldest,** oldest.

.6 VERBS mature 126.9; grow old 126.10.

.7 ADJS mature 126.12; middle-aged 126.14; aged 126.16, older 123.19.

128. SEASON

(time of year)

.1 NOUNS **season,** time of year, season of the year, "the measure of the year" [Keats], **period,** annual period; dry *or* rainy *or* cold season, dead *or* off season; theatrical *or* opera *or* concert season; **social season,** the season; baseball season, football season, basketball season, etc.; seasonality, periodicity 137.2; **seasonableness** 129.1.

.2 **spring,** springtide, **springtime,** seedtime *or* budtime, Maytime, Eastertide; *primavera* [Ital], prime, prime of the year, "the boyhood of the year" [Tennyson], "Sweet Spring, full of sweet days and roses" [George Herbert], "Daughter of heaven and earth, coy Spring" [Emerson], "the time of the singing of birds" [Bible], "when the hounds of spring are on winter's traces" [Swinburne].

.3 **summer,** summertide, **summertime,** good old summertime; growing season; midsummer; **dog days,** canicular days.

.4 **autumn, fall,** fall of the year, fall of the leaf, harvest, harvest time, harvest home; "Season of mists and mellow fruitfulness!" [Keats].

.5 **Indian summer,** St. Martin's summer, St. Luke's summer, little summer of St. Luke, St. Austin's *or* St. Augustine's summer, "the dead Summer's soul" [Mary Clemmer].

.6 **winter,** wintertide, **wintertime,** "ruler of th' inverted year" [William Cowper]; midwinter; Christmastime *or* Christmastide, Yule *or* Yuletide.

.7 **equinox,** vernal equinox, autumnal equinox; **solstice,** summer solstice, winter solstice.

.8 ADJS **seasonal,** in *or* out of season, in season and out of season; **spring,** springlike, vernal; **summer,** summery, summerly, summerlike, canicular, aestival; midsummer; **autumn,** autumnal; **winter,** wintry, wintery, hibernal, hiemal, brumal, boreal, arctic 333.14, winterlike; midwinter; equinoctial, solstitial.

129. TIMELINESS

.1 NOUNS **timeliness, seasonableness, opportuneness,** convenience; **expedience,** meetness, fittingness, fitness, appropriateness, rightness, propriety, suitability; **favorableness, propitiousness,** auspiciousness, felicitousness; **ripeness,** pregnancy, crucialness, criticality, loadedness, chargedness.

.2 **opportunity, chance, time, occasion; opening,** room, scope, place, liberty; clear stage, fair field, fair game; opportunism; a leg up, stepping-stone, rung of the ladder; time's forelock.

.3 **good opportunity, good chance,** favorable opportunity, golden opportunity, well-timed opportunity; suitable occasion, proper occasion, suitable *or* proper time, **good time,** high time, due season; well-chosen moment.

.4 **crisis, critical point,** crunch, crucial period, climacteric; **turning point,** hinge, turn, turn of the tide; **emergency, exigency,** juncture *or* conjuncture *or* convergence of events, critical juncture, crossroads; **pinch,** clutch [informal], rub, push, pass, strait, extremity.

.5 **crucial moment,** critical moment, loaded *or* charged moment, decisive moment, kairotic moment, kairos, pregnant moment, moment of truth; **psychological moment;** nick of time, eleventh hour; **zero hour,** H hour, D day, A-day, target date, deadline.

.6 VERBS **be timely,** suit *or* befit the time *or* season *or* occasion.

.7 **take the opportunity,** use the occasion, take the chance; take the bit in the teeth, leap into the breach, take the bull by the horns, **make one's move,** cross the Rubicon, *prendre la balle au bond* [Fr, take the ball on the rebound]; **commit oneself,** make an opening, drive an entering wedge.

.8 **improve the occasion,** "improve each

shining hour" [Isaac Watts], turn to account *or* good account, avail oneself of, **take advantage of,** put to advantage, profit by, **cash in** *or* **capitalize on;** take time by the forelock, seize the present hour, seize the day, *carpe diem* [L; Horace], make hay while the sun shines; strike while the iron is hot; not be caught flatfooted, not be behindhand.

.9 ADJS **timely, well-timed, seasonable, opportune,** convenient; **expedient,** meet, fit, fitting, befitting, suitable, sortable, appropriate; **favorable,** propitious, ripe, auspicious, lucky, providential, fortunate, happy, felicitous.

.10 **critical, crucial,** pivotal, climacteric(al), decisive; pregnant, kairotic, loaded, charged; exigent, emergent.

.11 **incidental, occasional, casual,** accidental; parenthetical, by-the-way.

.12 ADVS **opportunely, seasonably, propitiously,** auspiciously, in proper time *or* season, in due time *or* course *or* season, in the fullness of time, **in good time,** all in good time; in the nick of time, just in time, at the eleventh hour; now or never.

.13 **incidentally, by the way, by the by; while on the subject,** speaking of, *à propos* [Fr], apropos *or* apropos of; **in passing,** *en passant* [Fr]; parenthetically, by way of parenthesis, *par parenthèse* [Fr]; for example, *par exemple* [Fr].

130. UNTIMELINESS

.1 NOUNS **untimeliness, unseasonableness,** inopportuneness, inopportunity, unripeness, inconvenience, intempestivity; **inexpedience,** inappropriateness, irrelevance, impropriety, unfitness, unfittingness, wrongness, unsuitability; **unfavorableness,** unfortunateness, inauspiciousness, unpropitiousness, infelicity; **intrusion,** interruption; **prematurity** 131.2; **lateness** 132, thinking of it later, *esprit d'escalier* [Fr].

.2 **wrong time, bad time,** unsuitable time, unfortunate time, poor timing; evil hour, unlucky day *or* hour, off-year, contretemps.

.3 VERBS not have time, have other *or* better things to do, be otherwise occupied, be engaged, be preoccupied, have other fish to fry [informal].

.4 **ill-time, mistime.**

.5 **talk out of turn,** speak inopportunely, interrupt, **put one's foot in one's mouth** [informal], intrude, butt in [informal], **go off half-cocked** [informal], open one's big mouth *or* big fat mouth [slang], blow it [slang], speak too late *or* too soon.

.6 **miss an opportunity, miss the chance, miss the boat,** lose the opportunity, ignore opportunity's knock, lose the chance, blow the chance [slang], throw away *or* waste *or* neglect the opportunity, allow the occasion to go by, let slip through one's fingers, be left at the starting gate *or* post, oversleep, lock the barn door after the horse is stolen.

.7 ADJS **untimely, unseasonable, inopportune,** intempestive, **ill-timed,** ill-seasoned, mistimed, unripe, unready, ill-considered, too late *or* soon, out of phase *or* time; inconvenient, unhandy; **inappropriate,** irrelevant, improper, unfit, wrong, out of line, off base, unsuitable, **inexpedient,** unfitting, unbefitting, untoward, malapropos, *mal à propos* [Fr], intrusive; **unfavorable,** unfortunate, infelicitous, inauspicious, unpropitious, unhappy, unlucky; **premature** 131.8; **late** 132.16.

.8 ADVS **inopportunely, unseasonably,** inconveniently, inexpediently; **unpropitiously,** inauspiciously, unfortunately, in an evil hour, at just the wrong time.

131. EARLINESS

.1 NOUNS **earliness,** early hour, time to spare; head start, running start, ground floor, first crack, beginnings, first *or* early stage, very beginning; **anticipation, foresight,** prevision, prevenience; a stitch in time, readiness.

.2 **prematurity,** prematureness; **untimeliness** 130; precocity, **precociousness,** forwardness; precipitation, haste, hastiness, **overhastiness,** rush, impulse, impulsiveness.

.3 **promptness, promptitude, punctuality,** punctualness, readiness; instantaneousness 113, immediateness *or* immediacy, summariness, decisiveness, **alacrity, quickness** 269.1, speediness, swiftness, rapidity, expeditiousness, expedition, dispatch.

.4 **early bird** [informal], early riser, early comer, first arrival; **precursor** 66.

.5 VERBS **be early,** be ahead of time, take time by the forelock, be up and stirring, be beforehand *or* betimes, be ready and waiting, be off and running; gain time, draw on futurity *or* on the future.

.6 **anticipate, foresee,** foreglimpse, foretaste; **forestall,** forerun, go before, **get ahead of,** win the start, get a head start, steal a march on; **jump the gun,** go off half-cocked [informal]; take the words out of one's mouth.

.7 ADJS **early,** bright and early [informal], **beforetime,** in good time *or* season; **forehand,** forehanded; foresighted, **anticipative** *or* **anticipatory,** prevenient; fore–.

.8 **premature, too early, too soon,** oversoon; previous *or* a bit previous [both informal]; **untimely** 130.7; **precipitate,** hasty 113.5, **overhasty,** too soon off the mark, **unprepared,** unripe, impulsive, rushed, unmatured; unpremeditated, unmeditated, ill-considered, **half-cocked** *or* **half-baked** [both informal], unjelled, uncrystallized, not firm; **precocious, forward, advanced,** far ahead, born before one's time.

.9 **prompt, punctual, immediate, instant,** instantaneous 113.4, **quick** 269.19, speedy, swift, expeditious, summary, decisive, apt, alert, **ready,** Johnny on the spot [informal].

.10 **earlier,** previous 116.4.

.11 ADVS **early, beforehand, beforetime,** betimes, precociously, **ahead of time,** foresightedly, in advance, in anticipation, ahead, before, **with time to spare.**

.12 **in time, in good time, soon enough,** time enough, early enough; just in time, **in the nick of time,** with no time to spare, just under the wire, without a minute to spare.

.13 **prematurely, too soon, oversoon,** untimely, too early, before its *or* one's time; **precipitately,** impulsively, in a rush, hastily, **overhastily;** at half cock [informal].

.14 **punctually, precisely,** exactly, sharp; **on time,** on the minute *or* instant, to the minute *or* second, **on the dot** [informal], at the gun.

.15 **promptly, without delay,** without further delay, directly, **immediately,** immediately if not sooner [informal], **instantly** 113.6, instanter, on the instant, on the spot, **at once,** right off, **right away, straightway,** straightaway, **forthwith,** *pronto* [Sp], *subito* [Ital], PDQ *or* pretty damned quick [both slang], **quickly** 269.21–23, swiftly, speedily, with all speed, **summarily,** decisively, smartly, expeditiously, apace, in no time, in less than no time; no sooner said than done.

.16 **soon, presently, directly, shortly,** in a short time *or* while, **before long,** ere long, in no long time, in a while, **in a little while, after a while, by and by,** anon, betimes, *bientôt* [Fr], in due time, in due course, at the first opportunity; in a moment *or* minute, *tout à l'heure* [Fr].

132. LATENESS

.1 NOUNS **lateness, tardiness, belatedness, unpunctuality;** late hour, small hours; eleventh hour, last minute, high time; unreadiness, unpreparedness; untimeliness 130.

.2 **delay,** delayage, stoppage, jam *or* logjam [both informal], obstruction, tie-up [informal], bind [informal], **block,** blockage, **hang-up** [informal]; delayed reaction, double take, afterthought; **retardation** *or* retardance, slowdown *or* slow-up [both informal], slowness, lag, time lag, lagging, dragging; **detention,** suspension, holdup [informal], hindrance; **wait, halt, stay, stop,** pause, interim 109, respite; reprieve, stay of execution; moratorium; red tape, red-tapery, red-tapeism, bureaucratic delay, *paperasserie* [Fr].

.3 **waiting,** tarrying, **tarriance, lingering,** dawdling, dalliance, dallying, dillydallying.

.4 **postponement, deferment** *or* **deferral,** prorogation, putting-off, tabling; **prolongation,** protraction, continuation, extension of time; **adjournment** *or* adjournal.

.5 **procrastination,** hesitation 627.3; **temporization, a play for time, stall** [slang], mugwump, hold-off [informal]; Micawberism, Fabian policy; **dilatoriness,** slowness, backwardness, remissness, slackness, laxness.

.6 **latecomer,** late arrival; slow starter; late bloomer *or* developer; retardee; late riser.

.7 VERBS **be late, not be on time,** be overdue, be behindhand, show up late, miss the boat 130.6; keep everyone waiting; **stay late,** stay up late *or* into the small hours, burn the midnight oil, keep late hours; get up late, keep banker's hours; oversleep.

.8 **delay, retard, detain,** make late, slacken, lag, drag, slow down, **hold up** [informal], hold *or* keep back, check, **stay, stop,** arrest, impede, **block,** hinder, obstruct, confine; tie up with red tape.

.9 **postpone, delay, defer, put off,** stave off, shift off, hold off *or* up [informal], reserve, waive, **suspend,** hang up, stay, hang fire; protract, drag *or* stretch out [informal], **prolong, extend,** continue, adjourn, recess, take a recess, prorogue, prorogate; **hold over,** lay over, stand over, let the matter stand, **put aside,** lay *or* set *or* push aside, lay *or* set by, **table,** lay on the table, pigeonhole, **shelve,** put on the shelf,

put on ice [informal]; consult one's pillow about, sleep on.

.10 **be left behind,** be outrun *or* outdistanced, make a slow start, be slow *or* late *or* last off the mark, be left at the post *or* starting gate; bloom *or* develop late.

.11 **procrastinate,** be dilatory, hesitate, hang, hang back, hang fire; **temporize,** gain *or* make time, **play for time,** drag one's feet [informal], hold off [informal]; **stall,** stall off, **stall for time,** stall *or* stooge around [slang]; talk against time, filibuster.

.12 **wait, delay, stay,** bide, abide, **bide** *or* **abide one's time, take one's time,** take time, mark time; **tarry, linger, loiter,** dawdle, dally, dillydally; hang around *or* about [informal], stick around [slang]; **hold on** [informal], sit tight [informal], hold one's breath; wait a minute *or* second; hold everything *or* hold your horses *or* keep your shirt on [all slang]; wait *or* stay up, sit up; wait and see, bide the issue, see which way the cat jumps, see how the cookie crumbles [informal]; wait for something to turn up; **await** 539.8.

.13 wait impatiently, sweat it out [slang], champ *or* chomp at the bit [informal].

.14 be kept waiting, be stood up [slang], be left; **kick** *or* **cool one's heels** [informal].

.15 **overstay,** overtarry.

.16 ADJS **late, belated, tardy,** slow, **behindhand,** never on time, backward, back, **overdue; untimely** 130.7; **unpunctual,** unready; latish; **delayed,** detained, **held up** [informal], **retarded, arrested,** blocked, **hung up** *or* in a bind [both informal], obstructed, stopped, jammed [informal]; in abeyance; delayed-action; moratory.

.17 **dilatory, delaying,** Micawberish; slow *or* late *or* last off the mark; **procrastinating,** procrastinative, procrastinatory; **lingering,** loitering, lagging, dallying, dillydallying, **slow,** sluggish, laggard, foot-dragging, shuffling, backward; easygoing, lazy, **lackadaisical; remiss,** slack, lax.

.18 later 117.4; last-minute, eleventh-hour, deathbed.

.19 ADVS **late, behind, behindhand, belatedly,** backward, slow, **behind time,** after time; far on, deep into; late in the day, at the last minute, at the eleventh hour, none too soon, in the nick of time.

.20 **tardily, slow, slowly,** deliberately, dilatorily, sluggishly, lackadaisically, leisurely, at one's leisure, lingeringly.

133. MORNING, NOON

.1 NOUNS **morning,** morn, morningtide, morning time, morntime, matins, waking time, **forenoon,** foreday; *ante meridiem* [L], **AM,** Ack Emma [Brit informal]; "dewy morn" [Byron], "incense-breathing morn" [Thomas Gray], "grey-eyed morn", "the morn, in russet mantle clad" [both Shakespeare], "rosy-finger'd morn" [Homer]; this morning, this AM [informal].

.2 Morning, Aurora, Eos; "daughter of the dawn" [Homer], "meek-eyed Morn, mother of dews" [James Thomson], "mild blushing goddess" [L. P. Smith].

.3 **dawn,** the dawn of day, dawning, **daybreak,** dayspring, day-peep, **sunrise, sunup** [informal], cockcrow(ing), cocklight [Brit dial], light 335, daylight, aurora; **break of day,** peep of day, **crack of dawn,** prime, prime of the morning, first blush *or* flush of the morning, brightening *or* first brightening; "the opening eyelids of the morn" [Milton], "vestibule of Day" [Bayard Taylor], "golden exhalations of the dawn" [Schiller]; chanticleer.

.4 **foredawn,** twilight, morning twilight, half-light, glow, dawnlight, first light, "the dawn's early light" [Francis Scott Key], crepuscule, aurora; **the small hours;** alpenglow.

.5 **noon, noonday,** noontide, nooning [dial], noontime, high noon, **midday,** meridian, *meridiem* [L], twelve o'clock, 1200 hours, eight bells, noonlight.

.6 ADJS **morning,** matin, matinal, matutinal, **antemeridian;** auroral, dawn, dawning.

.7 **noon,** noonday, noonish, **midday,** meridian, twelve-o'clock; noonlit.

.8 ADVS **in the morning,** before noon, mornings [informal]; at sunrise, at dawn, at dawn of day, at cockcrow, at first light, **at the crack of dawn;** with the sun, with the lark.

.9 at noon, at midday, at twelve-o'clock sharp.

134. EVENING, NIGHT

.1 NOUNS **afternoon,** *post meridiem* [L], **PM;** this afternoon, this aft [informal], this PM [informal].

.2 **evening,** eve, even, evensong, **eventide,** vesper; **close of day,** decline *or* fall of day, shut of day, gray of the evening, grayness 366, evening's close, when day is done; **nightfall, sunset, sundown,** setting sun, going down of the sun, cockshut

[dial]; shank of the afternoon *or* evening [informal], the cool of the evening; "the expiring day" [Dante], "evening's calm and holy hour" [S. G. Bulfinch], "the gray-hooded Ev'n" [Milton], "It is a beauteous evening, calm and free" [Wordsworth], "the pale child, Eve, leading her mother, Night" [Alexander Smith], "the evening is spread out against the sky / Like a patient etherized upon a table" [T. S. Eliot].

.3 **dusk,** duskingtide, dusk down [dial], **twilight,** crepuscule, crepuscular light, gloam, **gloaming,** glooming; brown of dusk, brownness 367, candlelight, candlelighting, owllight *or* owl's light, cocklight [Brit dial], "the pale dusk of the impending night" [Longfellow].

.4 **night, nighttime,** nighttide, **darkness** 337, blackness 365, "sable-vested Night, eldest of things" [Milton], "sable night", "dark-eyed night" [both Shakespeare], "cowlèd night" [Francis Thompson], "empress of silence, and the queen of sleep" [Christopher Marlowe]; dark of night, "the suit of night" [Shakespeare], "the mystic wine of Night" [Louis Untermeyer]; noct(o)– *or* nocti–, nyct(o)– *or* nycti–.

.5 eleventh hour, curfew, bedtime.

.6 **midnight, dead of night,** hush of night, witching hour of the night; "the very witching time of night" [Shakespeare], "noonday night", "outpost of advancing day" [both Longfellow].

.7 ADJS **afternoon,** postmeridian.

.8 **evening,** evensong, vesper, vespertine; **twilight,** twilighty, crepuscular; **dusk,** dusky; sunsetty.

.9 **nocturnal,** night, **nightly,** nighttime; nightlong, all-night; night-fallen; midnight.

.10 **benighted,** night-overtaken.

.11 ADVS **nightly,** nights [informal], at *or* by night; **overnight,** through the night, all through the night, nightlong, the whole night, all night.

135. FREQUENCY

.1 NOUNS **frequency,** frequence, **oftenness; commonness,** usualness, prevalence, **common occurrence,** routineness, habitualness; incidence, relative incidence.

.2 **constancy, continualness,** steadiness, sustainment, **regularity,** noninterruption *or* uninterruption, nonintermission *or* unintermission, incessancy, ceaselessness, constant flow, continuity 71; perpetuity 112; repetition 103; **rapidity** 269.1; rapid recurrence *or* succession, rapid *or* quick fire, tattoo, **staccato,** chattering, stuttering; pulsation, vibration, **oscillation** 323.

.3 VERBS be frequent, occur often, continue 71.4, recur 137.5, vibrate 323.10.

.4 ADJS **frequent,** oftentime, many, many times, **recurrent, oft-repeated,** thick-coming; **common,** of common occurrence, not rare, **prevalent,** usual, routine, habitual, ordinary, everyday; frequentative.

.5 **constant, continual** 71.8, **perennial; steady,** sustained, **regular; incessant, ceaseless, unceasing,** unintermitting, unintermittent *or* unintermitted, unremitting, unchanging, unvarying, uninterrupted, unstopped, unbroken; **perpetual** 112.7; repeated 103.12; **rapid** 269.19, **staccato,** stuttering, chattering, machine gun; pulsating, vibrating, **oscillating** 323.15.

.6 ADVS **frequently, commonly,** usually, ordinarily, routinely, habitually; **often,** oft, **oftentimes,** ofttimes; **repeatedly** 103.16, **again and again; most often** *or* frequently, in many instances, **many times,** many a time, full many a time, many a time and oft, as often as can be, as often as not; **in quick** *or* **rapid succession;** often enough, not infrequently, not seldom, unseldom; as often as you wish *or* like, whenever you wish *or* like.

.7 **constantly, continually** 71.10, **steadily,** sustainedly, **regularly,** right along [informal], unvaryingly, uninterruptedly, unintermittently, **incessantly,** unceasingly, **ceaselessly,** without cease *or* ceasing, perennially, at all times, ever, ever and anon, on and on, without letup *or* break *or* intermission, without stopping; **perpetually, always** 112.10–12; **rapidly** 269.21; every day, every hour, every moment; daily, hourly, daily and hourly; **night and day,** day and night; **morning, noon, and night;** hour after hour, day after day, month after month, year after year; **day in day out,** month in month out, year in year out.

136. INFREQUENCY

.1 NOUNS **infrequency,** infrequence, unfrequentness, **seldomness; occasionalness; rarity, scarcity, scarceness,** rareness, **uncommonness,** uniqueness, unusualness; **sparsity** 102.1; **slowness** 270.

.2 ADJS **infrequent,** unfrequent, **rare,** scarce, **uncommon,** unique, unusual, almost unheard-of, seldom met with, seldom seen, few and far between, **sparse** 102.5; **slow** 270.10.

.3 **occasional, casual, incidental; odd,** extra,

side, off, out-of-the-way, spare, spare-time, **part-time.**

.4 ADVS **infrequently,** unfrequently, **seldom, rarely, uncommonly,** scarcely, hardly, **scarcely** *or* **hardly ever,** very seldom, not often, only now and then, at infrequent intervals, unoften; **sparsely** 102.8.

.5 **occasionally,** on occasion, **sometimes, at times,** at odd times, every so often [informal], at various times, on divers occasions, **now and then,** every now and then [informal], **once in a while,** every once in a while [informal], once and again, once or twice, betweentimes, betweenwhiles, at intervals, **from time to time;** only occasionally, only when the spirit moves, only when necessary, only now and then, at infrequent intervals, once in a blue moon *or* once in a coon's age [both informal].

.6 **once, one time,** on one occasion, just *or* only once, just this once, once and no more, once for all, once and for all *or* always.

137. REGULARITY OF RECURRENCE

.1 NOUNS **regularity,** clockwork regularity, punctuality, smoothness, **steadiness, evenness, methodicalness,** systematicalness; **repetition** 103; **uniformity** 17; **constancy** 135.2.

.2 **periodicity,** periodicalness, piston motion, pendulum motion, regular wave motion, undulation, **pulsation; rhythm** 463.22, meter, beat; **oscillation** 323; **recurrence,** reoccurrence, reappearance, return, **cyclicalness,** seasonality; **intermittence** *or* intermittency, alternation.

.3 **round, revolution, rotation, cycle,** circle, wheel, **circuit; beat,** upbeat, downbeat, thesis, arsis, **pulse;** systole, diastole; course, series, **bout, turn,** spell 108.

.4 **anniversary, commemoration;** immovable feast, annual holiday; –ennial, biennial, triennial, quadrennial, quinquennial, sextennial, septennial, octennial, decennial, tricennial, jubilee, diamond jubilee; centennial, centenary; quasquicentennial; sesquicentennial; bicentennial, bicentenary; tercentennial, tercentenary; quincentennial, quincentenary; **wedding anniversary,** silver wedding anniversary, golden wedding anniversary; **birthday,** natal day; saint's day, name day; leap year, bissextile day; holy days 1040.15.

.5 VERBS (occur periodically) **recur, reoccur, return, repeat** 103.7, reappear, **come again,** come up again, be here again, **come round** *or* **around,** come round again, come in its turn; **rotate, revolve,** turn, circle, wheel, cycle, **roll around,** wheel around; **intermit,** alternate, **come and go;** undulate 323.11; **oscillate** 323.10, **pulse, pulsate** 323.12.

.6 ADJS **regular, systematic(al), methodical,** ordered, orderly, regular as clockwork; **uniform** 17.5; **constant** 135.5.

.7 **periodic(al), seasonal,** epochal, **cyclic(al),** serial, isochronal, metronomic; measured, steady, even, **rhythmic(al)** 463.28; **recurrent,** recurring, reoccurring; **intermittent,** reciprocal, alternate, every other; circling, wheeling, rotary, wavelike, undulant, undulatory, oscillatory 323.15, pulsing, beating 323.18.

.8 **momentary,** momently, **hourly; daily,** diurnal, quotidian; **weekly,** tertian, hebdomadal, hebdomadary; biweekly, semiweekly; fortnightly; **monthly,** menstrual, catamenial; bimonthly, semimonthly; quarterly; biannual, semiannual, semiyearly, semestral; **yearly, annual;** biennial, triennial, decennial, etc.; centennial, centenary, secular.

.9 ADVS **regularly, systematically, methodically,** like clockwork, at regular intervals, punctually, steadily; at stated times, at fixed *or* established periods; intermittently, every so often, every now and then; **uniformly** 17.7,8; **constantly** 135.7.

.10 **periodically, recurrently, seasonally,** cyclically, epochally; rhythmically, on the beat, in time, synchronously, **hourly, daily,** etc.; every hour, every day, etc.; hour by hour, day by day, etc.; from hour to hour, from day to day, *de die in diem* [L].

.11 **alternately, by turns, in turns, in rotation,** turn about, **turn and turn about,** reciprocally, every other, one after the other; to and fro, up and down, from side to side; off and on, make and break, round and round.

.12 **anniversaries, holidays**

Admission Day [Ariz & Cal]
Alaska Day
April Fools' *or* All Fools' Day
Arbor Day [US]
Armed Forces Day [US]
Armistice Day [US]
Army Day [US]
Bastille Day [France]
Battle of New Orleans Day [La]
Bennington Battle Day [Vt]
Bill of Rights Day [US]
Bird Day [US]
Boxing Day [England]
Bunker Hill Day [Boston]
Cinco de Mayo [Mexico Sp, Fifth of May]
Citizenship Day [US]
Colorado Day
Columbus Day [US]
Confederate Memo-

rial Day [US]
Constitution Day [US]
Davis' Birthday [US]
Decoration Day [US]
Defenders' Day [Md]
De Hostos' Birthday [Puerto Rico]
Dewali [India]
Discovery Day [Puerto Rico]
Dominion Day [Canada]
Double Ten [China]
Easter Monday [England]
Election Day [US]
Emancipation Day [Puerto Rico]
Empire Day [England]
Evacuation Day [Boston]
Father's Day [US]
Flag Day [US]
Forefathers' Day [New England]
Forrest's Birthday [Tenn]
Foundation Day [Canal Zone]
Fourth of July [US]
Groundhog Day [US]
Halifax Day [NC]
Halloween
Holi [India]
Ides of March
Inauguration Day [US]
Independence Day [US]
Jackson's Birthday [Tenn]
Kamehameha Day [Hawaii]
King's Birthday [England]
Kuhio Day [Hawaii]
Labor Day [US]
Lee-Jackson Day [Va]
Lee's Birthday [US]
Lenin Memorial Day [USSR]
Lincoln's Birthday [US]
Long's Birthday [La]
Loyalty Day [US]
Martin Luther King Day [US]
Maryland Day
May Day
Mecklenburg Day [NC]
Memorial Day [US]
Midsummer Day
Mother's Day [US]
National Aviation Day [US]
Navy Day [US]
Nevada Day
New Year's Day
New Year's Eve
Orangemen's Day [N Ireland]
Pan American Day [US]
Pascua Florida Day [Fla]
Patriots' Day [Maine & Mass]
Peach Festival [Japan]
Pioneer Day [Utah]
Queen's Birthday [England]
Remembrance Day [Canada]
Rhode Island Independence Day
Roosevelt Day [Ky]
Sadie Hawkins Day [US]
Saint David's Day
Saint Patrick's Day
Saint Swithin's Day
Saint Valentine's Day
San Jacinto Day [Texas]
Seward's Day [Alaska]
Sovereign's Birthday [Canada]
State Day [US]
Tet [Vietnam]
Texas Independence Day
Thanksgiving [US]
United Nations Day
V-E Day
Veterans' Day [US]
Victoria Day [Canada]
Victory Day [RI]
V-J Day
Washington's Birthday [US]
West Virginia Day
Wyoming Day

138. IRREGULARITY OF RECURRENCE

.1 NOUNS **irregularity,** unmethodicalness, unsystematicness; **inconstancy, unevenness, unsteadiness,** uncertainty, desultoriness; **variability,** capriciousness, unpredictability, whimsicality, eccentricity, stagger, wobble, erraticness; roughness; **fitfulness, sporadicity** *or* sporadicness, spasticity, jerkiness, fits and starts, patchiness, spottiness, choppiness, brokenness, disconnectedness, discontinuity 72; **intermittence, fluctuation; nonuniformity** 18; arrhythmia, fibrillation [both med].

.2 VERBS **intermit, fluctuate,** vary, lack regularity, go by fits and starts.

.3 ADJS **irregular,** unregular, unsystematic, unmethodical *or* immethodical; **inconstant, unsteady, uneven, unrhythmical,** unmetrical, rough, unequal, uncertain, unsettled; **variable,** deviative, heteroclite; **capricious, erratic,** eccentric, wobbly, wobbling, staggering, lurching, careening; **fitful, spasmodic,** spastic, spasmatic, spasmic, **jerky,** herky-jerky [slang], halting; **sporadic,** patchy, spotty, scrappy, snatchy, catchy, choppy, **broken, disconnected, discontinuous** 72.4; **nonuniform** 18.3; **intermittent,** intermitting, **desultory, fluctuating, wavering,** wandering, rambling, veering; flickering, guttering.

.4 ADVS **irregularly,** unsystematically, unmethodically; **inconstantly, unsteadily, unevenly,** unrhythmically, roughly, uncertainly; **variably,** capriciously, unpredictably, whimsically, eccentrically, wobblingly, lurchingly, erratically; **intermittently, disconnectedly, discontinuously** 72.5; **nonuniformly** 18.4; **brokenly, desultorily,** patchily, spottily, in spots, in snatches; **by fits and starts,** by fits, by jerks, by snatches, by catches; **fitfully, sporadically, jerkily, spasmodically,** haltingly; **off and on,** at irregular intervals, sometimes and sometimes not; when the mood strikes, when the spirit moves, at random.

139. CHANGE

.1 NOUNS **change, alteration, modification; variation,** variety, difference, diversity, diversification; **deviation,** diversion, **divergence; switch, turn,** turnabout, about-face, **reversal,** flip-flop [informal]; apostasy, defection, change of heart; **shift,** transition, **modulation,** qualification; **conversion, renewal,** revival, revivification; remaking, reshaping, re-creation, redesign, restructuring; realignment, **adaptation, adjustment,** accommodation, fitting; **reform,** reformation, **improvement,** amelioration, melioration, mitigation, constructive change, **betterment,** change for the better; gradual change, **continuity** 71; **degeneration, deterioration,** worsening, degenerative change, change for the worse; sudden change, radical *or* violent *or* total change, catastrophic change, up-

heaval, overthrow, **revolution, break,** break with the past, **discontinuity** 72; changeableness 141; "the ever whirling wheels of Change" [Spenser], "Nature's mighty law" [Robert Burns], "a sea-change / Into something rich and strange" [Shakespeare], "the changes and chances of this mortal life" [Book of Common Prayer].

.2 **transformation,** transmogrification [informal]; **translation; metamorphosis,** metamorphism; **mutation,** transmutation, permutation, **mutant,** mutated form, sport; **transfiguration** *or* transfigurement; metastasis, metathesis, transposition, translocation, **displacement,** heterotopia; **transubstantiation,** consubstantiation; transanimation, transmigration, reincarnation, avatar, metempsychosis; metasomatism, metasomatosis; catalysis; metabolism, anabolism, catabolism; metagenesis; transformism; –morphosis, –ody, –tropy.

.3 **innovation, introduction,** discovery, invention; neologism, coinage; **breakthrough,** leap, new phase; **novelty** 122.2.

.4 **transformer,** transmogrifier [informal]; **innovator,** innovationist, introducer; precursor 66; **alterant,** alterer, alterative, **agent,** catalytic agent, catalyst, **leaven,** yeast, ferment; **modifier,** modificator.

.5 VERBS **be changed, change, undergo a change,** go through a change, be converted into, turn into 145.17; **alter,** mutate, modulate; **vary,** checker, diversify; **deviate, diverge,** turn, **shift,** veer, jibe, tack, chop, chop and change, swerve, warp; **revive,** be renewed; **improve,** ameliorate, meliorate, mitigate; **degenerate, deteriorate, worsen;** turn aside, take a turn, turn the corner, bottom out [informal]; come about, come round *or* around, haul around; flop, break.

.6 (make a change) **change, work a change, alter;** mutate; **modify;** adapt; modulate, accommodate, adjust, fit, **qualify; vary, diversify; convert, renew, revamp** [informal], **revive;** remake, reshape, re-create, redesign, **rebuild,** reconstruct, restructure; realign; refit; **reform, improve,** better, ameliorate, meliorate, mitigate; turn upside down, subvert, overthrow, break up, worsen, deform, denature; ring the changes; give a turn to, give a twist to, turn the tide, turn the tables, turn the scale *or* balance; shift the scene; shuffle the cards; turn over a new leaf; reverse oneself; –en, –ify *or* –fy, –ize *or* –ise.

.7 **transform, transfigure, transmute,** transmogrify [informal]; **translate;** transubstantiate, metamorphose; metabolize.

.8 **innovate,** make innovations, invent, discover, **pioneer** 66.3, **revolutionize, introduce,** introduce new blood; neologize, coin.

.9 ADJS **changed, altered, modified,** qualified, **transformed,** transmuted, **metamorphosed;** translated, metastasized; deviant, mutant; divergent; **converted, renewed,** revived, **rebuilt; reformed,** improved, **better; degenerate, worse,** unmitigated; subversive, **revolutionary;** changeable 141.6,7.

.10 **innovational,** innovative.

.11 **metamorphic, metabolic,** anabolic, catabolic; metastatic, **catalytic;** blast(o)–, meta–, re–, trans–, trop(o)–; –tropic *or* –trophic.

140. PERMANENCE

.1 NOUNS **permanence** *or* permanency, **immutability, changelessness,** unchangingness, invariableness *or* invariability; **fixedness, constancy,** steadfastness, firmness, solidity, immovableness *or* immovability, persistence *or* persistency, **lastingness, abidingness, endurance,** duration, standing, long standing, inveteracy; durableness, durability 110; **perpetualness** 112.1; **stability** 142; **unchangeability** 142.4; **immobility,** stasis, frozenness, hardening, **rigidity; quiescence,** torpor.

.2 **maintenance, preservation** 701, **conservation.**

.3 **conservatism, conservativeness,** opposition *or* resistance to change, unprogressiveness, fogyism, backwardness, old-fashionedness, standpattism [informal], ultraconservatism; political conservatism, rightism 745.1; laissez-faireism 706.1; old school tie [Brit]; "adherence to the old and tried, against the new and untried" [Lincoln].

.4 **conservative,** conservatist; conservationist 701.4; ultraconservative, **diehard,** standpat *or* standpatter [both informal], **old fogy,** fogy, stick-in-the-mud [informal], mossback [informal], *laudator temporis acti* [L], **rightist, right-winger** 745.9, "the leftover progressive of an earlier generation" [Edmund Fuller]; old school.

.5 VERBS **remain, endure** 110.6, last, stay, persist, bide, abide, stand, hold, subsist; be ever the same.

.6 **be conservative,** oppose change, stand on ancient ways; stand pat *or* stand still [both informal]; **let things take their course,** leave things as they are, let be, let

or leave alone, let well enough alone, do nothing; stop *or* turn back the clock.

.7 ADJS **permanent, changeless, unchanging, immutable,** unvarying, unshifting; **unchanged,** unvaried, **unaltered,** inviolate, undestroyed, intact; **constant, persistent,** sustained, fixed, firm, solid, steadfast, like the Rock of Gibraltar; unchecked, unfailing, unfading; **lasting, enduring,** abiding, remaining, staying, continuing; **durable** 110.10; **perpetual** 112.7; stable 142.12; **unchangeable** 142.17; **immobile, static,** stationary, frozen, **rigid; quiescent,** torpid.

.8 **conservative, preservative,** old-line, **die-hard,** standpat [informal], opposed to change; backward, old-fashioned, **unprogressive,** nonprogressive; ultraconservative, fogyish, **old-fogyish; right-wing** 745.17.

.9 ADVS **permanently,** abidingly, lastingly, steadfastly, unwaveringly, changelessly, unchangingly; enduringly, **perpetually,** invariably, **always** 112.10–12; statically, rigidly, inflexibly.

.10 *in statu quo* [L], as things are, **as is, as usual,** as per usual [informal]; at a stand *or* standstill, without a shadow of turning.

.11 PHRS *plus ça change, plus c'est la même chose* [Fr, the more it changes, the more it's the same thing].

141. CHANGEABLENESS

.1 NOUNS **changeableness,** changefulness, **changeability, alterability,** modifiability; **mutability,** permutability, impermanence, **transience,** transitoriness; mobility, movability, plasticity, malleability, rubberiness, fluidity; **resilience, adaptability,** adjustability, **flexibility,** suppleness; **nonuniformity** 18.

.2 **inconstancy, instability,** unstableness, **unsteadiness,** unsteadfastness, unfixedness, unsettledness; **uncertainty,** undependability, inconsistency, shiftiness, unreliability; **variability,** variation, variety, restlessness, deviability; unpredictability, irregularity 138.1; **desultoriness,** waywardness, wantonness; **erraticism, eccentricity;** freakishness, freakery; flightiness, impulsiveness, mercuriality, moodiness, whimsicality, **capriciousness, fickleness** 629.2,3.

.3 **fluctuation,** vicissitude, **variation, alternation,** oscillation, **vacillation,** pendulation; **wavering,** shifting, shuffling, teetering, tottering, seesawing, teeter-tottering.

.4 (comparisons) Proteus, kaleidoscope, chameleon, shifting sands, rolling stone, April showers, cloud shapes; water; wheel of fortune; whirligig; mercury, quicksilver; the weather, weathercock, weather vane; moon, phases of the moon.

.5 VERBS **fluctuate, vary, alternate, vacillate,** oscillate, pendulate; ebb and flow, wax and wane; go through phases, **waver,** shift, shuffle, swing, sway, wobble, flounder, stagger, teeter, totter, **seesaw, teeter-totter;** back and fill, turn, blow hot and cold, ring the changes, have as many phases as the moon.

.6 ADJS **changeable, alterable,** alterative, modifiable; mutable, permutable, impermanent, transient, **transitory; variable,** checkered, ever-changing, many-sided, kaleidoscopic; mobile, movable, plastic, malleable, rubbery, fluid; **resilient, adaptable,** adjustable, **flexible,** supple, able to adapt, able to roll with the punches *or* bend without breaking; protean, proteiform; metamorphic; **nonuniform** 18.3.

.7 **inconstant, changeable,** changeful, uncertain, inconsistent, shifty, unreliable, undependable, **unstable, unfixed,** infirm, restless, **unsettled,** unstaid, **unsteady,** wishy-washy, spineless, shapeless, amorphous, indecisive, irresolute, unsteadfast, unstable as water; **variable,** deviable; unaccountable, unpredictable; vicissitudinous, vicissitudinary; whimsical, **capricious, fickle** 629.5,6; **erratic, eccentric,** freakish; volatile, giddy, dizzy, scatterbrained, mercurial, moody, flighty, impulsive, impetuous; **fluctuating,** alternating, **vacillating, wavering,** wavery, wavy, mazy, flitting, flickering, fitful, shifting, shuffling; irregular, spasmodic 138.3; **desultory,** rambling, roving, vagrant, wanton, wayward, wandering, afloat, adrift; unrestrained, undisciplined, irresponsible, uncontrolled, fast and loose.

.8 ADVS **changeably, variably, inconstantly,** uncertainly, **unsteadily,** unsteadfastly, capriciously, desultorily, erratically, waveringly; back and forth, to and fro, in and out, off and on, on and off, round and round.

142. STABILITY

.1 NOUNS **stability, firmness, soundness, substantiality, solidity;** –stasia *or* –stasis, –pexy; security, secureness, rootedness, fastness; reliability 513.4; **steadiness,** steadfastness; constancy, invariability, undeflectability; **imperturbability,** unflappability [informal], nerve, steady *or* unshakable nerves, unshakableness, **cool** [in-

formal], *sang-froid* [Fr]; **equilibrium, balance,** stable state, stable equilibrium, homeostasis; steady state; balanced personality; aplomb; **uniformity** 17.

.2 **fixity,** fixedness, fixture, fixation; infixion, implantation, embedment; **establishment, stabilization,** confirmation, entrenchment; inveteracy, deep-rootedness, **deep-seatedness.**

.3 **immobility,** immovability, unmovability, immovableness, irremovability; inextricability; **firmness,** solidity, unyieldingness, rigidity, **inflexibility** 356.3; inertia, *vis inertiae* [L]; immobilization.

.4 **unchangeableness, unchangeability,** unalterability, unmodifiability, **immutability,** incommutability; lastingness, **permanence** 140; irrevocability, indefeasibility, **irreversibility;** irretrievability, unreturnableness, unrestorableness; intransmutability; inertness.

.5 **indestructibility, imperishability,** incorruptibility, inextinguishability, immortality, **deathlessness;** invulnerability, invincibility, inexpugnability, impregnability; ineradicability, indelibility, ineffaceability, inerasableness.

.6 (comparisons) rock, Rock of Gibraltar, bedrock, pillar, tower, foundation; leopard's spots.

.7 VERBS **stabilize,** stabilitate; firm, firm up [informal]; **steady, balance,** counterbalance, ballast; **immobilize,** freeze, keep, retain; **transfix,** stick, hold, pin *or* nail down [informal].

.8 **secure,** make sure *or* secure, tie, chain, tether, **make fast, fasten,** fasten down; **anchor,** moor; batten, batten down; belay; "build one's house upon a rock" [Bible].

.9 **fix,** define, set, **settle; establish,** found, ground, lodge, seat, **entrench,** confirm, **root; infix, ingrain,** set in, plant, implant, engraft, bed, embed; **print,** imprint, **stamp,** inscribe, **etch,** engrave; impress, impact, pack, jam, **wedge;** deep-dye, **dye in the wool;** stereotype.

.10 (become firmly fixed) **root, take root,** strike root; **stick,** stick fast, **catch, jam, lodge.**

.11 **stand fast,** stand *or* remain firm, **stand pat** [informal], stay put [informal], hold fast, not budge, not budge an inch, **stand** *or* **hold one's ground,** hold one's own, dig in one's heels, take one's stand, **stick to one's guns,** put one's foot down [informal]; **hold out,** stick it out [informal]; **hold up; weather,** weather the storm, ride it out, get home free [informal]; be imperturbable, be unflappable [informal], not bat an eyelash [informal], keep one's cool [informal].

.12 ADJS **stable, substantial, firm, solid, sound;** firm as Gibraltar, solid as a rock; **fast, secure; steady,** unwavering, steadfast; **balanced,** in equilibrium, in a stable state; **well-balanced;** gyr(o)–, stat(o)–; **imperturbable,** unflappable [informal], unshakable, **cool** [informal]; without nerves, without a nerve in one's body, unflinching; **reliable** 513.17, predictable; fiducial.

.13 **established,** stabilized, **entrenched,** vested, firmly established; **well-established,** well-founded, **well-grounded,** on a rock, in *or* on bedrock; old-line, long-established; **confirmed, inveterate; settled, set;** well-settled, well-set; **rooted,** well-rooted; **deep-rooted, deep-seated,** deep-set, deep-settled, deep-fixed, deep-dyed, deep-engraven, deep-grounded, deep-laid; **infixed, ingrained,** implanted, engrafted, embedded, ingrown, inwrought; impressed, indelibly impressed, imprinted; engraved, etched, graven, embossed; **dyed-in-the-wool.**

.14 **fixed,** fastened, anchored, riveted; **set, settled, stated;** staple.

.15 **immovable,** unmovable, **immobile,** immotile, immotive, unmoving, **irremovable, stationary,** frozen, not to be moved, at a standstill; **firm, unyielding,** adamant, adamantine, rigid, **inflexible** 356.12; pat, standpat [informal].

.16 **stuck, fast,** stuck fast, **fixed, transfixed, caught,** fastened, tied, chained, tethered, anchored, moored, held, inextricable; **jammed,** impacted, packed, wedged; aground, grounded, stranded, high and dry.

.17 **unchangeable,** not to be changed, changeless, unchanged, unchanging, unvarying, unvariable, **unalterable,** unaltered, unalterative, **immutable,** incommutable, inconvertible, unmodifiable; unsusceptible, insusceptible of change; **constant, invariable,** undeviating, undeflectable; lasting, unremitting, **permanent** 140.7; irrevocable, indefeasible, **irreversible,** nonreversible, reverseless; irretrievable, unrestorable, unreturnable, nonreturnable; intransmutable, inert, noble [chem].

.18 **indestructible,** undestroyable, **imperishable,** nonperishable, incorruptible; **deathless,** immortal, undying; **invulnerable, invincible,** inexpugnable, impregnable; **ineradicable,** indelible, ineffaceable, ineras-

able; **inextinguishable,** unquenchable, quenchless, undampable.

.19 PHRS **stet, let it stand.**

.20 **stabilizers**

balance	governor
balance piston	gyroscope
balancer	gyrostabilizer
balance rudder	hairspring
balance wheel	keel
balancing condenser	mordant
balancing flap	pendulum
ballast	pendulum wheel
centerboard damper	shock absorber
counterbalance	springs
counterweight	stabilizator
fin	stiffening
fixative	tail plane
flywheel	trim tabs

143. CONTINUANCE

(continuance in action)

.1 NOUNS **continuance, continuation,** unremittingness, **continualness** 71.1; **prolongation, extension, protraction, perpetuation,** lengthening; **maintenance,** sustenance, sustained action *or* activity; pursuance; run, way, straight *or* uninterrupted course; **progress,** progression; **persistence, perseverance** 625; **endurance** 110.1; **continuity** 71; **repetition** 103; staying power.

.2 **resumption, recommencement,** rebeginning, **renewal,** reopening, reentrance; **fresh start,** new beginning; another try, another shot *or* crack *or* go [informal].

.3 VERBS **continue** 71.4, **remain,** bide, **abide, stay,** tarry, linger; **go on,** go along, **keep on,** keep going, carry on, stay on, hold on, hold one's way *or* course *or* path, hold steady, run on, jog on, drag on, slog on, stagger on, put one foot in front of the other; never cease, cease not; **endure** 110.6.

.4 **sustain, protract, prolong, extend,** perpetuate, lengthen; **maintain,** keep, hold, retain, preserve; **keep up,** keep going, keep alive.

.5 **persist, persevere,** keep at it 625.2, stick it out, stick to it, never say die, see it through, hang in *or* hang tough [both informal]; survive, make out, manage, get along, get on, eke out an existence, keep the even tenor of one's way; go on, go on with, go on with the show [informal].

.6 **resume, recommence,** rebegin, **renew,** reenter, reopen, **return to,** go back to, begin again, take up again, make a new beginning, make a fresh start, start all over, have another try, have another shot *or* crack *or* go [informal].

.7 ADJS **continuing, abiding** 110.10; staying, remaining, sticking; **continuous** 71.8, **unceasing,** unremitting, steady, sustained, undying, indefatigable, **persistent.**

144. CESSATION

.1 NOUNS **cessation, discontinuance,** discontinuation, breakoff [informal]; **desistance,** desinence, cease, surcease, **ceasing,** stopping, termination; **close,** closing, shutdown; relinquishment, renunciation, abandonment; –stasia *or* –stasis, stasi–.

.2 **stop,** stoppage, **halt, stay, arrest,** check, cutoff [informal]; stand, **standstill;** full stop, dead stop, grinding halt; **strike, walkout,** work stoppage, sit-down strike, lockout; **end,** ending, endgame, final whistle, gun, bell, checkmate, stalemate, deadlock, standoff [informal].

.3 **pause, rest, break,** caesura, **recess, intermission,** interim 109, intermittence, interval, interlude, *intermezzo* [Ital], **respite,** letup [informal], **interruption, suspension;** hesitation, remission, layoff [informal], abeyance, stay, drop, lull, lapse; truce, cease-fire, stand-down; vacation, holiday, day off.

.4 [gram terms] pause, juncture, boundary, caesura; (punctuation) stop *or* point *or* period, comma, colon, semicolon.

.5 (debate) **cloture,** *clôture* [Fr]; cloture by compartment, kangaroo cloture; guillotine [Brit].

.6 VERBS **cease, discontinue, end, stop, halt,** terminate, abort, cancel, scrub [informal], hold, **quit,** stay, belay [informal]; **desist,** refrain, leave off, lay off [informal], give over, **have done with;** cut it out [slang], drop it [informal], knock it off [informal], relinquish, renounce, abandon; **come to an end** 70.6.

.7 **stop, come to a stop** *or* **halt, halt,** stop in one's tracks, skid to a stop, stop dead; **bring up, pull up,** draw up, **fetch up; stop short,** come up short, bring up short, come to a screaming *or* grinding *or* shuddering halt, stop on a dime [informal], come to a full stop, come to a stand *or* standstill, fetch up all standing; stall, stick, hang fire, cease fire; run into a brick wall.

.8 (stop work) **lay off, knock off** [informal], call it a day [informal], call it quits [informal]; lay down one's tools, **shut up shop,** close shop, shut down, close down,

secure [naut informal]; **strike,** walk out, call a strike, go *or* go out on strike.

.9 **pause, hesitate, rest,** let up [informal]; rest on one's oars; **recess,** take *or* call a recess.

.10 **interrupt, suspend,** intermit 109.3, **break, break off,** take a break [informal], cut off, break *or* snap the thread.

.11 **put a stop to, call a halt to,** blow the whistle on [informal], **put an end to** 70.7, put paid to [Brit informal]; **stop, stay, halt, arrest, check,** stall; block, brake, dam, stem, stem the tide *or* current; pull up, draw rein, put on the brakes, hit the brake pedal; **bring to a stand** *or* **standstill,** freeze, bring to, bring up short, **stop dead** *or* dead in one's tracks, stop cold, stop short, cut short, check in full career; checkmate, stalemate, deadlock.

.12 **turn off, shut off,** shut, shut down, close; kill, cut, switch off.

.13 ADVS de–, un–.

.14 INTERJS **cease!, stop!, halt!,** *halte!* [Fr], hold!, freeze!, stay!, desist!, quit it!; **let up!,** easy!, take it easy!, relax!, **leave off!,** *arrêtez!* [Fr], stop it!, forget it!, no more!, have done!, *tenez!* [Fr], **hold everything!, hold it!,** hold to!, hold on!, whoa!, that's it!, that's enough!, enough!, *basta!* [Ital].

.15 [slang or informal terms] **cut it out!,** cool it!, can it!, turn it off!, chuck it!, stow it!, drop it!, lay off!, all right already!, come off it!, **knock it off!,** break it off!, break it up!

145. CONVERSION

(change to something different)

.1 NOUNS **conversion,** reconversion, re-formation, **change-over,** turning into, becoming; **change** 139, **transformation** 139.2; **transition,** transit, switch *or* switch-over [both informal], passage, **shift;** lapse; **reversal,** about-face *or* flip-flop [both informal], *volte-face* [Fr]; growth, progress; resolution, reduction, naturalization, assimilation, assumption; alchemy.

.2 **reformation, reform, regeneration, revival, reclamation,** redemption, amendment, improvement 691, renewal, recrudescence, rebirth, renascence, new birth, **change of heart;** change of mind *or* commitment *or* allegiance *or* loyalty *or* conviction.

.3 apostasy, renunciation, **defection, desertion,** treason, crossing-over; degeneration 692.3.

.4 **rehabilitation,** reconditioning, readjustment, reclamation; **reeducation,** reinstruction; **repatriation.**

.5 **indoctrination,** reindoctrination, counterindoctrination; **brainwashing,** menticide; subversion, alienation, corruption.

.6 **conversion,** proselytization, proselytism, evangelization, persuasion 648.3.

.7 **convert, proselyte,** neophyte, catechumen, disciple.

.8 **apostate, defector,** turncoat, traitor, deserter, **renegade.**

.9 **converter, proselyter,** proselytizer, **missionary, apostle, evangelist** 1038.7.

.10 (instruments) melting pot, crucible, alembic, test tube, caldron, retort, mortar, potter's wheel, anvil, lathe; transformer, transducer, engine, motor, machine 348.4, 21.

.11 VERBS **convert,** reconvert; **change over,** switch *or* switch over [both informal], shift, make over, do over; **change, transform** 139.6,7; **change into, turn into, become,** resolve into, assimilate to, bring to, reduce to, naturalize; **make,** render; **reverse;** turn back 146.5.

.12 **re-form,** remodel, reshape, refashion; **renew,** new-model; **regenerate, reclaim,** redeem, amend, **set** straight; **reform,** make a new man of, restore self-respect; mend *or* change one's ways, **turn over a new leaf,** put on the new man.

.13 **defect,** renegade, renege, turn one's coat, desert, apostatize, change one's colors, turn against, turn traitor; degenerate 692.14.

.14 **rehabilitate,** recondition, reclaim; **reeducate,** reinstruct; **repatriate.**

.15 **indoctrinate, brainwash,** reindoctrinate, counterindoctrinate; subvert, alienate, win away, corrupt 692.14.

.16 **convince, persuade,** wean, bring over, **win over;** proselyte, **proselytize,** evangelize.

.17 be converted into, **turn into** *or* **to, become** 1.12, **change into,** alter into, run *or* fall *or* pass into, slide *or* glide into, **grow into,** ripen into, **develop** *or* **evolve into,** merge *or* blend *or* melt into, shift into, lapse into, open into, resolve itself *or* settle into, come round to.

.18 ADJS **convertible,** resolvable, transmutable, **transformable, transitional, modifiable.**

.19 **converted, changed, transformed;** naturalized, assimilated; **reformed,** regenerated, renewed, redeemed, reborn.

.20 **apostate, treasonable, traitorous,** degenerate, **renegade.**

146. REVERSION

(change to a former state)

.1 NOUNS **reversion,** reverting, retroversion, retrogradation, **retrogression,** retrocession, regress, **regression,** backsliding, slipping back, backing, recidivism, recidivation; reconversion; **reverse, reversal; return,** returning, revulsion; disenchantment, reclamation, return to the fold; reinstatement, rehabilitation, restitution, restoration; turn, turnabout, about-face *or* flip-flop [both informal]; lapse, **relapse** 696.

.2 **throwback,** atavism.

.3 **returnee, repeater;** prodigal son, lost lamb; reversioner, reversionist; recidivist, habitual criminal *or* offender, two-time loser [slang]; backslider.

.4 VERBS **revert,** retrovert, **regress, retrogress,** retrograde, retrocede, **reverse, return,** return to the fold; backslide, slip back, recidivate, lapse, lapse back, relapse 696.4.

.5 **turn back, change back, go back, hark back,** cry back, break back, **turn,** turn around *or* about; do an about-face *or* flip-flop *or* do a flip-flop [all informal].

.6 **revert to, return to,** recur to, go back to; hark *or* cry back to.

.7 ADJS **reversionary,** reversional, **regressive,** recessive, **retrogressive, retrograde;** reactionary, revulsionary; recidivist *or* recidivous; retroverse, retrorse; atavistic; revertible, returnable, reversible; re–, retro–.

147. REVOLUTION

(sudden or radical change)

.1 NOUNS **revolution, radical** *or* **total change, violent change,** striking alteration, sweeping change, clean sweep, clean slate, tabula rasa; revulsion, transilience; **overthrow,** overturn, upset, *bouleversement* [Fr], convulsion, spasm, subversion, *coup d'état* [Fr]; breakup, breakdown; cataclysm, catastrophe, debacle, *débâcle* [Fr]; revolutionary war, war of national liberation; bloodless revolution, palace revolution; technological revolution, electronic *or* communications *or* computer revolution; counterrevolution; **revolt** 767.4.

.2 **revolutionism,** anarchism, syndicalism, terrorism; Bolshevism *or* Bolshevikism [both Russia], Carbonarism [Italy], Sinn Feinism [Ireland], Jacobinism [France]; sans-culottism [France], *sans-culotterie* [Fr], Castroism [Cuba], Maoism [China].

.3 **revolutionist, revolutionary,** revolutioner, revolutionizer; **rebel** 767.5; anarchist, anarch, syndicalist, criminal syndicalist, terrorist 162.9; subversive; red; Red Republican [France], *bonnet rouge* [Fr]; Jacobin [France], sans-culotte, sans-culottist; Yankee *or* Yankee Doodle *or* Continental [all US]; Puritan *or* Roundhead [both England]; Bolshevik *or* Bolshevist *or* Bolshie [all Russia], Marxist, Leninist, Communist, Commie [informal], Red, Trotskyite *or* Trotskyist, Castroist *or* Castroite, Guevarist, Maoist; Vietcong, Cong, VC, Charley [all Vietnam]; Mau-Mau [Kenya]; *Carbonaro* [Italy], Carbonarist [Italy]; Sinn Feiner, Fenian [both Ireland]; revolutionary junta.

.4 VERBS **revolutionize,** revolution, revolute [informal], **make a radical change,** make a clean sweep, break with the past; **overthrow,** overturn, upset; revolt 767.7.

.5 ADJS **revolutionary,** revolutional; revulsive, revulsionary; transilient; cataclysmic, catastrophic; **radical,** sweeping 56.10; **insurrectionary** 767.11.

.6 **revolutionist,** anarchic(al), syndical(ist), terrorist(ic), agin the government [informal]; Bolshevist(ic), Bolshevik; sans-culottic, sans-culottish; Jacobinic, Carbonarist, Fenian, Marxist, Leninist, Communist, Trotskyist *or* Trotskyite, Guevarist, Castroist *or* Castroite, Maoist, Vietcong, Mau-Mau.

148. EVOLUTION

.1 NOUNS **evolution, evolving,** evolvement; evolutionary change, gradual change, peaceful *or* nonviolent change; **development, growth,** rise; developmental change, natural growth *or* development; flowering, blossoming; ripening, maturation; accomplishment 722; **advance,** advancement, furtherance; **progress,** progression; **elaboration,** enlargement, amplification, **expansion,** explication.

.2 **unfolding,** unfoldment, unrolling, unfurling, unwinding.

.3 [biol terms] **genesis;** phylogeny, phylogenesis; ontogeny, ontogenesis; physiogeny, physiogenesis; **biological evolution;** natural selection, adaptation; horotely, bradytely, tachytely.

.4 **evolutionism,** theory of evolution; **Darwinism,** Neo-Darwinism, Haeckelism, Lamarckism *or* Lamarckianism, Neo-Lamarckism, Lysenkoism, Weismannism, Spencerianism; social Darwinism, social evolution.

.5 VERBS evolve, evolute [informal]; **develop, grow,** wax, **progress, advance;** ripen, mellow, mature, maturate; flower, bloom, blossom, bear fruit.

.6 **elaborate,** labor, **work out,** enlarge upon, amplify, enlarge, **expand,** detail, go *or* enter into detail, go into, spell out [informal]; complete 722.6.

.7 unfold, unroll, unfurl, unwind, unreel, uncoil.

.8 ADJS **evolutionary,** evolutional, evolutionist *or* evolutionistic; **evolving, developing, unfolding; maturing,** maturational, maturative; **progressing, advancing;** genetic, phylogenetic, ontogenetic, physiogenetic; horotelic, bradytelic, tachytelic.

149. SUBSTITUTION

(change of one thing for another)

.1 NOUNS **substitution, exchange, change,** switch, commutation, subrogation; vicariousness, **representation,** deputation, **delegation;** deputyship, **agency, power of attorney, supplanting,** supplantment *or* supplantation; **replacement,** displacement; superseding *or* supersedence *or* supersedure, supersession; tit for tat, *quid pro quo* [L].

.2 **substitute,** sub [informal], **substitution, replacement,** second *or* third string [informal], utility player; change, exchange, changeling, secondary, succedaneum; ersatz, phony *or* fake [both informal], counterfeit, imitation 22, copy 24; surrogate; reserves, backup, personnel; spares; **alternate,** alternative, next best thing, supplanter, superseder; **proxy,** dummy; vicar, agent, representative; **deputy** 781; locum tenens, vice-president, vice-regent, etc.; **relief,** fill-in, **stand-in, understudy, pinch hitter** *or* runner [informal]; double; **equivalent,** equal; ringer [slang]; ghost, ghostwriter; substituent; **analogy,** comparison; **metaphor,** metonymy, synecdoche [all gram]; **symbol, sign,** token; makeshift 670.2; allelo–, counter–, pro–, vice–.

.3 **scapegoat, goat** [informal], fall guy *or* patsy [both slang], **whipping boy.**

.4 VERBS **substitute, exchange, change,** take *or* ask *or* offer in exchange, switch, ring in [informal], **put in the place of,** change for, make way for, give place to; commute, redeem, compound for; rob Peter to pay Paul; dub in; make do with, shift with, put up with.

.5 **substitute for,** sub for [informal], subrogate; **act for,** double for, stand *or* sit in for, understudy for, fill in for, pinch-hit, pinch-run [both informal]; **relieve,** spell *or* **spell off** [both informal]; ghost, ghostwrite; **represent** 781.14; **supplant, supersede,** succeed, **replace,** displace, **take the place of,** crowd out, cut out [informal], change places with, swap places with [informal], stand in the stead of, step into the shoes of, fill one's shoes.

.6 [slang or informal terms] **cover up for,** front for, go to the front for, take the rap for, be the goat *or* patsy.

.7 **delegate, deputize, commission** 780.9, designate an agent *or* proxy.

.8 ADJS **substitute, alternate, alternative,** equivalent, token, dummy, pinch, utility, backup, secondary, **vicarious,** ersatz, mock, quasi–, pseudo–, phony *or* fake [both informal], counterfeit, imitation 22.8; **proxy;** makeshift, reserve, **spare,** stopgap, temporary, provisional, tentative.

.9 **substitutional,** substitutionary, substitutive; supersessive.

.10 **replaceable,** substitutable, supersedable, expendable.

.11 ADVS **instead, rather,** *faute de mieux* [Fr]; in its stead *or* place; in one's stead, in one's behalf, in one's place, in one's shoes; by proxy; as an alternative; *in loco parentis* [L].

.12 PREPS **instead of,** in the stead of, **in place of,** in the place of, **in** *or* **on behalf of, in lieu of; for,** as proxy for, as a substitute for, as representing, in preference to, as an alternative to; **replacing,** as a replacement for, *vice* [L].

150. INTERCHANGE

(double or mutual change)

.1 NOUNS **interchange, exchange,** counterchange; **transposition,** transposal; mutual transfer *or* replacement; mutual admiration, mutual support; **cooperation** 786; commutation, permutation, intermutation; alternation; **interplay, reciprocation** 13.1, reciprocality, reciprocity, mutuality; **give-and-take,** something for something, *quid pro quo* [L], measure for measure, **tit for tat,** an eye for an eye, "an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth" [Bible]; **retaliation,** *lex talionis* [L]; cross fire; battledore and shuttlecock.

.2 **trading, swapping** [informal]; trade, swap [informal], even trade, **switch;** barter 827.2; logrolling, back scratching, pork barrel.

.3 **interchangeability,** exchangeability, changeability, standardization; commutability, permutability.

.4 VERBS **interchange, exchange,** change, counterchange; alternate; **transpose;** commute, permute; **trade, swap** [informal], **switch;** bandy, play at battledore and shuttlecock; **reciprocate,** respond; **give and take,** give a Roland for an Oliver, give as much as one takes, give as good as one gets, return the compliment, pay back, compensate, **requite,** return; **retaliate,** get back at, get even with, be quits with; logroll, scratch each other's back, **cooperate** 786.3.

.5 ADJS **interchangeable, exchangeable,** changeable, standard; equivalent; **even,** equal; returnable, convertible, commutable, permutable; commutative; retaliatory, equalizing; **reciprocative** *or* **reciprocating, reciprocal; mutual,** give-and-take; **exchanged, transposed,** switched, **swapped** [informal], traded, **interchanged;** allelo–, inter–.

.6 ADVS **interchangeably, exchangeably; in exchange, in return; even,** *au pair* [Fr]; **reciprocally** 13.16, mutually; **in turn,** each in its turn, every one in his turn, by turns, turn about, turn and turn about.

151. EVENT

.1 NOUNS **event, eventuality,** eventuation; realization, materialization, coming to be *or* pass, incidence; contingency, contingent; accident 156.6.

.2 **event, occurrence, incident, episode, experience, adventure,** hap, **happening,** happenstance, **phenomenon,** fact, matter of fact, reality, particular, circumstance, **occasion,** turn of events.

.3 **affair, concern, matter,** thing, concernment, interest, **business,** job [informal], **transaction,** proceeding, doing.

.4 **affairs, concerns, matters,** circumstances, relations, **dealings, proceedings,** doings, goings-on [informal]; course *or* run of things, the way of things, the way things go, what happens, current of events, march of events; the world, life, the times; order of the day; **conditions, state of affairs,** environing *or* ambient phenomena, state *or* condition of things.

.5 VERBS **occur, happen** 156.11, hap, eventuate, **take place,** come down [slang], **transpire,** be realized, come, **come off, come about,** come true, **come to pass,** pass, pass off, go off, fall, **befall,** betide; **be found,** be met with.

.6 **turn up, show up** [informal], **come along,** come one's way, cross one's path, come into being *or* existence, chance, **crop up,** spring up, pop up [informal], arise, come forth, come *or* draw on, appear, approach, materialize, present itself, be destined for one.

.7 **turn out, result** 154.5.

.8 **experience, have, know, feel,** taste; **encounter, meet,** meet with, meet up with [informal], run up against [informal]; **undergo, go through,** pass through, be subjected to, be exposed to, stand under, labor under, **endure, suffer,** sustain, pay, spend.

.9 ADJS **happening, occurring,** passing, taking place, on, **going on,** ongoing [informal], **current,** prevalent, prevailing, in the wind, afloat, afoot, under way, in hand, **on foot,** ado, doing; incidental, circumstantial, accompanying; accidental; occasional; resultant; eventuating.

.10 **eventful, momentous, stirring,** bustling, full of incident; phenomenal.

.11 **eventual, coming, final,** last, **ultimate; contingent,** collateral, secondary, indirect.

.12 ADVS **eventually, ultimately, finally, in the long run;** in the course of things, in the natural way of things, as things go, as times go, as the world goes, as the tree falls, the way the cookie crumbles [informal], as things turn out, as it may be *or* happen *or* turn out, as luck *or* fate *or* destiny wills.

.13 CONJS **in the event that, if, in case,** just in case, in any case, in either case, in the contingency that, in case that, if it should happen that; provided 507.12.

152. IMMINENCE

(future event)

.1 NOUNS **imminence, imminency,** impendence, impendency, forthcomingness; **forthcoming,** coming, **approach,** loom; immediate *or* near future; futurity 121.1.

.2 VERBS **be imminent, impend, overhang,** hang *or* lie over, hang over one's head, hover, **threaten, menace,** lower; brew, gather; **come** *or* **draw on,** draw near *or* nigh, rush up on one, forthcome, **approach, near,** await, face, **confront, loom,** stare one in the face, be in store, breathe down one's neck, be about to be borning.

.3 ADJS **imminent, impending,** impendent, **overhanging,** hanging over one's head, waiting, lurking, **threatening,** lowering,

menacing, lying in ambush, "in danger imminent" [Spenser]; **brewing,** gathering, preparing; **coming, forthcoming, upcoming, to come,** about to be, about *or* going to happen, **approaching, nearing,** looming, looming in the distance *or* future; **near, close,** immediate, instant, **at hand,** near at hand, close at hand; **in the offing,** on the horizon, **in prospect,** already in sight, just around the corner, in view, in one's eye, in store, in reserve, **in the wind,** in the womb of time; on the knees *or* lap of the gods, in the cards [informal]; that will be, that is to be; future 121.8.

.4 ADVS **imminently,** impendingly; **any time,** any time now, any moment, any minute, any hour, any day; **to be expected,** as may be expected, as may be.

153. CAUSE

.1 NOUNS **cause, occasion,** antecedents, call, **grounds,** ground, stimulus, base, **basis,** element, principle, factor; **determinant,** determinative; causation, causality, cause and effect; etiology.

.2 **reason,** reason why, rationale, reason for *or* behind, underlying reason, rational ground, **explanation, the why,** the wherefore, the whatfor *or* whyfor [informal], **the why and wherefore,** the idea [informal], the big idea [slang]; stated cause, pretext, pretense, excuse.

.3 **immediate cause,** proximate cause; transient cause, occasional cause; formal cause; efficient cause; ultimate cause, immanent cause, remote cause, causing cause, *causa causans* [L], first cause; **final cause,** *causa finalis* [L]; provocation, **last straw,** straw that broke the camel's back, match in the powder barrel; causal sequence, chain *or* nexus of cause and effect.

.4 **author,** agent, **originator,** generator, begetter, engenderer, producer, maker, beginner, **creator,** mover; **parent, mother, father,** sire; **prime mover,** *primum mobile* [L]; causer, effector; inspirer, instigator, catalyst.

.5 **source, origin,** genesis, original, origination, **derivation, rise, beginning,** conception, inception, commencement, **head;** provenance, provenience; **root,** radix, –rhiza *or* –rrhiza, radical, taproot, grass roots; stem, stock.

.6 **fountainhead,** headwater, headstream, riverhead, springhead, headspring, **mainspring,** wellspring, wellhead, well, **spring, fountain,** fount, font, *fons et origo* [L]; mine, quarry; cren(o)–.

.7 **egg,** ovum 406.12, **germ,** germen [archaic], spermatozoon 406.11, nucleus 406.7, **seed;** **embryo** 406.14; bud 411.21; rudiment, *Anlage* [Ger]; loins.

.8 **birthplace, breeding place,** rookery, hatchery; **hotbed,** forcing bed; incubator, brooder; **nest,** nidus; **cradle,** nursery.

.9 **womb,** matrix, uterus, uter(o)–, metr(o)–, –metrium, venter.

.10 (a principle or movement) **cause, principle,** interest, issue, burning issue, commitment, faith, great cause, lifework; reason for being, *raison d'être* [Fr]; **movement,** mass movement, activity; **drive, campaign, crusade.**

.11 VERBS **cause,** be the cause of, lie at the root of; **bring about, bring to pass,** effectuate, **effect,** bring to effect, realize, **occasion, make, create, engender,** generate, **produce,** breed, work, do; –ate, –en, –ise *or* –ize; **originate,** give origin to, give occasion to, **give rise to,** give birth to, beget, bear, bring forth, labor *or* travail and bring forth, author, **father,** sire, sow the seeds of; gestate, **conceive;** set up, set afloat, **set on foot;** found, establish, inaugurate, institute.

.12 **induce,** lead, procure, get, obtain, contrive, **effect,** bring, **bring on,** draw on, **call forth, elicit, evoke,** provoke, inspire, instigate, motivate; draw down, open the door to; superinduce.

.13 **contribute to, lead to,** conduce to, redound to; **advance, forward,** influence, subserve; **determine,** decide, turn the scale, have the last word.

.14 ADJS **causal,** causative; occasional; originative, institutive, constitutive; **at the bottom of,** behind the scenes; **formative,** determinative, effectual, decisive, pivotal; etiological; etio– *or* aetio–, prot(o)–; –facient, –factive, –fic, –ic(al) *or* –etic.

.15 **original, primary,** primal, primitive, pristine, primordial, primeval, aboriginal, **elementary,** elemental, **basic,** basal, **rudimentary,** crucial, central, radical, **fundamental;** embryonic, in embryo, *in ovo* [L], germinal, seminal, pregnant; **generative,** genetic, protogenic.

154. EFFECT

.1 NOUNS **effect, result,** resultant, **consequence,** consequent, sequent, sequence, sequel, sequela; event, eventuality, eventuation, **upshot, outcome,** logical outcome, outgrowth, offshoot, offspring, is-

sue, legacy; **product** 168, precipitate, distillate, **fruit,** harvest; development, corollary; derivative, derivation, by-product.

.2 **conclusion,** end 70, **end** *or* **final result, consummation, culmination,** denouement, catastrophe, termination, completion, finale, last act, climax, bitter end, payoff [slang].

.3 **impact,** force, **repercussion,** reaction; backwash, backlash, reflex, recoil, response; mark, print, imprint, impress, impression; clout [informal].

.4 **aftereffect, aftermath,** aftergrowth, aftercrop, **afterclap,** afterimage, afterglow, aftertaste; wake, trail, track; domino effect.

.5 VERBS **result, ensue, issue, follow,** attend; **turn out, come out,** fall out, **work out,** pan out [informal], fare; turn out to be, prove, prove to be; **become of,** come of, come about; develop, unfold; **eventuate,** terminate, end.

.6 **result from,** be the effect of, be due to, originate in *or* from, **come from,** come out of, grow from, **grow out of,** follow from *or* on, proceed from, descend from, emerge from, issue from, ensue from, emanate from, flow from, **derive from,** accrue from, rise *or* arise from, take its rise from, **spring from, stem from,** sprout from, bud from, germinate from; **depend on,** hinge *or* pivot *or* turn on, hang on, be contingent on.

.7 ADJS **resultant, resulting, following, ensuing; consequent,** consequential, sequent, sequential, sequacious; **final** 70.10; derivative, derivational.

.8 **resulting from,** coming from, arising from, deriving *or* derivable from; **owing to, due to;** attributed *or* attributable to, dependent *or* contingent on; **caused by,** occasioned by, **at the bottom of.**

.9 ADVS **consequently, as a result,** as a consequence, in consequence, naturally, *naturellement* [Fr], necessarily, of necessity, inevitably, of course, as a matter of course, and so, it follows that; **therefore; accordingly** 8.11; **finally** 70.11.

.10 PHRS one thing leads to another, *post hoc, ergo propter hoc* [L], what goes up must come down.

155. ATTRIBUTION

(assignment of cause)

.1 NOUNS **attribution, assignment,** assignation, **ascription, imputation,** arrogation, placement, application, attachment, saddling, **charge, blame; responsibility,** answerability; **credit,** honor; accounting for, reference to, derivation from, connection with; etiology; palaetiology.

.2 **acknowledgment,** citation, tribute; confession; **reference;** trademark, signature; **by-line,** credit line.

.3 VERBS **attribute, assign, ascribe, impute,** give, place, put, apply, attach, refer.

.4 **attribute to, ascribe to, impute to,** assign to, **lay to,** put *or* set down to, apply to, refer to, point to; **pin on,** pinpoint [informal], fix on *or* upon, attach to, accrete to, connect with, fasten upon, hang on [slang], **saddle on** *or* **upon,** place upon, **father upon,** settle upon, saddle with; blame, **blame for,** blame on *or* upon [informal], charge on *or* upon, place *or* put the blame on, place the blame *or* responsibility for, **fix the responsibility for,** fix the burden of, **charge to,** lay to one's charge, place to one's account, set to the account of, account for, lay at the door of, bring home to; acknowledge, confess; **credit** *or* **accredit with;** put words in one's mouth.

.5 **trace to,** follow the trail to; **derive from,** trace the origin *or* derivation of; affiliate to, filiate to, father, fix the paternity of.

.6 ADJS **attributable, assignable, ascribable, imputable,** traceable, referable, accountable, explicable; owing, **due,** assigned *or* referred to, derivable from, derivative, derivational; **charged,** alleged, imputed, putative; **credited, attributed;** ap(o)– *or* aph–, de–, ep(i)–; –genous.

.7 ADVS **hence, therefore,** therefor, **wherefore,** wherefrom, whence, then, thence, *ergo* [L], for which reason; **consequently** 154.9; **accordingly** 8.11; **because of that,** for that, by reason of that, for that reason, for the reason that, from *or* for that cause, **on that account,** on that ground, thereat; **because of this, on this account,** for this cause, on account of this, *propter hoc* [L], for this reason, hereat; thus, thusly [informal], thuswise.

.8 **why,** whyever, whyfor *or* for why [both dial], how come [informal], how is it that, **wherefore, what for,** for which, **on what account,** on account of what *or* which, for what *or* whatever reason, from what cause, *pourquoi* [Fr].

.9 PREPS **because of,** by reason of, **as a result of,** by *or* in virtue of, **on account of,** on the score of, for the sake of, **owing to, due to,** thanks to; **considering,** in consideration of, **in view of;** after.

.10 CONJS **because,** *parce que* [Fr], **since,** as,

for, **whereas, inasmuch as, forasmuch as, insofar as, insomuch as,** as things go; in that, for the cause that, for the reason that, in view of the fact that, taking into account that, **seeing that,** seeing as how [dial], being as how [dial].

156. CHANCE

(absence of assignable cause)

.1 NOUNS **chance,** happenstance, hap, "heedless hap" [Spenser]; **luck;** good luck *or* fortune, serendipity, happy chance; **fortune,** fate, **destiny,** whatever comes, moira, **lot** 640.2; **fortuity,** fortuitousness, adventitiousness, indeterminateness *or* indeterminacy, problematicness, uncertainty 514, flukiness [informal], casualness, flip of a coin, accidentality; break [informal], the breaks [informal], run of luck, run *or* turn of the cards, fall *or* throw of the dice, the way things fall, the way the cards fall, how they fall, the way the cookie crumbles *or* the ball bounces [informal]; uncertainty principle, principle of indeterminacy, Heisenberg's principle; **probability** 511, theory of probability, law of averages, statistical probability, actuarial calculation; random sample, **risk, gamble** 515; **opportunity** 129.2.

.2 Chance, Fortune, Lady *or* Dame Fortune, wheel of fortune, Fortuna; Luck, Lady Luck; "a nickname of Providence" [de Chamfort], "blind Chance" [Lucan], "fickle Chance" [Milton], "that Power which erring men call Chance" [Milton], "the pseudonym of God when He did not want to sign" [Anatole France].

.3 **purposelessness, causelessness,** randomness, dysteleology, **unpredictability** 514.1, designlessness, **aimlessness.**

.4 **haphazard,** chance-medley, **random;** random shot; potluck.

.5 **vicissitudes,** vicissitudes of fortune, ins and outs, **ups and downs,** ups and downs of life, chapter of accidents, feast and famine, "the various turns of chance" [Dryden], fickle finger of fate; **chain of circumstances,** concatenation of events, chain reaction, vicious circle.

.6 (chance event) **happening,** hap, happenstance; **fortuity, accident,** casualty, adventure, hazard; contingent, contingency; fluke [informal], freak accident; chance hit, lucky shot, long shot, one in a million, long odds.

.7 **even chance,** even break [informal], fair shake [informal], even *or* square odds, touch and go, odds; **half a chance,** fifty-fifty; toss, **toss-up,** standoff [informal].

.8 **good chance, sporting chance,** good opportunity, good possibility; odds-on, odds-on chance, **likelihood, possibility** 509, probability 511, favorable prospect, well-grounded hope; **sure bet,** sure thing [informal], a lot going for one [informal]; best bet, main chance.

.9 **small chance,** little chance, dark horse, **poor prospect** *or* prognosis, poor lookout [informal], little opportunity, poor possibility, **unlikelihood, improbability** 512, hardly a chance, not half a chance; **off chance, outside chance** [informal], **remote possibility,** bare possibility, a ghost of a chance, slim chance, gambling chance, **fighting chance** [informal]; poor bet, long odds, long shot [informal], hundred-to-one shot [informal].

.10 **no chance,** not a Chinaman's chance [slang], not a prayer, not a snowball's chance in hell [slang]; **impossibility** 510, hopelessness.

.11 VERBS **chance,** bechance, betide, come *or* happen by chance, hap, hazard, **happen** 151.5; come, come *or* happen along, **turn up,** pop up [informal], **befall;** fall to one's lot, be one's fate.

.12 **risk,** take a chance, **gamble, bet** 515.18–20; **predict** 543.9, prognosticate, make book [informal].

.13 have a chance *or* an opportunity, **stand a chance, run a good chance, bid** *or* **stand fair to,** admit of; be in it *or* in the running [informal]; have a chance at, have a fling *or* shot at [informal]; have a small *or* slight chance, be a dark horse, barely have a chance.

.14 **not have** *or* **stand a chance,** have no chance *or* opportunity, not have a prayer, not have a Chinaman's chance [slang], not stand a snowball's chance in hell [slang]; not be in it [informal], be out of it [informal], **be out of the running.**

.15 ADJS **chance;** chancy [informal], dicey [Brit informal], **risky** [informal]; **fortuitous, accidental,** aleatory, **casual,** adventitious, incidental, contingent, iffy [informal]; **causeless,** uncaused; indeterminate, undetermined; **unexpected** 540.10, **unpredictable** 514.14, unforeseeable, unlooked-for, **unforeseen;** fluky [informal]; fatal, fatidic, destinal.

.16 **purposeless, causeless,** designless, **aimless,** driftless, undirected, unmotivated, mindless; **haphazard, random,** dysteleological, stochastic, stray, inexplicable, unaccount-

able, promiscuous, indiscriminate, casual, leaving much to chance.

.17 **unintentional,** unintended, **unmeant, unplanned,** undesigned, unpurposed, unthought-of; **unpremeditated,** unmeditated, unprompted, unguided, unguarded; **unwitting, unthinking,** unconscious, involuntary.

.18 impossible 510.7; **improbable** 512.3; certain 513.13; **probable** 511.6.

.19 ADVS **by chance,** perchance, **by accident, accidentally, casually,** incidentally, **unpredictably, fortuitously;** by a piece of luck, by a fluke [informal], by good fortune; **as it chanced, as luck would have it,** by hazard, as it may happen, as it may be, as the case may be, as it may chance, as it may turn up *or* out; somehow, in some way, in some way or other, somehow or other, for some reason.

.20 **purposelessly, aimlessly; haphazardly, randomly,** dysteleologically, stochastically, inexplicably, unaccountably, promiscuously, indiscriminately, casually, **at haphazard, at random,** at hazard.

.21 **unintentionally, without design, unwittingly,** unthinkingly, unexpectedly, unconsciously, involuntarily.

157. POWER, POTENCY

(effective force)

.1 NOUNS **power, potency** *or* potence, prepotency, potentiality, **force, might,** mightiness, **vigor,** vitality, vim, push, drive, charge, puissance [archaic]; dynam(o)–, –dynamia; dint, virtue; moxie *or* pizzazz *or* poop *or* punch *or* clout *or* steam [all informal]; powerfulness, forcefulness; virulence, vehemence; **strength** 159; **energy** 161; **virility** 420.2; cogence *or* cogency, validity, effect, **effectiveness,** effectuality; productivity, productiveness; power structure; **influence** 172, pull; **authority** 739, weight; **superiority** 36; power pack, amperage, wattage; main force, *force majeure* [Fr], main strength, brute force *or* strength, compulsion, duress; muscle power, sinew, might and main, beef [informal], strong arm; full force, full blast; superpower; armipotence, power struggle; black power; flower power; mana; charisma.

.2 **ability,** –ability *or* –ibility, ableness, **capability,** capableness, **capacity,** faculty, facility, fitness, qualification, talent, flair, genius, caliber, **competence,** adequacy, sufficiency, **efficiency,** efficacy; **proficiency** 733.1; the stuff *or* the goods *or* what it takes [all informal]; susceptibility.

.3 **omnipotence, almightiness, all-powerfulness.**

.4 horsepower, manpower; electric power, electropower, hydroelectric power; hydraulic power, water power; steam power, piston power; solar power; atomic power, nuclear power, thermonuclear power; rocket power, jet power; **propulsion, thrust,** impulse.

.5 force of inertia, *vis inertiae* [L]; dead force, *vis mortua* [L]; living force, *vis viva* [L]; force of life, *vis vitae* [L].

.6 centrifugal force *or* action, centripetal force *or* action, force of gravity.

.7 (science of forces) dynamics, statics.

.8 **empowerment, enablement;** investment, endowment.

.9 **work force,** hands, men; **fighting force,** troops, units, the big battalions, firepower; **personnel** 750.11; **forces.**

.10 VERBS **empower, enable;** invest, clothe, invest *or* clothe with power, deputize; endue, endow, **authorize** 780.9; arm.

.11 **be able,** be up to [informal], **lie in one's power; can,** may, can do; make it *or* make the grade [both informal]; hack it *or* cut it *or* cut the mustard [all informal]; possess authority 739.13; **take charge** 739.14.

.12 ADJS **powerful, potent,** prepotent, power-packed, **mighty,** irresistible, **forceful,** forcible, dynamic, –dynamous; **vigorous,** vital, **energetic** 161.12, puissant, ruling, in power; **cogent,** striking, telling, effective, valid, operative, in force; **strong** 159.13; high-powered, high-tension, high-pressure, high-potency; **authoritative** 139.15; armipotent, mighty in battle.

.13 **omnipotent, almighty, all-powerful;** plenipotentiary, absolute, unlimited, **sovereign** 739.17; **supreme** 36.13.

.14 **able,** –able *or* –ible, –ile, **capable, equal to,** up to, **competent,** adequate, effective, effectual, efficient, efficacious; productive; **proficient** 733.20–22.

.15 ADVS **powerfully, potently, forcefully,** forcibly, mightily, with might and main, **vigorously, energetically** 161.15, dynamically; **cogently,** strikingly, tellingly; **effectively,** effectually; productively; with telling effect, to good account, to good purpose, with a vengeance.

.16 **ably, capably, competently,** adequately, effectively, effectually, **efficiently, well; to the best of one's ability,** as lies in one's power, so far as one can, as best

one can; with all one's might, with everything that is in one.

.17 **by force,** by main *or* brute force, by *force majeure,* with the strong arm, with a high hand, high-handedly; **forcibly,** amain, with might and main; by force of arms, at the point of the sword, by storm.

.18 PREPS by dint of, by virtue of.

158. IMPOTENCE

.1 NOUNS **impotence** *or* impotency, **powerlessness,** impuissance [archaic], forcelessness; feebleness, softness, flabbiness, **weakness** 160; power vacuum.

.2 **inability, incapability, incapacity,** incapacitation, **incompetence** *or* incompetency, inadequacy, insufficiency, ineptitude, **inferiority** 37, inefficiency, unfitness, imbecility; disability, disablement, disqualification; legal incapacity, wardship, minority, infancy.

.3 **ineffectiveness, ineffectualness,** ineffectuality, inefficaciousness, **inefficacy,** counterproductiveness, counterproductivity, invalidity, **futility, uselessness,** bootlessness, failure 725, fatuity, inanity.

.4 **helplessness, defenselessness,** unprotection; invalidism, debilitation, effeteness.

.5 **emasculation,** demasculinization, effeminization; maiming, castration 42.4.

.6 **impotent,** weakling 160.6, invalid, incompetent; flash in the pan, blank cartridge, dud [informal]; eunuch, *castrato* [Ital], gelding.

.7 VERBS be impotent, lack force; be ineffective, avail nothing, not work *or* do, not take [informal].

.8 **cannot, not be able,** not have it *or* hack it *or* cut it *or* cut the mustard [informal], not make it, not make the grade [both informal].

.9 **disable,** disenable, unfit, **incapacitate,** drain, de-energize; enfeeble, debilitate, **weaken** 160.9,10; cripple, maim, lame, hamstring; wing, clip the wings of; **inactivate,** put out of action, put *hors de combat;* **put out of order,** put out of commission [informal], throw out of gear; bugger [slang], queer *or* queer the works [both slang], gum up *or* screw up the works [slang], throw a wrench *or* monkey wrench in the machinery [informal], sabotage, wreck; kibosh *or* put the kibosh on [both slang]; spike, spike one's guns, put a spoke in one's wheels.

.10 **disqualify,** invalidate, unfit, knock the bottom out of [informal].

.11 (render powerless) **paralyze,** prostrate, shoot down in flames [informal], knock out [slang], break the neck *or* back of; hamstring; handcuff, tie the hands of, hobble, enchain, manacle, hog-tie [informal], **tie hand and foot,** truss up; throttle, strangle, get a stranglehold on; muzzle, gag, silence; **disarm,** pull one's teeth, draw the teeth *or* fangs of; **take the wind out of one's sails,** deflate, knock the props out from under, cut the ground from under, not leave a leg to stand on.

.12 **unman, unnerve, enervate,** exhaust, etiolate, **devitalize; emasculate,** demasculinize, effeminize; desex, desexualize; sterilize; castrate 42.11.

.13 ADJS **impotent, powerless, forceless;** feeble, soft, flabby, **weak** 160.12; –less.

.14 **unable, incapable, incompetent,** inefficient, ineffective; **unqualified,** inept, unendowed, ungifted, untalented, **unfit,** unfitted; **inferior** 37.6; unable to, incapable of.

.15 **ineffective, ineffectual, inefficacious,** counterproductive, feckless, **inadequate** 37.7; **invalid, inoperative,** of no force; nugatory, nugacious; fatuous, fatuitous; **vain, futile, useless,** unavailing, bootless, fruitless; empty, inane, effete, etiolated, barren, sterile.

.16 **disabled, incapacitated; crippled,** hamstrung; disqualified, invalidated; disarmed; paralyzed; hog-tied [informal]; prostrate, **on one's back,** on one's beam-ends.

.17 **out of action, out of commission** [informal], out of gear; *hors de combat* [Fr], out of the battle, off the field, out of the running; laid on the shelf, obsolete.

.18 **helpless, defenseless, unprotected;** aidless, friendless, unfriended; fatherless, motherless; leaderless, guideless; **untenable,** pregnable, vulnerable.

.19 **unmanned, unnerved, enervated,** debilitated, **devitalized;** nerveless, sinewless, marrowless, pithless, lustless; **castrated,** emasculate, emasculated, gelded, eunuchized, unsexed, deballed [slang], demasculinized, effeminized.

.20 ADVS beyond one, beyond one's power *or* capacity *or* ability, beyond one's depth, out of one's league [informal], above one's head, too much for.

159. STRENGTH

(inherent power)

.1 NOUNS **strength, might,** mightiness, powerfulness; **force, potency, power** 157; **en-**

ergy 161; **vigor, vitality,** vigorousness, heartiness, lustiness, lustihood; **stoutness, sturdiness,** stalwartness, robustness, hardiness, ruggedness; **stamina, guts** *or* gutsiness [both slang], fortitude, intestinal fortitude [informal], **toughness** 359, endurance; strength of will, decisiveness, obstinacy 626; staying *or* sticking power.

.2 **muscularity,** brawniness; beefiness *or* huskiness *or* heftiness [all informal], thewiness, sinewiness; **brawn,** beef [informal]; **muscle,** muscul(o)–, my(o)–, –eus; thew, thews, sinew, sinews; musculature, physique; voluntary muscle 159.22, involuntary muscle; tone, elasticity 358.

.3 **firmness, soundness,** staunchness, stoutness, **sturdiness, stability,** solidity, **hardness** 356, temper.

.4 **impregnability,** impenetrability, **invulnerability,** inexpugnability, inviolability; **unassailability,** unattackableness; resistlessness, **irresistibility; invincibility,** indomitability, insuperability, unconquerableness, unbeatableness.

.5 **strengthening, invigoration,** fortification; hardening, case hardening, tempering; **restrengthening,** reinforcement; **reinvigoration,** refreshment, revivification.

.6 **strong man, stalwart, tower of strength;** powerhouse *or* muscle man *or* man mountain *or* big bruiser [all informal]; strong-arm man, bully, bullyboy, tough, tough guy [informal], gorilla; **giant,** Samson, Goliath; Charles Atlas; Hercules, Atlas, Antaeus, Cyclops, Briareus, colossus, Polyphemus, Titan, Brobdingnagian [Swift], Tarzan [E. R. Burroughs], Superman; the strong, the mighty.

.7 (comparisons) horse, ox, lion; oak, heart of oak; rock, Gibraltar; iron, steel, nails.

.8 VERBS **be strong,** overpower, overwhelm; have what it takes, pack a punch.

.9 **not weaken,** not flag; **bear up, hold up,** keep up, stand up; **hold out,** stay *or* see it out, stick *or* sweat it out [informal], stay the distance [informal], not give up, **never say die;** not let it get one down *or* take it *or* hang in *or* hang tough [all informal].

.10 **exert strength,** put beef *or* one's back into it [informal]; use force, muscle *or* strong-arm [both informal].

.11 **strengthen, invigorate, fortify,** beef up [informal], brace, buttress, prop, shore up, support, undergird, brace up; gird, gird up one's loins; steel, harden, case harden, stiffen, **toughen,** temper, nerve; confirm, sustain; **restrengthen, reinforce; reinvigorate,** refresh, revive, recruit one's strength.

.12 **proof,** insulate, weatherproof, soundproof, fireproof, waterproof, etc.

.13 ADJS **strong, forceful,** forcible, forcy [Scot], **mighty, powerful,** puissant [dial], **potent** 157.12; **stout, sturdy, stalwart, rugged,** hale; husky *or* hefty *or* beefy [all informal], strapping, doughty [dial], **hardy,** hard, hard as nails, iron-hard, steely; **robust,** robustious, gutty *or* gutsy [both slang]; strong-willed, obstinate 626.8; **vigorous, hearty,** nervy, **lusty,** bouncing, full- *or* red-blooded; sturdy as an ox, strong as a lion *or* ox *or* horse, strong as brandy, strong as strong; full-strength, double-strength.

.14 **able-bodied, well-built,** well-set, well-set-up [informal], well-knit, of good *or* powerful physique, broad-shouldered, barrel-chested, **athletic; muscular,** thickset, burly, **brawny;** thewy, sinewy, **wiry;** muscle-bound.

.15 **Herculean,** Briarean, Antaean, Cyclopean, Atlantean, gigantic, huge 195.20.

.16 **firm, sound, stout,** sturdy, **staunch, stable,** solid; sound as a dollar, solid as a rock, firm as Gibraltar, made of iron; rigid, unbreakable, infrangible.

.17 **impregnable,** impenetrable, **invulnerable,** inviolable, inexpugnable; **unassailable,** unattackable, insuperable, unsurmountable; resistless, **irresistible; invincible,** indomitable, **unconquerable,** unsubduable, unyielding 626.9, incontestable, unbeatable, more than a match for; overpowering, overwhelming.

.18 **resistant, proof, tight;** proof against, impervious to; foolproof; shatterproof; weatherproof, dampproof, watertight, leakproof; hermetic, airtight; soundproof, noiseproof; punctureproof, holeproof; bulletproof, ballproof, shellproof, bombproof; rustproof, corrosionproof; fireproof, flameproof, fire-resisting; burglarproof.

.19 **unweakened, undiminished,** unallayed, unbated, unabated, unfaded, unwithered, unshaken, unworn, unexhausted; **unweakening, unflagging;** in full force *or* swing, **going strong** [informal]; in the plenitude of power.

.20 (of sounds and odors) **intense, penetrating,** piercing; **loud,** deafening, thundering 456.12; **pungent, reeking** 435.10.

.21 ADVS **strongly, stoutly, sturdily,** stalwartly, robustly, ruggedly; **mightily, powerfully, forcefully,** forcibly; **vigorously,**

heartily, lustily; **soundly, firmly,** staunchly; impregnably, invulnerably, **invincibly, irresistibly,** unyieldingly; resistantly, imperviously; **intensely; loudly,** deafeningly; **pungently.**

.22 **voluntary muscles**

adductor
auricularis
biceps
brachialis
brachioradialis
buccinator
coracobrachialis
deltoid(eus)
digastric
extensor
flexor
frontalis
gastrocnemius
gemellus
gluteus maximus
gluteus medius
gluteus minimus
iliacus
infraspinatus
intercostal
interosseus
lacertus fibrosus
latissimus dorsi
levator
masseter
mentalis
mylohyoid
nasalis
oblique
obturator
occipitalis
omohyoid
palmaris
pectineus
pectoralis
peroneus
plantaris
platysma
pronator
psoas
pyriformis
quadrator
quadriceps
rectus abdominus
rectus femoris
rhomboideus
sacrospinalis
sartorius
semimembranosus
semitendinosus
serratus
soleus
sphincter
spinalis
splenius
sternocleidomastoid(eus)
sternohyoid
subclavius
supraspinatus
temporalis
tensor
teres
tibialis
trapezius
triangularis
triceps
vastus intermedius
vastus lateralis
vastus medialis
zygomaticus

160. WEAKNESS

.1 NOUNS **weakness,** weakliness, **feebleness, strengthlessness, flabbiness,** flaccidity, softness, **impotence** 158; gutlessness [slang], cowardice 892; **debility,** debilitation; faintness, gone *or* blah feeling [informal]; languor, lassitude, languishment, listlessness, weariness, fatigue 717, prostration, dullness, sluggishness; atony, anemia, bloodlessness, etiolation, asthenia, adynamia, cachexia *or* cachexy.

.2 **frailty,** slightness, **delicacy, daintiness,** lightness; effeminacy, womanishness; **flimsiness, unsubstantiality,** wispiness, sleaziness; **fragility,** frangibility, brittleness, breakability, destructibility, disintegration 53, collapse; human frailty, "amiable weakness" [Henry Fielding]; moral weakness, irresolution, **indecisiveness,** infirmity of will, velleity, changeableness 141; inherent vice.

.3 **infirmity, unsoundness,** incapacity, unfirmness, unsturdiness, **instability, unsubstantiality;** decrepitude; **unsteadiness, shakiness,** ricketiness, wobbliness, caducity, senility, invalidism; wishy-washiness, insipidity, vapidity, wateriness.

.4 **weak point, weak side,** vulnerable point, heel of Achilles; feet of clay.

.5 **weakening, enfeeblement, debilitation,** exhaustion, inanition, attrition, effemination; languishment; **devitalization,** enervation, evisceration; fatigue; attenuation, extenuation; softening, mitigation, damping, abatement, slackening, relaxation, blunting, deadening, dulling; **dilution,** reduction, thinning.

.6 **weakling,** weak *or* meek soul, weak sister [informal], softy [informal], softling, **jellyfish,** invertebrate, gutless wonder [slang], **baby,** big baby, crybaby, chicken [slang], Milquetoast, sop, **milksop, namby-pamby, mollycoddle,** mama's boy, mother's darling, teacher's pet; sissy *or* pansy *or* pantywaist [all slang], pushover [slang], lightweight; poor *or* weak *or* dull tool [informal], doormat, nonentity, nebbish *or* sad sack [both informal].

.7 (comparisons) reed, thread, hair, cobweb, gossamer, matchwood, rope of sand; house of cards, house built on sand, sand castle; water, milk and water, gruel, dishwater, cambric tea.

.8 VERBS (be weak) **shake,** tremble, quiver, cower 892.9, totter, teeter, dodder; halt, limp; be on one's last legs, have one foot in the grave.

.9 (become weak) **weaken,** grow weak *or* weaker, go soft [informal]; **languish, wilt,** faint, **droop,** drop, **sink, decline, flag, pine, fade, fail;** crumble, go to pieces, disintegrate 53.3; go downhill, hit the skids [slang], give way, break, collapse, cave in [informal]; give out, conk *or* peter *or* poop *or* peg *or* fizzle out [informal]; come apart, come apart at the seams, come unstuck; yield; die on the vine [informal]; wear thin *or* away.

.10 (make weak) **weaken, enfeeble, debilitate,** unstrengthen, unsinew, undermine, soften up [informal], unbrace, unman, unnerve, rattle, shake up [informal], **devitalize, enervate,** eviscerate; **sap,** sap the strength of, exhaust, gruel, take it out of [informal]; shake, unstring; reduce, lay low; attenuate, extenuate, mitigate, abate; blunt, deaden, dull, damp *or* dampen, take the edge off; cramp, cripple.

.11 **dilute, cut** [informal], **reduce, thin,** attenuate, rarefy; **water,** water down, adulterate, irrigate *or* baptize [both slang].

.12 ADJS **weak,** weakly, **feeble,** asthen(o)–, lept(o)–; **debilitated,** imbecile; **strengthless,** sapless, marrowless, pithless, sinewless, listless, nerveless, lustless; **impotent, powerless** 158.13; spineless, chicken *or* gutless [slang], cowardly 892.10; unnerved, shook-up [informal], unstrung, faint, faintish, gone; dull, slack; **soft, flabby,** flaccid, unhardened; **limp,** limber, limp *or* limber as a dishrag, floppy, rubbery; **languorous,** languid, **drooping,** droopy, pooped [informal]; asthenic, anemic, bloodless, effete, etiolated; not what one used to be.

.13 "weak as water" [Bible], weak as milk and water, weak as a drink of water, weak as a child *or* baby, weak as a chicken, weak as a kitten, weak as a mouse, "weak as a rained-on bee" [F. R. Torrence].

.14 **frail, slight, delicate, dainty,** "delicately weak" [Pope]; puny; light, lightweight, womanish, effeminate; namby-pamby, sissified, pansyish; **fragile,** frangible, **breakable,** destructible, shattery, crumbly, brittle; **unsubstantial, flimsy,** sleazy, tacky [informal], wispy, cobwebby, gossamery, papery, pasteboardy; gimcrack *or* gimcracky *or* cheap-jack [all informal]; jerry-built, jerry.

.15 **unsound, infirm,** unfirm, **unstable, unsubstantial,** unsturdy, unsolid, decrepit, crumbling, disintegrating 53.5; poor, poorish; rotten, rotten at *or* rotten to the core.

.16 **unsteady, shaky, rickety,** ricketish, spindly, spidery, teetering, teetery, tottery, tottering, doddering, tumbledown, ramshackle, dilapidated, rocky [informal], groggy, wobbly.

.17 **wishy-washy,** tasteless, bland, **insipid,** vapid, neutral, watery, milky, milk-and-water, mushy; halfhearted, infirm of will *or* purpose, **indecisive,** irresolute, changeable 141.7.

.18 **weakened, enfeebled, disabled,** incapacitated; **devitalized,** drained, exhausted, sapped, burned-out, used up, played out, spent, *ausgespielt* [Ger], effete; **fatigued** 717.6, **enervated,** eviscerated; **wasted, rundown,** worn, worn-out, worn to a frazzle [informal], worn to a shadow, reduced to a skeleton, "weakened and wasted to skin and bone" [Du Bartas].

.19 **diluted, cut** [informal], **reduced, thinned,** rarefied, attenuated; adulterated; watered, watered-down.

.20 **weakening, debilitating, enfeebling; devitalizing,** enervating, sapping, exhausting, fatiguing 717.11, grueling, trying, draining.

.21 **languishing, drooping, sinking, declining, flagging, pining, fading, failing.**

.22 ADVS **weakly, feebly,** strengthlessly, languorously, listlessly; faintly; delicately, effeminately, daintily; infirmly, unsoundly, unstably, unsubstantially, unsturdily, flimsily; shakily, unsteadily, teeteringly, totteringly.

161. ENERGY

.1 NOUNS **energy, vigor, force, power, vitality,** strenuousness, **intensity,** dynamism, demonic energy; **potency** 157; **strength** 159; actual *or* kinetic energy; dynamic energy; potential energy, ergal.

.2 **vim, verve,** fire, starch, snap [informal], bang *or* **punch** [both informal], **dash, drive,** push [informal], **aggressiveness, enterprise,** initiative, thrust, spunk, piss and vinegar [slang], get-up-and-go [informal]; pep *or* pepper *or* ginger *or* kick *or* zip *or* zing *or* zizz *or* pizzazz *or* poop [all informal].

.3 **animation, vivacity,** liveliness, **ardor,** glow, warmth, enthusiasm, lustiness, robustness, mettle, **zest,** zestfulness, **gusto, élan,** impetus, impetuosity, *joie de vivre* [Fr], *brio* [Ital], spiritedness, **briskness,** perkiness, pertness, **life, spirit;** activity 707.

.4 **acrimony,** acridity, acerbity, acidity, **bitterness,** tartness, **causticity,** mordancy *or* mordacity, **virulence; harshness,** fierceness, **rigor,** roughness, **severity, vehemence,** violence 162, stringency, astringency, stridency 458.1, **sharpness, keenness, poignancy,** trenchancy; edge, point; bite, teeth, grip, sting.

.5 **energizer, stimulus,** stimulator, arouser, restorative; **stimulant, tonic** 687.8; **activator,** motivating force, motive power; **animator,** spark plug [informal], human dynamo [informal]; life, life of the party.

.6 (units of energy) atomerg, dinamode, dyne, erg, energid, foot-pound, horsepower-hour, horsepower-year, joule, calorie 328.19, kilogram-meter, kilowatt-hour, photon, quantum.

.7 **energizing, invigoration, animation, enlivenment,** quickening, **vitalization,** revival, revitalization; **exhilaration, stimulation.**

.8 **activation,** reactivation; viability.

.9 VERBS **energize,** dynamize; **invigorate, animate, enliven,** liven, vitalize, quicken,

exhilarate, stimulate, hearten, galvanize, electrify, fire, inflame, warm, kindle, rouse, arouse, act like a tonic, pep *or* snap *or* jazz *or* zip *or* perk up [informal], put pep *or* zip into it [informal].

.10 **have energy,** be energetic, be vigorous, **thrive,** burst *or* overflow with energy, flourish, feel one's oats, be up and doing, be full of beans *or* pep *or* ginger *or* zip [informal], be full of piss and vinegar [slang].

.11 **activate,** reactivate, recharge.

.12 ADJS **energetic, vigorous, strenuous, forceful, forcible, strong, dynamic,** kinetic, intense, acute, keen, incisive, trenchant, vivid, vibrant; **enterprising, aggressive,** take-over *or* take-charge [both informal]; **active, lively,** living, **animated, spirited,** go-go [slang], **vivacious,** brisk, lusty, **robust,** hearty, enthusiastic, mettlesome, zesty, zestful, impetuous, spanking, smacking; snappy *or* zippy *or* peppy *or* full of pep [all informal].

.13 **acrimonious, acrid,** acidulous, acid, **bitter,** tart, **caustic,** escharotic [med], mordant *or* mordacious, **virulent, violent** 162.15, **vehement,** vitriolic; **harsh,** fierce, **rigorous,** severe, rough, stringent, astringent, strident 458.12, **sharp, keen,** incisive, trenchant, **cutting,** biting, stinging, **scathing,** stabbing, **piercing, poignant,** penetrating, edged, double-edged.

.14 **energizing, vitalizing, enlivening,** quickening; tonic, bracing, rousing; **invigorating,** invigorative; **animating,** animative; **exhilarating,** exhilarative; **stimulating,** stimulative; activating; viable.

.15 ADVS **energetically, vigorously, strenuously, forcefully,** forcibly, intensely, zestfully, lustily, heartily, keenly; **actively,** briskly; **animatedly, spiritedly,** vivaciously, with pep [informal], *con brio* [Ital].

162. VIOLENCE

(vehement action)

.1 NOUNS **violence, vehemence, virulence, venom, furiousness, force, rigor,** roughness, harshness, ungentleness, extremity, impetuosity, inclemency, **severity, intensity,** acuteness, **sharpness; fierceness,** ferociousness, viciousness, savagery, destructiveness, vandalism; **terrorism, barbarity, brutality, atrocity,** inhumanity, bloodlust, murderousness, malignity, mercilessness, pitilessness, mindlessness, animality.

.2 **turbulence, turmoil,** chaos, upset, **fury, furor,** *furore* [Ital], **rage, frenzy, passion,** fanaticism, zealousness, zeal, tempestuousness, storminess, wildness, tumultuousness, **tumult, uproar,** racket, cacophony, pandemonium, hubbub, **commotion, disturbance, agitation,** bluster, broil, brawl, embroilment, *brouhaha* [Fr], fuss, flap [Brit informal], row, rumpus, ruckus [informal], foofaraw [informal], ferment, fume, ebullition, fomentation.

.3 **unruliness, disorderliness,** obstreperousness; **riot, rioting;** looting, pillaging, sacking; laying waste, sowing with salt; **attack** 798, **assault,** onslaught, battering; **rape, violation,** forcible seizure; **killing** 409, butchery, massacre, slaughter.

.4 **storm, tempest,** squall, line squall, **tornado, cyclone, hurricane,** typhoon, war of the elements, "Nature's elemental din" [Thomas Campbell], "tempestuous rage", "groans of roaring wind and rain" [both Shakespeare]; stormy weather, rough weather, foul weather, dirty weather; rainstorm 394.2; thunderstorm 394.3; windstorm 403.12–14; **snowstorm** 333.8.

.5 **upheaval, convulsion,** cataclysm, disaster, overthrow, breakup; **fit,** spasm, **paroxysm,** apoplexy, stroke; climax; **earthquake,** quake, temblor, diastrophism, seismo–, –seism; tidal wave, *tsunami* [Jap].

.6 **outburst, outbreak, eruption,** debouchment, eructation, belch, spew, flare-up; **burst,** dissiliency; **torrent,** rush, gush, spate, cascade, spurt, jet, rapids, **volcano,** volcan, burning mountain.

.7 **explosion, discharge, blowout,** blowup, detonation, fulmination, **blast, burst, report** 456.1–5; flash, flare, fulguration; bang, boom 456.4; backfire.

.8 **concussion, shock, impact,** crunch, smash; percussion, repercussion.

.9 (violent person) **violent,** berserk *or* berserker; **hothead, madcap,** hotspur; **devil, demon, fiend, brute,** hellhound, hellcat, hellion, hell-raiser; **beast,** wild beast, tiger, dragon, mad dog, wolf, monster, savage; rapist, mugger, killer 409.11; hardnose *or* tough guy *or* tough *or* hoodlum *or* hood [all informal], goon *or* gorilla [both informal], gunsel [slang], Mafioso, terror *or* holy terror [both informal], fire-eater [informal], spitfire, ugly customer [informal]; **fury,** virago, vixen, termagant, beldam, she-wolf, tigress, witch; firebrand, Young Turk; revolutionary 147.3, **terrorist,** incendiary, bomber.

.10 VERBS **rage, storm, rant, rave,** roar; **rampage,** ramp, **tear,** tear around; go *or* carry on [informal]; come in like a lion; **destroy, wreck,** ruin; sow chaos *or* disorder; **terrorize,** vandalize, barbarize, brutalize; **riot,** loot, burn, pillage, sack, lay waste; **slaughter, butcher** 409.17; **rape,** violate; **attack, assault** 798.15, batter, savage, mug, maul, hammer.

.11 **seethe, boil, fume,** foam, simmer, stew, ferment, stir, churn.

.12 **erupt, burst forth** *or* **out, break out, blow out** *or* **open,** eruct, belch, **vomit,** spout, spew, disgorge, **discharge,** eject, throw *or* hurl forth.

.13 **explode, blow up, go off, blow out,** blast, burst, bust [informal]; **detonate,** fulminate; **touch off,** set off, let off; **discharge,** fire, shoot; backfire.

.14 **run amok, go berserk, go on a rampage,** cut loose, run riot, run wild.

.15 ADJS **violent, vehement, virulent, venomous, severe, rigorous, furious, fierce, intense,** sharp, acute, keen, cutting, splitting, piercing; rough, tough [informal]; **drastic,** extreme, outrageous, excessive, exorbitant, unconscionable, intemperate, immoderate, extravagant, great.

.16 **unmitigated, unsoftened, untempered,** unallayed, unsubdued, unquelled; unquenched, unextinguished, unabated.

.17 **turbulent, tumultuous, raging, chaotic,** hellish, anarchic, **storming,** stormy, **tempestuous,** troublous, **frenzied, wild, frantic, furious,** infuriate, insensate, mindless, **mad,** angry, ravening, raving; **blustering,** blustery, blusterous; **uproarious,** rip-roaring [informal]; pandemoniac; orgastic, orgasmic.

.18 **unruly, disorderly,** obstreperous; **unbridled** 762.23; **riotous, wild, rampant;** terrorist(ic), revolutionary 147.5.

.19 **boisterous, rampageous, rambunctious** [informal], roisterous, wild, rollicking, **rowdy,** rough, harum-scarum [informal]; knockabout, rough-and-tumble, knockdown-and-drag-out [informal].

.20 **savage, fierce, ferocious, vicious, murderous** 409.24, **atrocious, brutal,** brutish, **bestial,** inhuman, pitiless, ruthless, merciless, bloody, sanguinary, kill-crazy [slang]; malign, malignant; feral, ferine; **wild,** untamed, tameless, ungentle; **barbarous,** barbaric; **uncivilized,** noncivilized.

.21 **fiery, heated, inflamed,** flaming, scorching, hot, red-hot, white-hot; fanatic, zealous, totally committed, hard-core, ardent, passionate; **hotheaded,** madcap.

.22 **convulsive,** cataclysmic, disastrous, upheaving; seismic; **spasmodic,** paroxysmal, spastic, jerky, herky-jerky [informal]; orgasmic.

.23 **explosive,** bursting, detonating, explosible, explodable, fulminating; **volcanic,** eruptive.

.24 ADVS **violently, vehemently, virulently, venomously, rigorously, severely, fiercely; furiously,** wildly, madly, **like mad,** like fury [informal], like blazes; all to pieces, with a vengeance.

.25 **turbulently, tumultuously,** riotously, uproariously, stormily, tempestuously, troublously, **frenziedly, frantically, furiously, madly,** insensately, mindlessly, angrily.

.26 **savagely, fiercely, ferociously, atrociously, viciously, murderously,** brutally *or* brutishly, bestially, barbarously, inhumanly, ruthlessly, pitilessly, mercilessly; **tooth and nail,** *bec et ongles* [Fr].

163. MODERATION

.1 NOUNS **moderation,** moderateness; **restraint,** constraint, control; judiciousness, prudence; steadiness, evenness, **stability** 142; **temperateness,** temperance, sobriety; self-abnegation, self-restraint, self-control, self-denial; abstinence, continence, abnegation; **mildness,** lenity, gentleness; calmness, serenity, tranquillity, repose, calm, cool [informal]; unexcessiveness, unextremeness, unextravagance, nothing in excess, *meden agan* [Gk]; **happy medium, golden mean,** *juste-milieu* [Fr], middle way *or* path, *via media* [L]; moderationism, **conservatism** 140.3; **nonviolence,** pacifism; impartiality, neutrality, dispassion.

.2 modulation, **abatement,** remission, **mitigation,** diminution, **reduction,** lessening, falling-off; **relaxation,** slackening, **easing,** loosening, letup *or* letdown [both informal]; **alleviation,** assuagement, allayment, palliation, leniency, lightening, **tempering, softening,** subduement; deadening, dulling, damping, blunting; **pacification, tranquilization,** mollification, demulsion, dulcification, **quieting,** quietening, lulling, **soothing, calming,** hushing.

.3 **moderator, mitigator,** modulator, stabilizer, temperer, assuager; calming *or* restraining hand, wiser head; **alleviator,** alleviative, palliative, lenitive; **pacifier, soother,** peacemaker, pacificator, mollifier; anodyne, dolorifuge, soothing syrup, **tranquilizer,** calmative; **sedative** 687.12; balm, salve; cushion, shock absorber.

.4 **moderate,** moderatist, moderationist,

middle-of-the-roader, centrist, neutral, compromiser; **conservative** 140.4.

.5 VERBS **be moderate, keep within bounds,** keep within compass; practice self-control *or* self-denial, live temperately, do nothing in excess, strike a balance, keep a happy medium *or* the golden mean, steer *or* preserve an even course, keep to the middle path *or* way; keep the peace, not resist, espouse *or* practice nonviolence, be pacifistic; not rock the boat, not make waves *or* static; keep one's cool [informal], keep one's head *or* temper; sober down, settle down; remit, relent; take in sail; go out like a lamb; be conservative 140.6.

.6 **moderate, restrain,** constrain, control, **keep within bounds; modulate, mitigate,** abate, weaken, **diminish, reduce,** slacken, lessen, slow down; **alleviate,** assuage, allay, lay, lighten, palliate, extenuate, **temper,** attemper, lenify; **soften, subdue,** tame, chasten, underplay, play down, downplay, de-emphasize, tone *or* tune down; deaden, dull, blunt, obtund, take the edge off, take the sting *or* bite out; smother, suppress, stifle; damp, dampen, bank the fire, reduce the temperature, throw cold water on, throw a wet blanket on; sober, sober down *or* up.

.7 **calm,** calm down, **stabilize, tranquilize, pacify,** mollify, appease, dulcify; **quiet,** hush, still, rest, compose, **lull, soothe,** gentle, rock, cradle, rock to sleep; cool, **subdue,** quell; ease, steady, smooth, smoothen, smooth over, smooth down, even out; pour oil on troubled waters, pour balm into.

.8 **cushion,** absorb the shock, **soften the blow,** break the fall, deaden, damp *or* dampen, soften, suppress, neutralize, offset; show pity *or* mercy *or* consideration *or* sensitivity, temper the wind to the shorn lamb.

.9 **relax,** unbend; ease, **ease up,** ease off, **let up,** let down; abate, bate, remit, mitigate; **slacken,** slack, slake, slack off, slack up; loose, **loosen;** unbrace, unstrain, unstring.

.10 ADJS **moderate, temperate,** sober; **mild,** soft, bland, **gentle,** tame; mild as milk *or* mother's milk, mild as milk and water, gentle as a lamb; nonviolent, peaceable, peaceful, pacifistic; judicious, prudent.

.11 **restrained,** constrained, limited, controlled, **stable,** in control, in hand; tempered, **softened,** hushed, **subdued,** quelled, chastened.

.12 **unexcessive,** unextreme, unextravagant, **conservative;** reasonable.

.13 **equable,** even, **cool,** even-tempered, levelheaded, dispassionate; tranquil, reposeful, serene, calm 268.12.

.14 **mitigating,** assuaging, abating, **diminishing, reducing,** lessening, allaying, **alleviating, relaxing, easing;** tempering, **softening,** chastening, **subduing;** deadening, dulling, blunting, damping, dampening, cushioning.

.15 **tranquilizing,** pacifying, mollifying, appeasing; **calming,** lulling, gentling, rocking, cradling, hushing, quietening, stilling; **soothing,** soothful, restful; dreamy, drowsy.

.16 **palliative, alleviative,** assuasive, lenitive, **calmative,** calmant, **sedative,** demulcent, anodyne; antiorgastic, anaphrodisiac.

.17 ADVS **moderately, in moderation,** restrainedly, subduedly, in *or* within reason, within bounds *or* compass, in balance; **temperately,** soberly, prudently, judiciously, dispassionately; composedly, calmly, coolly, evenly, steadily, equably, tranquilly, serenely; soothingly, conservatively.

164. OPERATION

.1 NOUNS **operation,** operance *or* operancy, **functioning, action, performance** *or* **performing,** exercise, practice, work, **working,** workings; agency; management, **conduct, running, carrying-on** *or* **-out,** execution; driving, steering, direction 747; **handling,** manipulation; responsibility 962.1,2; **occupation** 656.

.2 **process, procedure,** proceeding, course; act, motion; step, measure; –age, –al, –ance *or* –ence, –ation, –ing, –ion, –ism, –ization *or* –isation, –ment, –osis, –sis, –th, –ure.

.3 **workability, operability,** performability, negotiability [informal], manageability, compassability, manipulatability, maneuverability; **practicability,** viability.

.4 **operator,** operative, operant; **handler,** manipulator; **driver,** runner, steersman, pilot, engineer; conductor; functionary, agent.

.5 VERBS **operate, run, work, manage, conduct,** practice, **carry on** *or* **out** *or* **through,** make go; **handle,** manipulate, maneuver; deal with, see to, take care of; **drive,** steer, pilot, direct 147.8; perform on, play; occupy oneself with 656.10; be responsible for 962.6.

.6 operate on, **act on** *or* **upon, work on,** af-

fect, influence; treat, focus *or* concentrate on; bring to bear upon.

.7 (be operative) **operate, function, work, act, perform, go, run,** be in action *or* operation *or* commission; percolate *or* perk *or* tick [all informal]; play; be effective, have effect, take effect, militate; have play, have free play.

.8 **function as,** work as, **act as,** act *or* play the part of, have the function *or* role *or* job *or* mission of.

.9 ADJS **operative, operational,** go [informal], **functional, practical; effective,** effectual, efficient, efficacious.

.10 **workable, operable,** operatable, **performable,** actable, **doable,** manageable, compassable, negotiable [informal], manipulatable, maneuverable; **practicable,** practical, viable.

.11 **operating** *or* **operational, working, functioning** *or* **functional,** acting, active, running, **going,** going on, ongoing; **in operation,** in action, **in practice, in force,** in play, in exercise, at work, on foot; **in process,** in the works, on the fire, in hand.

.12 operational, functional, agential, agentive *or* agentival; managerial; manipulational.

165. PRODUCTIVENESS

.1 NOUNS **productiveness, productivity,** productive capacity, **fruitfulness,** fructiferousness, procreativeness, **fertility,** fecundity, pregnancy; richness, **luxuriance,** lushness, exuberance, prolificacy, generousness, bountifulness, plentifulness, plenteousness, abundance 661.2, superabundance, copiousness, teemingness, swarmingness; teeming womb *or* loins.

.2 proliferation, prolification, fructification, pullulation, multiplication; **reproduction** 169, **production** 167.

.3 **fertilization, enrichment,** fecundation; insemination, impregnation 169.4.

.4 **fertilizer,** dressing, enrichener; organic fertilizer, manure, muck, night soil, dung, guano, compost, castor-bean meal; commercial fertilizer, inorganic fertilizer, chemical fertilizer, phosphate, superphosphate, ammonia, nitrogen, nitrate.

.5 (goddesses of fertility) Demeter, Ceres, Isis, Astarte *or* Ashtoreth; (gods) Frey, Priapus, Dionysus, Pan, Baal.

.6 (comparisons) milk cow, rabbit, Hydra, warren, seed plot, hotbed, rich soil, land flowing with milk and honey, mustard.

.7 VERBS **be productive, proliferate,** pullulate, fructify, be fruitful, **multiply,** engender, beget, teem; **reproduce** 169.7,8.

.8 **fertilize, enrich,** fatten; fructify, fecundate, fecundify, prolificate; inseminate, impregnate 169.10; dress, manure.

.9 ADJS **productive, fruitful,** fructiferous, fecund; **fertile,** pregnant, seminal, **rich,** flourishing, thriving, blooming; **prolific,** proliferous, uberous, **teeming,** swarming, bursting, bursting out, plenteous, **plentiful,** copious, generous, bountiful, **abundant** 661.7, superabundant, luxuriant, lush, exuberant; creative 167.19.

.10 **bearing, yielding, producing;** fruitbearing, fructiferous.

.11 **fertilizing, enriching,** richening, fattening, fecundative, fructificative, seminal, germinal.

166. UNPRODUCTIVENESS

.1 NOUNS **unproductiveness,** unproductivity, ineffectualness 158.3; **unfruitfulness, barrenness,** dryness, aridity, dearth, famine; sterileness, **sterility,** unfertileness, **infertility,** infecundity; wasted *or* withered loins, dry womb; **birth control, contraception,** family planning, planned parenthood; impotence 158.

.2 **wasteland, waste,** desolation, barren *or* **barrens,** barren land, "weary waste" [Southey], "Rock and no water and the sandy road", "An old man in a dry season" [both T. S. Eliot]; heath; **desert,** Sahara, "a barren waste, a wild of sand" [Addison], karroo [Africa], dust bowl, salt flat, Death Valley, Arabia Deserta, lunar waste *or* landscape; **wilderness,** howling wilderness, wild, wilds; bush, brush, outback [Australia].

.3 VERBS be unproductive, **come to nothing,** come to naught, hang fire, flash in the pan, fizzle *or* peter out [informal]; **lie fallow.**

.4 ADJS **unproductive,** nonproductive *or* nonproducing; **infertile,** unfertile *or* nonfertile; **unfruitful, sterile,** impotent, gelded 158.19, acarpous, infecund, unprolific *or* nonprolific, ineffectual 158.15; **barren,** desert, arid, gaunt, dry, dried-up, exhausted, drained, leached, sucked dry, wasted, **waste, desolate,** jejune; **childless,** issueless, fruitless, teemless, without issue, *sine prole* [L]; fallow, unplowed, unsown, untilled, uncultivated; celibate, virgin, menopausal.

.5 **uncreative,** noncreative, nonseminal, nongerminal, unpregnant; uninventive, unoriginal, derivative.

167. PRODUCTION, BIRTH

.1 NOUNS **production**; performance, execution, **doing, accomplishment, achievement,** realization, bringing to fruition, effectuation, operation 164; overproduction; **productiveness** 165.

.2 **mass production,** volume production, **assembly-line production;** production line, assembly line; modular production *or* assembly, standardization; division of labor, industrialization.

.3 **creation, manufacture** *or* **manufacturing, making, producing,** devising, fashioning, framing, forming, formation, formulation, casting, shaping, molding, machining, milling, preparation, processing, conversion, **assembly,** composition, elaboration; **construction, building,** erection, architecture; **fabrication,** prefabrication; **workmanship, craftsmanship;** handiwork, handicraft, crafting; **mining,** extraction, smelting, **refining; growing,** cultivation, **raising,** harvesting; –faction, –fication, –plasia *or* –plasy, –poiesis.

.4 **establishment, foundation,** constitution, institution, installation, formation, **organization,** inauguration, **inception, setting-up,** realization, materialization, effectuation.

.5 **creation, origination, invention, conception,** beginning, fabrication, concoction, coinage, mintage, **devising,** hatching, **contriving,** contrivance; improvisation, making do; **authorship;** creative effort, **generation** 169.6; –genesis, –geny.

.6 **bearing, yielding; fruition,** fruiting, fructification.

.7 **birth,** genesis, **nativity,** nascency, **childbirth, childbearing, having a baby, giving birth,** birthing [dial], parturition, the stork [informal], **delivery,** –toky, toco– *or* toko–; **hatching;** blessed event [informal]; the Nativity; multiparity; **confinement,** lying-in, being brought to bed, **childbed,** *accouchement* [Fr]; **labor,** travail, birth throes.

.8 **producer, maker,** craftsman, wright, smith; **manufacturer,** industrialist; **creator,** begetter, engenderer, **author,** mother, **father,** sire; **ancestors** 170.7; **precursor** 66; generator, mover; **originator,** initiator, inaugurator, introducer, institutor, beginner, prime mover, instigator; **founder,** organizer; **inventor,** discoverer, deviser; **builder,** constructor, artificer, **architect,** planner, **conceiver,** designer, **shaper;** executor, executrix, engineer; **grower,** raiser; effector, realizer; **apprentice, journeyman, master,** master craftsman, artist, past master; –er *or* –ier *or* –yer, –fer, –gen(e), –ist, –ment, –or.

.9 VERBS **produce; perform, do,** work, act, execute, **accomplish, achieve,** realize, engineer, effectuate, **bring about,** bring to fruition *or* into being, cause 153.11; mass-produce, volume-produce, industrialize; overproduce; **be productive** 165.7.

.10 **create, make, manufacture, produce, form,** formulate, evolve, mature, elaborate, fashion, **fabricate,** prefabricate, cast, shape, mold, extrude, frame; **construct, build,** erect, put up, set up, run up, raise, rear; make up, get up, prepare, compose, write, indite, devise, concoct, compound; **put together, assemble,** piece together, patch together, whomp up [slang], fudge together [informal].

.11 **process,** convert 145.11; mill, machine; carve, chisel; **mine,** extract, pump, smelt, **refine; raise,** rear, **grow,** cultivate, harvest.

.12 **establish, found,** constitute, institute, install, form, **set up, organize,** inaugurate, incept, realize, materialize, effect, effectuate.

.13 **originate, invent, conceive,** discover, **make up, devise, contrive,** concoct, fabricate, coin, mint, frame, hatch, hatch *or* cook up, strike out; improvise, make do with; think up, think out, dream up, **design,** plan, set one's wits to work, strain *or* crack one's invention; **generate, develop,** mature, **evolve;** breed, engender, beget, spawn, hatch; bring forth, give rise to, give being to, bring *or* call into being; procreate 169.8.

.14 **bear, yield, produce,** furnish; **bring forth,** usher into the world; fruit, **bear fruit,** fructify.

.15 **give birth, bear,** bear *or* have young, **have; have a baby,** bear a child; drop, cast, throw, pup, whelp, kitten, foal, calve, fawn, lamb, yean, farrow, litter; lie in, be confined, labor, travail.

.16 **be born,** have birth, come forth, issue forth, come into the world; **hatch;** be illegitimate *or* born out of wedlock, have the bar sinister; be born on the wrong side of the blanket, come in through a side door [informal].

.17 ADJS **productional, creational,** formational; executional; **manufacturing,** manufactural, fabricational, **industrial.**

.18 **constructional, structural,** building, housing, edificial; **architectural,** architectonic.

.19 **creative, originative,** causative, **produc-**

tive 165.9, **constructive,** formative, fabricative, demiurgic; inventive; generative 169.16; –facient, –factive, –ferous, –fic, –genetic, –genic, –genous, –gerous *or* –igerous, –ic(al) *or* –etic, –ive, –ory, –poietic.

.20 **produced, made, caused, brought about;** effectuated, executed, performed, done; grown, raised; mass-produced, volume-produced.

.21 **bearing,** giving birth, –para, –parous, –tokous; **born,** given birth; **hatched;** cast, dropped, whelped, foaled, calved, etc.; "cast naked upon the naked earth" [Pliny the Elder]; née; newborn; stillborn.

.22 **made,** man-made; **manufactured,** created, crafted, formed, shaped, molded, cast, forged, machined, milled, fashioned, **built, constructed,** fabricated; **well-made,** well-built, well-constructed; **homemade,** homespun, **handmade,** handcrafted, self-made; machine-made; **processed; assembled,** put together; **custom-made,** custom-built, custom, made to order; **ready-made,** ready-formed, ready-prepared, ready-to-wear, ready-for-wear; prefabricated, prefab [informal]; **mined,** extracted, smelted, **refined; grown, raised,** harvested, gathered.

.23 **invented,** originated, **conceived,** discovered; fabricated, coined, minted, new-minted; **made-up,** made out of whole cloth.

.24 **manufacturable, producible,** productible, causable.

.25 ADVS **in production,** under construction, in the works, in hand, on foot.

168. PRODUCT

.1 NOUNS **product,** end product; **work,** *œuvre* [Fr], **handiwork, artifact,** manufacture, production, **creation,** creature; offspring, child, fruit; issue, outgrowth, outcome; result, **effect** 154; **invention,** origination, coinage, mintage *or* new mintage, brainchild; concoction, composition; opus, opera [pl], opuscule; **extract, distillation,** essence; apprentice work, journeyman work, **masterwork, masterpiece,** *chef d'œuvre* [Fr], *Meisterstück* [Ger], work of an artist *or* master *or* past master, crowning achievement; –ade, –age, –ate, –gen(e), –ing, –ion, –ite, –ization *or* –isation, –ment, –plast, –state.

.2 **produce,** proceeds, net, **yield, output,** throughput; **crop,** harvest.

.3 **by-product,** outgrowth, offshoot, side issue.

.4 (amount made) make, making; batch, lot, run.

169. REPRODUCTION, PROCREATION

.1 NOUNS **reproduction, remaking, re-creation,** refashioning, reshaping, redoing, re-formation, **reconstruction,** rebuilding, redesign, restructuring, **revision;** reedition, reissue, reprinting; reestablishment, **reorganization,** reinstitution, reconstitution; **rebirth,** renascence, resurrection, revival; regeneration, regenesis, palingenesis; **duplication** 91, **imitation** 22, **copy** 24, **repetition** 103; **restoration** 694, renovation; producing *or* making *or* creating over *or* again *or* once more.

.2 **procreation, generation, begetting, breeding,** engenderment; **propagation, multiplication,** –gamy, –gony; proliferation; linebreeding; inbreeding, endogamy; outbreeding, xenogamy; dissogeny; cross-breeding 44.4.

.3 **fertilization,** fecundation; **impregnation,** insemination, getting with child; **pollination,** pollinization; cross-fertilization, cross-pollination; self-fertilization, heterogamy, orthogamy; isogamy, artificial insemination; conjugation, zygosis, zyg(o)–; –spermy, –myxis.

.4 **conception,** conceiving, coming with child; superfetation, superimpregnation.

.5 **pregnancy, gestation, incubation,** parturiency, gravidness *or* gravidity, heaviness, greatness, bigness, the family way [informal]; brooding, sitting, covering.

.6 **birth** 167.7, **generation, genesis; development;** procreation; abiogenesis, archigenesis, biogenesis, blastogenesis, digenesis, dysmerogenesis, epigenesis, eumerogenesis, heterogenesis, histogenesis, homogenesis, isogenesis, merogenesis, metagenesis, monogenesis, oögenesis, orthogenesis, pangenesis, parthenogenesis, phytogenesis, sporogenesis, xenogenesis; spontaneous generation.

.7 VERBS **reproduce, remake,** make *or* do over, **re-create,** regenerate, resurrect, revive, re-form, refashion, **reshape,** redo, **reconstruct,** rebuild, redesign, restructure, **revise;** reprint, reissue; reestablish, reinstitute, reconstitute, refound, **reorganize; duplicate** 91.3, **copy** 22.5, **repeat** 103.7, **restore** 694.11, **renovate.**

.8 **procreate, generate, breed, beget,** get, **engender; propagate, multiply;** proliferate; mother; father, sire; reproduce in kind, reproduce after one's kind, "multiply and

replenish the earth" [Bible]; breed true; inbreed, breed in and in; outbreed; crossbreed 44.14; linebreed; copulate 419.23, make love 932.13.

.9 **lay** (eggs), deposit, drop, spawn.

.10 **fertilize,** fructify, fecundate, fecundify; **impregnate, inseminate,** spermatize; **get with child** *or* **young; pollinate** *or* pollinize, pollen; cross-fertilize, cross-pollinate *or* cross-pollinize, cross-pollen.

.11 **conceive, come with child,** (animal) catch, get in the family way [informal]; superfetate.

.12 **be pregnant,** be gravid, be great with child, **be with child** *or* **young;** be in the family way *or* have a cake in the oven *or* be expecting *or* anticipate a blessed event [all informal], be infanticipating, be knocked up [both slang], be blessed-eventing [informal]; gestate, breed, carry, carry young; **incubate, hatch; brood,** sit, set, cover.

.13 **give birth** 167.15.

.14 ADJS **reproductive, re-creative, reconstructive,** re-formative; renascent, regenerative, resurgent, reappearing; reorganizational; revisional; **restorative** 694.22; Hydra-headed, Phoenixlike.

.15 **reproductive, procreative,** procreant, **propagative,** life-giving; spermatic, spermatozoic, seminal, germinal, fertilizing, fecundative; multiparous; gen(o)–, –genic; –spermic.

.16 **genetic, generative,** genial, gametic; genital, genitive; abiogenetic, biogenetic, blastogenetic, digenetic, dysmerogenetic, epigenetic, eumerogenetic, heterogenetic, histogenetic, homogenetic, isogenetic, merogenetic, metagenetic, monogenetic, oögenetic, orthogenetic, pangenetic, parthenogenetic, phytogenetic, sporogenous, xenogenetic.

.17 **bred, impregnated,** inseminated; inbred, endogamic, endogamous; outbred, exogamic, exogamous; crossbred 44.16; linebred.

.18 **pregnant,** *enceinte* [Fr], **with child** *or* **young, in the family way** [informal], gestating, breeding, teeming, parturient; heavy with child *or* young, great *or* big with child *or* young, in a delicate condition, gravid, heavy, great, big-laden; carrying, carrying a fetus *or* embryo; **expecting** [informal], anticipating *or* anticipating a blessed event [both informal], preggers [Brit informal]; knocked up [slang]; infanticipating [informal]; superfetate, superimpregnated.

170. ANCESTRY

.1 NOUNS **ancestry,** progenitorship; parentage, parenthood; grandparentage, grandfatherhood, grandmotherhood.

.2 **paternity, fatherhood,** fathership; fatherliness, paternalness.

.3 **maternity, motherhood,** mothership; motherliness, maternalness.

.4 **lineage, line, bloodline, descent,** line of descent, succession, **extraction,** derivation, birth, **blood,** breed, **family,** house, **strain,** sept, **stock,** race, stirps, seed; direct line, phylum; **branch,** stem; filiation, affiliation, apparentation; side; male line, spear *or* sword side; female line, distaff *or* spindle side; consanguinity, common ancestry 11.1.

.5 **genealogy, pedigree,** stemma, *Stammbaum* [Ger], genealogical tree, **family tree,** tree.

.6 **heredity, heritage, inheritance, birth;** patrocliny, matrocliny; endowment, inborn capacity *or* tendency *or* susceptibility *or* predisposition; diathesis; inheritability, heritability, hereditability; Mendel's law, Mendelism *or* Mendelianism; Weismann theory, Weismannism; Altmann theory, De Vries theory, Galtonian theory, Verworn theory, Wiesner theory; **genetics,** pharmacogenetics, genesiology, eugenics; **gene,** factor, inheritance factor, determiner, determinant; **character,** dominant *or* recessive character, allele *or* allelomorph; **chromosome,** chromatin, chromatid; genetic code, DNA, RNA, replication.

.7 **ancestors, antecedents, predecessors,** ascendants, **fathers, forefathers, forebears,** progenitors, primogenitors; **grandparents,** grandfathers; patriarchs, elders.

.8 **parent, progenitor, ancestor,** procreator, begetter; grandparent; ancestress, progenitress, progenitrix.

.9 **father, sire,** genitor, paternal ancestor, pater [informal], the old man [slang], governor [informal], *abba* [Heb]; **papa** *or* **pa** *or* pap *or* pappy *or* **pop** *or* pops *or* **dad** *or* **daddy** *or* daddums [all informal]; patriarch, paterfamilias; stepfather; foster father.

.10 **mother,** genetrix, dam, maternal ancestor, mater [informal], the old woman [slang]; **mama** *or* mammy *or* mam *or* **ma** *or* **mom** *or* **mommy** *or* mummy *or* mumsy *or* mimsy *or* motherkin *or* motherkins [all informal]; matriarch, materfamilias; stepmother; foster mother.

.11 **grandfather; grandpa** *or* grampa *or* gramper *or* gramp *or* gramps *or* grandpapa *or* grandpap *or* grandpappy *or* granddad *or* granddaddy *or* granddada [all informal]; grandsire *or* gramfer *or* granther [all dial]; old man 127.2; great-grandfather.

.12 **grandmother,** grandam, grannam *or* gammer [both dial]; **grandma** *or* granma *or* grandmamma *or* grandmammy *or* **granny** *or* grammy *or* gammy [all informal]; old woman 127.3; great-grandmother.

.13 ADJS **ancestral,** ancestorial, patriarchal; **parental,** parent; **paternal,** patr(o)– *or* patri–; fatherly, fatherlike; **maternal,** mother, matr(o)– *or* matri–; motherly, motherlike; grandparental; grandmotherly, grandmaternal; grandfatherly, grandpaternal.

.14 **lineal,** family, genealogical; direct, in a direct line; phyletic, phylogenetic; diphyletic.

.15 **hereditary,** patrimonial, **inherited,** hered(o)–; **innate** 5.7; genetic, genic; –clinous *or* –clinic *or* –clinal, patroclinous, matroclinous.

.16 **inheritable,** heritable, hereditable.

171. POSTERITY

.1 NOUNS **posterity, progeny, issue, offspring,** fruit, seed, brood, breed, family, **descent,** succession; lineage 170.4; **descendants,** heirs, inheritors, sons, **children, kids** [informal], little ones, treasures, hostages to fortune, youngsters, younglings; grandchildren, great-grandchildren; new *or* young *or* rising generation;

.2 (of animals) **young, brood,** get, nest; (fish) **spawn,** spat, fry; **litter,** drey (of squirrels), farrow (of pigs); (birds) clutch, hatch.

.3 **descendant, offspring, child, scion; son,** son and heir, chip of *or* off the old block, sonny; **daughter,** heiress; grandchild, grandson, granddaughter; stepchild, stepson, stepdaughter; foster child; ped(o)–, proli–, tecno–, toco– *or* toko–; –id, –ite.

.4 (derived or collateral descendant) **offshoot,** offset, **branch,** sprout, shoot, filiation.

.5 **bastard,** illegitimate, bantling, notho–, illegitimate *or* bastard child, whore's bird [slang], by-blow, child born out of wedlock, natural *or* love child, *nullius filius* [L]; illegitimacy, bastardy, bar sinister.

.6 sonship, sonhood; daughtership, daughterhood.

.7 ADJS **filial,** sonly, sonlike; **daughterly,** daughterlike.

172. INFLUENCE

.1 NOUNS **influence,** influentiality; **power** 157, force, clout [informal], potency, pressure, effect, indirect *or* incidental power, **say,** a lot to do with *or* to say about [informal], **prestige,** favor, good feeling, credit, esteem, repute, personality, leadership, charisma, magnetism, charm, enchantment; **weight,** moment, consequence, importance, eminence; **authority** 739, control, domination, hold; **sway** 741.1, reign, rule; **mastery,** ascendancy, supremacy, dominance, predominance, preponderance; upper hand, whip hand; leverage, purchase; **persuasion** 648.3, suasion, suggestion, subtle influence, insinuation.

.2 **favor,** special favor, **interest; pull** *or* drag *or* suction [all informal]; inside track [informal].

.3 **backstairs influence,** intrigues, deals, schemes, **games,** Machiavellian *or* Byzantine intrigues, ploys; connections; **wires** *or* **strings** *or* ropes [all informal]; **wirepulling** [informal]; **influence peddling;** lobbying, lobbyism.

.4 **sphere of influence,** orbit, ambit; bailiwick, vantage, stamping ground, footing, **territory,** turf, constituency.

.5 **influenceability,** swayableness, movability; **persuadability,** suasibility, openness, open-mindedness, perviousness, accessibility, receptiveness, responsiveness, amenableness; **suggestibility, susceptibility,** impressionability, malleability; weakness 160; putty in one's hands.

.6 (influential person or thing) **influence,** good influence; bad influence, sinister influence; man of influence; heavyweight, big wheel, very important person *or* VIP [informal]; wheeler-dealer [informal], influencer, **wire-puller** [informal]; **power behind the throne,** gray eminence, *éminence grise* [Fr], hidden hand, manipulator, friend at *or* in court, kingmaker; **influence peddler,** five-percenter, lobbyist; Svengali, Rasputin; **pressure group,** special-interest group, special interests; lobby; the Establishment, ingroup, court, powers that be 749.15, lords of creation; **key,** key to the city, access, open sesame.

.7 VERBS **influence,** make oneself felt, **affect,** weigh with, **sway,** bias, bend, incline, dispose, predispose, **move,** prompt, lead; color, tinge, tone; **induce, persuade** 648.23; work, work *or* bend to one's will; lead by the nose [informal], wear down,

soften up; win friends and influence people, ingratiate oneself.

.8 (exercise influence over) **govern** 741.12, **rule, control** 741.13, order, **regulate,** direct, guide; **determine,** decide, dispose; call the shots *or* be in the driver's seat *or* wear the pants [all informal].

.9 **exercise** *or* **exert influence, use one's influence, bring pressure to bear upon,** act on, **work on,** bear upon, throw one's weight around *or* into the scale, say a few words to the right person *or* in the right quarter; draw, draw on, lead on, magnetize; **approach,** go up to with hat in hand, make advances *or* overtures, make up to *or* get cozy with [both informal]; get at *or* get the ear of [informal]; **pull strings** *or* **wires** *or* **ropes,** wire-pull [informal]; lobby, lobby through.

.10 **have influence, be influential, carry weight, weigh, tell, count,** cut ice, throw a lot of weight [informal], have a lot to do with *or* say about [informal]; be the decisive factor *or* the one that counts, have pull *or* suction *or* drag *or* leverage [informal]; have a way with one, have personality *or* magnetism *or* charisma, charm the birds out of the trees, be persuasive; have an in [informal], have the inside track [informal]; have full play.

.11 have influence *or* power *or* a hold over; **lead by the nose, twist** *or* **turn** *or* **wind around one's little finger,** keep under one's thumb, make sit up and beg *or* lie down and turn over; hypnotize, mesmerize, **dominate** 741.15.

.12 gain influence, **get in with** [informal], ingratiate oneself with, get cozy with [informal]; gain a footing, take hold, move in, take root, strike root in; gain a hearing, make one's voice heard, make one sit up and take notice, be listened to, be recognized; get the mastery *or* control of, gain a hold upon; change the preponderance, turn the scale *or* balance, turn the tables.

.13 ADJS **influential, powerful** 157.12, potent, strong; **effective,** effectual, efficacious, telling; **weighty,** momentous, important, consequential, substantial, **prestigious,** estimable, authoritative, reputable; **persuasive,** suasive, personable, **winning,** magnetic, charming, enchanting, charismatic.

.14 (in a position of influence) **dominant** 741.18, **predominant,** preponderant, prepotent, prepollent, regnant, ruling, swaying, prevailing, on the throne, in the driver's seat [informal]; **ascendant,** in the ascendant, in ascendancy.

.15 **influenceable, swayable, movable; persuadable,** persuasible, suasible, open, open-minded, pervious, accessible, receptive, responsive, amenable; **plastic, pliant,** pliable, malleable; **suggestible, susceptible, impressionable,** weak 160.12.

173. LACK OF INFLUENCE

.1 NOUNS **lack of influence** *or* **power** *or* **force,** uninfluentiality, **unauthoritativeness,** powerlessness, forcelessness, impotence 158; **ineffectiveness,** inefficaciousness, inefficacy, ineffectuality; **no say,** nothing to do with *or* say about [informal]; unpersuasiveness, lack of personality *or* charm, lack of magnetism *or* charisma; **weakness** 160.

.2 **uninfluenceability,** unswayableness, unmovability; **unpersuadability,** impersuadability, impersuasibility, unreceptiveness, imperviousness, unresponsiveness; unsuggestibility, **unsusceptibility,** unimpressionability; **obstinacy** 626.

.3 ADJS **uninfluential, powerless,** forceless, impotent 158.13; **weak** 160.12; unauthoritative; **ineffective,** ineffectual, inefficacious; **of no account,** no-account, without any weight, featherweight, lightweight.

.4 **uninfluenceable, unswayable, unmovable; unpliable,** unyielding, inflexible; **unpersuadable** 626.13, impersuadable, impersuasible, unreceptive, unresponsive, unamenable; impervious, closed to; **unsuggestible, unsusceptible,** unimpressionable; **obstinate** 626.8.

.5 **uninfluenced, unmoved, unaffected, unswayed.**

174. TENDENCY

.1 NOUNS **tendency, inclination, leaning,** penchant, proneness, weakness, susceptibility; liability 175, readiness, willingness, eagerness, aptness, aptitude, **disposition, proclivity, propensity,** predisposition, **predilection,** a thing for [informal], affinity, prejudice, liking, delight, soft spot; conduciveness; instinct *or* feeling for, sensitivity to; diathesis, conatus, tropism; **bent, turn, bias,** cast, warp, twist; probability 511; –ey *or* –y, –itis, –philia, –phoria, –trope; trop(o)–.

.2 **trend, drift, course, current,** stream, mainstream, main current, movement, glacial movement, motion, run, **tenor,** tone, **set,** set of the current, swing, bearing, line, direction, the general tendency

or drift, the main course, the course of events, the way the wind blows, **the way things go,** trend of the times, spirit of the age *or* time, time spirit, *Zeitgeist* [Ger]; the way it looks.

.3 VERBS **tend,** have a tendency, **incline,** dispose, **lean, trend,** set, **go,** head, lead, point, verge, turn, warp, bias, bend to, work *or* gravitate *or* set toward; show a tendency *or* trend *or* set *or* direction, swing toward, point to, look to; **conduce,** contribute, serve, redound to.

.4 ADJS **tending,** tendent, tendentious *or* tendential; **leaning, inclining,** inclinatory, inclinational.

.5 **tending to, conducive to,** leading to, inclined toward, inclining toward, heading *or* moving *or* swinging *or* working toward.

.6 **inclined to, prone to, disposed to,** predisposed to, given to; **apt to, likely to, liable to** 175.5, calculated to, minded to, ready to, in a fair way to; –able *or* –ible, –atory, –ful, –tropic.

175. LIABILITY

.1 NOUNS **liability,** liableness, **likelihood** *or* **likeliness,** aptitude, aptness, **possibility** 509, **probability** 511, contingency, chance 156, eventuality 151.1; weakness, **proneness** 174.1; **obligation** 962.1,2.

.2 **susceptibility,** susceptivity, **openness, exposure; vulnerability** 697.4.

.3 VERBS **be liable, be subjected to,** be a pawn *or* plaything of, be the prey of, lie under; **expose oneself to, lay oneself open to,** open the door to; **gamble,** stand to lose *or* gain, stand a chance, **run the chance** *or* **risk, risk,** let down one's guard *or* defenses; **admit of,** open the possibility of, be in the way of, bid *or* stand fair to.

.4 **incur, contract, invite,** welcome, run, **bring on, bring down,** bring upon *or* down upon, bring upon *or* down upon oneself; **be responsible for** 962.6; fall into, fall in with; get, gain, acquire.

.5 ADJS **liable to, subject to,** standing to, in a position to, incident to, dependent on; **susceptible** *or* **prone to,** susceptive to, **open** *or* vulnerable *or* **exposed to,** naked to, in danger of, within range of, at the mercy of; **capable of,** ready for; **likely to, apt to** 174.6; obliged to, responsible *or* answerable for.

.6 CONJS **lest,** that, **for fear that.**

176. INVOLVEMENT

.1 NOUNS **involvement,** involution, **implication, entanglement,** enmeshment, engagement, involuntary presence *or* cooperation, embarrassment; relation 9; **inclusion** 76; **absorption** 530.3.

.2 VERBS **involve, implicate,** tangle, **entangle,** embarrass, enmesh, engage, **draw in,** drag *or* hook *or* suck into, catch up in, **make a party to;** interest, concern; **absorb** 530.13.

.3 ADJS **involved, implicated;** interested, concerned, a party to; **included** 76.5.

.4 **involved in, implicated in,** tangled *or* entangled in, enmeshed in, **caught up in,** tied up in, wrapped up in, all wound up in, dragged *or* hooked *or* sucked into; deeply involved, **up to one's neck** *or* **ears in,** up to one's elbows in, head over heels in, **absorbed in** 530.17, immersed *or* submerged in, far-gone.

177. CONCURRENCE

.1 NOUNS **concurrence, collaboration,** coaction, **co-working,** collectivity, combined effort *or* operation, united *or* concerted action, concert, synergy; **cooperation** 786; **agreement** 26; **coincidence,** simultaneity, synchronism; concomitance, accompaniment 73; **union,** junction 47.1,4, **conjunction,** combination 52, association, alliance; conspiracy, collusion, cahoots [informal]; concourse, confluence; **accordance** 794.1, concordance, correspondence, consilience; symbiosis, parasitism; saprophytism.

.2 VERBS **concur, collaborate,** coact, **cowork,** synergize; **cooperate** 786.3; conspire, collude, connive, be in cahoots [informal]; **combine** 52.3, **unite, associate** 52.4, coadunate, join, conjoin; harmonize; **coincide,** synchronize, happen together; **accord** 794.2, correspond, **agree** 26.6.

.3 go with, **go along with, go hand in hand with,** be hand in glove with, team *or* join up with; keep pace with, run parallel to.

.4 ADJS **concurrent,** concurring; **coacting,** coactive, **collaborative,** collective; **coworking,** cooperant, synergetic *or* synergic *or* synergistic; **cooperative** 786.5; conspiratorial, collusive; **united, joint,** conjoint, **combined, concerted,** associated, associate, coadunate; **coincident,** synchronous, coordinate; concomitant, accompanying 73.9; meeting, uniting, combining; **accordant, agreeing** 26.9, concor-

dant, harmonious, consilient, at one with; symbiotic, parasitic, saprophytic.

.5 ADVS **concurrently,** coactively, **jointly, conjointly, concertedly,** in harmony *or* unison with, **together; with one accord,** with one voice, as one, as one man; hand in hand, hand in glove, shoulder to shoulder, cheek by jowl.

178. COUNTERACTION

.1 NOUNS **counteraction, counterworking; opposition** 790, opposure, counterposition *or* contraposition, confutation, **contradiction; antagonism,** repugnance, oppugnance *or* oppugnancy, **antipathy, conflict, friction,** interference, clashing, collision; reaction, repercussion, backlash, kick, recoil; resistance, recalcitrance, dissent 522, revolt 767.4, perverseness, nonconformity 83, crankiness, crotchetiness, renitency; going against the current, swimming upstream; **contrariety** 15.

.2 **neutralization, nullification, annulment,** cancellation, voiding, invalidation, vitiation, frustration, thwarting, undoing; **offsetting,** counterbalancing.

.3 **counteractant,** counteractive, **counteragent;** counterirritant; **antidote,** remedy, preventive *or* preventative, prophylactic; **neutralizer,** nullifier, offset; antacid, buffer.

.4 **counterforce,** counterinfluence, counterpressure; counterpoise, counterbalance, counterweight; countercurrent, crosscurrent, undercurrent; counterblast; head wind, foul wind.

.5 **countermeasure, counterattack,** counterstep; **counterblow** *or* counterstroke *or* countercoup *or* counterblast, counterfire; counterrevolution, counterinsurgency; backfire; **retort,** comeback [informal]; defense 799.

.6 VERBS **counteract,** counter, counterwork, counterattack, countervail; counterpose *or* contrapose, **oppose,** antagonize, **go in opposition to, go** *or* **run counter to, go** *or* **work against,** go *or* fly in the face of, run against, beat against, militate against, resist, **cross,** confute, **contradict,** contravene, oppugn, **conflict,** be antipathetic *or* hostile *or* inimical, interfere *or* conflict with, come in conflict with, **clash,** collide, meet head-on, lock horns; rub *or* go against the grain; swim upstream *or* against the current.

.7 **neutralize, nullify, annul, cancel,** cancel out, negate, negative, negativate, invalidate, vitiate, void, frustrate, stultify, thwart, come *or* bring to nothing, undo; **offset, counterbalance** 33.5; buffer.

.8 ADJS counteractive *or* counteractant, **counteracting, counterworking,** countervailing; **opposing** 790.9, oppositional; contradicting, contradictory; **antagonistic,** hostile, antipathetic, inimical, oppugnant, repugnant, **conflicting,** clashing; reactionary; resistant, recalcitrant, dissident, revolutionary, breakaway, nonconformist, perverse, cranky, crotchety, renitent; ant(i)– *or* anth–, contra–, counter–.

.9 **neutralizing, nullifying,** stultifying, annulling, canceling, negating, invalidating, vitiating, voiding; **offsetting,** counterbalancing; antacid, buffering.

.10 ADVS counteractively, antagonistically, opposingly, **in opposition to, counter to;** de– *or* des–, dis–, un–.

179. SPACE

(indefinite space)

.1 NOUNS **space, extent,** extension, spatial extension; **expanse,** expansion; spread, breadth; **measure,** volume; **dimension,** proportion; **area,** tract, surface, surface *or* superficial extension, field, sphere; acreage; empty space, emptiness, **void,** nothingness, infinite space, outer space, wastes of outer space, interstellar *or* galactic space; continuum.

.2 **range, scope, compass, reach, stretch,** radius, sweep, carry; **gamut, scale,** register, diapason; **spectrum.**

.3 **room, latitude,** swing, play, way; spare room, room to spare, room to swing a cat [informal], **elbowroom, margin, leeway;** sea room; headroom, clearance; air space.

.4 **open space,** clear space; **clearing,** clearance, glade; open country, wide-open spaces, **terrain,** prairie, steppe, plain 387; wilderness, back country, outback [Austral], desert; distant prospect *or* perspective, empty view, far horizon; **territory,** living space, *Lebensraum* [Ger], air space.

.5 **spaciousness, roominess,** commodiousness, capacity, capaciousness, amplitude; extensiveness, expansiveness.

.6 **fourth dimension, space-time,** time-space, space-time continuum, four-dimensional space; four-dimensional geometry; space-world; other continuums; **relativity,** theory of relativity, Einstein theory, principle of relativity, principle of equivalence, general theory of relativity, special *or* re-

stricted theory of relativity, continuum theory; cosmic constant.

.7 VERBS **extend, reach, stretch,** sweep, spread, run, **go** *or* **go out,** cover, carry, **range,** lie; **reach** *or* stretch *or* thrust out; span, straddle, take in, hold, encompass, surround, environ.

.8 ADJS **spatial,** space, spatio–, stere(o)–; **dimensional,** proportional; two-dimensional, flat, surface *or* superficial, three-dimensional, spherical, cubic, volumetric; stereoscopic, 3-D; fourth-dimensional; space-time, spatiotemporal.

.9 **spacious, roomy, commodious, capacious,** ample; **extensive,** expansive, extended; far-reaching, extending, spreading, **vast,** broad, **wide,** deep, amplitudinous, voluminous; widespread 79.13; **infinite** 104.3.

.10 ADVS **extensively, widely,** broadly, vastly, abroad; **far and wide,** far and near; **right and left,** on all sides, on every side; infinitely.

.11 **everywhere,** everywheres [dial], **here, there, and everywhere;** in every place, in every clime *or* region, in all places, in every quarter, in all quarters; **all over,** all round, all over hell [slang], all over the map [informal], all over the world, the world over, on the face of the earth, under the sun, throughout the world, throughout the length and breadth of the land; from end to end, from pole to pole, from here to the back of beyond [Brit informal], "from Dan to Beersheba" [Bible], from hell to breakfast [slang]; **high and low,** upstairs and downstairs, inside and out, in every nook and cranny *or* hole and corner; **universally,** in all creation.

.12 **from everywhere,** everywhence, "from the four corners of the earth" [Shakespeare], "at the round earth's imagined corners" [Donne], from all points of the compass, from every quarter *or* all quarters; everywhere, everywhither, to the four winds, to the uttermost parts of the earth, "unto the ends of the earth" [Bible], to hell and back [slang].

180. REGION

.1 NOUNS **region, area, zone,** belt, **territory,** terrain; **place** 184.1; **space** 179; **country** 181, **land** 385, ground, soil; territorial waters, twelve- *or* three-mile limit, continental shelf, offshore rights; airspace; heartland; hinterland; **district, quarter, section,** department, division; salient, corridor; part, parts; **neighborhood,** vicinity, vicinage, neck of the woods [informal], purlieus; premises, confines, precincts, environs, milieu, –dom, –gaea.

.2 **sphere,** hemisphere, orb, **orbit,** ambit, circle; **circuit,** judicial circuit, **beat, round,** walk; **realm,** demesne, **domain,** dominion, jurisdiction, bailiwick; border, borderland, march; **province,** precinct, department; **field,** pale, arena.

.3 **zone;** climate *or* clime [both archaic]; **longitude,** longitude in arc, longitude in time; meridian, prime meridian; **latitude,** parallel; equator, the line; tropic, Tropic of Cancer, Tropic of Capricorn; tropics, subtropics, Torrid Zone; Temperate *or* Variable Zones; Frigid Zones, Arctic Zone *or* Circle, Antarctic Zone *or* Circle; horse latitudes, roaring forties.

.4 **plot,** plot of ground *or* land, parcel of land, plat, **patch, tract, field;** lot; block, square; section (square mile), forty (sixteenth of a section); close, quadrangle, quad, enclave, pale, *clos* [Fr], croft [Brit], kraal [Africa]; real estate 810.7.

.5 (territorial divisions) **state, territory, province,** region, duchy, electorate, government, principality; **county,** shire, canton, *oblast, okrug* [both Russ], *département* [Fr], *Kreis* [Ger]; **borough, ward,** riding, *arrondissement* [Fr]; **township,** hundred, commune, wapentake; metropolis, metropolitan area, **city, town** 183; **village,** hamlet; **district,** congressional district, electoral district, precinct; magistracy, soke, bailiwick; shrievalty, sheriffalty, sheriffwick, constablewick [all England]; archdiocese, archbishopric, stake; **diocese,** bishopric, parish.

.6 (regions of the world) continent, landmass; **Old World,** the old country; **New World,** America; **Western Hemisphere, Occident,** West; **Eastern Hemisphere, Orient,** Levant, East, eastland; Far East, Middle East, Near East; Asia, Europe, Eurasia, Asia Major, Asia Minor, Africa; Antipodes, down under, Australasia, Oceania.

.7 (regions of the US) West, westland, wild West, West Coast, the Coast; Northwest, Pacific Northwest, Southwest, Middle West, North Central region; East, eastland, East Coast, Middle Atlantic; Northeast, Southeast; North, northland; South, southland; Dixie, Dixieland; Sunbelt; New England, Down East, Yankeeland [informal].

.8 ADJS **regional, territorial, geographical,** areal, sectional, zonal, topographic *or* topo-

graphical, top(o)–, zon(o)–; locational 184.18.

.9 **local, localized,** of a place, geographically limited, topical, vernacular, parochial, provincial, insular, limited, confined.

181. COUNTRY

.1 NOUNS **country,** land; **nation,** nationality, **state,** sovereign nation *or* state, polity, **body politic;** power, superpower; **republic,** people's republic, **commonwealth,** commonweal; **kingdom,** sultanate; **empire,** empery; realm, dominion, domain; **principality,** principate; duchy, dukedom; grand duchy, archduchy, archdukedom, earldom, county, palatinate, seneschalty; chieftaincy, chieftainry; toparchy, *toparchia* [L]; city-state, *polis* [Gk], free city; province, territory, possession; colony, settlement; protectorate, mandate, mandated territory, mandant, mandatee, mandatory; buffer state; ally; satellite, puppet regime *or* government; free nation, captive nation, iron-curtain country; nonaligned *or* unaligned *or* neutralist nation.

.2 **fatherland,** *Vaterland* [Ger], *patria* [L], *la patrie* [Fr], **motherland,** mother country, the old country, **native land,** native soil, one's native heath *or* ground *or* place, **birthplace,** cradle; **home, homeland,** homeground, "home is where one starts" [T. S. Eliot], God's country.

.3 **United States,** United States of America, US, USA, **America,** Columbia, the States, Uncle Sugar [informal], Yankeeland [informal], Land of Liberty, the melting pot; stateside.

.4 **England,** Britain, Great Britain, United Kingdom, Britannia, Albion, Blighty [Brit slang], Limeyland [US slang], Tight Little Island, Land of the Rose, "This royal throne of kings, this scepter'd isle, / This earth of majesty, this seat of Mars, / This other Eden, demi-paradise" [Shakespeare], Sovereign of the Seas; British Empire, Commonwealth of Nations, British Commonwealth of Nations, the Commonwealth.

.5 (national personifications) Uncle Sam *or* Brother Jonathan (US); John Bull (England).

.6 nationhood, peoplehood, **nationality; statehood, sovereignty,** sovereign nationhood *or* statehood, independence, self-government, self-determination; internationality, internationalism; **nationalism.**

.7 [slang or derog terms] dago, Guinea, greaseball, wop (Italian); frog (Frenchman); Kraut, Krauthead, Jerry, Boche (German); Mick, Mickey, Paddy (Irishman); squarehead (Scandanavian); polack (Pole); Hunk, Hunkie, Bohunk (Eastern European); Canuck, Pepsi (French-Canadian); greaser, wetback (Mexican); spic (Latin American); Chink (Chinese); Jap (Japanese); limey (Briton); Aussie (Australian).

182. THE COUNTRY

.1 NOUNS **the country,** agricultural region, farm country, farmland, arable land, grazing region *or* country, rural district, rustic region, province *or* **provinces,** countryside, woodland 411.11, grassland 411.8, woods and fields, meadows and pastures, the soil, grass roots; **the sticks** *or* yokeldom *or* hickdom [all slang]; cotton belt, tobacco belt, black belt, farm belt, corn belt, fruit belt, wheat belt, citrus belt; dust bowl; highlands, moors, uplands; lowlands, veld, plains, prairies, steppes, wide-open spaces.

.2 **hinterland, back country,** outback [Austral], up-country, boondock *or* boondocks [both informal]; **the bush,** bush country, bushveld, **woods,** woodlands, **backwoods,** forests, timbers, brush; wilderness, wilds, uninhabited region, virgin land *or* territory; **wasteland** 166.2; **frontier,** borderland, outpost; wild West.

.3 **rusticity, ruralism,** inurbanity, agrarianism, bucolicism, **provincialism,** provinciality, pastorality, simplicity, unspoiledness; yokelism, hickishness, backwoodsiness; **boorishness,** churlishness, unrefinement, uncultivation.

.4 ruralization, countrification, rustication, pastoralization.

.5 VERBS **ruralize, countrify, rusticate,** pastoralize; farm 413.16; return to the soil.

.6 ADJS **rustic, rural, country, provincial, farm, pastoral, bucolic,** Arcadian, **agrarian,** agrestic; **agricultural** 413.20; lowland, upland.

.7 **countrified,** inurbane; country-born, country-bred, up-country, from the sticks [slang]; farmerish, hobnailed, clodhopping; **hick** *or* hicky *or* hickish *or* hickified *or* rube *or* hayseed *or* yokel *or* yokelish [all slang]; **boorish,** clownish, loutish, lumpish, lumpen, cloddish, churlish; **uncouth,** unpolished, uncultivated, uncultured, unrefined; country-style, country-fashion.

.8 **hinterland,** back, **back-country,** up-coun-

try, outback [Austral], wild, wilderness, virgin; **waste** 166.4; backwood *or* **backwoods,** back of beyond, backwoodsy; woodland, sylvan.

183. TOWN, CITY

.1 NOUNS **town,** township; **city, metropolis,** metropolitan area, greater city, megalopolis, conurbation, urban complex, spread city, urban sprawl, **municipality,** *urbs* [L], *polis* [Gk], *ville* [Fr], *Stadt* [Ger], –polis; **borough, burg** [informal], bourg, burgh [Scot]; **suburb,** suburbia, outskirts, *faubourg* [Fr], *banlieue* [Fr]; exurb, exurbia; market town [Brit]; boom town, ghost town.

.2 **village, hamlet;** ham *or* thorp *or* wick [all archaic]; country town, crossroads, wide place in the road; "a little one-eyed, blinking sort o' place" [Thomas Hardy], "a hive of glass, where nothing unobserved can pass" [C. H. Spurgeon].

.3 [slang terms] **one-horse town,** jerkwater town, **tank town** *or* station, **whistle-stop,** jumping-off place; **hick town,** rube town, hoosier town.

.4 **capital,** capital city, **seat,** seat of government; **county seat** *or* county site, county town [Brit], shire town.

.5 **town hall, city hall, municipal building;** courthouse; police headquarters *or* station, precinct house, firehouse, fire station; county building, county courthouse; community center.

.6 (city districts) East Side *or* End, West Side *or* End; downtown, uptown, midtown; city center, central city, core, inner city, suburbs, suburbia, outskirts, greenbelt, residential district, business district *or* section, shopping center; ghetto, Jewtown [derog]; black ghetto, niggertown [derog]; Chinatown, Little Italy, Little Hungary, etc.; barrio; the other side of the tracks, **slum** *or* **slums,** blighted area *or* neighborhood *or* section, urban blight, run-down neighborhood, tenement district, hell's kitchen *or* half-acre; tenderloin, red-light district, Bowery, **skid row** *or* skid road [both slang].

.7 **block,** city block, square.

.8 **square, plaza,** *place* [Fr], *piazza* [Ital], *campo* [Ital], **marketplace,** market, market cross, rialto, mart, forum, agora.

.9 **circle,** circus [Brit]; crescent.

.10 ADJS **urban, metropolitan, municipal,** burghal, **civic,** oppidan; city, town, village; citified; suburban; interurban; downtown, uptown, midtown.

184. LOCATION

.1 NOUNS **location, situation, place,** *lieu* [Fr], placement, emplacement, **position,** hole [slang], stead; **whereabouts,** whereabout; **area, district, region** 180; **locality, locale,** *locus* [L]; **abode** 191; **site,** situs; **spot, point,** pinpoint, bench mark; bearings, latitude and longitude; stasi–, top(o)–; –topy; –arium, –ary, –drome, –ery, –ment, –orium, –ory, –ry, –teria, –y.

.2 **station,** status, **stand, standing,** standpoint, viewpoint, angle, perspective, distance, footing, **seat, post,** base, ground, venue.

.3 **position, orientation,** lay, lie, set, **attitude,** aspect, exposure, frontage, **bearing** *or* **bearings,** radio bearing, azimuth; position line *or* line of position; **fix;** celestial navigation, dead reckoning, pilotage.

.4 **place,** stead, lieu.

.5 (act of placing) **placement, positioning, emplacement, situation, location,** localization, **locating, placing,** putting, pinpointing; **allocation,** collocation, **disposition,** assignment, **deployment,** posting, **stationing,** spotting; deposition, reposition, deposit; **stowage,** storage, loading, lading, packing.

.6 **establishment, foundation,** settlement, settling, colonization, population, peopling, plantation; lodgment, fixation, anchorage, mooring; **installation,** installment, inauguration, investiture, initiation.

.7 topography, geography; cartography, chorography; surveying, navigation, geodesy; geodetic satellite, orbiting geophysical observatory, OGO.

.8 VERBS **have place,** be there; have its place *or* slot, **belong, go, fit,** fit in.

.9 **be located** *or* **situated, lie, be found,** stand, rest, repose; lie in, have its seat in.

.10 **locate, situate, place, position;** emplace, spot [informal], **install,** put in place; **allocate,** collocate, **dispose, deploy,** assign; **localize,** narrow *or* pin down; put one's finger on, **fix,** assign *or* consign *or* relegate to a place; **pinpoint,** zero in on, home in on; find *or* fix *or* calculate one's position, triangulate, get a fix *or* navigational fix, navigate.

.11 **place, put, set, lay,** seat, stick [informal], **station, post;** park; pose, posit, submit.

.12 (put violently) **clap,** slap, **thrust, fling, hurl,** throw, cast, chuck, toss; **plump;** plunk *or* plank *or* plop [all informal].

.13 **deposit,** repose, reposit, rest, **lay,** lodge; **put down,** set down, lay down.

.14 **load, lade,** freight, burden; fill 56.7; **stow,** store; **pack,** pack away; ship; pile, heap, heap up, stack, mass; bag, sack, pocket; can, bottle, box, crate, barrel.

.15 **establish, fix, plant,** pitch, seat, **set; found, base,** build, ground, lay the foundation; **install, invest,** vest, put in, put up, set up, build in.

.16 **settle, settle down,** sit down, locate [informal], park [informal], ensconce; take up one's abode *or* quarters, make one's home, **reside, inhabit** 188.7; move, relocate, establish residence, **take up residence,** take residence at, put up *or* live *or* stay at, quarter *or* billet at, hang up one's hat [informal]; take *or* strike root, place oneself, plant oneself, get a footing, stand, take one's stand *or* position; anchor, drop anchor, come to anchor, moor; squat, camp, bivouac; perch, roost, nest, hive, burrow; domesticate, **set up housekeeping,** keep house; **colonize,** populate, people; set up in business, go in business for oneself, set up shop, hang up one's shingle [informal].

.17 ADJS **located, placed, situated,** situate, **positioned,** installed, emplaced, spotted [informal], set, seated; stationed, posted, deployed, assigned; **established,** fixed, **settled,** planted, ensconced, embosomed.

.18 locational, positional, situational, situal; topographic, geographic, chorographic, cartographic; navigational, geodetic; **regional** 180.8.

.19 ADVS **in place,** in position, –wise; *in situ, in loco* [both L].

.20 **where,** whereabouts, in what place, in which place; **whither,** to what *or* which place.

.21 **wherever,** where'er, **wheresoever,** wheresoe'er, whithersoever, wherever it may be; **anywhere,** anyplace [informal].

.22 **here,** hereat, in this place, just here, on the spot; **hereabouts,** hereabout, in this vicinity; somewhere about *or* near; aboard, on board, with *or* among us; **hither,** hitherward, hitherwards, hereto, hereunto, hereinto, to this place.

.23 **there,** thereat, in that place, in those parts; thereabout, **thereabouts,** in that vicinity *or* neighborhood; **thither,** thitherward, thitherwards, to that place; –ward(s).

.24 **here and there, in places,** in various places, in spots, *passim* [L].

.25 **somewhere, someplace,** in some place, someplace or other.

.26 PREPS **at, in, on, by,** a–; **near, next to; with, among,** in the midst of; to, toward 290.28; from 301.22.

.27 over, all over, here and there on *or* in, at about, round about; through, **all through, throughout** 56.17.

185. DISLOCATION

.1 NOUNS **dislocation, displacement,** –diastasis; disjointing 49.1, disarticulation, unjointing, unhinging, luxation; heterotopia; **shift, removal,** forcible shift *or* removal; uprooting, ripping out, deracination; **disarrangement** 63; incoherence 51.1; discontinuity 72; Doppler effect, red shift, violet shift [all phys].

.2 **dislodgment;** unplacement, **unseating,** upset, unsaddling, unhorsing; **deposal** 783.

.3 **misplacement, mislaying,** misputting.

.4 displaced person, DP, stateless person, Wandering Jew, man without a country, exile, deportee; displaced *or* deported population; *déraciné* [Fr].

.5 VERBS **dislocate, displace, disjoint** 49.9, disarticulate, unjoint, luxate, unhinge, put *or* force *or* push out of place, **put** *or* **throw out of joint,** throw out of gear, **disarrange** 63.2.

.6 **dislodge,** unplace, **uproot,** root up *or* out, deracinate; depose 783.4, **unseat,** unsaddle; **unhorse,** dismount; throw off, buck off.

.7 **misplace, mislay,** misput.

.8 ADJS dislocatory, dislocating, heterotopic.

.9 **dislocated, displaced; disjointed,** unjointed, unhinged; out, **out of joint,** out of gear; **disarranged** 62.13; ect(o)–.

.10 **unplaced,** unestablished, unsettled; unhoused, unharbored, houseless, homeless, stateless, exiled, outcast.

.11 **misplaced, mislaid,** misput; **out of place,** out of one's element, like a fish out of water, in the wrong place, in the wrong box *or* pew [informal], in the right church but the wrong pew [informal].

.12 **eccentric, off-center,** off-balance, unbalanced, uncentered.

186. PRESENCE

.1 NOUNS **presence,** being here *or* there, hereness, thereness, physical *or* actual presence, spiritual presence; **immanence,** indwellingness, **inherence;** whereness, **immediacy;** ubiety; availability, accessibility; **occurrence** 151.2, existence 1.

.2 **omnipresence,** all-presence, **ubiquity,** infinity, everywhereness.

.3 **permeation, pervasion,** penetration; **suffusion,** transfusion, diffusion, imbuement; **overrunning,** overspreading, overswarming.

.4 **attendance,** frequenting, frequence; number present; turnout *or* box office *or* draw [all informal].

.5 **attender, visitor,** –goer, **patron; fan** *or* buff [both informal], aficionado; **frequenter,** habitué, haunter; spectator 442; theatergoer 611.32; audience 448.6.

.6 VERBS **be present,** be located *or* situated 184.9, be there, be found, be met with; **occur** 151.5, exist 1.8; lie, stand, remain; fall in the way of; dwell in, indwell, inhere.

.7 **pervade, permeate,** penetrate; **suffuse,** transfuse, diffuse, leaven, imbue; **fill,** extend throughout, leave no void, occupy; **overrun,** overswarm, overspread, bespread, run through, meet one at every turn; creep with, crawl with, swarm with, teem with; honeycomb.

.8 **attend, be at,** be present at, find oneself at, go *or* **come to; appear,** turn up, show up [informal], show one's face, make *or* put in an appearance, give the pleasure of one's company, make a personal appearance, **visit, take in,** do [informal]; catch [informal]; sit in *or* at; be on hand, be on deck [informal]; watch, see; witness, look on, *assister* [Fr].

.9 **revisit,** return to, go back to, come again.

.10 **frequent, haunt,** resort to, hang around *or* about at *or* out at [all slang].

.11 **present oneself, report;** report for duty.

.12 ADJS **present,** attendant; **on hand,** on deck [informal], on board; **immediate,** immanent, indwelling, inherent, available, accessible, **at hand,** in view, within reach *or* sight *or* call.

.13 **omnipresent, all-present,** ubiquitous, infinite; everywhere 179.11.

.14 **pervasive,** pervading, suffusive, suffusing.

.15 **permeated,** saturated, shot through, honeycombed; crawling, creeping, swarming, teeming.

.16 ADVS **here, there.**

.17 **in person,** personally, bodily, **in the flesh** [informal], in one's own person, *in propria persona* [L].

.18 PREPS **in the presence of,** in the face of, under the eyes *or* nose of, **before.**

.19 PHRS all present and accounted for; standing room only, SRO.

187. ABSENCE

.1 NOUNS **absence,** nonpresence, awayness; nowhereness, **nonexistence** 2; want, **lack,** blank, deprivation; nonoccurrence, neverness; **subtraction** 42.

.2 **vacancy,** vacuity, voidness, **emptiness,** blankness, hollowness, inanition; **bareness,** barrenness, desolateness, bleakness, desertedness; **nonoccupance** *or* **nonoccupancy,** nonoccupation, noninhabitance, nonresidence; opening, place open, vacant post.

.3 **void, vacuum,** blank, empty space, inanity; **nothingness;** *tabula rasa* [L], clean slate; **nothing** 2.2.

.4 **absence,** nonattendance, **absenting, leaving,** taking leave, **departure** 301; running away, fleeing, abscondence, **disappearance** 447, escape 632; **absentation,** nonappearance, default, unauthorized *or* unexcused absence; **truancy, hooky** [informal], French leave, **cut** [informal]; **absence without leave** *or* AWOL; **absenteeism,** truantism; **leave, leave of absence,** furlough, **vacation,** holiday, day off; authorized *or* excused absence, sick leave; sabbatical leave.

.5 **absentee, truant,** no-show.

.6 **nobody, no one,** no man, not one, not a single one *or* person, **not a soul** *or* **blessed soul,** never a one, ne'er a one, nary one [dial], nobody on earth *or* under the sun, nobody present.

.7 VERBS **be absent, stay away,** keep away, keep out of the way, not come, not show up [informal], turn up missing [informal], stay away in droves [informal], fail to appear, default.

.8 **absent oneself, take leave** *or* **a leave of absence,** go on leave *or* furlough; slip off *or* away, duck *or* sneak out [informal], slip out, make oneself scarce [informal], leave the scene, bow out, exit, **depart** 301.6, **disappear** 447.2, escape 632.6.

.9 **play truant, play hooky** [informal], go AWOL, take French leave; jump ship; **cut** *or* **skip** [both informal].

.10 ADJS **absent,** not present, nonattendant, **away, gone,** departed, disappeared, vanished, absconded, out of sight; **missing,** wanting, **lacking,** not found, omitted, taken away, subtracted, deleted, nowhere to be found; a– *or* an–, dis–, e–, ectro–, lipo–, lyo–, –less; no longer present *or* with us *or* among us; **nonexistent** 2.7; conspicuous by its absence.

.11 **nonresident,** not in residence, from

home, **away from home,** on leave *or* vacation *or* holiday, on sabbatical leave; on tour, on the road; abroad, overseas.

.12 **truant,** absent without leave *or* AWOL.

.13 **vacant, empty,** hollow, inane, **bare, vacuous, void,** without content, with nothing inside, devoid, null, null and void, ken(o)–, nulli–; **blank,** clear, white, bleached; featureless, unrelieved, characterless, bland, insipid; **barren** 166.4.

.14 **vacant, open, available,** free, **unoccupied,** unfilled, **uninhabited,** unpopulated, unpeopled, untaken, untenanted, tenantless, untended, unmanned, unstaffed; **deserted,** abandoned, forsaken, godforsaken [informal].

.15 ADVS **absently; vacantly, emptily,** hollowly, vacuously, blankly.

.16 **nowhere,** in no place, neither here nor there; nowhither.

.17 **away** 301.21, **elsewhere,** somewhere else, not here; elsewhither.

.18 PREPS void of, empty of, free of, **without** 662.17.

188. HABITATION

(an inhabiting)

.1 NOUNS **habitation,** inhabiting, inhabitation, habitancy, inhabitancy, **tenancy, occupancy,** occupation, **residence** *or* **residency,** residing, abiding, **living,** nesting, **dwelling,** commorancy, lodging, staying, stopping, sojourning, staying over; squatting; cohabitation; **abode** 191.

.2 **peopling,** peoplement, empeoplement, **population,** inhabiting; **colonization, settlement,** plantation.

.3 **housing,** domiciliation; lodgment, **lodging,** transient lodging, doss [Brit], **quartering,** billeting, hospitality; living quarters 191.3; **housing development,** subdivision, tract; housing problem, housing bill, lower-income housing, slum clearance, urban renewal; assembly-line housing.

.4 **camping,** tenting, **encampment,** bivouacking; camp 191.29.

.5 **sojourn,** sojournment; **stay,** stop; **stopover,** stop-off, stayover, layover.

.6 **habitability,** inhabitability, **livability.**

.7 VERBS **inhabit, occupy,** tenant; **reside, live, dwell, lodge, stay,** remain, abide, hang out [slang], domicile, domiciliate; **room,** bunk, berth, doss down [Brit]; perch *or* roost *or* squat [all informal]; nest, cohabit.

.8 **sojourn,** stop, stay, **stop over,** stay over, lay over.

.9 **people,** empeople, **populate, inhabit,** denizen; colonize, **settle,** settle in, plant.

.10 **house,** domicile, domiciliate; provide with a roof, have as a guest *or* lodger, shelter, harbor; **lodge, quarter,** put up, billet, room, bed, berth, bunk; stable.

.11 **camp, encamp,** tent; pitch, **pitch camp,** pitch one's tent, drive stakes [informal]; bivouac; go camping, camp out, sleep out, rough it.

.12 ADJS **inhabited, occupied,** tenanted; **peopled,** empeopled, populated, colonized, settled; populous.

.13 **resident,** residentiary, **in residence; residing, living, dwelling,** commorant, lodging, **staying,** remaining, abiding, living in; –cole, –colous, –coline.

.14 **housed,** domiciled, domiciliated, **lodged,** quartered, billeted; stabled.

.15 **habitable,** inhabitable, occupiable, lodgeable, tenantable, **livable, fit to live in;** homelike 191.33.

.16 ADVS **at home,** in the bosom of one's family, *chez soi* [Fr]; in one's element; back home *or* down home [both informal].

189. NATIVENESS

.1 NOUNS **nativeness,** nativity, native-bornness, indigenousness, aboriginality, autochthonousness, **nationality;** nativism.

.2 **citizenship,** native-born citizenship, citizenship by birth, citizenhood, subjecthood; civism.

.3 **naturalization,** naturalized citizenship, citizenship by naturalization *or* adoption, nationalization, adoption, admission, affiliation, **assimilation;** Americanization, Anglicization, etc.; acculturation, culture shock; papers, citizenship papers.

.4 VERBS **naturalize,** grant *or* confer citizenship, adopt, admit, affiliate, **assimilate;** Americanize, Anglicize, etc.; acculturate, acculturize; go native [informal].

.5 ADJS **native,** natal, **indigenous,** endemic, autochthonous, vernacular; original, aboriginal, primitive; native-born, homegrown, homebred, native to the soil *or* place *or* heath.

.6 **naturalized,** adopted, **assimilated;** indoctrinated, Americanized, Anglicized, etc.; acculturated, acculturized.

190. INHABITANT, NATIVE

.1 NOUNS **population, inhabitants,** habitancy, dwellers, **populace, people,** whole people, people at large, citizenry, folk; **public,** general public; community, soci-

ety, **nation,** commonwealth, constituency; speech *or* linguistic community; ethnic *or* cultural community; socio–.

.2 **inhabitant,** inhabiter, habitant; **occupant,** occupier, **dweller, tenant, denizen,** inmate; **resident,** residencer, residentiary, resider; inpatient; resident physician, intern; house detective; resident *or* live-in maid; writer- *or* poet- *or* artist-in-residence; incumbent, *locum tenens* [L]; sojourner; addressee; –er *or* –ier *or* –yer, –cola, –ese, –ite.

.3 **native,** indigene, autochthon, earliest inhabitant, first comer, primitive settler; primitive; **aborigine,** aboriginal; local *or* local yokel [both informal].

.4 **citizen, national,** subject; **naturalized citizen,** nonnative citizen, citizen by adoption, immigrant, metic; hyphenated American, hyphenate; **cosmopolitan,** cosmopolite, citizen of the world.

.5 **fellow citizen,** fellow countryman, **compatriot,** congener, **countryman,** countrywoman, *landsman* [Yid], *paesano* [Ital], *paisano* [Sp]; fellow townsman, home towner [informal].

.6 **townsman;** townee *or* towner [both informal], **villager,** oppidan, city dweller, city man, big-city man, **city slicker** [informal]; urbanite; suburbanite; exurbanite; burgher, burgess, *bourgeois* [Fr]; townswoman, villageress; townspeople, townfolks, townfolk.

.7 **householder,** freeholder; cottager, cotter, cottier, crofter; head of household.

.8 **lodger, roomer,** paying guest; **boarder,** board-and-roomer, **transient,** transient guest *or* boarder; **renter, tenant,** lessee, underlessee.

.9 **settler,** *habitan(t)* [Can & Louisiana Fr]; **colonist,** colonizer, colonial, immigrant, planter; **homesteader; squatter,** nester; **pioneer;** sooner; precursor 66.

.10 **backsettler,** hinterlander, bushman [Austral]; **frontiersman,** mountain man; **backwoodsman,** woodlander, woodsman, woodman, woodhick [informal], forester; **mountaineer, hillbilly** *or* ridge runner [both informal], brush ape *or* briar-hopper [both informal]; cracker *or* redneck [both informal], desert rat [informal], clam digger [informal], piny [informal].

.11 (regional inhabitants) **Easterner,** eastlander; **Westerner,** westlander; **Southerner,** southlander; **Northener,** northlander, Yankee; Northman; New Englander, Down-Easter Yankee.

191. ABODE, HABITAT

(place of habitation or resort)

.1 NOUNS **abode, habitation, place, dwelling,** dwelling place, abiding place, place to live, where one lives *or* resides, roof over one's head, **residence,** pad *or* crib [both informal]; crash pad; **domicile,** *domus* [L]; **lodging,** lodgment, lodging place; seat, nest; roof, cantonment; address.

.2 **domesticity,** domesticality, homelovingness; housewifery, **housekeeping, homemaking;** householding, householdry.

.3 **quarters, living quarters; lodgings,** lodging, lodgment; diggings *or* digs [both Brit informal]; **rooms,** berth, roost, sleeping place, accommodations; **housing** 188.3, shelter, *gîte* [Fr].

.4 **home,** home sweet home, homestead, toft [Brit], home place, home roof, roof, rooftree, place where one hangs his hat; **fireside, hearth,** hearth and home, hearthstone, fireplace, *foyer* [Fr], chimney corner, ingle, ingleside *or* inglenook; **household,** ménage; paternal roof *or* domicile, family homestead, ancestral halls.

.5 **habitat,** home, **range,** locality, native environment; ec(o)– *or* oec(o)– *or* oiko–.

.6 **house,** *casa* [Sp & Ital], dwelling house; **building, structure, edifice,** fabric, erection, skyscraper; roof; lodge; manor house, hall; town house, *rus in urbe* [L]; country house, *dacha* [Russ], country seat; ranch house, farmhouse, farm; prefabricated house, Dymaxion house, living machine; sod house, adobe house; lake dwelling 398.3; houseboat; cave *or* cliff dwelling; penthouse; split-level; parsonage 1042.7, **rectory,** vicarage, deanery, manse; official residence, White House, 10 Downing Street, governor's mansion; presidential palace; embassy, consulate; –age.

.7 **estate,** house and grounds, house and lot, **homestead,** homecroft [Brit], place, home place, messuage [law], farmstead; **ranch,** *rancho, hacienda* [both Sp], toft *or* steading [both Brit], grange.

.8 **mansion,** palatial residence, **villa, château,** *hôtel* [Fr], **castle,** tower; **palace,** *palais* [Fr], *palazzo* [Ital], court.

.9 **cottage,** cot *or* cote, **bungalow,** box; chalet, lodge, snuggery, *pied-à-terre* [Fr]; love nest; **cabin,** cabaña; log cabin, blockhouse.

.10 **hut,** hutch, **shack, shanty,** crib, **shed; lean-to; booth,** bothy *or* boothy [both Scot],

stall; tollbooth *or* tollhouse, sentry box, gatehouse, porter's lodge; **outhouse,** outbuilding; **pavilion,** kiosk; Quonset hut *or* Nissen hut.

.11 (Indian houses) wigwam, tepee, hogan, wickiup, jacal, longhouse; tupik, igloo [both Eskimo].

.12 **hovel, dump** [slang], hole, sty, pigsty, pigpen [both informal], tumbledown shack.

.13 **summerhouse,** arbor, bower, **gazebo,** pergola, kiosk, alcove, retreat; **conservatory, greenhouse,** glasshouse [Brit], lathhouse.

.14 **apartment, flat,** tenement, chambers [Brit]; suite, suite *or* set of rooms; walk-up, cold-water flat; **penthouse;** garden apartment; duplex apartment; railroad flat.

.15 **apartment house, flats, tenement;** duplex, duplex house; cooperative apartment house, condominium; high-rise apartment building.

.16 **inn, hotel,** hostel, hostelry, **tavern,** ordinary [Brit], *posada* [Sp]; **roadhouse,** caravansary, guest house, **hospice; lodging house, rooming house; dormitory,** dorm [informal], fraternity *or* sorority house; **flophouse** *or* fleabag [both slang], doss house [Brit]; **boardinghouse,** *pension* [Fr]; public house, public *or* **pub** [both Brit informal].

.17 **motel,** motor court, motor inn, motor hotel, auto court; boatel.

.18 **trailer,** house *or* camp trailer, **mobile home,** camper, caravan [Brit]; trailer court, trailer camp, trailer park.

.19 **zoo, menagerie,** *Tiergarten* [Ger], zoological garden.

.20 **barn, stable,** stall; **cowbarn,** cowhouse, cowshed, cowbyre, byre; mews.

.21 **kennel, doghouse;** pound, dog pound; cattery.

.22 **coop, chicken house** *or* **coop,** henhouse, hencote, hennery; brooder.

.23 **birdhouse, aviary,** bird cage; dovecote, pigeon house *or* loft, columbary; roost, perch, roosting place.

.24 vivarium, terrarium, aquarium; fishpond.

.25 **nest,** nidus; aerie, eyrie; **beehive, apiary,** hive, bee tree, hornet's nest, wasp's nest, vespiary.

.26 **lair, den,** cave, **hole,** covert, mew, form; **burrow,** tunnel, earth, run, couch, lodge.

.27 **resort, haunt,** purlieu, **hangout** [slang], **stamping ground** [informal]; gathering place, rallying point, meeting place, clubhouse, club; casino, gambling house; health resort 689.29; **spa,** baths, springs, watering place.

.28 (disapproved place) **dive** [slang], **den, lair,** den of thieves; hole *or* dump *or* **joint** [all slang]; gyp *or* clip joint [slang]; **whorehouse,** cathouse [slang], sporting house, brothel, bordello, stews, fleshpots.

.29 **camp, encampment,** *Lager* [Ger]; bivouac; barrack *or* **barracks,** casern, *caserne* [Fr], cantonment, lines [Brit]; hobo jungle *or* camp; detention camp, concentration camp, *Konzentrationslager* [Ger]; campground *or* campsite.

.30 (deities of the household) lares and penates, Vesta, Hestia.

.31 VERBS **keep house,** housekeep [informal], practice domesticity, maintain a household.

.32 ADJS **residential,** residentiary; domestic, domiciliary, domal; **home, household;** mansional, manorial, palatial.

.33 **homelike,** homish, **homey** [informal], homely; comfortable, friendly, cheerful, peaceful, cozy, snug, intimate; simple, plain, unpretending.

.34 **domesticated, tame,** tamed, broken; housebroken.

.35 PHRS "there's no place like home" [J. H. Payne].

192. ROOM

(compartment)

.1 NOUNS **room, chamber,** *chambre* [Fr], *salle* [Fr]; ballroom, grand ballroom; rotunda.

.2 **compartment,** chamber, enclosed space; **cavity,** hollow, hole; **cell,** cellule; booth, stall, crib, manger; box, pew; **crypt, vault,** hold.

.3 **nook, corner, cranny, niche, recess,** cove, bay, oriel, alcove; cubicle, roomlet, carrel, hole in the wall [informal], cubby, **cubbyhole,** snuggery.

.4 **hall;** assembly hall, exhibition hall, convention hall; gallery; **meetinghouse; auditorium,** opera house, **theater** 611.18, music hall; stadium, **arena** 802, lecture hall, lyceum, amphitheater; concert hall, dance hall; **chapel** 1042.3.

.5 **parlor, living room, sitting room, drawing room, front room,** best room [informal], foreroom [dial], salon, saloon; sun parlor *or* sunroom, solarium.

.6 **library,** stacks; **study,** studio, atelier, workroom, office; **loft,** sail loft.

.7 **bedroom, boudoir,** chamber, **bedchamber,** sleeping room, cubicle, cubiculum; nursery; dormitory.

.8 (private chamber) **sanctum,** sanctum

sanctorum, holy of holies, adytum; **den,** retreat, closet, cabinet.

.9 (ships) cabin, stateroom; saloon; house, deckhouse, cuddy, shelter cabin.

.10 (trains) drawing room, stateroom, parlor car, saloon [Brit], Pullman car, roomette.

.11 **dining room,** *salle à manger* [Fr], dinette, dining hall, refectory, mess *or* messroom *or* mess hall, commons; dining car, dining saloon; **restaurant, cafeteria** 307.15.

.12 **playroom,** recreation room, rec room [informal], family room, game room, **rumpus room** [informal]; **gymnasium** 878.12.

.13 **utility room,** laundry room, sewing room.

.14 **kitchen** 330.3, **storeroom** 660.6, smoking room 434.13.

.15 **closet,** clothes closet, wardrobe, cloakroom; linen closet; dressing room, fitting room.

.16 **attic,** attic room, **garret, loft,** sky parlor; cockloft, hayloft; storeroom, junk room, lumber room [Brit].

.17 **cellar,** cellarage, **basement;** subbasement; wine cellar, potato cellar, storm cellar, cyclone cellar; coal bin *or* hole, hold, hole, bunker.

.18 **corridor, hall,** hallway; passage, **passageway; gallery,** loggia; arcade, colonnade, pergola, cloister, peristyle; areaway; breezeway.

.19 **vestibule,** portal, **portico,** entry, entryway, entrance, **entrance hall,** entranceway, **threshold; lobby, foyer;** propylaeum, stoa; narthex, galilee.

.20 **anteroom,** antechamber; side room, byroom; **waiting room,** *salle d'attente* [Fr]; **reception room,** presence chamber *or* room, audience chamber; throne room; lounge, greenroom, wardroom.

.21 **porch,** stoop, **veranda,** piazza, patio, lanai, gallery; sun porch, solarium, sleeping porch.

.22 **balcony,** gallery, terrace.

.23 **floor, story,** level, flat; first floor *or* story, ground *or* street floor, *rez-de-chaussée* [Fr]; mezzanine, mezzanine floor, *entresol* [Fr]; clerestory.

.24 **showroom,** display room, exhibition room, gallery.

.25 **hospital room; ward,** maternity ward, fever ward, charity ward, prison ward, etc.; private room, semi-private room; examining room, consultation room, treatment room; operating room *or* OR *or* surgery, labor room, delivery room, recovery room; emergency, intensive care, isolation, X ray, therapy; pharmacy, dispensary; clinic, nursery; laboratory, blood bank; nurses' station.

.26 **bathroom, lavatory, washroom** 681.10, **water closet,** WC, closet, **rest room,** comfort station, **toilet** 311.10.

.27 (for vehicles) **garage,** carport; coach *or* carriage house; carbarn; roundhouse; hangar; boathouse.

193. CONTAINER

.1 NOUNS **container, receptacle** 193.6–19, receiver 819.3, holder, vessel, utensil; –ange, –angium, –coel(e) *or* –cele, –clinium, –thecium.

.2 **bag** 193.16, **sack,** sac, poke [dial]; **pocket,** fob; **balloon, bladder,** asc(o)– *or* asci–, cyst(o)– *or* cysti–, –cyst.

.3 **belly, stomach,** gastr(o)– *or* gastri– *or* gaster(o)–, tummy *or* tum-tum [both informal], **abdomen,** abdomin(o)–, celi(o)–; **crop,** gullet 396.15, **craw,** maw, gizzard; **midriff,** diaphragm, breadbasket [informal]; swollen *or* distended *or* protruding *or* prominent belly, *embonpoint* [Fr], **paunch, gut** [slang], *kishkes* [Yid], spare tire *or* bay window [both informal]; potbelly *or* potgut *or* beerbelly [all slang], pusgut [slang], **pot** [slang], swagbelly [dial]; ventripotence; underbelly; first stomach, rumen, rumeno–; second stomach, reticulum, reticul(o)– *or* reticuli–, honeycomb stomach; third stomach, psalterium, omasum, manyplies; fourth stomach, abomasum, rennet bag.

.4 ADJS vascular, vesicular; camerated, capsular, cellular, cystic, locular, marsupial, saccular, siliquose; angi(o)–, ascidi(o)–, cotyl(o)– *or* cotyli–.

.5 **abdominal,** ventral, celiac, –coelous; stomachal *or* stomachic(al), gastric, ventricular; big-bellied 195.18.

.6 **receptacles**

ashcan
ashtray
autoclave
billy *or* billycan [both Austral]
bucket
caddy
cage
can
canister
cannikin
casserole
catchall
china, chinaware
coal scuttle
coaster
compote
creamer
cream pitcher
crock
crucible
dinner pail
dinner plate
dish, dishware
gallipot
garbage can
GI can
hod
holdall
hopper
jerrican
kibble
magazine
messkit
milk pail
mortar
mortarboard
oil can

pail
palette
patera [L]
piggin
pipkin
pitcher
plate
platter
powder horn
salver
saucer
scuttle
slop pail
soup bowl *or* plate
sugar bowl
tableware
tin can, tin [Brit]
trash can
tray
trencher
vat
waiter
wastepaper basket 669.7
watering can

.7 basins

barber's basin
bathtub
bidet
bowl
catch basin *or* drain
cereal bowl
cistern
finger bowl
gravy boat
hip bath
porringer
pottinger
punch bowl
salad bowl
sauce boat
sink 682.12
sitzbath
terrine
trough
tub
tureen
vat
washbasin
washtub

.8 pots

biggin
boiler
bud vase
caldron
chamber pot
coffeepot
coffee urn
cuspidor
flower bowl
flowerpot
honeypot
jardiniere
kettle
kitchen boiler
olla [Sp]
patella
paten
percolator
pipkin
potty
spittoon
teakettle
teapot
tea urn
urn
vase

.9 pans

ashpan
bakepan
boiler
brazier
bread pan
broiler
cake pan
dishpan
double boiler
dustpan
frying pan
pan broiler
piepan
posnet
roaster
saucepan
skillet
spider
stewpan
warming pan
wok

.10 cups, drinking vessels

beaker
beer glass
blackjack
bowl
brandy snifter
cannikin
chalice
coffee cup
demitasse
drinking cup
drinking horn
eggcup
glass
goblet
highball glass
horn
jigger
jorum
liqueur glass
loving cup
mazer
mug
noggin
pannikin
pony
pottle
rummer
schooner
schooper
scyphus
shell
shot glass
stein
tankard
tasse [Fr]
tassie [Brit]
teacup
Toby-jug *or* Toby Fillpot jug
tumbler
tyg
wineglass

.11 ladles

bail
calabash
cyathus
dessert spoon
dipper
gourd
labis [eccl]
scoop
shovel
soupspoon
spade
spatula
spoon
sugar spoon
tablespoon
teaspoon
trowel

.12 bottles

calabash
canteen
carafe
carboy
caster
cruet
cruse
decanter
demijohn
ewer
fifth
flacon
flagon
flask
flasket
gourd
jar
jeroboam
jug
hipflask
hot-water bottle
lota
magnum
mussuk
olla [Sp]
phial
pocket flask
stoup
thermos
vacuum bottle
vial

.13 casks

barrel
breaker
butt
drum
firkin
harness cask *or* tub
hogshead
keg
kilderkin
pipe
puncheon
rundlet
tun
vat
water butt

.14 cases

ammunition box
ark
attaché case
bandolier
billfold
bin
boot
box
briefcase
bunker
caisson
canister
capsule, capsula
cardcase
carton
casket
cedar chest
chest
cigarette case
cist
coffer
coffin
compact
cone
crate
crib
dispatch box
envelope
étui
file
file folder
filing box *or* case
folio
glasses *or* spectacle case
holster
hope chest
housewife, hussy
hutch
kit
letter file
matchbox
money box
monstrance
ostensorium
packet
packing box *or* case
pillbox
pocketcase
pod
portfolio
powder box
quiver
rack

reliquary
sarcophagus
scabbard
sheath
skippet
snuffbox
socket
tea chest
till
tinderbox
vanity case
vasculum
wallet

.15 baskets

bassinet
breadbasket
buck basket
bushel
clothesbasket
clothes hamper *or* bin
corbeil [archit]
crane
creel
dosser, dorser
flower basket
frail
fruit basket
hamper
pannier, *panier* [Fr]
picnic basket
punnet
reed basket
rush basket
sewing basket
skep
splint basket
stave basket
trug
washbasket
wastebasket
wastepaper basket
wicker basket
wire basket
wooden basket

.16 bags

bedroll *or* beddingroll
bindle
budget [dial]
bundle
caddie bag *or* cart
diplomatic pouch
evening bag
game bag
golf bag
gunny, gunny sack
handbag
mail pouch
moneybag
net
nose bag
pack sack
pocketbook
poke
pouch
purse
reticule
sack
saddlebag
schoolbag
scrip [archaic]
sleeping bag
tobacco pouch
vanity bag
wineskin

.17 luggage, baggage

attaché case
backpack
bag
bandbox
barracks bag
boodle bag
Boston bag
briefcase
carpetbag
carryall
ditty bag *or* box
duffel bag
flight bag
footlocker
Gladstone, Gladstone bag
grip
gripsack
handbag
hatbox
haversack
holdall
kit
kit bag
knapsack
locker box
musette bag
overnight bag
portmanteau
rucksack
sac de nuit [Fr]
Saratoga trunk
satchel
sea bag
shoulder bag
suitcase
tote bag *or* sack
traveling bag
trunk
tucker bag [Austral]
valise

.18 botany, anatomy

air bladder, phys(o)–
air sac
amnion, amnio–
bladder
bleb
blister
boll
bursa
calyx
cancelli
capsule, capsul(o)– *or* capsuli–
cell
cyst, cystis
fistula
follicle
gallbladder
legume
loculus
marsupium
musk bag
pericarp
pocket
pod
sac, sacc(o)– *or* sacci–
saccule
sacculus
saccus
scrotum 419.10
seedcase
silique
sinus
sound
stomach 193.3
theca
udder
utricle
vasculum
ventricle
vesica [L]
vesicle

.19 cupboards

armoire [Fr]
buffet
bunker
bureau
cabinet
Canterbury
cellaret
chest
chest of drawers
chiffonier
chifforobe
closet
clothespress
commode
credenza
davenport
desk
drawer
dresser
étagère [Fr]
escritoire
garderobe [Fr]
highboy
kitchen cabinet
locker
lowboy
press
secrétaire [Fr]
secretary
shelf
shelves
sideboard
tallboy
vargueno
vitrine
wardrobe
whatnot

194. CONTENTS

.1 NOUNS **contents, content,** what is contained *or* included *or* comprised; **insides** 225.4, innards [informal], guts; **components, constituents, ingredients,** elements, **items, parts, divisions,** subdivisions; **inventory,** index, census, list 88; part 55; whole 54; composition 58.

.2 **load, lading, cargo, freight, charge, burden; payload;** boatload, busload, carload, cartload, shipload, trailerload, trainload, truckload, vanload, wagonload.

.3 **lining,** liner, –pleura; **interlining,** interlineation; inlayer, **inlay,** inlaying; **filling,** filler; **packing,** padding, wadding, **stuffing;** facing; doubling, doublure; bushing, bush; wainscot; insole.

.4 (contents of a container) cup, cupful, etc. 28.8.

.5 (essential content) **substance, stuff, material, matter,** medium, building blocks, fabric; **sum and substance, gist, meat, nub** [informal], **core,** kernel, marrow, pith, sap, spirit, **essence,** quintessence, elixir, distillate, distillation, distilled essence; irreducible content; heart, soul.

.6 **enclosure,** the enclosed.

.7 VERBS **fill, pack** 56.7, **load** 184.14; **line,** in-

terline, interlineate; inlay; face; wainscot, ceil; **pad**, wad, **stuff**; feather, fur.

195. SIZE

.1 NOUNS **size, largeness, bigness, greatness** 34, **magnitude**, order of magnitude, amplitude; mass, bulk, **volume**, body; **dimensions, proportions**, dimension, caliber, scantling, proportion; **measure**, measurement, gauge, scale; **extent**, extension, expanse, expansion, scope, reach, range, spread, coverage, area; length, height, depth, breadth, width; girth, diameter, radius; onc(o)– *or* onch(o)– *or* onci–.

.2 **capacity, volume, content**, accommodation, room, space, measure, limit, burden; poundage, tonnage, cordage; stowage, tankage; **quantity** 28.

.3 **full size**, full growth; life size.

.4 large size, economy size, family size, **king size**, giant size.

.5 **oversize**, outsize; overlargeness, overbigness; **overgrowth**, wild *or* uncontrolled growth, overdevelopment; **overweight**, overheaviness; overstoutness, overfatness, overplumpness; gigantism, giantism, titanism; hypertrophy.

.6 **sizableness, largeness, bigness**, greatness, grandness, grandeur, grandiosity; largishness, biggishness; voluminousness, capaciousness, generousness, copiousness, ampleness; tallness, toweringness; broadness, wideness; profundity; extensiveness, expansiveness, comprehensiveness; spaciousness 179.5.

.7 **hugeness, vastness**, enormousness, immenseness, **enormity, immensity**, tremendousness, **prodigiousness**, stupendousness, mountainousness, giantlikeness, giantship, monumentalism; monstrousness, monstrosity.

.8 **corpulence, obesity, stoutness**, *embonpoint* [Fr]; **fatness**, fattishness, adiposis *or* adiposity, fleshiness, beefiness, meatiness, heftiness, grossness; **plumpness**, buxomness, rotundity, fubsiness [Brit], tubbiness [informal], roly-poliness; pudginess, podginess; chubbiness, chunkiness [informal], stockiness, squattiness, dumpiness, portliness; paunchiness, bloatedness, puffiness, pursiness, blowziness; hippiness [informal]; steatopygia *or* steatopygy; bosominess, bustiness [informal].

.9 **bulkiness**, hulkingness *or* hulkiness, **massiveness**, lumpishness, clumpishness; **ponderousness**, cumbrousness, cumbersomeness; clumsiness, awkwardness, unwieldiness.

.10 **lump**, clump, **hunk** *or* **chunk** [both informal]; **mass**, bulk, **gob** [slang], batch, **wad**, block, loaf; pat (of butter); clod; nugget; **quantity** 28.

.11 (something large) **whopper** *or* thumper *or* lunker *or* whale *or* jumbo [all informal]; hulk.

.12 (corpulent person) lump [informal], **heavyweight**, heavy [informal], human *or* man mountain [informal]; **fat man, fatty** *or* **fatso** [both informal], roly-poly, tub, tub of lard, tun, tun of flesh, blimp [informal], hippo [informal], **potbelly**, gorbelly [archaic or dial], swagbelly.

.13 **giant** 195.26, giantess, **amazon, colossus, titan**, *nephilim* [Heb pl].

.14 **behemoth, leviathan, monster** 85.20; mammoth, mastodon; elephant, jumbo [informal]; whale; hippopotamus, hippo [informal]; **dinosaur** 123.26.

.15 VERBS **size, adjust, grade**, group, range, rank, graduate, sort, match; gauge, **measure** 490.11, proportion; **bulk** 34.5; **enlarge** 197.4–8.

.16 ADJS **large, sizable, big, great** 34.6, **grand**, tall [informal], **considerable, goodly**, healthy, tidy [informal], **substantial**, bumper, numerous 101.6; largish, biggish; large-scale; man-sized [informal]; large-size(d), good-size(d); hyper–, macr(o)–, maxi–, meg(a)–, megal(o)–, super–.

.17 **voluminous, capacious, generous, ample**, copious, broad, wide, extensive, expansive, comprehensive; spacious 179.9.

.18 **corpulent, stout, fat, overweight**, fattish, **obese**, adipose, gross, fleshy, beefy, meaty, hefty; paunchy, paunched, bloated, puffy, blowzy, distended, swollen, pursy; abdominous, big-bellied, full-bellied, potbellied, gorbellied [archaic or dial], swag-bellied, pot-gutted, pussle-gutted [both informal], **plump, buxom**, *zaftig* [Yid], full, rotund, fubsy [Brit], tubby [informal], roly-poly; **pudgy**, podgy; thick-bodied, thick-girthed, **heavyset, thickset, chubby**, chunky [informal], **stocky**, squat, squatty, dumpy, pyknic, endomorphic, square; lusty, strapping [informal], stalwart, brawny, burly; **portly**, imposing; well-fed, corn-fed, grain-fed; chubby-faced, round-faced, moonfaced; hippy [informal], full-buttocked, steatopygic *or* steatopygous, fat-assed *or* lard-assed [both slang], broad in the beam [informal]; bosomy, full-bosomed, busty [informal], top-heavy; plump as a dumpling *or* partridge, fat as a quail, fat as a pig *or* hog, "fat as a pork hog" [Malory], "fat as

a porpoise" [Swift], "fat as a fool" [John Lyly], "fat as butter" [Shakespeare], fat as brawn *or* bacon.

.19 **bulky, hulky,** hulking, lumpish, lumpy, lumping [informal], clumpish, lumbering, lubberly; **massive,** massy; elephantine, hippopotamic; **ponderous,** cumbrous, cumbersome; **clumsy,** awkward, **unwieldy.**

.20 **huge, immense, vast, enormous,** astronomic(al), tremendous, prodigious, stupendous; great big, larger than life, Homeric, mighty, **titanic, colossal, monumental,** heroic(al), epic(al), towering, mountainous; profound, abysmal, deep as the ocean *or* as China; monster, monstrous; **mammoth,** mastodonic; **gigantic,** gigantean, gigant(o)–; **giant,** giantlike; Cyclopean, Brobdingnagian, Gargantuan, Herculean, Atlantean; elephantine, jumbo [informal]; dinosaurian, dinotherian; **infinite** 104.3.

.21 [slang terms] **whopping, walloping, whaling, whacking,** spanking, slapping, lolloping, thumping, thundering, bumping, banging.

.22 **full-sized,** full-size, full-scale; **full-grown, full-fledged,** full-blown; full-formed, **life-sized,** large as life.

.23 **oversize,** oversized; **outsize,** outsized, giantsize, **kingsize,** recordsize, **overlarge,** overbig, too big; **overgrown,** overdeveloped; **overweight,** overheavy; overfleshed, overstout, overfat, overplump, overfed.

.24 this big, so big, yay big [informal], this size, about this size.

.25 ADVS largely, on a large scale, in a big way; in the large; as can be.

.26 **giants**

Aegaeon	Gargantua
Aegir	Geryoneo
Alifanfaron	Gog
Amarant	Goliath
Antaeus	Grantorto
Ascapart	Gyes
Atlas	Hercules *or* Heracles
Balan	Hlér
Bellerus	Hymir
Blunderbore	Jötunn
Briareüs	Magog
Brobdingnagian	Mimir
Cormoran	Morgante
Cottus	Og
Cyclops	Orgoglio
Enceladus	Orion
Ephialtes	Pantagruel
Fafner	Paul Bunyan
Fenrir	Polyphemus
Ferragus	Titan
Fierebras	Tityus
Firbauti	Typhon
Galapas	Urdar
Galligantus	Ymir

196. LITTLENESS

.1 NOUNS **littleness, smallness** 35, smallishness, **diminutiveness,** miniatureness, slightness, exiguity; puniness, pokiness, dinkiness [slang]; tininess, **minuteness;** undersize; petiteness; dwarfishness, stuntedness, runtiness, shrimpiness; **shortness** 203; **scantiness** 102.1.

.2 **infinitesimalness,** microdimensions; inappreciability, evanescence; intangibility, impalpability, tenuousness, imponderability; imperceptibility, invisibility.

.3 (small place) **tight spot** *or* tight squeeze *or* **pinch** [all informal]; hole, pigeonhole; hole in the wall; cubby, cubbyhole; cubbyhouse, dollhouse, playhouse, doghouse.

.4 **diminutive, runt, shrimp** [informal], wart [slang], wisp, chit, slip, snip, snippet, minikin [archaic], **peewee** [informal], fingerling, small fry [informal]; lightweight, featherweight; bantam, banty [informal]; pony; minnow, mini, minny [both informal]; mouse, tit, titmouse, tomtit [informal]; nubbin, button.

.5 **miniature,** mini, minny [both informal], subminiature; –cle, –ee, –een, –el, –ella *or* –illa, –et, –ette, –idium, –idion, –ie *or* –y *or* –ey, –ium, –kin, –let, –ling, –ock, –sy, –ula, –ule, –ulum, –ulus; microcosm, microcosmos; baby; doll, puppet; microvolume; Elzevir, Elzevir edition; duodecimo, twelvemo.

.6 **dwarf,** dwarfling, **midget,** midge, **pygmy,** manikin, homunculus, atomy, micromorph, hop-o'-my-thumb; elf, gnome, brownie; dapperling, dandiprat, cocksparrow, pip-squeak; **runt, shrimp** [informal], wart [slang], peewee [informal]; Lilliputian, Pigwiggen, Tom Thumb, Thumbelina, Alberich, Alviss, Andvari, Nibelung, Regin.

.7 (minute thing) minutia, **minutiae** [pl], minim, **drop,** droplet, **mite** [informal], **point,** vanishing point, mathematical point, point of a pin, pinpoint, pinhead, **dot;** mote, fleck, **speck,** flyspeck, jot, tittle, iota; **particle,** crumb, scrap, snip, snippet; grain, grain of sand; barleycorn, millet seed, mustard seed; midge, mite, gnat; microbe, microorganism 196.18.

.8 **atom,** atomy, monad; **molecule,** ion; **electron,** proton, meson, neutrino, quark, parton, subatomic *or* nuclear particle.

.9 VERBS make small, **contract** 198.7; **shorten** 203.6; **miniaturize,** minify, scale down.

.10 ADJS **little, small** 35.6, smallish, lept(o)–, mei(o)– *or* mi(o)–, olig(o)–, parvi(o)–,

–cular, –ulous; **slight,** exiguous; **puny,** poky, pindling *or* piddling [both informal], **dinky** [informal]; cramped, limited; one-horse, two-by-four [informal]; pint-sized [informal], half-pint; knee-high, knee-high to a grasshopper; petite; short 203.8.

.11 **tiny;** teeny *or* teeny-weeny *or* eentsy-weentsy [all informal], wee *or* peewee [informal], bitty *or* bitsy *or* little-bitty *or* little-bitsy *or* itsy-bitsy *or* itsy-witsy [all informal]; **minute,** fine.

.12 **miniature, diminutive, minuscule,** mini–, minimal, miniaturized, minikin [archaic], **small-scale,** pony; bantam, banty [informal]; **baby,** baby-sized; pocket, pocket-sized, **vest-pocket; toy;** handy, compact; duodecimo, twelvemo; subminiature.

.13 **dwarf,** dwarfed, dwarfish, nan(o)– *or* nann(o)–; **pygmy, midget,** nanoid, elfin; Lilliputian, Tom Thumb; **undersized,** undersize, squat, dumpy; **stunted,** runty; shrunk, shrunken, wizened, shriveled; meager, scrubby, scraggy; incipient, rudimentary, rudimental.

.14 **infinitesimal, microscopic,** ultramicroscopic, micr(o)–, ultramicr(o)–; evanescent, thin, tenuous; inappreciable; impalpable, imponderable, intangible; imperceptible, indiscernible, invisible, unseeable; atomic, subatomic; molecular; granular, corpuscular, granul(o)– *or* granuli–, chondr(o)–; microcosmic(al); embryonic, germinal 406.24.

.15 **microbic,** microbial, **microorganic;** animalcular, bacterial; microzoic; protozoan, microzoan, amoebic *or* amoeboid.

.16 ADVS smally, **small,** little, **slightly** 35.9; **on a small scale,** in a small compass, in a small way, on a minuscule *or* infinitesimal scale; **in miniature,** in the small; in a nutshell.

.17 **microscopy**

electron microscopy
electrophotomicrography
microbiology
microchemistry
microcosmography
microcosmology
microcrystallography
microgeology
micrography
micrology
micromechanics
micrometallography
micrometallurgy
micrometry
micromineralogy
micropaleontology
micropathology
micropetrography
micropetrology
microphotography
microphysics
microphysiography
microscopics
microspectroscopy
microtechnic
microzoology
photomicrography
photomicroscopy

.18 **microorganisms**

amoeba
animalcule
arthrospore
bacillus, bacill(o)– *or* bacilli–
bacteria, –bacter, bacter(o)–
botulinus
ciliate
coccus, cocc(o)– *or* cocci–
colon bacillus, col(o)– *or* coli–
diatom
diphtheria bacillus
dyad
entozoon
euglena
filterable virus
flagellate
foraminifer
germ
gonidium
gregarine
infusorian
mastigophoran
mastigopod
microbe
micrococcus
microphyte
microspore
microzoon, microzoa [pl]
microzyme
monad, monas
moneron
nematode, nem(a)– *or* nemo–, nemat(o)–
paramecium
phage
pneumococcus
protozoon, protozoa [pl]
radiolarian
rhizopod
rotifer
salmonella
saprophyte
schizomycete
spirillum
spirochete
sporozoon
staphylococcus, staphyl(o)–
stentor
streptococcus, strept(o)–
tetrad
triad
trypanosome
tubercle bacillus, tubercul(o)–
typhoid bacillus
virus
volvox
vorticellum
zoogloea
zoogonidium
zoospore

197. EXPANSION, GROWTH

(increase in size)

.1 NOUNS **expansion, extension, enlargement, increase** 38, crescendo, upping, raising, hiking, magnification, aggrandizement, amplification, ampliation [archaic], broadening, widening; **spread,** spreading, fanning out, dispersion, **flare,** splay; deployment; augmentation, **addition** 40; adjunct 41.

.2 **distension,** stretching; **inflation,** sufflation, blowing up; **dilation,** dilatation, diastole; **swelling,** swellage; swell 256.4; puffing, puff, puffiness, **bloating,** bloat, **flatulence** *or* flatulency, flatus, gassiness, windiness; turgidness *or* turgidity, turgescence; tumidness *or* tumidity, tumefaction; tumescence, intumescence; **swollenness,** bloatedness; dropsy, edema; tympanites, tympany, tympanism, meteorism.

.3 **growth, development,** maturation, growing up, upgrowth; vegetation 411.30; reproduction, procreation 169, germination, pullulation; burgeoning, sprouting; budding, gemmation; outgrowth, excrescence; overgrowth 195.5; –auxe, –megaly, –osis, –plasia *or* –plasy, –trophy; auxo–, plasto–.

.4 VERBS (make larger) **enlarge, expand, ex-**

tend, widen, broaden, build, build up, aggrandize, **amplify,** crescendo, **magnify, increase** 38.4, augment, add to 40.5, raise, up, hike *or* hike up; develop, bulk *or* bulk out; **stretch, distend, dilate, swell, inflate,** sufflate, **blow up,** puff up, huff, puff, bloat; pump, pump up; rarefy.

.5 (become larger) **enlarge, expand, extend, increase,** greaten, crescendo, **develop, widen, broaden,** bulk; **stretch, distend, dilate, swell, bloat,** tumefy, balloon, puff up, fill out; snowball.

.6 **spread,** spread out, outspread, outstretch; **expand, extend,** widen; open, **open up,** unfold; **flare,** splay; spraddle, sprangle, sprawl; branch, branch out, ramify; fan, fan out, disperse, deploy; spread like wildfire; overrun, overgrow.

.7 **grow, develop,** wax, **increase** 38.4; gather, brew; **grow up,** mature, spring up, **shoot up,** sprout up, upshoot, upspring, upsprout, upspear, overtop, tower; burgeon, **sprout** 411.31, blossom 411.32, reproduce 169.7, procreate 169.8, germinate, pullulate; vegetate 411.31; **flourish, thrive,** grow like a weed; mushroom; outgrow; overgrow, hypertrophy, overdevelop.

.8 **fatten,** fat, plump, pinguefy *or* engross [both archaic]; **gain weight,** gather flesh, take *or* put on weight, become overweight.

.9 ADJS **expansive, extensive;** expansional, extensional; expansile, extensile, elastic; expansible, inflatable; distensive, dilatant; inflationary; –plastic.

.10 **expanded, extended, enlarged, increased** 38.7, upped, raised, hiked, **amplified,** ampliate, crescendoed, widened, broadened, built-up, beefed-up [informal].

.11 **spread, spreading,** patulous; sprawling, sprawly; **outspread, outstretched,** spread-out, stretched-out; open, unfolded; widespread, wide-open; flared, spraddled, sprangled, splayed; flaring, spraddling, sprangling, splaying; splay; fanned, fanning; fanlike, fan-shaped, fan-shape, flabelliform, deltoid.

.12 **grown, full-grown, grown-up,** developed, fully developed, **mature, full-fledged; growing,** sprouting, crescent, budding, flowering 411.35, florescent, **flourishing,** blossoming, blooming, burgeoning, thriving; overgrown, hypertrophied, overdeveloped.

.13 **distended, dilated, inflated,** sufflated, **blown up, puffed up, swollen,** swelled, **bloated,** turgid, tumid, plethoric, incrassate; **puffy,** pursy; flatulent, gassy, windy, ventose; dropsical, edematous; enchymatous; fat 194.18; phys(o)–.

198. CONTRACTION

(decrease in size)

.1 NOUNS **contraction,** contracture, systole; **compression,** compressure, compaction, compactedness, coarctation; condensation, concentration, consolidation, solidification; circumscription, narrowing; reduction, diminuendo, decrease 39; abbreviation, curtailment, shortening 203.3; **constriction,** stricture *or* striction, astriction, strangulation, stranglement; bottleneck, hourglass, hourglass figure, nipped *or* wasp waist; neck 47.4, cervix, isthmus, narrow place; astringency, constringency; puckering, pursing; knitting, wrinkling.

.2 **squeezing,** compression, clamping *or* clamping down, tightening; pressure, press, crush; **pinch, squeeze, tweak, nip.**

.3 **shrinking,** shrinkage, atrophy; **shriveling, withering;** searing, parching, drying *or* drying up; attenuation, thinning; wasting, consumption, emaciation, emaceration; preshrinking, preshrinkage, Sanforizing.

.4 **collapse,** prostration, cave-in; implosion; **deflation.**

.5 contractibility, contractility, compactability, **compressibility,** condensability; collapsibility.

.6 contractor, constrictor, clamp, compressor, vise, pincer; **astringent,** styptic; alum, astringent bitters, styptic pencil.

.7 VERBS **contract, compress,** cramp, compact, coarct, condense, concentrate, consolidate, solidify; **reduce, decrease** 39.7; abbreviate, curtail, **shorten** 203.6; **constrict,** constringe, circumscribe, **narrow,** draw, draw in *or* together; strangle, strangulate; **pucker,** pucker up, **purse; knit, wrinkle.**

.8 **squeeze,** compress, clamp, tighten; roll *or* wad up, roll up into a ball, ensphere; **press,** crush; **pinch, tweak, nip.**

.9 **shrink, shrivel, wither,** sear, parch, dry up; **wizen,** weazen; consume, waste, waste away, attenuate, thin, emaciate, macerate, emacerate; preshrink, Sanforize.

.10 **collapse, cave, cave in,** fall in; fold, fold up; implode; **deflate,** let the air out of, take the wind out of; puncture, puncture one's balloon.

.11 ADJS **contractive,** contractional, contractible, contractile, compactable; **astringent,** constringent, styptic; **compressible,** con-

densable; **collapsible,** foldable; deflationary; consumptive.

.12 **contracted, compressed,** cramped, compact(ed), concentrated, condensed, consolidated, solidified; **constricted,** strangled, strangulated, **squeezed,** clamped, nipped, pinched *or* pinched-in, waspwaisted; puckered, pursed; knitted, wrinkled.

.13 **shrunk,** shrunken; **shriveled,** shriveled up; **withered,** sear, parched, corky, dried-up; **wasted,** wasted away, consumed, emaciated, emacerated, thin, attenuated; **wizened,** wizen, weazened; wizen-faced; preshrunk, Sanforized.

.14 **deflated, flat.**

199. DISTANCE

.1 NOUNS **distance, remoteness,** farness, faroffness; **separation,** divergence, clearance, margin, leeway; **extent, length,** space 179, **reach,** stretch, range, compass, span, stride; way, ways [informal], piece [dial]; perspective, aesthetic distance; astronomical *or* interstellar *or* galactic *or* intergalactic distance, deep space, depths of space, **infinity** 104; **mileage,** light-years, parsecs.

.2 **long way,** good ways [informal], **great distance,** long chalk [informal], **far cry,** far piece [dial]; long step, tidy step [informal], giant step *or* stride; long run or haul, long road *or* trail; long range; apogee, aphelion.

.3 the distance, **remote distance, offing; horizon,** where the earth meets the sky, vanishing point, background.

.4 (remote region) jumping-off place, godforsaken place, God knows where, the middle of nowhere [all informal], the back of beyond, the end of the rainbow, Thule *or* Ultima Thule, Timbuktu, Siberia, Darkest Africa, the South Seas, Pago Pago, the Great Divide, China, Outer Mongolia, pole, antipodes, end of the earth, North Pole, South Pole, Tierra del Fuego, Greenland, Yukon, Pillars of Hercules, remotest corner of the world; outpost, outskirts; the sticks, the boondocks, the tullies [all slang]; nowhere; frontier, outback [Austral]; the moon; outer space.

.5 VERBS **reach out, stretch out,** extend out, go *or* go out, range out, carry out; outstretch, outlie, outdistance, outrange.

.6 **extend to,** stretch to, stretch away to, **reach to,** lead to, go to, get to, come to, run to, carry to.

.7 **keep one's distance,** remain at a distance, maintain distance *or* clearance, keep at a respectful distance, **keep away,** stand off *or* away; keep away from, keep *or* stand clear of, **steer clear of** [informal], hold away from, give a wide berth to, keep a good leeway *or* margin *or* offing, keep out of the way of, keep at arm's length, keep *or* stay *or* stand aloof; maintain one's perspective, keep one's esthetic distance.

.8 ADJS **distant,** distal, **remote, removed, far, far off,** away, **faraway,** at a distance, exotic, separated, apart, asunder; long-distance, long-range; ab–, ap(o)– *or* aph–, dist(o)– *or* disti–, over–, tel(e)– *or* teleo–, trans–, ultra–.

.9 **out-of-the-way,** godforsaken, back of beyond; **out of reach, inaccessible,** ungetatable, unapproachable, untouchable, hyperborean, antipodean.

.10 **thither,** ulterior; **yonder,** yon; **farther, further,** remoter, more distant.

.11 transoceanic, transmarine, ultramarine, oversea, overseas; transatlantic, transpacific; tramontane, transmontane, ultramontane, transalpine; transarctic, transcontinental, transequatorial, transpolar, transpontine, ultramundane.

.12 **farthest, furthest,** farthermost, farthest off, furthermost, ultimate, extreme, remotest, most distant.

.13 ADVS **yonder,** yon; **in the distance,** in the remote distance; **in the offing,** on the horizon, in the background.

.14 **at a distance, away, off,** aloof, at arm's length; distantly, remotely.

.15 **far, far off,** far away, **afar,** afar off, a long way off, a good ways off [informal], a long cry to, "over the hills and far away" [John Gay], as far as the eye can see, out of sight; clear to hell and gone [slang].

.16 **far and wide,** far and near, distantly and broadly, wide, widely, broadly, abroad.

.17 **apart, away, aside,** wide apart, wide away, "as wide asunder as pole and pole" [J. A. Froude], "as far as the east is from the west" [Bible].

.18 **out of reach,** beyond reach, **out of range,** beyond the bounds, out of the way, out of the sphere of; out of sight, *à perte de vue* [Fr]; out of hearing, out of earshot *or* earreach.

.19 **wide, clear;** wide of the mark, abroad, all abroad, astray, afield, far afield.

.20 PREPS **as far as, to, all the way to,** the whole way to.

.21 **beyond, past, over, across,** the other *or* far side of.

200. NEARNESS

.1 NOUNS **nearness, closeness,** nighness, **proximity,** propinquity, immediacy; approximation, approach, convergence; **vicinity,** vicinage, **neighborhood,** environs, purlieus, confines, precinct; **foreground,** immediate foreground.

.2 **short distance, short way,** little ways, **step,** short step, brief span, short piece [dial], little; close quarters *or* range *or* grips; **stone's throw,** spitting distance [informal], bowshot, gunshot, pistol shot; earshot, earreach, whoop *or* two whoops and a holler [informal], ace, bit [informal], crack, **hair, hairbreadth** *or* hairsbreadth, hair space, finger's width, inch, span.

.3 **juxtaposition, apposition,** adjacency; **contiguity,** contiguousness, conterminousness *or* coterminousness; abuttal, abutment; adjoiningness, junction 47.1,4, connection, union; **conjunction,** conjugation; appulse, syzygy; perigee, perihelion.

.4 **meeting,** joining, **encounter;** confrontation; rencontre; near-miss, collision course, near thing, narrow squeak *or* brush.

.5 **contact, touch,** touching, *attouchement* [Fr], taction, tangency, contingence; gentle *or* tentative contact, caress, brush, glance, nudge, kiss, rub, graze; impingement, impingence; osculation.

.6 **neighbor,** neighborer, next-door *or* immediate neighbor; borderer; abutter, adjoiner; bystander, onlooker, looker-on; tangent.

.7 VERBS **near, come near,** nigh, draw near *or* nigh, **approach** 296.3; **converge.**

.8 **be near** *or* **around,** be in the vicinity *or* neighborhood of, **approximate, approach,** get warm [informal], come near, begin to.

.9 **adjoin,** join, conjoin, **connect,** butt, **abut,** abut on *or* upon, be contiguous, be in contact; **neighbor,** border, **border on** *or* **upon,** verge upon; lie by, stand by.

.10 **contact, come in contact, touch, impinge,** hit; osculate; **graze,** caress, kiss, nudge, rub, brush, glance, scrape, sideswipe, skim, skirt, shave; have a near miss, brush *or* graze *or* squeak by.

.11 **meet, encounter; come across, run across,** fall across, cross the path of; **come upon,** run upon, fall upon, light *or* alight upon; come among, fall among; **meet with,** meet up with [informal], come face to face with, **confront,** meet head-on *or* eyeball to eyeball; run into, **bump into** [informal], run smack into [informal], come *or* run up against [informal], run *or* fall foul of; burst *or* pitch *or* pop *or* bounce *or* plump upon [all informal]; be on a collision course.

.12 **stay near, keep close to;** stand by, lie by; go with, march with, follow close upon, breathe down one's neck, tread *or* stay on one's heels, stay on one's tail, tailgate [informal]; hang about *or* around, hang upon the skirts of, hover over; **cling to,** clasp, hug, huddle; hug the shore *or* land, keep hold of the land, stay inshore.

.13 **juxtapose** *or* juxtaposit, **appose,** join 47.5, **adjoin, abut,** neighbor; bring near, put with, place *or* set side by side.

.14 ADJS **near, close, nigh,** nearish, nighish, intimate, cheek-by-jowl, side-by-side, hand-in-hand, arm-in-arm, *bras-dessus-bras-dessous* [Fr]; **approaching,** nearing, approximate *or* approximating, proximate, proximal, propinque [archaic]; **in the vicinity** *or* **neighborhood of,** vicinal; near the mark; warm *or* hot *or* burning [all informal]; ad–, circum–, cis–, ep(i) *or* eph–, juxta–, pen(e)–, peri–, plesi(o)–, pros–, proximo–, sub–, vic–.

.15 **nearby, handy, convenient,** convenient to, propinquant *or* propinquous, at hand, ready at hand, easily reached *or* attained.

.16 **adjacent, next,** immediate, contiguous, **adjoining, abutting; neighboring,** neighbor; **juxtaposed,** juxtapositive *or* juxtapositional; **bordering,** conterminous *or* coterminous, connecting; **face to face** 239.6; end to end, endways, endwise; **joined** 47.13.

.17 **in contact,** contacting, **touching, meeting,** contingent; impinging, impingent; tangent, tangential; osculatory; grazing, glancing, brushing, rubbing, nudging.

.18 **nearer,** nigher, **closer.**

.19 **nearest,** nighest, **closest,** nearmost, next, immediate.

.20 ADVS **near, nigh, close;** hard, at close quarters; **nearby, close by,** hard by, fast by, not far *or* far off, at hand, **near** *or* **close at hand;** thereabout *or* thereabouts, hereabout *or* hereabouts; nearabout *or* nearabouts *or* nigh about [all dial]; **about, around** [informal], close about, along toward [informal]; at no great distance, only a step; as near as no matter *or* makes no difference [informal]; **within reach** *or* **range,** within call *or* hearing, within earshot *or* earreach, within a whoop *or* two whoops and a holler [infor-

mal], within a stone's throw, in spitting distance [informal], at one's elbow, at one's feet, at one's fingertips, under one's nose, at one's side, within one's grasp; just around the corner, just across the street, just next door.

.21 **in juxtaposition, in conjunction,** in apposition; beside 242.11,12.

.22 **nearly, near,** pretty near [informal], close, **closely; almost,** all but, not quite, as good as; **well-nigh, just about;** nigh, nighhand.

.23 **approximately,** approximatively, practically [informal], for practical purposes *or* all practical purposes, at a first approximation, give or take a little, **more or less; roughly,** roundly, in round numbers; **generally,** generally speaking, roughly speaking, say.

.24 PREPS **near, nigh,** near to, **close to,** near upon, close upon, hard on *or* upon, bordering on *or* upon, **verging on** *or* verging upon, on the confines of, at the threshold of, **on the brink** *or* **verge of,** on the edge of, at next hand, at *or* on the point of, on the skirts of; **not far from;** next door to, at one's door; nigh about *or* nearabout *or* nigh on *or* nigh onto [all dial].

.25 **against,** up against, on, upon, over against, opposite, nose to nose with, vis-à-vis, in contact with.

.26 **about, around,** just about, *circa* [L], c., somewhere about *or* near, near *or* close upon, near enough to, upwards of [informal], –ish; **in the neighborhood** *or* **vicinity of.**

201. INTERVAL

(space between)

.1 NOUNS **interval, space** 179, intervening *or* intermediate space, **interspace,** distance *or* space between, interstice; **clearance,** margin, leeway, freeboard, **room** 179.3; discontinuity 72, jump, leap, interruption; hiatus, caesura, lacuna; half space, single space, double space, em space, en space, hair space, time interval, interim 109.

.2 **crack, cleft,** cranny, chink, check, chap, **crevice,** fissure, scissure, incision, notch, cut, gash, slit, split, **rift,** rent, rime; **opening,** excavation, cavity, hole; **gap,** gape, **abyss,** abysm, **gulf,** chasm, void 187.3; **breach, break,** fracture, rupture; fault, flaw; slot, groove, furrow, moat, ditch, trench, dike; joint, seam; leak; **ravine, gorge,** dell, flume; kloof, donga; **canyon** *or* cañon, box canyon, *couloir* [Fr], coulee; **gully, gulch,** arroyo, draw, nullah [India], wadi; clough, cleuch [both Scot]; **crevasse;** chimney, **defile,** pass, passage, col; cwm 257.8, **valley** 257.9.

.3 VERBS **interspace, space,** make a space, interval, set at intervals, **space out, separate,** part, dispart, set *or* keep apart, remove.

.4 **cleave, crack,** check, incise, **cut, cut apart,** gash, slit, **split,** rive, rent; **open; gap,** breach, break, fracture, rupture; slot, groove, furrow, ditch, trench.

.5 ADJS intervallic, interspatial, interstitial.

.6 **interspaced, spaced,** intervaled, **spaced out,** set at intervals, with intervals *or* an interval, **separated, parted,** removed.

.7 **cleft, cut,** cloven, **cracked,** sundered, rift, rent, **slit, split;** gaping, gappy, dehiscent; fissured, fissury; rimose, rimulose; chinky.

202. LENGTH

.1 NOUNS **length,** longness, lengthiness, longitude, overall length; **extent,** extension, **measure, span, reach, stretch; distance** 199; footage, yardage, mileage; infinity 104; perpetuity 112; long time 110.4; linear measures 490.17.

.2 oblongness, oblongitude.

.3 (a length) **piece, portion,** part; coil, strip, bolt, roll; run.

.4 **line, strip,** bar; stripe 568.6; string 71.2.

.5 **lengthening, prolongation, elongation,** production, protraction, **extension,** stretching, stretching *or* spinning *or* stringing out; stretch, tension, strain.

.6 VERBS **be long, be lengthy, extend,** be prolonged, **stretch; stretch out,** extend out, reach out; stretch oneself, crane, crane one's neck; stand on tiptoes; outstretch, outreach; sprawl, straggle.

.7 **lengthen, prolong,** prolongate, **elongate, extend,** produce, **protract,** continue; lengthen out, let out, **draw out,** drag out, stretch *or* string *or* spin out; **stretch,** draw, pull; tense, tauten, tighten, strain.

.8 ADJS **long, lengthy;** longish, longsome; tall 207.21; **extensive, far-reaching,** fargoing, far-flung; sesquipedalian, sesquipedal; as long as one's arm, a mile long; interminable, without end, no end of *or* to; dolich(o)–, longi–, macr(o)–, mec(o)–.

.9 **lengthened, prolonged,** prolongated, **elongated, extended, protracted; drawn out,** dragged out, stretched *or* spun *or* strung out, straggling; **stretched,** drawn, pulled; tense, taut, taut as a bowstring, tight, strained.

.10 **oblong,** oblongated, oblongitudinal, **elongated;** rectangular; elliptical.

.11 ADVS lengthily, extensively, at length, *in extenso* [L], *ad infinitum* [L].

.12 **lengthwise** *or* lengthways, longwise *or* longways, longitudinally, along, in length, at length; **endwise** *or* endways, endlong.

203. SHORTNESS

.1 NOUNS **shortness, briefness, brevity; succinctness,** curtness, summariness, compendiousness, compactness; **conciseness** 592; **littleness** 196; **lowness** 208; transience 111, short time 111.3, instantaneousness 113.

.2 **stubbiness,** stumpiness [informal], **stockiness, fatness** 195.8, chubbiness, chunkiness [informal], blockiness, squatness, squattiness, dumpiness; pudginess, podginess; snubbiness *or* snubbishness.

.3 **shortening, abbreviation; reduction** 39.1; **abridgment, condensation,** compression, conspectus, epitome, epitomization, summary, summation, précis, abstract, recapitulation, recap [informal], synopsis; **curtailment,** truncation, retrenchment; telescoping; elision, ellipsis, syncope, apocope; foreshortening.

.4 shortener, cutter, abridger; abstracter, epitomizer *or* epitomist.

.5 **shortcut,** cut, cutoff; shortest way; **beeline,** air line.

.6 VERBS **shorten, abbreviate, cut; reduce** 39.7; **abridge, condense,** compress, contract, **boil down,** abstract, sum up, summarize, recapitulate, recap [informal], synopsize, epitomize, capsulize; **curtail,** truncate, retrench; elide, **cut short,** cut down, cut off short, cut back, take in; **dock,** bob, shear, shave, trim, clip, snub, nip; mow, reap, **crop; prune,** poll, pollard; stunt, check the growth of; telescope; foreshorten.

.7 **take a short cut,** short-cut; **cut across,** cut through; **cut a corner,** cut corners; **make a beeline,** take the air line, go as the crow flies.

.8 ADJS **short,** brachy– *or* brady–; **brief,** abbreviatory, "short and sweet" [Thomas Lodge]; **concise** 592.6; **curt,** curtal, curtate, decurtate; **succinct,** summary, synoptic(al), compendious, compact; **little** 196.10; **low** 208.7; transient 111.7, instantaneous 113.4,5.

.9 **shortened, abbreviated; abridged,** compressed, condensed, epitomized, digested, abstracted, capsule, capsulized; **curtailed,** cut short, short-cut, **docked,** bobbed, sheared, shaved, trimmed, clipped, snub, snubbed, nipped; mowed, mown, reaped, **cropped; pruned,** polled, pollard; elided, elliptic(al).

.10 **stubby,** stubbed, stumpy [informal], **thickset, stocky,** blocky, **chunky** [informal], **fat** 195.18, **chubby,** tubby [informal], dumpy; **squat,** squatty, squattish; **pudgy,** podgy; pug, **pugged;** snub-nosed; turned-up, *retroussé* [Fr].

.11 short-legged, breviped; short-winged, brevipennate.

.12 ADVS **shortly, briefly,** summarily, in brief compass, economically, sparely, curtly, succinctly; **concisely** 592.7,8, compendiously, synoptically.

.13 **short, abruptly,** suddenly 113.9, all of a sudden.

204. BREADTH, THICKNESS

.1 NOUNS **breadth, width,** broadness, wideness, fullness, amplitude, latitude, distance across *or* crosswise *or* crossways, extent, **span, expanse, spread;** beam.

.2 **thickness,** the third dimension, distance through, depth; **mass, bulk, body;** corpulence, bodily size; **coarseness,** grossness 351.2; fatness 195.8.

.3 **diameter, bore, caliber; radius,** semidiameter.

.4 VERBS **broaden, widen,** deepen; **expand,** extend, extend to the side *or* sides; **spread** 197.6, spread out *or* sidewise *or* sideways, outspread, outstretch.

.5 **thicken,** grow thick, thick; incrassate, inspissate; fatten 197.8.

.6 ADJS **broad, wide,** deep; extensive, spread-out 197.11, **expansive;** spacious, **roomy** 179.9; ample, full; widespread 79.13; "broad as the world" [James Russell Lowell], "wide as a church door" [Shakespeare]; eury–, lati–, plat(y)–.

.7 broad of beam, broad-beamed, broad-sterned, beamy; broad-ribbed, wide-ribbed, laticostate; broad-toothed, wide-toothed, latidentate.

.8 **thick,** three-dimensional; **thickset, heavy-set,** thick-bodied, broad-bodied, thick-girthed; **massive, bulky** 195.19, corpulent 195.18; coarse, heavy, gross, crass, fat; full-bodied, full, viscous; **dense** 354.12; thick-necked, bullnecked; hadr(o)–, pachy–.

.9 ADVS breadthwise *or* breadthways; widthwise *or* widthways; broadwise *or* broadways; broadside, broad side foremost; sidewise *or* ways; through, depthwise *or* ways.

.10 broad

broad-backed
broad-based
broad-billed
broad-bladed
broad-bosomed
broad-bottomed
broad-breasted
broad-brimmed
broad-chested
broad-eyed
broad-faced
broad-gauge *or* -gauged
broad-headed
broad-leaved
broad-lipped
broad-mouthed
broad-nosed
broad-roomed
broad-shouldered
broad-tailed
broad-winged
wide-angle
wide-arched
wide-armed
wide-banked
wide-bottomed
wide-branched
wide-breasted
wide-brimmed
wide-eared
wide-faced
wide-framed
wide-hipped
wide-leaved
wide-lipped
wide-nosed
wide-petaled
wide-rimmed
wide-roving
wide-set
wide-spaced
wide-spanned
wide-streeted
wide-tracked
wide-wayed
wide-winged

.11 thick

thick-ankled
thick-barked
thick-barred
thick-bottomed
thick-cheeked
thick-coated
thick-eared
thick-fingered
thick-footed
thick-headed
thick-jawed
thick-kneed
thick-leaved
thick-legged
thick-lipped
thick-ribbed
thick-stalked
thick-stemmed
thick-tailed
thick-toed
thick-toothed
thick-walled
thick-wristed

205. NARROWNESS, THINNESS

.1 NOUNS **narrowness, slenderness; closeness,** nearness; **straitness,** restriction, restrictedness, limitation, strictness, confinement; crowdedness, incapaciousness, incommodiousness; **tightness,** tight squeeze; hair, hairbreadth *or* hairsbreadth; finger's breadth; narrow gauge.

.2 **narrowing, tapering,** taper; **contraction** 198; stricture, constriction, coarctation.

.3 (narrow place) narrow, **narrows, strait; bottleneck;** isthmus; channel 396, canal; pass, defile; neck, throat, der(o)–.

.4 **thinness, slenderness, slimness, frailty,** slightness, gracility, lightness, airiness, delicacy, flimsiness, wispiness, laciness, paperiness, gauziness, gossameriness, diaphanousness, insubstantiality, ethereality, mistiness, vagueness; light *or* airy texture; **fineness** 351.3; **tenuity, rarity,** subtility, exility, exiguity; **attenuation;** dilution, dilutedness, wateriness 388.1, weakness.

.5 **leanness, skinniness,** fleshlessness, slightness, frailness, twigginess, spareness, meagerness, **scrawniness, gauntness,** lankness, **lankiness,** gawkiness, **boniness,** skin and bones; haggardness, poorness, paperiness, peakedness [informal], puniness, "lean and hungry look" [Shakespeare]; underweight; hatchet face, lantern jaws.

.6 **emaciation,** emaceration, attenuation, atrophy, tabes, marasmus.

.7 (comparisons) paper, wafer, lath, slat, **rail,** rake, splinter, slip, shaving, streak, vein; gruel, soup; shadow, mere shadow; **skeleton.**

.8 (thin person) **slim, lanky;** twiggy, **shadow, skeleton,** walking skeleton, corpse, barebones, bag *or* stack of bones; rattlebones *or* **spindleshanks** *or* spindlelegs [all informal], gangleshanks [slang], lathlegs *or* sticklegs [both slang], **bean pole,** beanstalk, broomstick, clothes pole, stilt.

.9 **reducing, slenderizing;** weight-watching, calorie-counting.

.10 **thinner,** solvent 391.4.

.11 VERBS **narrow,** constrict, diminish, draw in, go in; restrict, limit, straiten, confine; **taper,** snape; **contract** 198.7.

.12 **thin,** thin down, thin away *or* off *or* out; **rarefy,** subtilize, attenuate; dilute, water, water down, weaken; **emaciate,** emaciate.

.13 **slenderize, reduce,** reduce *or* lose *or* take off weight, lose flesh, weight-watch, count calories, diet; slim, **slim down,** thin down.

.14 ADJS **narrow, slender;** narrowish, narrowy; **close,** near; **tight, strait,** isthmic, isthmian; close-fitting; **restricted,** limited, circumscribed, **confined,** constricted; **cramped,** cramp; incapacious, incommodious, crowded; **meager,** scant, scanty; narrow-gauge(d); angustifoliate, angustirostrate, angustiseptal, angustisellate; angusti–, dolich(o)–, sten(o)–.

.15 **tapered,** taper, tapering, cone- *or* wedge-shaped.

.16 **thin, slender, slim,** gracile, "imperially slim" [E. A. Robinson]; thin-bodied, thin-set, narrow- *or* wasp-waisted; **svelte,** slinky, sylphlike, willowy; girlish, boyish; thinnish, slenderish, slimmish; **slight,** slight-made; **frail,** delicate, light, airy, wispy, lacy, gauzy, papery, gossamer, diaphanous, insubstantial, ethereal, misty, vague, flimsy, **fine; finespun,** thin-spun, fine-drawn, wiredrawn; threadlike, slender as a thread; **tenuous,** subtle, rare, **rarefied;** attenuated, attenuate, **watery, weak,** diluted, watered *or* watered-down, small; fusi– *or* fuso–, lept(o)–.

.17 **lean,** lean-looking, **skinny** [informal], fleshless, lean-fleshed, thin-fleshed, **spare,** meager, **scrawny,** scraggy, thin-bellied, **gaunt, lank, lanky; gangling** *or* gangly [both informal], gawky, **spindling,** spindly; flat-chested, flat [informal]; **bony, rawboned,** bare-boned, rattleboned [informal], skeletal, **mere skin and bones;** twiggy; **underweight,** undersized, spidery, thin *or* skinny as a lath *or* rail, "lean as a rake" [Chaucer].

.18 lean-limbed, thin-legged, lath- *or* stick-legged [slang], spindle-legged *or* -shanked [informal], gangle-shanked [slang], stilt-legged.

.19 lean- *or* horse- *or* thin-faced, thin-featured, **hatchet-faced;** wizen- *or* weazen-faced; lean- *or* thin-cheeked; lean-jawed *or* lantern-jawed.

.20 **haggard, poor,** puny, **peaked** *or* peaky [both informal], **pinched;** shriveled, withered; **wizened,** weazeny; **emaciated,** emaciate, emacerated, **wasted,** attenuated, corpselike, skeletal, hollow-eyed, wraithlike, cadaverous; tabetic, tabid, marantic, marasmic; **starved,** starveling, starved-looking; **undernourished,** underfed, jejune; worn to a shadow, "worn to the bones" [Shakespeare], "weakened and wasted to skin and bone" [Du Bartas].

.21 **slenderizing,** reducing, slimming.

.22 ADVS **narrowly,** closely, nearly, **barely,** hardly, only just, **by the skin of one's teeth.**

.23 thinly, thin; meagerly, sparsely, sparingly, scantily.

206. FILAMENT

.1 NOUNS **filament,** fili–; **fiber** 206.8, fibr(o)–, in(o)–; **thread,** mito–, nem(a)– *or* nemo– *or* nemat(o)–, –neme; **strand,** suture; **hair** 230; artificial fiber, natural fiber, animal fiber; threadlet, filamentule; fibril, fibrilla; capillament; cilium, ciliolum, cili(o)–, cilii–; **tendril,** cirrus, cirr(o)– *or* cirri– *or* cirrho– *or* cirrhi–, flagellum, blephar(o)–, mastig(o)–, –kont; gossamer, **web,** cobweb, spider *or* spider's web; skein, hank; denier.

.2 **cord** 206.9, chord(o)–, line, **string, twine, rope, wire, cable, yarn,** spun yarn; braid, twist, thong, brail; **ligament,** ligature, ligation, syndesm(o)–; **tendon,** teno–.

.3 **cordage,** cording, **ropework,** roping; tackle, tack, gear, rigging; ship's ropes 277.31.

.4 **strip, strap,** strop; shred, slip, list, spill; **band,** bandage, fillet, belt, girdle, fascia, taenia, taen(o)– *or* taeni–; **ribbon,** ribband; **tape,** tapeline, tape measure, adhesive tape, friction tape, plastic tape, cellophane tape, Scotch tape, masking tape, cloth tape, Mystik tape, ticker tape; slat, lath, batten, spline, strake, plank; ligule, ligula.

.5 **spinner,** spinster; silkworm, spider; spinning wheel, spinning jenny, jenny, mule, mule-jenny; throstle; spinning frame, bobbin and fly frame; spinneret(te).

.6 VERBS (make threads) **spin;** filament, shred, gin.

.7 ADJS **threadlike,** thready; **stringy,** ropy, wiry; **hairlike** 230.23, hairy 230.24; filamentary, filiform; fibrous, fibered, fibroid, fibrilliform; ligamental; capillary, capilliform; cirrose, cirrous; funicular, funiculate; flagelliform; taeniate, taeniform; ligulate, ligular; gossamery, flossy, silky.

.8 **fibers, threads**

acetate rayon
Acrilan
alpaca
angora
Aralac
Avisco
bast
batting
cashmere
Celanese
Chemstrand
coir
cotton
cotton batting
Dacron
darning cotton
Dynel
Fiberfrax
flax
floss, floss silk
Fortisan
goat's hair
harl
hemp
horsehair
jute
kapok
Lastex
linen
llama hair
Manila, Manila hemp
merino
mohair
near-silk
nylon
oakum
Orlon
packthread
Polyfibre
protein fibers
raffia
raw silk
rayon
Rexenite
Sarelon
sericin gum
sewing thread
silk
sisal, sisal hemp
soybean fibers
spandex
spun rayon
Terylene
tussah
Velon
Vicara
vicuña
Vinyon
wool
worsted
yarn
zephyr, zephyr yarn

.9 **cords**

binding twine
braided rope
cable
catgut
clothesline
fast
gut
hamstring
hawser
lace
lacing
lariat
lasso
lead
leader
marline
mason's line
monofilament
pack twine
pepper-and-salt rope
rein
rope
sail twine
sennit

ship's ropes 277.31
shoelace
shoestring
sinew
spermatic cord
string
tendon
thew
twine
umbilical cord
whipcord
wire rope

207. HEIGHT

.1 NOUNS **height,** heighth [dial], vertical *or* perpendicular distance; **highness, tallness; altitude, elevation,** ceiling; **loftiness,** sublimity, exaltation; hauteur, toploftiness 912.1; eminence, prominence; **stature.**

.2 **height, elevation,** eminence, steep, acr(o)–, hyps(o)– *or* hypsi–; **rise,** raise, **uprise,** lift, rising ground, vantage point *or* ground; **heights,** soaring *or* towering *or* Olympian heights, aerial heights, dizzy heights; upmost *or* uppermost *or* utmost *or* extreme height; sky, stratosphere, ether, heaven *or* heavens; zenith, apex, acme.

.3 highland, highlands, upland, uplands, moorland, moors, downs, wold, rolling country.

.4 **plateau, tableland,** table, mesa, table mountain, bench.

.5 **hill, down,** moor, brae [Scot], barrow, fell [Scot]; **hillock,** monticle, monticule, **knoll, hummock, mound, swell,** knob; anthill, molehill; **dune,** sand dune; butte; drumlin; foothills.

.6 **ridge,** *arête* [Fr], chine, spine, kame *or* comb [both Scot], esker; saddle, saddleback, col, horseback, hogback, hog's-back.

.7 **mountain, mount, alp,** hump, tor, ore(o)– *or* oro–; Olympus, Everest; lofty mountains, towering alps; "the wooded mountains" [Vergil], "the hills, rock-ribbed, and ancient as the sun" [William Cullen Bryant].

.8 **peak,** pike, *pic* [Fr], *pico* [Sp], **pinnacle,** point, **crest,** spur, tor; **mountaintop; hilltop,** knoll; **summit** 211.2; precipice 213.3; lofty peak, cloud-capped *or* cloud-topped *or* snow-clad peak.

.9 **mountain range,** range, **chain,** *cordillera, sierra* [both Sp], *massif* [Fr]; Alps, Rockies, Andes, Himalayas, Caucasus; "alps on alps" [Pope], hill heaped upon hill.

.10 **watershed,** water parting, **divide;** Great Divide, Continental Divide.

.11 **tower; turret,** *tour* [Fr]; campanile, bell tower, belfry; lighthouse; cupola, lantern; dome; martello, martello tower; barbican; **derrick,** pole; windmill tower, observation tower, fire tower; **mast,** radio *or* television mast, antenna tower; water tower, standpipe; **spire,** pinnacle; **steeple,** *flèche* [Fr]; minaret; stupa, tope, pagoda; pyramid; pylon; **shaft,** pillar, column; pilaster; obelisk; monument; colossus; skyscraper.

.12 (tall person) **longlegs** *or* longshanks *or* highpockets *or* long drink of water [all informal]; bean pole 205.8; **giant** 195.13; six-footer, seven-footer, grenadier [Brit].

.13 **high tide,** high water, flood tide, spring tide, flood.

.14 (measurement of height) altimetry, hypsometry, hypsography; altimeter, hypsometer.

.15 VERBS **tower, soar,** spire, "buss the clouds" [Shakespeare]; **rise, uprise, ascend, mount, rear;** stand on tiptoe.

.16 **rise above, tower above** *or* **over,** clear, overtop, o'ertop, outtop, **top, surmount; overlook,** look down upon *or* over; **command,** dominate, overarch, overshadow, command a view of; bestride, bestraddle.

.17 (become higher) **grow,** grow up, upgrow; uprise, **rise** *or* **shoot up,** mount.

.18 **heighten, elevate** 317.5.

.19 ADJS **high,** high-reaching, high-up, **lofty, elevated,** altitudinous, uplifted *or* upreared, eminent, exalted, prominent, steep, supernal, superlative, sublime, alti–, hyper–, super–; **towering,** towery, **soaring,** spiring, aspiring, mounting, ascending; **topping,** outtopping *or* overtopping; overarching *or* overlooking, dominating; airy, aerial, ethereal; Olympian; monumental, colossal; high as a steeple; topless; high-set, high-pitched; haughty, toplofty.

.20 skyscraping, **sky-high,** heaven-reaching *or* -aspiring, heaven-kissing, "as high as Heaven and as deep as Hell" [Beaumont and Fletcher]; cloud-touching *or* -topped *or* -capped.

.21 **giant** 195.20, gigantic, colossal, statuesque; **tall, lengthy,** long 202.8; **rangy, lanky,** lank, tall as a maypole; **gangling** *or* gangly [both informal]; **long-legged,** long-limbed, leggy.

.22 **highland,** upland; hill-dwelling, mountain-dwelling.

.23 **hilly,** knobby, rolling; **mountainous,** mountained, **alpine,** alpen, alpestrine, alpigene; subalpine; monticuline, monticulous.

.24 **higher,** superior, greater; **over, above,** supra–; upper, upmost *or* uppermost; highest 211.10.

.25 altimetric(al), hypsometrical, hypsographic(al).

.26 ADVS **on high,** high up, high; **aloft,** aloof;

up, upward, upwards, straight up, to the zenith; **above, over,** o'er, **overhead;** above one's head, over head and ears; skyward, airward, in the air, in the clouds; on the peak *or* summit *or* crest *or* pinnacle; upstairs, abovestairs; tiptoe, on tiptoe; on stilts; on the shoulders of.

208. LOWNESS

.1 NOUNS **lowness, shortness,** squatness, squattiness, stumpiness; **prostration,** supineness, proneness, recumbency, couchancy, lying, lying down, reclining; depression, debasement; subjacency.

.2 **low tide,** low water, dead low water *or* tide, ebb tide, neap tide, neap.

.3 lowland, **lowlands,** bottomland.

.4 **base, bottom** 212, lowest point, nadir; lowest *or* underlying level, lower strata, bedrock.

.5 VERBS **lie low, squat, crouch,** couch; crawl, grovel, lie prone *or* supine *or* prostrate, hug the earth; lie under, underlie.

.6 lower, debase, depress 318.4.

.7 ADJS **low, unelevated, short, squat,** squatty, stumpy, runty, chame– *or* chamae–; debased, depressed, prone, supine, prostrate(d), couchant, crouched, stooped, recumbent, laid low, knocked flat; **flat, low-lying,** low-set, low-hung; **low-built,** low-sized, low-statured, low-bodied; low-level, low-leveled; neap; knee-high, knee-high to a grasshopper [informal].

.8 **lower,** hyp(o)–, infra–, intra–, sub–; inferior, **under, nether,** subjacent; down; less advanced; earlier; lowest 212.7.

.9 ADVS **low,** near the ground; at a low ebb.

.10 **below,** down below, **under,** *infra* [L]; belowstairs, downstairs, below deck; underfoot; below par, below the mark.

.11 PREPS **below, under, underneath, beneath,** neath, at the foot of, at the base of.

209. DEPTH

.1 NOUNS **depth, deepness,** profoundness, profundity; deep-downness, extreme innerness, deep-seatedness, deep-rootedness; bottomlessness, plumblessness, fathomlessness; subterraneity, undergroundness; interiority 225.

.2 **pit, deep, depth, hole,** hollow, **cavity,** shaft, well, **gulf, chasm, abyss,** abysm, yawning abyss; crater; crevasse.

.3 **depths,** deeps, bowels, bowels of the earth; bottomless pit; infernal pit, hell, nether world, underworld; dark *or* unknown *or* yawning *or* gaping depths, unfathomed deeps; outer *or* deep space.

.4 **ocean depths, the deep sea, the deep,** trench, **the deeps, the depths,** bottomless depths, inner space, abyss; bottom waters; abyssal zone, Bassalia, bathyal zone, pelagic zone; **bottom of the sea,** ocean bottom *or* floor *or* bed, ground, benthos, Davy Jones's locker [informal].

.5 **sounding** *or* **soundings,** fathoming, depth sounding; **echo sounding,** echolocation; sonar; oceanography, bathometry, bathymetry; fathomage, water (depth of water).

.6 **draft,** submergence, submersion, sinkage, **displacement.**

.7 **deepening, lowering, depression;** sinking, sinkage; excavation, digging, mining, tunneling; drilling, probing.

.8 VERBS **deepen, lower, depress, sink;** countersink; **dig,** excavate, tunnel, mine, **drill;** pierce to the depths; **dive** 320.6.

.9 **sound, take soundings,** make a sounding, heave *or* cast *or* sling the lead, **fathom, plumb,** plumb-line, plumb the depths.

.10 ADJS **deep, profound,** deep-down, bath(o)– *or* bathy–; deepish, deepsome; **deep-going,** deep-lying, deep-reaching; **deep-set,** deep-laid; deep-sunk, deep-sunken, deep-sinking; **deep-seated, deep-rooted,** deep-fixed, deep-settled; deep-cut, deep-engraven; knee-deep, ankle-deep.

.11 **abysmal,** abyssal, yawning, cavernous, gaping, plunging; **bottomless,** without bottom, soundless, unsounded, plumbless, **fathomless,** unfathomed, unfathomable; deep as a well, deep as the sea *or* ocean, deep as hell.

.12 **underground, subterranean,** subterraneous, buried, deep-buried.

.13 **underwater,** subaqueous; **submarine, undersea;** submerged, submersed, immersed, buried, engulfed, inundated, flooded, drowned, sunken.

.14 **deep-sea,** deep-water, blue-water; oceanographic, bathyal, bathysmal, bathybic; benthal, benthonic; abyssal, Bassalian; bathyorographic(al), bathymetric(al); benthopelagic, bathypelagic.

.15 deepest, deepmost, bedrock, rock-bottom.

.16 ADVS **deep; beyond one's depth,** out of one's depth; over one's head, over head and ears; at bottom, at the core, at rock bottom.

.17 **depth indicators**

bathometer
bathymeter
bob
depth sounder
dipsey *or* deep-sea line *or* lead
echo sounder
fathomer
Fathometer
Kelvin machine
lead
leadline
plumb
plumb bob
plumb line
plummet
probe
sonic depth sounder
sound
sounding bottle
sounding lead
sounding line
sounding machine
sounding rod
sounding tube
space probe
Tanner-Blish machine

210. SHALLOWNESS

.1 NOUNS **shallowness, depthlessness;** shoalness, shoaliness, no water, no depth; **superficiality,** exteriority, triviality, **cursoriness,** slightness; **surface,** superficies, skin 229, rind, epidermis; veneer, gloss; pinprick, scratch, mere scratch.

.2 **shoal, shallow,** shallows, shallow *or* shoal water, flat, shelf; **bank, bar,** sandbank, sandbar; **reef,** coral reef; ford; wetlands, tidal flats.

.3 VERBS **shallow,** shoal; fill in *or* up, silt up.

.4 **scratch the surface, touch upon,** hardly touch, skim, skim over, skim *or* graze the surface, hit the high spots [informal].

.5 ADJS **shallow,** shoal, **depthless,** not deep, unprofound; **surface,** on *or* near the surface, merely surface; **superficial, cursory,** slight, light, thin, jejune, trivial; **skin-deep,** epidermal; ankle-deep, knee-deep; shallow-rooted, shallow-rooting; shallow-draft *or* -bottomed *or* -hulled; shallow-sea.

.6 shoaly, shelfy; reefy; unnavigable.

211. TOP

.1 NOUNS **top,** top side, upper side, upside; surface 224.2; topside *or* topsides; upper story, top floor; clerestory; **roof,** ridgepole *or* roofpole; rooftop.

.2 **summit,** top, acr(o)–; **tip-top, peak,** pinnacle; **crest, brow,** loph(o)– *or* lophi(o)–, –loph; ridge, edge; **crown,** cap, **tip,** point, spire, pitch; highest pitch, no place higher, **apex,** vertex, **acme,** *ne plus ultra* [L], **zenith, climax,** apogee, pole; **culmination,** culmen; **extremity, maximum, limit,** upper extremity, highest point, very top, top of the world, extreme limit, utmost *or* upmost *or* uppermost, height, "the very acme and pitch" [Pope]; **sky,** heaven *or* heavens, seventh heaven, cloud nine [informal]; meridian, noon, high noon; mountaintop 207.8.

.3 **topping,** icing, frosting.

.4 (top part) **head,** heading, **headpiece,** cap, *caput* [L], capsheaf, **crown, crest;** top-knot; pinhead, nailhead.

.5 **capital,** head, crown, cap; bracket capital; cornice, geisso–.

.6 **head,** headpiece, **pate,** poll [informal], crown, cephal(o)–, corono–; **sconce** *or* **noddle** *or* **noodle** *or* **noggin** *or* **bean** *or* dome [all informal]; brow, ridge; "the dome of Thought, the palace of the Soul" [Byron].

.7 **skull,** cranium, crani(o)–; pericranium, epicranium; brainpan, brain box *or* case.

.8 **phrenology,** craniology, metoposcopy, physiognomy; phrenologist, craniologist, metoposcopist, physiognomist.

.9 VERBS **top,** top off, **crown, cap,** crest, **head,** tip, peak, surmount; overtop *or* outtop, have the top place *or* spot, overarch; **culminate,** consummate, climax; ice, frost (a cake).

.10 ADJS **top,** topmost, **uppermost,** upmost, overmost, **highest;** tip-top, tip-crowning, **maximum,** maximal, ultimate; summital, apical, vertical, zenithal, climactic(al), **consummate;** acmic, acmatic; meridian, meridional; **head,** headmost, capital, chief, paramount, supreme, preeminent.

.11 **topping, crowning, capping,** heading, surmounting, overtopping *or* outtopping, overarching; culminating, consummating, climaxing.

.12 **topped,** headed, **crowned, capped,** crested, plumed, tipped, peaked.

.13 **topless,** headless, crownless.

.14 cephalic, encephalic, –cephalous.

.15 ADVS **on top,** at *or* on the top, topside [informal]; at the top of the tree *or* ladder, on top of the roost *or* heap; on the crest *or* crest of the wave; at the head, at the peak *or* pinnacle *or* summit.

.16 PREPS **atop, on, upon,** on top of.

.17 **architectural toppings**

abacus
acanthus
acroterion
annulet
antefix
architrave
astragal
bell
campana
capstone
console
coping
coping stone
corbel
cornice
crown
cyma *or* cima
cymatium
dentil
drip
drop
echinus
entablature
epistyle
fastigium
finial
frieze
frontispiece
gable end
gorgerin
gutta
head

headboard
header
headmold
head molding
headpiece
headpost
headsill
hoodmold
hypotrachelium
keystone
larmier
lintel
metope
modillion
mutule
neck(ing)
neckmold
neck molding
pediment
sconce
taenia
treenail
triglyph
tympanum
zoophorus

.18 capital styles

Byzantine
Corinthian
Doric
Gothic
Greek
Greek Corinthian
Greek Ionic
Ionic
Moorish
Roman Corinthian
Roman Doric
Romanesque
Roman Ionic
Tuscan

212. BOTTOM

.1 NOUNS **bottom,** bottom side, **underside,** nether side, lower side, downside, **underneath,** fundament; belly, underbelly; buttocks 241.4, breech; **rock bottom, bedrock,** bed, hardpan; substratum, underlayer, lowest level *or* layer *or* stratum, nethermost level *or* layer *or* stratum.

.2 **base,** basement, baso– *or* basi–, **foot,** footing, sole, toe; **nadir; foundation** 216.6; baseboard, mopboard, shoemold; wainscot, dado; chassis, frame, keel, keelson.

.3 (ground part) **ground,** earth, *terra firma* [L]; **floor,** flooring; parquet; **deck; pavement,** *pavé* [Fr], paving, surfacing; **cover,** carpet, floor covering.

.4 **bed, bottom, floor,** ground, **basin, channel,** coulee; ocean bottom 209.4.

.5 **foot,** extremity, pes, pedes [pl], *pied* [Fr], ped(o)– *or* pedi–, –pod(e), rhiz(o)–; trotter, pedal extremity, dog, tootsy [informal]; **hoof,** ungula; **paw,** pad, pug, *patte* [Fr]; forefoot, forepaw; harefoot, splayfoot, clubfoot; **toe,** digit, dactyl(o)–; **heel; sole,** pedi(o)–; instep, arch; pastern; fetlock.

.6 VERBS **base on, found on, ground on, build on,** bottom on, bed on, set on; root in; **underlie,** undergird.

.7 ADJS **bottom,** bottommost, **undermost,** nethermost, lowermost, **lowest; rock-bottom,** bedrock; ground.

.8 **basic,** basal, basilar; **underlying, fundamental,** radical, essential, elementary, elemental, primary, primal, primitive, rudimentary, original; nadiral.

.9 **pedal,** plantar; footed, hoofed, ungulate, clawed, taloned, –ped(e), –pelmous, –podous; toed, –dactylous.

213. VERTICALNESS

.1 NOUNS **verticalness,** verticality, verticalism; **erectness, uprightness,** straight up-and-downness, up-and-downness, steepness, sheerness, precipitousness, plungingness, **perpendicularity,** plumbness, aplomb; right-angledness *or* -angularity, squareness, orthogonality.

.2 **vertical, upright, perpendicular,** plumb, normal; right angle, orthodiagonal; vertical circle, azimuth circle.

.3 **precipice, cliff, steep, bluff,** wall, face, scar; crag, craig [Scot]; scarp, **escarpment; palisade,** palisades.

.4 **erection,** erecting, **elevation; rearing,** raising; **uprearing,** upraising, lofting, uplifting, heaving up *or* aloft; standing on end *or* upright *or* on its feet *or* on its base *or* on its legs.

.5 **rising, uprising;** vertical height, gradient, rise, uprise.

.6 (instruments) square, T square, try square, set square, carpenter's square; plumb, plumb line, plumb rule, plummet, bob, plumb bob, lead.

.7 VERBS **stand, stand erect, stand up, stand upright, stand up straight,** be erect, be on one's feet; hold oneself straight *or* stiff, have an upright carriage; stand at attention, stand at parade rest, stand at ease [all mil].

.8 **rise, arise,** uprise, **rise up, get up,** get to one's feet; **stand up, stand on end; stick up,** cock up; bristle; **rear,** ramp, uprear, rear up, rise on the hind legs; upheave; sit up, sit bolt upright; jump up, spring to one's feet.

.9 **erect, elevate, rear, raise,** pitch, **set up,** raise *or* lift *or* cast up; raise *or* heave *or* rear aloft; uprear, upraise, uplift, upheave; upright; **upend,** stand upright *or* on end; set on its feet *or* legs *or* base.

.10 **plumb,** plumb-line, set *à plomb;* **square.**

.11 ADJS **vertical, upright,** bolt upright, **erect,** upstanding, standing up, stand-up, orth(o)–, stasi–; rearing, rampant; **upended,** upraised, upreared; downright.

.12 **perpendicular, plumb,** straight-up-and-down, straight-up, **up-and-down;** sheer, steep, precipitous, plunging; **right-angled,** right-angle, right-angular, orthogonal, orthodiagonal.

.13 ADVS **vertically, erectly,** upstandingly, uprightly, **upright,** up, stark *or* bolt upright; **on end,** up on end, right on end, endwise, endways; on one's feet *or* legs, on one's hind legs [informal]; at attention.

.14 **perpendicularly,** sheer, sheerly; up and down, **straight up and down; plumb,** *à plomb* [Fr]; **at right angles,** square.

214. HORIZONTALNESS

.1 NOUNS **horizontalness,** horizontality, horizontalism; **levelness, flatness,** planeness, evenness, smoothness, flushness.

.2 **recumbency,** decumbency, accumbency, accubation; **prostration, proneness;** supineness, reclining, reclination; lying, lounging, **repose** 711; sprawl, loll.

.3 **horizontal, plane, level, flat,** homaloid, dead level *or* flat; **horizontal plane,** level plane; horizontal line, level line; horizontal projection; horizontal parallax; horizontal axis; horizontal fault; water level, sea level, mean sea level; parterre; esplanade, platform, ledge, terrace; ground, earth, floor, steppe, plain, flatland, prairie, sea of grass, bowling green, table, billiard table.

.4 **horizon, skyline,** rim of the horizon; sea line; apparent *or* local *or* visible horizon, sensible horizon, celestial *or* rational *or* geometrical *or* true horizon, artificial *or* false horizon; azimuth.

.5 VERBS **lie, lie down,** lay [informal], **recline, repose,** lounge, sprawl, loll, drape *or* spread oneself, lie limply; **lie flat** *or* prostrate *or* prone *or* supine, lie on one's face *or* back, lie on a level; **grovel, crawl.**

.6 **level, flatten, even, equalize,** align, smooth *or* smoothen, smooth out, flush; grade, roll, roll flat, steamroller *or* steamroll; **lay,** lay down *or* out; **raze,** rase, lay level, lay level with the ground; lay low *or* flat; **fell** 318.5.

.7 ADJS **horizontal, level, flat,** flattened, plat(y)–; **even,** smooth, smoothened, smoothed out; tabular, tabloid; **flush,** homaloidal, homal(o)–; **plane,** plain, plan(o)–, plani–; rolled, trodden, squashed, rolled *or* trodden *or* squashed flat; flat as a pancake, "flat as a cake" [Erasmus], flat as a billiard table *or* bowling green *or* tennis court, flat as a board, "flat as a flounder" [John Fletcher], level as a plain.

.8 **recumbent,** accumbent, procumbent, decumbent; **prostrate, prone,** flat; **supine,** resupine; couchant, *couché* [Fr]; **lying, reclining, reposing,** flat on one's back; sprawling, lolling, lounging; sprawled, spread, draped; groveling, crawling, flat on one's belly *or* nose.

.9 ADVS **horizontally, flat,** flatly, flatways, flatwise; **evenly,** flush; **level, on a level;** lengthwise, lengthways, at full length, on one's back *or* belly *or* nose.

215. PENDENCY

.1 NOUNS **pendency,** pendulousness *or* pendulosity, pensileness *or* pensility; **hanging, suspension,** dangling *or* danglement, suspense, dependence *or* dependency.

.2 **hang, droop,** dangle, swing, fall; **sag,** bag.

.3 **overhang, overhanging,** impendence *or* impendency, **projection,** beetling, jutting.

.4 **pendant,** hanger; **hanging,** drape; **lobe,** lobule, lobation, lappet, ear lobe, lob(o)– *or* lobi–; **uvula,** cion(o)–, staphyl(o)–.

.5 **suspender, hanger** 215.14, supporter; **suspenders,** pair of suspenders, braces [Brit], galluses [informal].

.6 VERBS **hang,** hang down, fall; **depend,** pend; **dangle,** swing, flap, flop [informal]; flow, drape, cascade; **droop,** lop; nod, weep; **sag,** swag, bag; **trail, drag, draggle,** drabble, daggle.

.7 **overhang,** hang over, hang out, **impend,** impend over, **project,** project over, beetle, **jut,** beetle *or* jut *or* thrust over, stick out over.

.8 **suspend, hang, hang up,** put up, fasten up; sling.

.9 ADJS **pendent,** pendulous, pendulant, pendular, penduline, pensile; **suspended,** hung; **hanging,** pending, depending, dependent; **falling; dangling,** swinging, falling loosely; weeping; flowing, cascading.

.10 **drooping,** droopy, limp, loose, nodding, floppy [informal], loppy, lop; **sagging,** saggy, swag, sagging in folds; **bagging,** baggy, ballooning; lop-eared.

.11 **overhanging,** overhung, lowering, **impending,** impendent, **pending;** incumbent, superincumbent; **projecting, jutting; beetling,** beetle; beetle-browed.

.12 lobular, lobar, lobate, lobated.

.13 **pendants**

apronstring	lappet
arras	lavaliere
bell rope	liripipe
bob	pendeloque
chandelier	pendicle
coattail	pendule
curtain	pendulum
drape	pigtail
drapery	plumb bob
drop	queue
eardrop	rya
earring	skirt
flap	stalactite
fringe	swing
hammock	tail
hanging	tailpiece
hangnail	tapestry
icicle	tassel

tippet
trail
train
wall-hanging
wattle

.14 **suspenders, hangers**

bar
belt
boom
button
clothes hanger
clotheshorse
clothesline
clothespin
clothes tree
coat hanger
crane
gallows
garter
garter belt
gibbet
hake
hanger bolt
hanging post
hat rack
hook
horse
knob
nail
peg
pendant post
pendant tackle
pendentive
picture hook
pothanger
pothook
ring
sock suspenders
spar
stud
suspensorium
suspensory
tenterhook
yard
yardarm

216. SUPPORT

.1 NOUNS **support, backing, aid** 785, **upholding, upkeep,** carrying, carriage, maintenance, **sustaining,** sustainment, sustenance, sustentation; subsidy, subvention; **moral support;** emotional *or* psychological support, security blanket [informal]; supportive relationship, supportive therapy; **reliance** 501.1.

.2 **supporter, support,** 216.26, **upholder,** bearer, carrier, sustainer, mâintainer, –fer *or* –pher, –phor(e); staff 217.2, stave, cane, stick, walking stick, alpenstock, crook, crutch; **advocate** 787.9; **stay, prop,** fulcrum, **bracket** 216.28, **brace,** bracer, guy, guywire *or* guyline, shroud, rigging, standing rigging; buttress, shoulder, arm; mast, sprit, **mainstay,** backbone, spine, neck, cervix; athletic supporter, jock *or* jockstrap [both informal], G-string; brassiere, bra [informal], bandeau, corset, girdle, foundation garment; reinforcement, reinforce *or* reinforcer, strengthener, stiffener; back, backing; rest, resting place.

.3 (mythology) Atlas, Hercules, Telamon, tortoise that supports the earth.

.4 **buttress,** buttressing; abutment, shoulder; **bulwark,** rampart; **embankment,** bank, retaining wall; **breakwater,** seawall, mole, **jetty,** jutty, groin; **pier,** pier buttress, buttress pier; flying buttress, *arc-boutant* [Fr]; hanging buttress; **beam** 217.7.

.5 **footing, foothold, toehold,** hold, perch, **purchase** 287; **standing,** stand, stance, standing place, *point d'appui* [Fr], *locus standi* [L]; footrest, footplate, footrail.

.6 **foundation,** *fond* [Fr], **base, basis, footing,** basement, pavement, **ground,** grounds, **groundwork, seat,** sill, floor *or* flooring, fundament; bed, bedding; **substructure,** substruction, substratum, **understructure,** understruction, underbuilding, undergirding, undercarriage, underpinning, bearing wall; stereobate, stylobate; **fundamental, principle,** radical, rudiment; firm *or* solid ground, *terra firma* [L]; solid rock *or* bottom, rock bottom, bedrock; hardpan; riprap.

.7 **foundation stone,** footstone; **cornerstone, keystone,** headstone, first stone, quoin.

.8 **base, pedestal; stand,** standard; **shaft** 217, **upright, column, pillar, post,** jack, pole, staff, stanchion, pier, pile *or* piling, kingpost, queen-post, pilaster, newel-post, banister, baluster, balustrade, colonnade, caryatid; dado, die; plinth, subbase; surbase; socle; **trunk,** stem, **stalk,** pedicel, peduncle, footstalk.

.9 **sill,** groundsel; mudsill; window sill; doorsill, threshold; doorstone.

.10 **mounting,** mount, **backing, setting;** frame, underframe, infrastructure, chassis, skeleton; bearing, bushing.

.11 **handle** 216.27, **hold,** grip, grasp, haft, helve.

.12 **scaffold,** scaffolding, *échafaudage* [Fr]; stage, staging.

.13 **platform; stage,** estrade, dais, floor; **rostrum, podium, pulpit,** speaker's platform *or* stand, **soapbox** [informal]; hustings, **stump;** tribune, tribunal; emplacement; catafalque; landing stage, landing; heliport, landing pad; launching pad; **terrace,** step terrace; **balcony, gallery.**

.14 **shelf, ledge,** shoulder, corbel, beam-end; mantel, mantelshelf, mantelpiece; retable, superaltar, gradin, *gradino* [Ital], predella; hob.

.15 **table** 216.29, board, **stand; bench,** workbench; **counter,** bar, buffet; **desk,** writing table, **secretary,** *secrétaire* [Fr], escritoire; **lectern,** ambo, reading desk.

.16 **trestle, horse; sawhorse,** buck *or* sawbuck; clotheshorse; trestle board *or* table, trestle and table; trestlework, trestling.

.17 **seat, chair** 216.30; saddle 216.31.

.18 (saddle parts) **pommel,** horn; jockey; girth, girt, surcingle, bellyband; cinch, stirrup.

.19 sofa 216.32, **bed** 216.33, clin(o)–, **couch, bunk;** the sack *or* the hay *or* kip *or* doss [all informal]; bedstead; **litter, stretcher,** gurney [dial].

.20 **bedding,** underbed, underbedding; **mattress,** paillasse, pallet; air mattress, foam-

rubber mattress, innerspring mattress; sleeping bag; pad, mat, rug; litter, bedstraw; **pillow,** cushion, bolster; **springs,** bedsprings, box springs.

.21 VERBS **support, bear,** carry, **hold, sustain, maintain, bolster, reinforce,** back, shoulder, give *or* furnish *or* afford *or* supply *or* lend support; **hold up, bear up,** bolster up, keep up, buoy up, keep afloat, back up; **uphold,** upbear, upkeep; **brace, prop,** crutch, buttress; shore, **shore up;** stay, mainstay; underbrace, undergird, underprop, underpin, underset; **underlie,** be at the bottom of, form the foundation of; cradle; cushion, pillow; **subsidize,** subvention *or* subvenize.

.22 rest on, stand on, lie on, recline on, repose on, bear on, **lean on,** abut on; **sit on,** perch, ride; **straddle,** bestraddle, stride, bestride; be based on, rely on.

.23 ADJS **supporting, supportive, bearing,** carrying, burdened, –ferous *or* –phorous *or* –iferous; **holding,** upholding, maintaining, sustaining, sustentative, suspensory; bracing, propping, shoring, bolstering, buttressing; stato–.

.24 supported, borne, upborne, held, buoyed-up, **upheld, sustained,** maintained; **braced,** guyed, stayed, propped, shored *or* shored up, bolstered, buttressed; based *or* founded *or* grounded on.

.25 ADVS **on, across, astride, astraddle,** straddle, straddle-legged, straddleback, on the back of; horseback, on horseback; pickaback.

.26 supports

A-frame
anvil
back rest
bandage
block
brace
crosstree
cue rest
easel
guy
heel
hob
hod
jack
lap
maulstick
music stand
prop
raker
ratline
rib
scissors truss
shoe
shore
shoring
skid
sole
splint
stand
stilts
stirrup
strut
tripod
trivet
truss
umbrella stand

.27 handles

bail
bow
brace
brake
crank
crop
doorknob
handle bar
handstaff
helm
hilt
knob
knocker
loom
lug
panhandle
pull
rounce
rudder
sally
shaft
shank
snatch
spindle
stock
tiller
tote
trigger
withe

.28 brackets

ancon
angle
angle bracket
angle iron
brace
cantilever
cheek
consol
corbel
cul-de-lampe [Fr]
gusset
modillion
shelf bracket
shelf rest
shoulder
strut

.29 tables

bar
billiard table
buffet
captain's table
card table
cocktail table
coffee table
conference table
console *or* console table
counter
deal table
dinette table
dining table
dissecting table
dresser
dressing table
drop-leaf table
extension table
folding table
gate-leg *or* gate-legged table
head table
high table
kitchen table
laboratory table
lampstand
operating table
pool table
round table
sideboard
side table
taboret
tea table
tea wagon
trestle table
trivet table
turntable
worktable

.30 seats, chairs

armchair
armless chair
back seat
banquette
barber chair
barrel chair
bar stool
basket chair
batwing chair
bed chair
bench
bicycle seat
Boston rocker
boudoir chair
bow-back chair
Brewster chair
bucket seat
campaign chair
camp chair
campstool
captain's chair
channel-back chair
club chair
club lounge chair
cocktail chair
comb-back chair
contour chair
cricket
cricket chair
deck chair
dentist's chair
dining chair
draft chair
Eames chair
easy chair
elbowchair
fan-back chair
fauteuil [Fr]
fender stool
folding chair
foldstool
form
garden chair
hassock
high chair
high seat
Hitchcock chair
horse
ladder-back chair
lawn chair
long chair
lounge chair
milking stool
Morris chair
occasional chair
ottoman
overstuffed chair
pew
platform rocker
Priscilla rocker

pull-up chair
railroad chair
recliner
reclining lounge chair
rocker
rocking chair
rumble seat
saddle seat
sedan chair
settle
shooting stick
snack stool
steamer chair
step stool
stool
straight chair
swing
swing chair
swivel chair
taboret
throne
tub chair
TV chair
Windsor chair
wing chair

.31 saddles

aparejo
bicycle saddle
bridal saddle
camel saddle
cavalry saddle
cowboy saddle
English cavalry saddle
English riding saddle
English saddle
howdah
jockey saddle
motorcycle saddle
packsaddle
panel
pillion
racing saddle
riding saddle
sidesaddle
stock saddle
US cavalry saddle
Western saddle

.32 sofas

causeuse [Fr]
chaise longue [Fr]
chesterfield
couch
davenport
day bed
divan
lounge
love seat
ottoman
settee
settle
spoonholder
squab
studio couch
tête-à-tête [Fr]

.33 beds

bassinet
bed-davenport
berth
bunk
bunk bed
camp bed
Colonial bed
cot
cradle
crib
day bed
door bed
double bed
double bunk
duplex bed
feather bed
fold-away bed
folding bed
four-poster
French bed
hammock
Hollywood bed
hospital bed
king-size bed
lower berth
pallet
panel bed
pipe berth
poster bed
quarter berth
queen-size bed
roll-away bed
single bed
sofa-bed
tester bed
three-quarter bed
trestle bed
truckle bed
trundle bed
twin bed
upper berth
water bed

217. SHAFT

.1 NOUNS **shaft, pole, bar, rod, stick,** scape, scapi–; **stalk, stem;** thill; tongue, wagon tongue; pole, flagstaff; totem pole; Maypole; utility *or* telephone *or* telegraph pole; tent pole.

.2 **staff,** stave; **cane, stick, walking stick,** handstaff, shillelagh; Malacca cane; baton, marshal's baton, drum-major's baton, conductor's baton; swagger stick, swanking stick; pilgrim's staff, pastoral staff, shepherd's staff, crook; crosier, cross-staff, cross, paterissa; pikestaff, alpenstock; quarterstaff; lituus, thyrsus; **crutch,** crutch-stick.

.3 **beam** 217.7, **timber,** pole, spar.

.4 **post, standard, upright;** king post, queen post, crown post; newel; banister, baluster; balustrade, balustrading; gatepost, swinging *or* hinging post, shutting post; doorpost, jamb, doorjamb; signpost, milepost; stile, mullion; stanchion; hitching post, snubbing post, Samson post.

.5 **pillar, column,** post, pier, pilaster, cion(o)–, styl(o)–, –style; colonnette, columella; caryatid; atlas, atlantes [pl]; telamon, telamones [pl]; colonnade, arcade, pilastrade, portico, peristyle.

.6 **leg** 273.16, shank; **stake,** peg; pile, spile; picket, pale, palisade.

.7 beams

angle rafter
balk
batten
boom
box girder
breastsummer
corbel
crossbeam
crosstie
footing beam
girder
hammer beam
H beam
hip rafter
I beam
joist
lattice girder
lintel
plate girder
rafter
ridgepole
ridge strut
scantling
sill
sleeper
sprit
stringpiece
strut
stud
studding
summer
summertree
tie
tie beam
transom
transverse
trave
traverse
truss
truss beam

218. PARALLELISM

(physically parallel direction or state)

.1 NOUNS **parallelism,** coextension, nonconvergence, nondivergence, collaterality, concurrence, equidistance; collineation, collimation; alignment; parallelization; parallelotropism; analogy 491.1.

.2 **parallel,** paralleler; parallel line, parallel dash, parallel bar, parallel file, parallel series, parallel column, parallel trench, parallel vector; parallelogram, parallelepiped *or* parallelepipedon.

.3 (instruments) parallel rule *or* rules *or* ruler, parallelograph, parallelometer.

.4 VERBS **parallel,** be parallel, coextend; run parallel, go alongside, go beside, run abreast; match, equal.

.5 **parallelize,** place parallel to, equidis-

tance; line up, align, realign; collineate, collimate; match; correspond, follow, equate.

.6 ADJS **parallel,** paralleling, par(a)–; coextending, coextensive, nonconvergent, nondivergent, **equidistant,** equispaced, collateral, concurrent; lined up, aligned; equal, even; parallelogrammic(al), parallelogrammatic(al); parallelepipedal; parallelotropic; parallelodrome, parallelinervate; analogous 491.8.

.7 ADVS **in parallel,** parallelwise, parallelly; side-by-side, alongside, abreast; equidistantly, nonconvergently, nondivergently; collaterally, coextensively.

219. OBLIQUITY

.1 NOUNS **obliquity,** obliqueness; **deviation** 291, deviance, divergence, digression, divagation, vagary, excursion, skewness, aberration, squint, declination; deflection, deflexure; nonconformity 83; diagonality, crosswiseness, transverseness; indirection, indirectness, deviousness, circuitousness 321.

.2 **inclination, leaning,** lean, angularity; **slant,** slaunch [dial], rake, **slope,** –cline; **tilt, tip,** pitch, **list, cant,** swag, sway; leaning tower, tower of Pisa.

.3 **bias, bend,** bent, **crook, warp, twist, turn, skew,** slue, **veer,** sheer, **swerve,** lurch.

.4 **incline,** inclination, **slope, grade,** gradient, pitch, **ramp,** launching ramp, bank, talus, gentle *or* easy slope, glacis; rapid *or* steep slope, stiff climb, scarp, chute; helicline, inclined plane [phys]; **bevel,** bezel, fleam; hillside, side; hanging gardens; shelving beach.

.5 **declivity, descent,** dip, drop, fall, falling-off *or* -away, **decline;** hang, hanging; **downgrade,** downgate [Scot], **downhill.**

.6 **acclivity, ascent,** climb, **rise,** rising, uprise, uprising, rising ground; **upgrade, uphill,** upgo, upclimb, uplift, steepness, precipitousness, abruptness, verticalness 213.

.7 **diagonal,** oblique, transverse, bias, bend [her], oblique line, slash, slant, virgule, scratch comma, separatrix, solidus; oblique angle *or* figure, rhomboid.

.8 **zigzag,** zig, zag; zigzaggery, flexuosity, **crookedness,** crankiness; switchback, hairpin, dogleg; chevron.

.9 VERBS oblique, **deviate, diverge,** deflect, divagate, **bear off;** angle, **angle off, swerve,** shoot off at an angle, **veer,** sheer, sway, slue, **skew, twist, turn,** bend, bias; crook.

.10 **incline, lean; slope, slant,** slaunch [dial], rake, pitch, grade, bank, shelve; **tilt, tip, list, cant,** careen, keel, sidle, swag, sway; **ascend, rise,** uprise, climb, **go uphill; descend, decline,** dip, drop, fall, fall off *or* away, **go downhill;** retreat.

.11 cut, cut *or* slant across, cut crosswise *or* transversely *or* diagonally, catercorner, diagonalize, slash, slash across.

.12 **zigzag,** zig, zag, **stagger,** crankle [archaic], wind in and out.

.13 ADJS **oblique,** lox(o)–, plagi(o)–; **devious,** deviant, deviative, divergent, digressive, divagational, deflectional, excursive; **indirect,** side, sidelong; left-handed, sinister, sinistral; backhand, backhanded; circuitous 321.7.

.14 **askew, skew,** skewed; skew-jawed, skewgee, askewgee, agee, agee-jawed [all slang]; **awry,** wry; askance, askant, asquint, squinting, **cockeyed** [informal]; **crooked** 249.10; slaunchwise *or* slaunchways [both informal]; wamper-jawed, catawampous *or* catawamptious, yaw-ways [all slang], wonky [Brit slang].

.15 **inclining,** inclined, inclinatory, inclinational, –clinal, –clinic, clin(o)–; **leaning,** recumbent; **sloping,** sloped, aslope; raking, pitched; **slanting,** slanted, slant, aslant, slantways, slantwise; bias, biased; shelving, shelvy; **tilting,** tilted, atilt, tipped, **tipping,** tipsy, listing, **canting,** careening; sideling, sidelong; out of the perpendicular *or* square *or* plumb, bevel, beveled.

.16 (sloping downward) **downhill, downgrade; descending,** falling, dropping, dipping; **declining,** declined; declivous, declivitous, declivate.

.17 (sloping upward) **uphill, upgrade; rising,** uprising, **ascending,** climbing; acclivous, acclivitous, acclinate.

.18 **steep, precipitous, bluff,** plunging, abrupt, bold, **sheer,** sharp, rapid; headlong, breakneck; vertical 213.11.

.19 **transverse,** crosswise *or* crossways, thwart, athwart, across 221.9; **diagonal,** bendwise; catercorner *or* **catercornered** *or* cattycorner *or* cattycornered *or* kittycorner *or* kittycornered; slant, bias, biased, biaswise *or* biasways.

.20 **crooked, zigzag,** zigzagged, zigzaggy, zigzagwise *or* zigzagways; flexuous, twisty, hairpin, bendy, curvy; staggered, crankled [archaic]; chevrony, chevronwise *or* chevronways [all archit].

.21 ADVS **obliquely, deviously,** deviately, **indirectly,** circuitously 321.9; divergently, digressively, excursively, divagationally;

sideways *or* sidewise, sidelong, sideling, on *or* to one side; at an angle.

.22 **askew, awry; askance,** askant, asquint.

.23 **slantingly, slopingly,** aslant, aslope, atilt, rakingly, tipsily, slopewise, slopeways, slantwise, slantways, aslantwise, on *or* at a slant; slaunchwise *or* slaunchways [both informal]; off plumb *or* the vertical; **downhill, downgrade; uphill, upgrade.**

.24 transversely, crosswise *or* crossways, athwart, across 221.13.

.25 **diagonally,** diagonalwise; **on the bias,** bias, biaswise; **cornerwise,** cornerways; catercornerways *or* **catercorner** *or* cattycorner *or* kittycorner.

220. INVERSION

.1 NOUNS **inversion,** turning over *or* around *or* upside down; eversion, turning inside out, invagination, intussusception, ectropion; introversion, turning inward; **reversing, reversal** 146.1, turning front to back *or* side to side; reversion, turning back *or* backwards, retroversion, retroflexion, revulsion; **transposition,** transposal; topsy-turvydom *or* topsy-turviness; pronation, supination, resupination; –trope.

.2 **overturn, upset,** overset, **overthrow,** upturn, **turnover,** spill [informal]; subversion; **revolution** 147; **capsizal,** capsize; **somersault,** somerset, *culbute* [Fr]; turning head over heels.

.3 [gram terms] metastasis, metathesis; anastrophe, chiasmus, hypallage, hyperbaton, hysteron proteron, palindrome, parenthesis, synchysis, tmesis.

.4 **inverse, reverse, converse, opposite** 15.2, other side of the coin *or* picture.

.5 VERBS **invert,** inverse, turn over *or* around *or* upside down; introvert, turn in *or* inward; **turn down; turn inside out,** turn out, evert, invaginate, intussuscept; **reverse** 146.4, **transpose,** convert; put the cart before the horse; turn into the opposite, turn about, turn the tables, turn the scale *or* balance; rotate, revolve, pronate, supinate, resupinate.

.6 **overturn, turn over, turn upside down,** turn bottom side up, upturn, **upset,** overset, **overthrow,** subvert, *culbuter* [Fr]; go *or* turn ass over elbows [informal], turn a somersault, go *or* turn head over heels; **turn turtle, turn topsy-turvy,** topsy-turvy, topsy-turvify; **tip over,** keel over, topple over; **capsize;** careen, set on its beam ends.

.7 ADJS **inverted,** inversed, back-to-front, **backwards,** retroverted, **reversed, transposed; inside out,** outside in, everted, invaginated, wrong side out; **upside-down, topsy-turvy,** ass over elbows *or* arsy-varsy [both informal]; **capsized,** head-over-heels; hyperbatic, chiastic, palindromic; resupinate; introverted.

.8 ADVS **inversely, conversely,** contrarily, contrariwise, **vice versa,** the other way around, **backwards,** turned around; **upside down,** over, **topsy-turvy; bottom up,** bottom side up; head over heels, heels over head.

221. CROSSING

.1 NOUNS **crossing, intercrossing,** intersecting, **intersection;** decussation, chiasma; traversal, transversion; cross section, transection; cruciation.

.2 **crossing,** crossway, **crosswalk, crossroad,** crosspoint [Brit], *carrefour* [Fr], **intersection,** intercrossing; level crossing, grade crossing; overcrossing, overpass, flyover [Brit], viaduct, undercrossing; traffic circle, rotary; cloverleaf.

.3 **network, webwork, weaving** 222, **meshwork,** tissue, crossing over and under, interlacement, intertwinement, intertexture, texture, reticulum, reticulation; crossing-out, cancellation; **net,** netting; **mesh,** meshes; **web,** webbing; weave, weft; lace, lacery, lacing, lacework; screen, screening; sieve, riddle, raddle; wicker, wickerwork; basketwork, basketry; lattice, latticework; hachure, hatching, cross-hatching; trellis, trelliswork; grate, grating; grille, grillwork; **grid,** gridiron; tracery, fretwork, fret, arabesque, filigree; plexus, plexure; reticle, reticule; wattle; dicty(o)–, reticul(o)– *or* reticuli–, –spongium.

.4 **cross,** crux, cruciform, staur(o)–; **crucifix,** rood; **crisscross,** christcross; **X,** ex, exing, chi, St. Andrew's cross, *crux decussata* [L], saltire [her]; **T,** tau, *crux commisa* [L], St. Anthony's cross; **Y,** thieves' cross, fork cross; **ankh,** key of the Nile, *crux ansata* [L]; avellan cross; cross botonée, trefled cross *or* cross of St. Lazarus; Calvary cross; Celtic *or* Iona cross; chi-rho, Christogram; crosslet, cross-crosslet; cross fitché; cross fleury, cross of Cleves; cross formée; cross fourchée; Greek cross, St. George's cross; cross grignolée; inverted cross, St. Peter's cross; Jerusalem cross, potent cross; **Latin cross,** long cross, *crux capitata* [L], *crux immissa* [L], *crux ordinaria* [L], God's mark; cross of Lorraine; **Maltese cross;** cross moline, cross ancré,

cross recercelée; papal cross; patriarchal *or* archiepiscopal cross; cross patée; cross pommée, cross bourdonée; Russian cross; quadrate cross; **swastika,** gammadion, *Hakenkreuz* [Ger], *crux gammata* [L]; voided cross; pectoral cross; crossbones; dagger 586.20.

.5 **crosspiece,** traverse, transverse, transversal, transept, transom, cross bitt; **crossbar,** crossarm; swingletree, singletree, whiffletree, whippletree; doubletree.

.6 VERBS **cross, crisscross,** cruciate; **intersect,** intercross, decussate; **cut across,** crosscut; **traverse,** transverse, lie across; bar, crossbar.

.7 net, web, mesh; lattice, trellis; grate, grid.

.8 ADJS **cross, crossing, crossed; crisscross, crisscrossed; intersecting, intersected,** intersectional; crosscut, cut across; decussate, decussated; chiasmal *or* chiasmic *or* chiastic; secant.

.9 **transverse,** transversal, traverse; **across,** cross, crossway, **crosswise** *or* crossways, thwart, athwart, overthwart; oblique 219.13.

.10 **cruciform, crosslike,** cross-shaped, cruciate, X-shaped, cross, crossed; cruciferous.

.11 **netlike,** retiform, plexiform; **reticulated,** reticular, reticulate, reticulato–; cancellate, cancellated; **netted,** netty; **meshed,** meshy; laced, lacy, lacelike; filigreed; latticed, latticelike; grated, gridded; barred, crossbarred, mullioned; streaked, striped.

.12 **webbed,** webby, weblike, woven, interwoven, interlaced, intertwined; web-footed, palmiped.

.13 ADVS **crosswise** *or* crossways *or* crossway, decussatively; **cross, crisscross, across,** thwart, thwartly, thwartways, **athwart,** athwartwise, overthwart; **traverse,** traversely; **transverse,** transversely, transversally; obliquely 219.21; **sideways** *or* sidewise; contrariwise, contrawise; cross-grained, across the grain; athwartship, athwartships; di(a)–, per–, trans–.

222. WEAVING

.1 NOUNS **weaving,** weave, warpage, weftage, warp and woof *or* weft, texture, tissue; **fabric** 378.5, **web; interweaving,** interweavement, intertexture; **interlacing,** interlacement, interlacery; **intertwining,** intertwinement; intertieing, interknitting, interthreading, intertwisting; **lacing,** enlacement; **twining,** entwining, entwinement; wreathing, knitting, twisting; **braiding,** plaiting.

.2 **braid,** plait, **wreath,** wreathwork.

.3 **warp; woof, weft,** filling; shoot, pick.

.4 **weaver,** interlacer, webster [archaic]; weaverbird, weaver finch, whirligig beetle.

.5 **loom,** weaver; hand loom; knitting machine; shuttle.

.6 VERBS **weave,** loom, tissue; **interweave, interlace, intertwine,** interknit, interthread, intertissue, intertie, intertwist; inweave, intort; web, net; **lace,** enlace; **twine,** entwine; **braid,** plait, pleach, **wreathe,** raddle, **knit,** twist, mat, wattle; twill, loop, noose; splice.

.7 ADJS **woven,** loomed, textile; **interwoven, interlaced,** interthreaded, **intertwined,** interknit, intertissued, intertied, intertwisted; handwoven; **laced,** enlaced; **wreathed,** fretted, raddled, knit; **twined,** entwined; **braided,** plaited, platted, pleached.

.8 **weaving, twining,** entwining; **intertwining, interlacing,** interweaving.

223. SEWING

.1 NOUNS **sewing, needlework,** stitching, stitchery; suture; **fancywork;** garment making 231.31.

.2 **sewer,** needleworker; **seamstress,** sempstress, needlewoman; seamster, sempster, tailor, needleman [archaic], needler [Brit]; embroiderer, embroideress; knitter; garmentmaker 231.33–35.

.3 **sewing machine,** sewer, Singer.

.4 VERBS **sew, stitch,** needle; sew up; **tailor.**

.5 **sew**

appliqué
backstitch
baste
bind
buttonhole
chain-stitch
crochet
cross-stitch
double-stitch
embroider
fell
finedraw
gather
hemstitch
knit
machine-stitch
overcast
overhand
purl
quilt
renter
run
saddle-stitch
seam
single-stitch
tack
tat
whip
whipstitch

.6 **needlework**

appliqué
basting
binding
binding off
buttonholing
canvas stitching
casting on
chain-stitching
crewelwork
crochet
crocheting
crochet work
cross-stitching
embroidery
felling
finedrawing
gros point
hemming
hemstitching
knitting
knitwork
machine stitching

macramé
needlepoint
netting
overcasting
petit point
purling
quilting
ribbing
tacking
tatting
whipstitching

.7 **stitches**

backstitch
bargello
buttonhole stitch
cable stitch
carpet stitch
chain stitch
continental stitch
coral stitch
cord(ing) stitch
couching stitch
cross-stitch
damask stitch
double crochet
double stitch
French knot
garter stitch
glover's stitch
half cross stitch
half stitch
hemstitch
lace stitch
lazy daisy stitch
machine stitch
needlepoint
over-and-over stitch
outline stitch
picot
rib stitch
rose stitch
running stitch
saddleback stitch
saddle stitch
saddle wire stitch
satin stitch
shell stitch
side stitch
side thread stitch
side wire stitch
single crochet
single stitch
slip stitch
stockinette
stroke stitch
suture
tent stitch
treble
twist stitch
whipstitch

.8 **needles**

between
blunt
crochet hook
darner
darning needle
embroidery needle
ground-down
knitting needle
knitting pin
knitting wire
long-eyed sharp
sacking needle
sailmaker's needle
sewing-machine needle
sewing needle
sharp
straw
tacking needle
three-cornered needle
upholsterer's needle

224. EXTERIORITY

.1 NOUNS **exteriority,** externalness, externality, **outwardness,** outerness; appearance, outward appearance, seeming, mien, manner; openness 553.3; extrinsicality 6; **superficiality, shallowness** 210; extraterritoriality, foreignness.

.2 **exterior,** external, **outside; surface,** superficies, covering 228, skin 229, outer skin *or* layer, epidermis, integument, envelope, crust, cortex, rind 229.2, shell 228.16; top, superstratum; **periphery, fringe,** circumference, outline, lineaments, border; **face,** outer face *or* side, façade, front, facet; extrados.

.3 **outdoors,** outside, **the out-of-doors,** the great out-of-doors, the open, **the open air;** outland.

.4 **externalization,** exteriorization; objectification, actualization, projection, **extrapolation.**

.5 VERBS **externalize,** exteriorize; **objectify,** actualize, project, **extrapolate.**

.6 ADJS **exterior, external;** extrinsic 6.3; **outer, outside, out, outward,** outward-facing, outlying, outstanding; **outermost,** outmost; surface, superficial 210.5, epidermic, cortical; peripheral, **fringe,** roundabout; apparent, seeming; open 555.10, public 559.17; exomorphic; e–, ec–, ect(o)–, ex– *or* ef–, ep(i)– *or* eph–, extra–, hyper–, peripher(o)–.

.7 **outdoor, out-of-door,** out-of-doors, **outside; open-air,** alfresco.

.8 extraterritorial, exterritorial; extraterrestrial, exterrestrial, extramundane; extragalactic, extralateral, extraliminal, extramural, extrapolar, extrasolar, extraprovincial, extratribal; foreign, outlandish, alien.

.9 ADVS **externally, outwardly,** on the outside, exteriorly; **without, outside, outwards, out;** apparently, to all appearances; openly, publically, to judge by appearances; superficially, on the surface.

.10 **outdoors, out of doors, outside,** abroad; in the open, **in the open air,** alfresco, *en plein air* [Fr].

225. INTERIORITY

.1 NOUNS interiority, internalness, internality, **inwardness, innerness,** inness; introversion, internalization; **intrinsicality** 5; depth 209.

.2 **interior, inside,** inner, inward, internal, intern; inner recess, recesses, **innermost** *or* **deepest recesses,** penetralia, secret place *or* places; bosom, heart, heart of hearts, soul, vitals, vital center; inner self, inner life, inner landscape, inner *or* interior man, inner nature; intrados; core, center 226.2.

.3 **inland,** inlands, **interior,** up-country; **midland,** midlands; heartland; hinterland 182.2.

.4 (inside parts) **insides, innards** [informal], inwards, internals; inner mechanism, works [informal]; **guts** [slang], **vitals, viscera,** splanchno–, *kishkes* [Yid], giblets 308.20; **heart,** –cardium, ticker *or* pump [both informal], endocardium, end(o)–; **brain** 466.6,7; **lung** 403.19; **liver,** hepat(o)–, liver and lights; spleen, splen(o)–; **kidney,** nephr(o)–, –nephros, reni– *or* reno–; gizzard, **stomach,** abdomen 193.3; perineum, perineo–; pylorus, pylor(o)–; **intestine,** enter(o)–, entrails, bowels, guts; tripes [dial], stuffings [slang]; large intestine, small intestine; blind gut, cecum, cec(o)– *or* ceci–; foregut, hindgut; midgut, meso-

gaster; colon, col(o)– *or* coli–; duodenum, duoden(o)–, jejunum, jejun(o)–, ileum, ili(o)– *or* ile(o)–; **appendix,** vermiform appendix *or* process, append(o)– *or* appendic(o)–; rectum, rect(o)–, proct(o)– *or* procti–; anus 265.6, ano–.

.5 enterology, enterography, splanchnology; internal medicine.

.6 VERBS internalize, put in, keep within; enclose, embed, surround, contain, comprise, include, enfold.

.7 ADJS **interior, internal, inner, inside, inward,** intestine; **innermost,** inmost, **intimate; intrinsic** 5.6; deep 209.10; central 226.11; indoor; en– *or* em–, end(o)–, ent(o)–, eso–, infra–, in– *or* im– *or* il– *or* ir–, inter–, intra–, ob–.

.8 **inland, interior,** up-country; hinterland 182.8; **midland,** mediterranean; inshore.

.9 intramarginal, intramural, intramundane, intramontane, intraterritorial, intracoastal, intragroupal.

.10 **visceral,** splanchnic; abdominal, gastric 193.5; pyloric; **intestinal,** enteric; colonic, colic; cecal, duodenal, ileac, jejunal, mesogastric, appendical, rectal, anal; cardiac, coronary.

.11 ADVS **internally, inwardly,** interiorly, inly, **intimately,** deeply, profoundly, under the surface; **intrinsically** 5.9; centrally 226.16.

.12 **in, inside, within;** herein, therein, wherein.

.13 **inward, inwards, inwardly,** withinward, withinwards; inland, inshore.

.14 **indoors,** indoor, withindoors.

.15 PREPS **in, into; within,** at, inside, **inside of,** in the limits of; to the heart *or* core of.

226. CENTRALITY

.1 NOUNS **centrality,** centralness, middleness, central *or* middle *or* mid position; centricity, centricality; concentricity; centripetence, centripetalism.

.2 **center,** centr(o)– *or* centri–, **middle** 69, **heart, core, nucleus,** nucle(o)–, nuclei–, **kernel; pith,** metr(o)–, **marrow,** myel(o)–, medulla; **nub, hub,** nave, axis, pivot; **navel,** umbilicus, omphalos; bull's-eye; dead center; center of action *or* area *or* buoyancy *or* displacement *or* curvature *or* effort *or* figure *or* flotation *or* inversion *or* origin *or* oscillation *or* ossification *or* percussion *or* pressure *or* projection *or* similitude *or* suspension *or* symmetry *or* volume; metacenter; epicenter, centrum; storm center; center of gravity, center of mass *or* inertia, centroid; "the still point of the turning world" [T. S. Eliot].

.3 [biol terms] central body, centriole, centrosome, centrosphere.

.4 **focus,** focal point, prime focus, point of convergence; **center of interest** *or* attention, focus of attention, center of consciousness; **center of attraction,** cynosure; polestar, lodestar; magnet.

.5 **nerve center,** ganglion, center of activity, vital center.

.6 **headquarters,** HQ, central station, central office, main office, central administration, seat, base, **base of operations,** center of authority; general headquarters, GHQ, command post, CP, company headquarters.

.7 **metropolis, capital;** urban center, art center, medical center, shopping center, shipping center, railroad center, garment center, manufacturing center, tourist center, trade center, etc.

.8 **centralization,** centering; **focalization,** focusing; convergence 298; **concentration,** concentralization, pooling; centralism.

.9 VERBS **centralize, center,** middle; center round, center on *or* in.

.10 **focus,** focalize, come to a point *or* focus, bring into focus; **concentrate,** concentralize, concenter; converge 298.2.

.11 ADJS **central,** centric, **middle** 69.4; centermost, middlemost, **midmost;** centralized, concentrated; umbilical, omphalic; axial, **pivotal,** key; centroidal; centrosymmetric; geocentric.

.12 **nuclear,** nucleal, nucleary, nucleate.

.13 **focal,** confocal; converging; centrolineal, centripetal.

.14 **concentric;** homocentric; **coaxial,** coaxal.

.15 ADVS **centrally,** in the center *or* middle of, at the heart of.

227. LAYER

.1 NOUNS **layer,** –cline, thickness; **level, tier,** stage, story, floor, gallery, step, ledge, deck; **stratum,** strati–, seam, *couche* [Fr], belt, band, **bed, course,** measures; zone; shelf; **overlayer, superstratum,** overstory, topsoil; **underlayer, substratum,** understratum, understory; floor, bedding.

.2 lamina, lamella, lamin(o)– *or* lamini–, lamell(i)–; **sheet,** leaf, *feuille* [Fr], foil, pallio–; wafer, disk; **plate,** plating; covering 228, **coat,** coating, veneer, film, patina, scum, membrane, pellicle, peel, skin; **slice,** cut, rasher, collop; **slab,** plank, deal [Brit], slat, tablet, table, plac(o)–, pinac(o)– *or* pinak–; panel, pane; **fold,**

lap, flap, **ply,** plait; laminated glass, safety glass; laminated wood, plywood.

.3 **flake,** flock, floccule, flocculus; lepid(o)–, –lepis, phalid(o)–, squam(o)–; **scale, scurf,** dandruff; chip; shaving, paring.

.4 **stratification, lamination,** lamellation; foliation; delamination, exfoliation; desquamation, furfuration; flakiness, scaliness.

.5 VERBS **layer,** lay down, lay up, **stratify,** arrange in layers *or* levels *or* strata *or* tiers, **laminate;** flake, scale; delaminate, desquamate, exfoliate.

.6 ADJS **layered,** in layers; **laminated,** laminate, laminous; lamellated, lamellate, lamellar, lamelliform; two-ply, three-ply, etc.; **stratified,** stratiform; foliated, foliaceous, leaflike, leafy; spathic, spathose; filmy, scummy; membranous.

.7 **flaky,** flocculent; **scaly,** scurfy, squamous, lentiginous, furfuraceous, lepidote; scabby, scabious, scabrous, asperous.

228. COVERING

.1 NOUNS (act of covering) **covering,** coverage, obduction; **coating,** cloaking; **screening,** shielding, hiding, curtaining, **veiling,** clouding, obscuring, masking, mantling, shrouding, blanketing; blocking, blotting out, eclipse, eclipsing, occultation; **wrapping,** enwrapping, enwrapment, sheathing, envelopment; **overlaying,** overspreading, laying on *or* over, superimposition, superposition; superincumbence; upholstering, upholstery; plasterwork, stuccowork, cementwork, pargeting; incrustation.

.2 **cover** 228.38, **covering,** coverage, covert, coverture, housing, hood, cowl, cowling, **shelter; screen,** shroud, shield, veil, pall, mantle, curtain, hanging, drape, drapery; **coat,** cloak, mask, guise; vestment 231.1; **blanket.**

.3 integument, tegument, tegmen, tegmentum.

.4 **overlayer,** overlay; appliqué; **lap, overlap,** overlapping, imbrication; **flap,** fly, tentfly.

.5 **cover, lid, top, cap;** operculum; stopper 266.4.

.6 **roof** 228.39, roofing, roofage, top, **housetop,** rooftop; roof-deck, roof garden, penthouse; roofpole, ridgepole, rooftree; shingles, slates, tiles; eaves; **ceiling,** *plafond* [Fr], overhead; skylight, lantern; widow's walk *or* captain's walk.

.7 **umbrella,** gamp *or* brolly [both Brit informal], bumbershoot [informal]; **sunshade, parasol,** beach umbrella.

.8 **tent** 228.40, canvas; top, whitetop, round top, big top; tentage.

.9 **rug, carpet** 228.41, floor cover(ing); **mat,** doormat, welcome mat; carpeting, wall-to-wall carpet(ing); drop cloth, ground cloth, ground-sheet; **flooring,** floorboards, duckboards; **tiling; pavement,** pavé.

.10 **blanket, coverlet,** coverlid [dial], cover, **spread,** robe, buffalo robe, **afghan,** rug [Brit]; lap robe; **bedspread; bedcover;** counterpane, counterpin [dial]; comfort, **comforter, quilt,** eiderdown; patchwork quilt; **bedding, bedclothes,** clothes; **linen,** bed linen; **sheet,** sheeting, bedsheet, fitted sheet, contour sheet; **pillowcase,** pillow slip, case, slip.

.11 horsecloth, **horse blanket;** caparison, housing; **saddle blanket,** saddlecloth.

.12 **coating,** coat; **veneer, facing,** revetment; pellicle, **film, scum,** skin, scale; fur; varnish, enamel, lacquer, paint 362.8.

.13 **plating,** plate; nickel plate, silver plate, gold plate, copperplate, chromium plate, anodized aluminum; electroplating, electrocoating.

.14 **crust, incrustation,** shell; piecrust, pastry shell; stalactite, stalagmite; scale, scab, eschar.

.15 **shell** 228.42, lorication, lorica, –conch; test, testa, episperm, pericarp, elytron, elytr(o)– *or* elytri–, scute, scutum; **armor,** mail, **shield,** aspid(o)–, scut(i)–; **carapace,** –stegite, –stege, steg(o)–; plate, chitin; **protective covering,** cortex, thick skin.

.16 **hull,** shell, pod, capsule, case, **husk, shuck;** cornhusk, corn shuck; **rind, peel, skin** 229, bark, jacket; chaff, bran, palea.

.17 **case,** casing, encasement; **sheath,** sheathing, cole(o)–, –theca.

.18 **wrapper,** wrapping, gift wrapping, wrap; **binder,** binding; **bandage,** bandaging; **envelope,** envelopment; **jacket,** jacketing; dust jacket.

.19 VERBS **cover,** cover up, obduce; apply to, **put on,** lay on; **superimpose,** superpose; **lay over,** overlay; **spread over,** overspread; **clothe, cloak,** mantle, muffle, blanket, canopy, cope, cowl, hood, **veil,** curtain, **screen, shield,** mask, cloud, obscure, block, eclipse, occult; film, scum.

.20 **wrap,** enwrap, wrap up, wrap about *or* around; **envelop, sheathe;** surround, lap, smother, enfold, embrace, invest; shroud, enshroud; swathe, swaddle; **box, case,** encase, **crate,** pack, embox, **package,** encapsulate.

.21 **top, cap,** tip, crown; put the lid on, cork, stopper; hood, hat, coif, bonnet; roof, roof in *or* over; ceil; dome, endome.

.22 **floor; carpet; pave,** causeway, cobblestone, flag, pebble; cement, concrete; blacktop, tar, asphalt, metal [archaic], macadamize.

.23 **face, veneer,** revet; **sheathe;** board, plank, weatherboard, clapboard, lath; shingle, shake; tile, stone, brick, slate; thatch; glass, glaze, fiberglass; paper, wallpaper; wall in *or* up.

.24 **coat,** spread on, **spread with;** smear, **smear on,** besmear, slap on, dab, daub, bedaub; lay on, lay it on thick, slather; undercoat, prime; enamel, gild, gloss, lacquer; butter; tar.

.25 **plaster,** parget, stucco, cement, concrete, mastic, grout, mortar; roughcast.

.26 **plate,** chromium-plate, copperplate, goldplate, nickel-plate, silver-plate; **electroplate, galvanize,** anodize.

.27 **crust, incrust,** encrust; loricate; effloresce; scab.

.28 **upholster,** overstuff.

.29 **re-cover,** reupholster, recap.

.30 **overlie,** lie over; **overlap,** lap, **lap over,** override, imbricate, jut, shingle; **extend over,** span, bridge, bestride, bestraddle, arch over, overarch, hang over, overhang.

.31 ADJS **covered,** covert, under cover; **cloaked,** mantled, blanketed, muffled, canopied, coped, cowled, hooded, **shrouded, veiled,** clouded, obscured, eclipsed, occulted, curtained, **screened,** shielded, masked; **housed;** tented, under canvas; roofed, roofed-in *or* -over; walled, walled-in; **wrapped,** enwrapped, **enveloped,** sheathed, swathed; **boxed, cased,** encased, encapsuled *or* encapsulated, **packaged; coated,** filmed, scummed; shelled, loricate, loricated; armored, hoplo–; ceiled; paved, floored.

.32 **plated,** chromium-plated, copperplated, gold-plated, nickel-plated, silver-plated; electroplated, galvanized, anodized.

.33 upholstered, overstuffed.

.34 **covering, coating;** cloaking, blanketing, shrouding, **veiling, screening,** shielding; wrapping, **enveloping,** sheathing.

.35 **overlying,** incumbent, superincumbent, superimposed; **overlapping,** lapping, shingled, equitant; imbricate, imbricated; spanning, bridging; overarched, overarching; ep(i)– *or* eph–.

.36 integumental, integumentary, tegumentary, tegumental, tegmental; vaginal, thecal.

.37 PREPS **on, upon, over,** o'er, **above, on top of.**

.38 **covers**

altar cloth *or* carpet
antimacassar
awning
baldachin
blind
canopy
centerpiece
cerecloth
cerement
chrismal
ciborium
cloth
cope
corporal
cozy
curtain
doily
dossal
fanon
fingerstall
housing
jalousie
mantle
marquee, marquise
mask
pall
pavilion
persienne
pledget
purdah
pyx cloth *or* veil
scarf
screen
shade
shamiana
sheet
shield
shroud
shutter
smoke screen
tablecloth
tarpaulin, tarp [informal]
tester
tidy
veil
veiling
venetian blind
window shade

.39 **roofs**

barrack roof
bulkhead
cupola
curb roof
dome
flat roof
French roof
gable roof
gambrel roof
geodesic dome
hip-and-valley roof
hip roof
jerkinhead roof
lean-to roof
mansard roof
M roof
pantile roof
penthouse roof
pitched roof
pyramidal roof
shed roof
shingle roof
slate roof
thatched roof
tile roof

.40 **tents**

A-tent
backpacking tent
Baker tent
bell tent
bungalow tent
cabin tent
canoe tent
circus tent
field tent
fly tent
highwall tent
lean-to tent
marquee, marquise
mountain tent
pack tent
pavilion
praetorium
pup tent
pyramidal tent
shelter tent
Sibley tent
tepee
tupik
two-man tent
umbrella tent
wall tent
wigwam

.41 **rugs, carpets**

Axminster
bearskin rug
body Brussels
broadloom
Brussels carpet
camel's hair rug
Caucasian rug
chenille carpet *or* rug
Chinese rug
drugget
East Indian rug
hooked rug
imperial Brussels
Indian rug
indoor-outdoor carpeting
ingrain
mohair rug
moquette
namda

nammad, numdah rug
Navaho rug
nylon carpeting
Oriental rug
Persian rug
rag rug
rya
Savonnerie
scatter rug
shag rug
steamer rug
tapestry Brussels
throw rug
Turkish rug
Turkoman rug *or* carpet
Wilton

.42 shells

abalone shell
armadillo shell
chiton
clam shell
cockleshell
cocoa shell
conch
cowrie
eggshell
limpet
marine shell
nautilus
nutshell
oyster shell
periwinkle
scallop
sea shell
snail shell
tooth shell
turtle shell
whelk
winkle

.43 covering materials

asbestos tile
asphalt
asphalt tile
blacktop
brick
canvas
carpeting
clapboard
cobblestone
concrete
cork tile
fiber glass, spun glass
flag
flagging
flagstone
flooring
Formica
linoleum
macadam
Masonite
pantile
paper
parquet
pavement
pavestone
paving
plasterboard
plywood
roofing, roofage
roofing paper
roofing tile
shake
sheathing board
sheeting
shingle
shingling
siding
slate
slating
stone
tar paper
thatch
tile
tilestone
tiling
veneer
wainscoting
wallboard
walling
wallpaper
weatherboard
wood

.44 plaster

adobe
cement
chinking
clay
composition, compo
daubing
grout
mastic
mortar
parget
patching plaster
plaster of Paris
Portland cement
roughcast
scagliola
size, sizing
Spackle
spackling compound
stucco

229. SKIN

.1 NOUNS **skin,** dermis, derm(a)– *or* dermo–, scyt(o)–; **cuticle; rind** 228.16; **flesh;** bare skin *or* flesh, the buff; integument, tegument; **pelt, hide** 229.8, **coat, jacket, fell, fleece, fur,** vair [her]; **leather** 229.9, rawhide; imitation leather, leather paper, Leatheroid, Leatherette; imitation fur; peltry, skins; furring; outer skin *or* layer, sheath, the exterior 224.2.

.2 **peel, peeling, rind** 228.16, **skin,** epicarp; **bark;** cork, phellum, phello–; cortex, cortical tissue, cortic(o)–; periderm, phelloderm; peridium; dermatogen.

.3 **membrane,** membrana, pellicle, chorion, chori(o)–; basement membrane, membrana propria; allantoic membrane, allant(o)–; amnion, amniotic sac, amnio–; arachnoid membrane, arachn(o)–; serous membrane, serosa, membrana serosa; **eardrum,** tympanic membrane, tympanum, membrana tympana, tympan(o)–; **mucous membrane; velum,** vel–; **peritoneum,** periton(o)– *or* peritone(o)–; periosteum, periost(o)– *or* perioste(o)–; pleura, pleur(o)– *or* pleuri–; pericardium, pericardi(o)– *or* pericardo–; meninx [sing], **meninges** [pl], mening(o)– *or* meningi–; perineurium, neurilemma, lemmo–; conjuctiva; **hymen** *or* maidenhead; hymen(o)–.

.4 (skin layers) **epidermis,** epiderm(o)–, scarfskin, ecderon; hypodermis, hypoderma; dermis, derma, corium, cutis, cut(i)–, *cutis vera* [L], true skin; epithelium, pavement epithelium; endothelium, endotheli(o)–; mesoderm, mes(o)–; endoderm, entoderm; blastoderm; ectoderm, epiblast, ectoblast; enderon; connective tissue.

.5 (castoff skin) slough, cast, desquamation, exuviae [pl].

.6 ADJS **cutaneous,** cuticular; skinlike, skinny; skin-deep; **epidermal,** epidermic, ecderonic; hypodermic, hypodermal, subcutaneous; dermal, dermic, –dermatous; ectodermal, ectodermic; endermic, endermatic; cortical; epicarpal; testaceous; furry 230.24.

.7 **leather,** leathern, leathery; buff.

.8 pelts, furs, hides

Alaska sable
Australian seal
Baltic leopard
Baltic tiger
bearskin
beaver
beaverette
beaverskin
black fox
black marten
black sable
brook mink
buckskin
calf
calfskin
capeskin
caracul
cat
catskin
chinchilla
chinchillette
coast seal
coney
coney leopard
coney mole
cowhide
deerskin
doeskin
electric beaver
electric mole
electric seal
ermine

erminette
fleece
fox
fox hair
genet
goatskin
golden sable
horsehide
Hudson Bay seal
jaguar
kolinsky
krimmer
lambskin
lapin
leopard
leopardskin
marmink
marmot
marten
merino
miniver
mink
mole
moleskin
monkey
muskrat
New Zealand seal
nutria
otter
Persian lamb
pigskin
polar seal
rabbit
rabbitskin
raccoon
red fox
red sable
Roman seal
sable
seal
sealskin
shagreen
sheepskin
skunk
squirrel
Tartar sable
tiger
water mink
white fox
wool
wool fell, woolskin

.9 **leather**

buff
chamois, chammy
chamois skin
cordovan
cup leather
hat leather
kid
mocha
Morocco
patent leather
sheepskin
shoe leather
suède
tawed leather
whitleather, white leather

230. HAIR, FEATHERS

.1 NOUNS **hairiness, shagginess,** fuzziness, frizziness, **furriness,** downiness, fluffiness, woolliness, fleeciness, bristliness, stubbliness, burrheadedness, mopheadedness, shockheadedness, hypertrichy, hirsuteness, hirsuties, pilosity, crinosity, hispidity, villosity, pubescence; hirsutism, pilosis, pilosism; –trichia *or* –trichy; –thrix, –coma.

.2 **hair,** chaet(o)–, trich(o)–, pile, pil(o)– *or* pili–, crine, crini–; **fur,** coat; pelt 229.1,8; **fleece,** wool, lan(o)– *or* lani–; camel's hair, horsehair; **mane;** shag, tousled *or* matted hair, **mat of hair;** pubescence, pubes, pubic hair; hairlet, villus, capillament, cilium, ciliolum 206.1; seta, setula; bristle 261.3.

.3 gray hair, grizzle, silver *or* silvery hair, salt-and-pepper hair *or* beard, graying temples, "hoary hair" [Thomas Gray], "the silver livery of advised age" [Shakespeare], "a crown of glory" [Bible], "silver threads among the gold" [Eben E. Rexford].

.4 **head of hair,** head, crine; **crop,** crop of hair, mat, elflock, **thatch,** mop, **shock,** shag, fleece, **mane; locks, tresses,** helmet of hair; "her native ornament of hair" [Ovid], "amber-dropping hair" [Milton].

.5 **lock, tress;** flowing locks, flowing tresses; **curl, ringlet,** "wanton ringlets wav'd" [Milton]; earlock, *payess* [Yid]; lovelock; frizz, frizzle; crimp; ponytail.

.6 **tuft, flock,** fleck; forelock, widow's peak, quiff [Brit], fetlock, cowlick; **bang, bangs,** fringe.

.7 **braid,** plait, twist; **pigtail,** rat's-tail *or* rattail, tail; **queue,** cue; coil, knot; topknot, scalplock; bun, chignon.

.8 **beard,** pogon(o)–, –pogon, **whiskers;** beaver [informal]; full beard, chin whiskers, side whiskers; **sideburns,** burnsides, **mutton chops; goatee,** tuft; imperial, **Vandyke,** spade beard; adolescent beard, pappus, down, peach fuzz, "the soft down of manhood" [Callimachus], "his phoenix down" [Shakespeare]; **stubble,** bristles.

.9 (plant beard) awn, brush, arista, pile, pappus.

.10 (animal and insect whiskers) tactile process, tactile hair, **feeler, antenna,** vibrissa; barb, barbel, barbule; cat whisker.

.11 **mustache,** mustachio, soup-strainer [informal], toothbrush, handle bars *or* handle-bar mustache, tash [informal].

.12 **eyelashes, lashes,** cilia; **eyebrows,** brows.

.13 false hair, switch, fall, chignon, rat [informal].

.14 **wig, peruke, toupee,** hairpiece; **periwig.**

.15 **hairdo, hairstyle, haircut, coiffure,** coif, headdress; wave; marcel, marcel wave; **permanent,** permanent wave; home permanent; cold wave; Afro, natural; process, conk.

.16 **feather, plume,** pinion; **quill;** pinfeather; contour feather, penna, down feather, plume feather, plumule; filoplume; hackle; scapular; **crest,** tuft, topknot, panache; penni– *or* penno–, pinn(i)–, pter(o)–, ptil(o)–, –ptile.

.17 (parts of feathers) quill, calamus, barrel; barb, shaft, barbule, barbicel, cilium, filament, filamentule.

.18 **plumage, feathers,** feather, feathering; contour feathers; breast feathers, mail (of a hawk); hackle; flight feathers; remiges, primaries, secondaries, tertiaries; covert, tectrices; speculum, wing bay.

.19 **down, fluff,** flue, floss, **fuzz, fur,** pile; eiderdown, eider; swansdown; thistledown; lint.

.20 VERBS grow hair; whisker, **bewhisker,** beard.

.21 **feather, fledge,** feather out; sprout wings.

.22 cut *or* dress the hair, trim, **barber, coif-**

fure, coif, style *or* shape the hair; pompadour, wave, marcel; process, conk; **bob, shingle.**

.23 ADJS **hairlike,** trichoid, capillary; filamentous, filamentary, filiform; bristlelike 261.10.

.24 **hairy, hirsute,** barbigerous, crinose, crinite, pubigerous, pubescent; pilose, pilous, pileous; **furry,** furred; villous; villose; ciliate, cirrose; hispid, hispidulous; **woolly, fleecy,** lanate, lanated, flocky, flocculent, floccose; woolly-headed, woolly-haired, ulotrichous; bushy, tufty, **shaggy,** shagged; matted, tomentose; mopheaded, burrheaded, shockheaded, unshorn; **bristly** 261.9; fuzzy; dasy–, hebe–; –chaetous, –trichous.

.25 **bearded,** whiskered, **bewhiskered,** barbate, barbigerous; mustached *or* mustachioed; awned, awny, pappose; goateed; unshaved, **unshaven;** stubbled, stubbly.

.26 **wigged,** periwigged, peruked, toupeed.

.27 **feathery, plumy;** hirsute; featherlike, plumelike, pinnate, pennate, pinnati–; **downy,** fluffy, nappy, velvety, peachy, fuzzy, flossy, furry.

.28 **feathered, plumaged,** flighted, **pinioned, plumed,** pennate, plumate, plumose.

.29 **tufted, crested,** topknotted.

.30 **women's hairdos**

Andalusian swirl
bangs
bob
bohemian bob
boyish bob
chignon bob
contour bob
coquette bob
debutante bob
feathercut
Flemish bob
French knot
Italian bob
long bob
long mane
mannish bob
mannish wavy shingle
new moon bob
page-boy
personality bob
pigtails
pompadour
ponytail
Psyche knot
roach
Romanesque bob
shag
shingle
short bob
shortcut
straight hair shingle
swirl
swirl bob
ultramannish bob
updo
upswept hairdo
windblown bob

.31 **boys' haircuts**

boogie
brushcut
butch
crewcut
d.a.
ducktail
flattop
fuzz cut
mohawk
pachuco

231. CLOTHING

.1 NOUNS **clothing, clothes, apparel, wear, wearing apparel, dress,** dressing, **raiment,** garmenture, **garb, attire, array,** habit, habiliment, fashion, style 644, guise, **costume,** gear, fig *or* full fig [both Brit], toilette, trim, bedizenment; **vestment,** vesture, investment, investiture; **garments, raiments,** robes, robing, rags [slang], drapery, feathers; toggery *or* togs *or* **duds** *or* threads [all informal], sportswear; work clothes, fatigues; linen; menswear, men's clothing, womenswear, women's clothing; unisex clothing, uniwear.

.2 **wardrobe,** furnishings, things, accouterments, trappings; **outfit,** livery, harness, caparison; turnout *or* getup *or* rig [all informal]; wedding clothes, bridal outfit, trousseau.

.3 **garment, raiment,** vestment, vesture, robe, frock, gown, rag [slang], togs *or* duds [both informal]; –let.

.4 **ready-mades,** ready-to-wear, store *or* store-bought clothes [dial].

.5 **rags, tatters,** secondhand clothes, old clothes; worn clothes, **hand-me-downs** *or* reach-me-downs [both informal]; slops.

.6 **suit** 231.48, suit of clothes, **frock,** dress, rig [informal], **costume, habit,** bib and tucker [informal].

.7 **uniform** 231.49, **livery.**

.8 **mufti,** civilian dress *or* clothes, **civvies** *or* cits [both informal], plain clothes.

.9 **costume,** character dress; outfit *or* getup *or* rig [all informal]; masquerade, disguise; tights, leotards; ballet skirt, tutu; motley, cap and bells; buskin, sock.

.10 **finery, frippery, fancy dress,** fine *or* full feather [informal], full fig [Brit informal]; **best clothes,** best bib and tucker [informal]; **Sunday best** *or* Sunday clothes *or* Sunday-go-to-meeting clothes *or* Sunday-go-to-meetings [all informal], **glad rags** [slang], party dress.

.11 **formals,** formal dress, **evening dress, full dress,** white tie and tails, **soup-and-fish** [slang]; dinner clothes; dress suit, full-dress suit, tails [informal]; tuxedo, tux [informal]; **regalia,** court dress; dress uniform, full-dress uniform, special full-dress uniform, social full-dress uniform; evening gown, dinner dress *or* gown.

.12 **cloak,** overgarment 231.50.

.13 **coat, jacket** 231.51; **overcoat** 231.53, greatcoat, **topcoat,** surcoat.

.14 **waistcoat,** weskit [dial], **vest.**

.15 **waist, shirt** 231.54, **shirtwaist,** linen, sark *or* shift [both dial]; **blouse,** bodice, corsage; dickey.

.16 **dress** 231.55, **gown, frock; skirt,** jupe [Scot].

.17 **apron,** *tablier* [Fr]; pinafore, bib, tucker; smock.

.18 **pants, trousers** 231.56, pair of trousers, trews [Scot], **breeches,** britches [informal], breeks [Scot], **pantaloons,** jeans, **slacks.**

.19 **waistband, belt** 253.3; **loincloth,** breechcloth *or* breechclout, waistcloth, **G-string,** loinguard, dhoti, moocha; **diaper,** dydee [informal], napkins [Brit], nappies [Brit informal].

.20 **dishabille** 231.57, *déshabillé* [Fr], **undress,** something comfortable; **negligee,** *négligé* [Fr]; **wrap,** wrapper; sport clothes, **casual clothes** *or* **dress.**

.21 **nightwear,** night clothes; **nightdress, nightgown, nightie** [informal], bedgown; nightshirt; **pajamas,** pyjamas [Brit], PJ's [informal]; sleepers.

.22 **underclothes,** underclothing, undergarments 231.58, bodywear, **underwear, undies** [informal], Skivvies, body clothes, smallclothes, unmentionables [informal], **lingerie, linen,** underlinen; flannels, woolens.

.23 **corset,** stays, foundation garment, corselet; **girdle,** undergirdle, panty girdle; garter belt.

.24 **brassiere, bra** [informal], bandeau, underbodice, *soutien-gorge* [Fr], uplift brassiere; falsies [slang].

.25 **headdress,** headgear, headwear, headclothes, headtire; **millinery;** headpiece, **chapeau, cap, hat** 231.59; lid [informal]; headcloth, **kerchief,** coverchief; **handkerchief.**

.26 **veil,** veiling, veiler; *yashmak* [Turk]; mantilla.

.27 **footwear,** footgear, *chaussure* [Fr]; **shoes** 231.60, **boots;** clodhoppers *or* gunboats [both slang]; wooden shoes, sabots, pattens.

.28 **hosiery** 231.61, **hose, stockings; socks.**

.29 **bathing suit,** swim suit, swimming suit, tank suit, *maillot* [Fr]; **trunks;** bikini; wet suit.

.30 **children's wear;** rompers, jumpers; creepers; layette, baby clothes, infants' wear, baby linen; swaddling clothes, swaddle.

.31 garment making, **tailoring; dressmaking; millinery,** hatmaking, hatting; **shoemaking,** bootmaking, **cobbling;** habilimentation.

.32 **clothier, haberdasher,** draper [Brit], outfitter; costumier, costumer; glover; hosier; furrier; dry goods dealer, mercer [Brit].

.33 **garmentmaker, garmentworker,** needleworker; cutter, stitcher, finisher.

.34 **tailor,** tailoress, *tailleur* [Fr], sartor; fitter; busheler, bushelman; furrier, cloakmaker.

.35 **dressmaker, modiste,** *couturière* [Fr], *couturier* [Fr]; seamstress 223.2.

.36 **hatter,** hatmaker, **milliner.**

.37 **shoemaker,** bootmaker, booter, **cobbler,** souter [Scot].

.38 VERBS **clothe,** enclothe, **dress, garb, attire,** tire, array, **apparel,** raiment, garment, habilitate, **tog** [informal], dud [slang], robe, enrobe, invest, endue, **deck,** bedeck, dight, rag out *or* up [slang]; drape, bedrape; wrap, enwrap, lap, envelop, sheathe, shroud, enshroud; wrap *or* bundle *or* muffle up; swathe, swaddle.

.39 **cloak, mantle;** coat, jacket; gown, frock; breech; shirt; coif, bonnet, cap, hat, hood; boot, shoe; stocking, sock.

.40 **outfit;** equip, **accouter,** uniform, caparison, rig, rig out *or* up, fit, **fit out,** turn out, **costume,** habit, suit; disguise, masquerade, cloak oneself.

.41 **dress up, get up, doll** *or* **spruce up** [informal], **primp** *or* prink *or* prank [all informal], gussy up [informal], spiff *or* fancy *or* slick up [slang], pretty up [informal], deck out *or* up, trick out *or* up, tog out *or* up [informal], rag out *or* up [slang], fig out *or* up; titivate, dizen, bedizen; overdress; put on the dog *or* style [slang].

.42 **don, put on,** slip on *or* into, get on *or* into, assume, dress in; change.

.43 **wear, have on,** be dressed in, affect, sport [informal].

.44 ADJS **clothed, clad, dressed, attired, togged** [informal], tired, arrayed, **garbed,** garmented, habited, habilimented, decked, bedecked, decked out, tricked out, rigged out, dight [archaic], vested, vestmented, robed, gowned, raimented, **appareled,** invested, endued, liveried, uniformed; **costumed,** in costume, cloaked, mantled, disguised; breeched, trousered, pantalooned; coifed, capped, bonneted, hatted, hooded; **shod,** shoed, booted, *chaussé* [Fr].

.45 **dressed up, dolled** *or* **spruced up** [informal]; spiffed *or* fancied *or* slicked up [slang], gussied up [informal]; spruce, dressed to advantage, dressed to the nines, dressed fit to kill [slang]; in Sunday best, *endimanché* [Fr], in one's best bib and tucker [informal], in fine *or* high feather; *en grande tenue* [Fr], *en grande toilette* [Fr], in full dress, in full feather, in white tie and tails, in tails; **well-dressed, chic,** *soigné* [Fr], stylish, modish, well turned-out.

.46 **in dishabille,** *en déshabillé* [Fr], **in negligee; casual,** informal, sporty.

.47 tailored, custom-made, bespoke [Brit]; ready-made, store-bought [dial], ready-to-wear; vestmental; sartorial.

.48 suits

business suit
casual suit
combination
double-breasted suit
dress suit
ensemble
foul-weather suit
jump suit
mod suit
one-piece suit
pants suit
rain suit
riding habit
sack suit
separates
shirtwaist suit
single-breasted suit
ski suit
sports suit
summer suit
sun suit
sweat suit
tailored suit
three-piece suit
town-and-country suit
track suit
tropical suit
two-piece suit
zoot suit

.49 uniforms

blues
continentals
dress blues
dress whites
fatigues
full dress
khaki
nauticals
olive-drab *or* OD
regimentals
sailor suit
soldier suit
stripes (prison uniform)
undress
whites

.50 cloaks, overgarments

academic gown
academic hood
academic robe
afghan
bachelor's gown
blouse
burnoose
caftan
cape
capote
cardinal
cashmere, cashmere shawl
cassock
chlamys
doctor's gown
domino
duster
frock
gaberdine
haik
houppelande
Inverness cape
judge's robe *or* gown
kimono
kirtle
manta
manteau
mantelet
mantelletta
mantellone
mantilla
mantle
mantua
master's gown
military cloak
monk's robe
opera cloak *or* cape
pallium
pelerine
pelisse
peplos
peplum
plaid
poncho
robe
roquelaure
sagum
serape
shawl
shoulderette
slop
smock
smock frock
soutane
stole
tabard
talma
tippet
toga
toga virilis
tunic
wrap-around
wrapper
wrap-up

.51 coats, jackets

blazer
blouse
body coat
bolero
bomber jacket
capuchin
car coat
chaqueta [Sp]
chesterfield
claw-hammer coat, claw hammer
coach coat
coatee
cutaway coat, cutaway
denim jacket
dinner coat *or* jacket
dolman
double-breasted jacket
doublet
dress coat
dressing jacket
duffel, duffel coat
Eisenhower jacket
Eton jacket
fingertip coat
fitted coat
frock coat, frock
jerkin
jumper
jupe [Scot]
loden coat
lounging jacket
mackinaw, mackinaw coat
Mao jacket
maxicoat
mess jacket
midicoat
monkey jacket
Nehru jacket
Norfolk jacket
parka
peacoat, pea jacket
pilot jacket
Prince Albert, Prince Albert coat
redingote
reefer
sack
sack coat
san benito
shell jacket
shooting jacket
single-breasted jacket
ski jacket
sleeve waistcoat
smoking jacket
spencer
spiketail coat, spike-tail
sport coat *or* jacket
swagger coat
swallow-tailed coat, swallowtail
tabard
tail coat, tails
tuxedo coat *or* jacket
watch coat
windbreaker
woolly (woolen jacket)

.52 sweaters

bolero
bulky
cardigan, cardigan jacket
cashmere sweater
crew-neck sweater
desk sweater
fisherman's sweater
hand-knit
jersey
knittie
pull-on sweater
pullover
shell
shoulderette
ski sweater
slip-on
slipover
sloppy Joe
sweat shirt
topper
turtleneck sweater
V-neck sweater
windbreaker
woolly

.53 overcoats

benjamin
Burberry
capote
chesterfield
cloth coat
dreadnought
duster
fearnought
fur coat
fur-lined coat
fur-trimmed coat
Inverness
long coat
mackintosh, mac
oilskins
paletot
raglan
raincoat
slicker
slip-on
sou'wester
surtout
tarpaulin
trench coat
ulster
waterproof
wet weathers
wrap-around
wraprascal

.54 shirts

basque
blouse
body shirt
body suit
coat shirt
dickey
doublet
dress shirt
evening shirt
gipon
habit shirt
hair shirt
halter
hickory shirt

jupe [Scot]
middy blouse
olive-drab *or* OD shirt
overblouse
polo shirt
pourpoint
pullover
sark
shirtwaist
short-sleeved shirt
sport shirt
tank top
top
T-shirt

.55 dresses, skirts

ballet skirt
cheongsam
chiton
cocktail dress
crinoline
culottes
dinner dress *or* gown
dirndl
evening gown
farthingale
fillebeg
full skirt
grass skirt
hobble skirt
hoop skirt
jumper
kilt
kirtle
mantua
maxiskirt
microskirt
midiskirt
miniskirt
Mother Hubbard
muu-muu
overdress
overskirt
pannier
peplum
petticoat
pinafore
sack
sari
sarong
sheath
shirtdress
slit skirt
tea gown
tutu

.56 pants

bags [Brit]
bell-bottoms, bells [informal]
Bermuda shorts
bloomers
blue jeans
breeks [Scot]
buckskins
Capri pants
chivarras [Sp]
clam diggers
cords
corduroys
culottes
denims
drawers
ducks
dungarees
flannels
gabardines
galligaskins
gym pants
high-water pants
hip-huggers
hot pants
Jamaica shorts
jeans
jodhpurs
kerseys
knee breeches
knee pants
knickerbockers,
knickers
Levi's
long trousers *or* pants
moleskins
overalls
pajamas
pantalets
pantaloons
pedal-pushers
peg pants
pegtops
plus-fours
riding pants
rompers
sacks
shintiyan
short pants
shorts
short shorts
ski pants
slacks
smallclothes
stretch pants
sweat pants
tights
toreador pants
trews
trouserettes
trunks
tweeds
whites

.57 dishabille

bathrobe
bed jacket
boudoir dress
brunch coat
dressing gown
dressing sack *or* jacket
housecoat
kimono
lounging pajamas
lounging robe
morning dress
peignoir [Fr]
robe
robe-de-chambre [Fr]
smoking jacket
wrapper

.58 undergarments

Balmoral
bloomers
body stocking
brassiere 231.24
briefs
bustle
BVD's
camisole
chemise
combination
corset 231.23
crinoline
drawers
foundation garment
Jockey shorts
long underwear
pannier
panties
pants
petticoat
scanties
shift
shorts
singlet [Brit]
Skivvies
slip
smock
step-ins
tournure [Fr]
T-shirt
underdrawers
underpants
undershirt
underskirt
undervest
union suit
vest [Brit]

.59 hats, caps

astrakhan
balaclava helmet
Balmoral
baseball cap
beany
bearskin
beaver
beret
billycock hat, billycock
boater
bonnet
Borsalino
boudoir cap
bowler
brass hat
busby
calash
campaign hat
capote
castor
chapeau bras [Fr]
cloche
cock-and-pinch
cocked hat
coif
coonskin cap
coxcomb
crush hat
derby
dress cap
dunce cap
Dutch cap
fantail
fedora
felt hat
fez
forage cap
fore-and-aft *or* -after
garrison cap
glengarry
hard hat
helmet
homburg
hood
jockey cap
kaffiyeh
kelly
kepi
leghorn
mobcap
mortarboard
nightcap
opera hat
overseas cap
Panama hat, Panama
peaked cap
picture hat
pillbox
pith hat *or* helmet
plug hat, plug
poke bonnet, poke
porkpie
puggree
riding hood
rumal
sailor
Salvation Army bonnet
scraper
shako
shovel hat
side cap
silk hat
skimmer
skullcap
slouch hat
snood
soft hat
sola topee
sombrero
sou'wester
Stetson
stocking cap
stovepipe hat, stovepipe
straw hat
sunbonnet
sundown
sun hat
sun helmet
tam-o'shanter, tam
tarboosh
ten-gallon hat
three-cornered hat
tin hat

topee
top hat, topper
toque
tricorne
trilby
turban
tyrolean hat
wide-awake hat, wide-awake
wimple
wind-cutter
yarmulka

.60 shoes

arctics
ballet shoes *or* slippers
Blucher boots *or* shoes, bluchers
bootees
bootikins
boots
brogues, brogans
buskins
button shoes
campus shoes
chopines
chukka boots
clogs
combat boots
cowboy boots
creepers
desert boots
espadrilles
field shoes
flip-flops
gaiters
galoshes
getas
gumshoes, gums
gym shoes
half boots
Hessian boots, hessians
high-button shoes
high-lows
high-topped shoes
hip boots
hobnailed shoes
horseshoes
jackboots
lace shoes
Loafers
loungers
moccasins
mules
overshoes
Oxford shoes *or* ties, Oxfords
paratrooper boots
pattens
platforms
pumps
riding boots
rope shoes
rubbers
sandals
scuffs
ski boots
slippers
sneakers
snowshoes
socks
stogies
tennis shoes
thigh boots
top boots
veldschoens
Wedgies
Wellington boots, Wellingtons
wooden shoes
work shoes
zoris

.61 hosiery

anklets
argyles
athletic socks
bobbysocks
boothose
boot socks
crew socks
dress sheers
full-fashioned stockings
garter stockings
half hose
knee socks
lisle hose
nylons
panty-hose
rayon stockings
seamless stockings
sheer stockings, sheers
silk stockings
stocking hose
stretch stockings
sweat socks
tights
trunk hose
varsity socks
work socks

.62 leggings

antigropelos
chaps, *chaparajos* [Sp]
gaiters
galligaskins
gamashes
gambados
greaves
leg armor
puttees, putts
spats
spatterdashes

.63 handwear, gloves

baseball glove *or* mitt
boxing gloves
brass knuckles
cesta
cestus
gauntlets
hockey gloves
kid gloves, kids
mittens, mitts
mousquetaire gloves, mousquetaires
muff
suède gloves, suèdes

.64 neckwear

ascot, ascot tie
band
bandanna
bertha
boa
bowtie
button-down collar
celluloid collar
chemisette
choke, choker
clerical collar
collar
comforter
cravat
dog collar
fichu
four-in-hand, four-in-hand tie
fur
guimpe
high collar
kerchief
muffler
neckband
neckcloth
neckerchief
neckpiece
necktie
plunging neckline
rebato
Roman collar
ruff
scarf
stiff collar
stock
stole
string tie
tallith
tie
tippet
tucker
Windsor tie

.65 waistbands, belts

baldric
band
bandolier
bellyband
belt
cestus
cincture
cummerbund
fascia
girdle
girt
girth
sash
waist belt
waistcloth

.66 garment parts

arm
armhole
armlet
bosom
coattail
collar
collarband
cuff
dart
facing
fly
French cuff
gore
gusset
lap
lapel
leg
neck
neckband
pinafore
placket
pocket
pocket flap
seat
shirttail
shoulder pad
shoulder strap
sleeve
stomacher
strap
waist
wristband
yoke
zipper

232. DIVESTMENT

.1 NOUNS **divestment,** divestiture, divesture; **removal,** de–, dis–, un–; **stripping,** denudement, denudation; baring, stripping *or* laying bare, uncovering, exposure; indecent exposure, exhibitionism; decortication, excoriation; desquamation, exfoliation; exuviation, ecdysis.

.2 **disrobing, disrobement, undressing,** unclothing, uncasing; shedding, molting, peeling; striptease.

.3 **nudity, nakedness,** bareness; **the nude, the altogether** *or* **the buff** [both infor-

mal], **the raw** [slang]; state of nature, **birthday suit** [informal]; not a stitch, not a stitch to one's name *or* back; décolleté, décolletage, toplessness; nudism, naturism, gymnosophy; nudist, naturist, gymnosophist; stripper, stripteaser, ecdysiast.

.4 **hairlessness, baldness,** acomia, alopecia; beardlessness, bald-headedness *or* -patedness; baldhead, baldpate, baldy [informal]; shaving, tonsure, depilation; hair remover, depilatory.

.5 VERBS **divest, strip, remove; uncover,** uncloak, unveil, **expose,** lay open, bare, lay *or* strip bare, **denude,** denudate; fleece, shear; pluck; unsheathe.

.6 **take off, remove, doff,** douse [informal], off with, put off, slip *or* step out of, cast off, throw off, drop; unwrap, undo.

.7 **undress, unclothe,** undrape, ungarment, unapparel, unarray, disarray; **disrobe,** dismantle, uncase; **strip,** strip to the buff [informal], do a strip-tease.

.8 **peel, pare, skin, strip,** flay, excoriate, decorticate, bark; scalp.

.9 **husk, hull,** pod, **shell,** shuck.

.10 **shed, cast,** throw off, **slough, molt,** exuviate.

.11 **scale, flake,** scale *or* flake off, desquamate, exfoliate.

.12 ADJS **divested, stripped, bared,** denuded, denudated, exposed, uncovered, stripped *or* laid bare, unveiled, showing.

.13 **unclad, undressed, unclothed, unattired, disrobed,** ungarmented, undraped, ungarbed, unrobed, unappareled, uncased; **clothesless,** garbless, garmentless, raimentless; half-clothed, underclothed, *en déshabillé* [Fr], in dishabille, nudish; low-necked, low-cut, décolleté, strapless, topless.

.14 **naked, nude,** gymn(o)–, nudi–; **bare,** bald, peeled, raw [slang], **in the raw** [slang], *in puris naturalibus* [L], in a state of nature, in nature's garb; in one's birthday suit, **in the buff** *or* in native buff *or* stripped to the buff, **in the altogether** [all informal], with nothing on, without a stitch, without a stitch to one's name *or* back; **stark-naked,** bare-ass [slang], bare as the back of one's hand, naked as the day one was born, naked as a jaybird [informal], starkers [Brit informal], "naked as a worm" [Chaucer], "naked as a needle" [William Langland], "naked as my nail" [John Heywood], "in naked beauty more adorned" [Milton]; nudist, naturistic, gymnosophical.

.15 **barefoot,** unshod; discalced, discalceate.

.16 bare-ankled, bare-armed, bare-backed, bare-breasted, topless, bare-chested, barefaced, bare-handed, bare-headed, bare-kneed, bare-legged, bare-necked, bare-throated.

.17 **hairless,** depilous; **bald,** acomous; bald as a coot, bald as an egg; **bald-headed,** baldpated, tonsured; **beardless,** whiskerless, shaven, clean-shaven, smooth-shaven, smooth-faced; smooth, glabrous.

.18 exuvial, sloughy; desquamative, exfoliatory; denudant *or* denudatory.

.19 ADVS nakedly, barely, baldly.

233. ENVIRONMENT

.1 NOUNS **environment, surroundings, environs,** ambience, entourage, circle, circumjacencies, circumambiencies, **circumstances,** environing circumstances, *alentours* [Fr]; **precincts,** ambit, purlieus, **milieu; neighborhood, vicinity,** vicinage; **suburbs** 183.1; outskirts, outposts, borderlands; periphery, perimeter, compass, circuit; **context, situation;** habitat 191; total environment, gestalt; ec(o)– *or* oec(o)– *or* oiko–.

.2 **setting, background,** backdrop, ground, field, scene, arena, theater, locale; back, rear, hinterland, distance; stage, stage setting, stage set, *mise-en-scène* [Fr].

.3 (surrounding influence or condition) **milieu, atmosphere, climate, air,** aura, spirit, feeling, feel, quality, sense, note, tone, overtone, undertone.

.4 (natural or suitable environment) **element,** medium; ecosystem, ecodeme, ecoclimate; ecology, autecology, synecology, bioecology *or* bionomics, zoo-ecology.

.5 **surrounding, encompassment,** environment, circumambience *or* circumambiency, circumjacence *or* circumjacency; containment, **enclosure** 236; **encirclement,** cincture, encincture, circumcincture, circling, girdling, girding; **envelopment,** enfoldment, embracement; circumposition; circumflexion; inclusion 76, involvement 176.

.6 VERBS **surround, environ,** compass, **encompass,** enclose, close; go round *or* around, compass about; **envelop,** enfold, lap, wrap, enwrap, embrace, enclasp, embosom, embay, involve, invest.

.7 **encircle, circle,** ensphere, belt, belt in, zone, cincture, encincture; **girdle,** gird, begird, engird; ring, band; loop; wreathe, wreathe *or* twine around.

.8 ADJS **environing, surrounding,** encompass-

ing, enclosing; **enveloping,** wrapping, enfolding, embracing; **encircling,** circling; circumjacent, circumferential, circumambient, ambient; circumfluent, circumfluous; peripheral; circumflex; **roundabout,** suburban, neighboring.

.9 **environmental,** environal; **ecological.**

.10 **surrounded,** environed, compassed, **encompassed,** enclosed; **enveloped,** wrapped, enfolded, lapped, wreathed.

.11 **encircled, circled,** ringed, cinctured, encinctured, belted, girdled, girt, begirt, zoned.

.12 ADVS **around,** round, **about,** round about, in the neighborhood *or* vicinity, close, close about.

.13 **all round, all about,** on every side, on all sides, on all hands, right and left; amph(i)–, circum–, peri–.

234. CIRCUMSCRIPTION

.1 NOUNS **circumscription,** circumscribing, **bounding, demarcation,** delimitation, definition, determination, specification; limit-setting, inclusion-exclusion, circling-in *or* -out, encincture, boundary-marking.

.2 **limitation, restriction,** confinement 236.1, prescription, proscription, restrain, discipline, moderation, continence; qualification; bounds 235, boundary, limit 235.3.

.3 **patent, copyright,** certificate of invention, *brevet d'invention* [Fr]; trademark, registered trademark, trade name, service mark.

.4 VERBS **circumscribe, bound; mark off** *or* mark out, stake out, lay off, rope off; **demarcate,** delimit, delimitate, draw *or* mark boundaries, circle in *or* out, set the limit, mark the periphery; **define,** determine, fix, specify; surround 233.6; enclose 236.5.

.5 **limit, restrict, restrain, bound, confine;** straiten, narrow; specialize; stint, scant; **condition,** qualify, hedge about; draw the line, set an end point *or* stopping place; discipline, moderate, contain, **patent, copyright,** register.

.6 ADJS **circumscribed,** circumscript; ringed *or* circled *or* hedged about; **demarcated, delimited, defined,** definite, determined, determinate, specific, stated, set, fixed; surrounded 233.10, encircled 233.11.

.7 **limited, restricted,** bound, **bounded, finite; confined** 236.10, prescribed, proscribed, cramped, strait, straitened, narrow; conditioned, qualified; disciplined, moderated, patented, copyrighted.

.8 **restricted,** out of bounds, off limits.

.9 **limiting, restricting,** defining, confining; limitative, limitary, restrictive, definitive, exclusive.

.10 **terminal,** limital; limitable, terminable.

235. BOUNDS

.1 NOUNS **bounds, limits,** boundaries, limitations, **confines, pale,** marches, bourns, verges, edges, outlines, skirts, outskirts, **fringes,** metes, metes and bounds; periphery, **perimeter;** coordinates 490.6, parameters; compass, circumference, circumscription 234.

.2 **outline, contour,** *tournure* [Fr], delineation, lines, lineaments, shapes, figure, figuration, **configuration,** gestalt; features, main features; **profile,** silhouette; relief; skeleton, framework.

.3 **boundary, bound, limit,** limitation, extremity 56.5; delimitation, hedge, break *or* breakoff point, cutoff, cutoff point, terminus, term, deadline, target date, terminal date, time allotment; finish, **end** 70; start, starting line *or* point; **limiting factor,** determinant, limit *or* boundary condition; threshold, limen; upper limit, ceiling, high-water mark; lower limit, floor, low-water mark; **confine,** march, mark, bourn, mete, compass, circumscription; **boundary line, line, border line,** frontier, division line, interface, break boundary, line of demarcation *or* circumvallation.

.4 **border,** bordure, limbus, board, **edge,** limb, **verge, brink,** brow, **brim, rim, margin,** marge, **skirt, fringe,** cross(o)–, thysan(o)–, **hem,** list, selvage, side; sideline; shore, bank, coast; **lip,** labium, labrum, labellum, labio–, chil(o)– *or* cheil(o)–; flange; ledge; frame, enframement; featheredge; ragged edge.

.5 **frontier, border, borderland,** border ground, marchland, march, marches; outskirts, outpost; frontier post; iron curtain, bamboo curtain, Berlin wall; Pillars of Hercules; three-mile *or* twelve-mile limit.

.6 **curb,** kerb [Brit], curbing; border stone, curbstone, kerbstone [Brit], edgestone.

.7 **edging, bordering,** bordure, **trimming,** binding, skirting; fringe, fimbriation, fimbria; hem, selvage, list, welt; frill, frilling; beading, flounce, furbelow, galloon, motif, ruffle, valance.

.8 VERBS **bound,** circumscribe 234.4, surround 233.6, limit 234.5, enclose 236.5, divide, separate.

.9 **outline,** contour; **delineate** 654.12; silhouette, profile, limn.

.10 **border, edge, bound, rim, skirt, hem, fringe,** befringe, lap, list, margin, marge, marginate, march, verge, line, side; **adjoin** 200.9; **frame,** enframe, set off; trim, bind; purl; purfle.

.11 ADJS **bordering, fringing,** rimming, skirting; **bounding,** boundary, **limiting,** limit, determining *or* determinant *or* determinative; threshold, liminal, limbic; extreme, terminal 70.10; **marginal, borderline,** frontier; coastal, littoral.

.12 **bordered,** edged; margined, marged, marginate, marginated; **fringed,** befringed, trimmed, skirted, fimbriate, fimbriated, laciniate, laciniated.

.13 lipped, labial, labiate.

.14 outlinear, delineatory; peripheral, peripher(o)–, perimetric(al), circumferential; outlined, **in outline.**

.15 ADVS **on the verge, on the brink,** on the borderline, on the point, on the edge, on the ragged edge, at the threshold, at the limit *or* bound; **peripherally,** marginally, at the periphery.

.16 **thus far,** so far, thus far and no farther.

236. ENCLOSURE

.1 NOUNS **enclosure; confinement,** circumscription 234, immurement, walling- *or* hedging- *or* hemming- *or* boxing- *or* fencing-in; imprisonment, incarceration; siege, beleaguerment, blockade, blockading, cordoning, quarantine, besetment; inclusion 76; **envelopment** 233.5.

.2 **packaging, packing,** package; boxing, crating, encasement; canning, tinning [Brit]; bottling.

.3 (enclosed place) **enclosure** 236.12, close, **confine,** enclave, pale, paling, list, cincture; **pen, coop,** fold; **yard,** park, court, courtyard, curtilage, toft; square, quadrangle, quad [informal]; **field,** delimited field, **arena,** theater, ground; **container** 193.

.4 **fence** 236.13, boundary 235.3, **barrier; wall,** stone wall; rail, railing; balustrade, balustrading.

.5 VERBS **enclose,** close in, bound, include, **contain;** compass, encompass; **surround,** encircle 233.7; **shut** *or* **pen in,** coop in; **fence in,** wall in, rail in; **hem** *or* **hedge in,** box in, pocket; shut *or* coop *or* mew up; pen, coop, corral, cage, impound, mew; **imprison,** incarcerate, jail; **besiege,** beset, beleaguer, leaguer, cordon, cordon off, quarantine, blockade; yard, yard up; house in; chamber; stable, kennel, shrine, enshrine; **wrap** 228.20.

.6 **confine, immure;** cramp, straiten, encase; cloister, closet, cabin, crib; entomb, coffin, casket; bottle up *or* in, box up *or* in.

.7 **fence, wall,** pale, rail, bar; hem, hedge; picket, palisade; bulkhead in.

.8 parenthesize, bracket.

.9 **package, pack, parcel;** box, box up, case, encase, crate, carton; can, tin [Brit]; bottle, jar, pot; barrel, cask, tank; sack, bag; basket, hamper; capsule, encyst.

.10 ADJS **enclosed,** closed-in; **confined,** bound, immured, cloistered, "cabined, cribbed, confined" [Shakespeare]; **imprisoned,** incarcerated, jailed; caged, cramped, restrained, corralled; besieged, beleaguered, leaguered, beset, cordoned, cordoned off, quarantined, blockaded; **shut-in,** pent-up, penned, cooped, mewed, walled- *or* hedged- *or* hemmed- *or* boxed- *or* fenced-in, fenced, walled, paled, railed, barred; hemmed, hedged.

.11 enclosing, confining, claustral, parietal, parieto–; surrounding 233.8; limiting 234.9.

.12 **enclosures**

bailey
barnyard
barton
basecourt
box
bullpen
cage
cattlefold
chicken coop
chicken yard
close
compound
corral
court
courtyard
crib
croft
dog pound
dooryard
enclave
farmyard
fold
hen coop
henyard
hutch
keddah [India]
kraal
manger
paddock
pasture
pigpen, pigsty
pinfold, penfold
polygon
pound
quadrangle, quad
rink
run
runway
sheepcote
sheepfold
shippen
stall
stockyard
sty
toft
yard

.13 **fences, walls**

barbed wire
board fence
contravallation, countervallation
Cyclone fence
dead wall
dike
espalier
garden wall
hedge, hedgerow
hoarding
paling
palisade
parapet
perpend wall
picket fence
quickset hedge
rail fence
railing
rampart
retaining wall
ring fence
scarp wall
stockade

stone wall — vallum
trellis — weir
vallation — zigzag fence

237. INTERPOSITION

(a putting or lying between)

.1 NOUNS interposition, interposure, interlocation, intermediacy, interjacence; **intervention,** intervenience, intercurrence, sandwiching; **intrusion** 238.

.2 **interjection, interpolation,** introduction, throwing- *or* tossing-in, **injection,** insinuation, intercalation, interlineation; **insertion** 304; interlocution, remark, parenthetical *or* side *or* incidental *or* casual remark, *obiter dictum* [L], aside, parenthesis; episode; infix, insert.

.3 **interspersion, interfusion,** interlardment, interpenetration.

.4 **intermediary,** intermedium, mediary, medium; link, **connecting link,** tie, connection, **go-between,** liaison; middleman, broker, agent, wholesaler, jobber, distributor; **mediator** 805.3.

.5 **partition, dividing wall,** division, separation, *cloison* [Fr]; septum, interseptum, septulum, dissepiment, sept(o)– *or* septi–; **wall, barrier;** panel; paries; brattice; bulkhead; diaphragm, midriff, midsection; dividing line, property line, party wall; **buffer, bumper,** fender, cushion, pad, shock pad, collision mat, mat; buffer state.

.6 VERBS **interpose, interject, interpolate,** intercalate, interjaculate; **intervene;** put between, sandwich; **insert in,** introduce in, insinuate in, inject in, implant in; **foist in,** fudge in, work in, drag in, lug in, drag *or* lug in by the heels, worm in, squeeze in, smuggle in, throw in, run in, thrust in, edge in, wedge in; **intrude** 238.5.

.7 **intersperse, interfuse,** interlard, interpenetrate; intersow, intersprinkle.

.8 **partition,** set apart, separate, divide; **wall off,** fence off; panel.

.9 ADJS interjectional, interpolative, intercalary; parenthetical, episodic.

.10 **intervening,** intervenient, **interjacent,** intercurrent; **intermediate,** intermediary, medial, mean, medium, mesne, median, middle, medi(o)–, mes(o)–; inter–, intra–.

.11 partitioned, walled; mural; septal, parietal.

.12 PREPS **between, betwixt,** 'twixt, betwixt and between [informal]; **among, amongst,** 'mongst; **amid, amidst,** mid, 'mid, midst, 'midst; in the midst of, in the thick of.

238. INTRUSION

.1 NOUNS **intrusion,** obtrusion, **interloping;** interposition 237, interposure, imposition, insinuation, **interference,** intervention, interruption, injection, interjection 237.2; **encroachment,** entrenchment, trespass, trespassing, unlawful entry 824.4; impingement, **infringement,** invasion, incursion, inroad, influx, irruption, infiltration; entrance 302.

.2 **meddling,** intermeddling; **butting-in** *or* kibitzing [both informal]; **meddlesomeness, intrusiveness, forwardness,** obtrusiveness; **officiousness,** impertinence, presumption, presumptuousness; inquisitiveness 528.1.

.3 **intruder, interloper, trespasser,** buttinsky [informal]; crasher *or* gate-crasher [both informal], unwelcome guest; invader, encroacher, infiltrator.

.4 **meddler,** intermeddler; **busybody, pry,** Paul Pry, prier, snoop *or* snooper, *yenta* [Yid], **kibitzer** [informal]; backseat driver.

.5 VERBS **intrude,** obtrude, **interlope;** come between, **interpose** 237.6, **intervene, interfere,** insinuate, impose; **encroach, infringe,** impinge, **trespass,** trench, entrench, invade, infiltrate; **break in upon,** break in, burst in, charge in, crash in, smash in, storm in; **barge in** [informal], irrupt, **cut in,** thrust in 304.7, push in, press in, rush in, throng in, crowd in, squeeze in, elbow in; **butt in** *or* **horn in** *or* chisel in *or* muscle in [all informal]; appoint oneself; crash *or* crash the gates [both informal]; creep in, steal in, sneak in, slink in, slip in; foist in, worm *or* work in, edge in, put in *or* shove in one's oar; **foist oneself upon,** thrust oneself upon; put on *or* upon, impose on *or* upon, put one's two cents in [informal].

.6 **interrupt, put in, cut in, break in;** chime in *or* chip in [both informal].

.7 **meddle, intermeddle,** busybody, not mind one's business; **meddle with, tamper with,** mix oneself up with, inject oneself into, monkey with, fool with *or* around with [informal], mess with *or* around with [informal]; **pry,** Paul-Pry, snoop, nose, **stick** *or* **poke one's nose in,** stick one's long nose into; have a finger in, have a finger in the pie; kibitz [informal].

.8 ADJS **intrusive,** obtrusive, **interfering,** intervenient, invasive, interruptive; xen(o)–.

.9 **meddlesome,** meddling; **officious,** overof-

ficious, self-appointed, impertinent, presumptuous; **busybody,** busy; pushing, pushy, forward; **prying,** nosy *or* snoopy [both informal]; inquisitive 528.5.

.10 PHRS **none of your business;** what's it to you?, **mind your own business,** keep your nose out of this, butt out, go soak your head, go sit on a tack, go roll your hoop, go peddle your fish, go fly a kite, go chase yourself, go jump in the lake.

239. CONTRAPOSITION

(a placing over against)

.1 NOUNS contraposition, anteposition, posing against *or* over against; **opposition,** opposing, opposure; **antithesis,** contrast, ironic *or* contrastive juxtaposition; confrontment, **confrontation;** polarity, polar opposition, **polarization; contrariety** 15; contention 796; hostility 790.2.

.2 **opposites,** antipodes, polar opposites, contraries; **poles,** opposite poles, antipoles, counterpoles, North Pole, South Pole; antipodal points, antipoints; contrapositives, contrapositа; night and day, black and white.

.3 opposite side, other side, the other side of the picture *or* coin, other face; **reverse, inverse, obverse, converse;** heads, tails (of a coin).

.4 VERBS contrapose, **oppose,** contrast, match, **set over against,** pose against *or* over against, put in opposition, set *or* pit against one another; **confront,** face, front, stand *or* lie opposite, stand opposed *or* vis-à-vis, be eyeball to eyeball, bump heads, meet head-on; counteract 790.3; contend 796.14; subtend; **polarize;** contraposit.

.5 ADJS contrapositive, **opposite,** opposing, **facing,** confronting, eyeball-to-eyeball, antithetic(al); **reverse, inverse, obverse, converse; antipodal;** polar, polarized, polaric; ant(i)– *or* anth–, cat(a)– *or* cath– *or* kat(a)–, co–, contra–, counter–, enantio–, ob–.

.6 ADVS **opposite, poles apart,** at opposite extremes; contrary, contrariwise, counter; just opposite, **face to face,** vis-à-vis, *front à front* [Fr], nose to nose, eyeball to eyeball [informal], back to back.

.7 PREPS **opposite to,** in opposition to, against, over against; versus, vs.; **facing, across, fronting,** confronting, **in front of;** toward.

240. FRONT

.1 NOUNS **front, fore,** forepart, forequarter, foreside, forefront, forehand; priority, anteriority; frontier; foreland; foreground, proscenium; frontage; front page; frontispiece; preface, front matter, foreword; prefix; front view, front elevation; **head,** heading; **face,** façade, frontal; false front, window dressing, display; front man; bold *or* brave front, brave face; facet; facia; obverse (of a coin or medal), head (of a coin); lap.

.2 **vanguard,** van, point, **spearhead,** advance guard, **forefront,** avant-garde, outguard; scout, pioneer; precursor 66; front-runner; front, line, front line, battle line, front rank, first line, first line of battle; **outpost,** farthest outpost; **bridgehead,** beachhead, airhead, railhead.

.3 **prow,** prore, **bow, stem,** rostrum, figurehead, nose, beak; bowsprit, jib boom; forecastle, forepeak; foredeck.

.4 **face,** facies, **visage,** prosop(o)–; physiognomy, phiz *or* dial [both informal]; **countenance,** features, lineaments, favor; mug *or* mush *or* pan *or* kisser *or* map *or* puss [all slang].

.5 **forehead, brow.**

.6 **chin,** mentum, mento–, point of the chin, button [slang].

.7 VERBS be *or* stand in front, **lead, head,** head up; come to the front, take the lead, forge ahead; be the front-runner, pioneer.

.8 **confront, front,** affront, **face,** envisage; **meet, encounter,** breast, stem, brave, meet squarely, meet face to face *or* eyeball to eyeball, come face to face with, look in the face; **confront with, face with,** bring face to face with, tell one to one's face, cast *or* throw in one's teeth, present to, **put** *or* **bring before,** set *or* place before, lay before; bring up, bring forward; put it to, put it up to; **challenge,** dare, defy.

.9 **front on, face upon, give upon,** face *or* look toward, look out upon, look over, **overlook.**

.10 ADJS **front, frontal, anterior; fore, forward,** forehand; foremost, headmost, **leading,** first, chief, head, prime, primary; ante–, anti–, ep(i)– *or* eph–, fore–, fronto–, genio–, pre–, pro–, pros–.

.11 **fronting, facing,** opposing, eyeball-to-eyeball.

.12 ADVS **before, ahead,** out *or* up ahead, **in front,** in the front, in the lead, in the

van, in advance, **in the forefront,** in the foreground; **to the fore,** to the front; foremost, headmost, first; before one's face *or* eyes, under one's nose.

.13 **frontward,** frontwards, **forward,** forwards, vanward, **headward,** headwards, **onward,** onwards; **facing** 239.7.

241. REAR

.1 NOUNS **rear, rear end, hind end,** hind part, hinder part, afterpart, rearward, **posterior, behind,** breech, stern, tail, tail end; **afterpiece,** tailpiece, heelpiece, heel; **back,** back side, reverse (of a coin or medal), tail (of a coin); back door, postern, postern door; back seat, rumble seat; hindhead, occiput, occipit(o)–.

.2 rear guard, rear, rear area.

.3 **back,** dorsum, dors(o)– *or* dorsi–, not(o)–, tergum, ridge; dorsal region, lumbar region; hindquarter; loin, lumb(o)–.

.4 **buttocks, rump,** hips, posterior, derrière, pyg(o)–; croup, crupper; podex; haunches; gluteal region; nates; **butt,** rear, rear end, backside, hind end, behind [all informal].

.5 [slang terms] **ass,** arse, **can,** cheeks, nether cheeks, stern, tail, rusty-dusty, bum, **fanny,** prat, keister, tuchis *or* tushy *or* tush.

.6 **tail,** cauda, caudation, caudal appendage, cerc(o)–, caud(o)– *or* caudi–, ur(o)–, –urus; tailpiece, brush (of a fox), fantail (of fowls); rattail, rat's-tail; dock, stub; **queue,** cue, **pigtail.**

.7 **stern,** heel; poop, counter, fantail, tail end; sternpost, rudderpost.

.8 VERBS (be behind) **bring up the rear,** come last, **follow,** come after; trail, trail behind, lag behind; fall behind, fall back, fall astern; **back up, back,** go back, go backwards, regress 295.5, retrogress; revert 146.4.

.9 ADJS **rear,** rearward, **back,** backward, retrograde, **posterior,** postern, tail; after *or* aft; **hind, hinder; hindmost,** hindermost, hindhand, posteriormost, **aftermost,** aftmost, rearmost; meta–, opisth(o)–, post–, postero–, rere–, retro–, supra–.

.10 (anatomy) posterial, dorsal, retral, tergal, lumbar, gluteal, sciatic, occipital.

.11 **tail,** caudal, caudate, caudated, tailed; taillike, caudiform, –cercal, –urous *or* –ourous.

.12 backswept, swept-back.

.13 ADVS **behind, in the rear, in back of;** in the background; behind the scenes; behind one's back; back to back; tandem.

.14 **after;** aft, abaft, baft, astern.

.15 **rearward,** rearwards, to the rear, **hindward,** hindwards, **backward,** backwards, posteriorly, retrad, tailward, tailwards.

242. SIDE

.1 NOUNS **side, flank, hand;** laterality, sidedness, handedness; unilaterality, bilaterality, etc., multilaterality, many-sidedness; border 235.4; bank, shore, coast; siding, planking; beam; broadside; quarter; hip, haunch; cheek, mel(o)–, jowl, chop; temple; profile, side-view, half-face view.

.2 **lee side, lee,** leeward; lee shore; lee tide; lee wheel, lee helm, lee anchor, lee sheet, lee tack.

.3 **windward side, windward,** windwards, weather side, weather, weatherboard; weather wheel, weather helm, weather anchor, weather sheet, weather tack, weather rail, weather bow, weather deck; weather roll; windward tide, weather-going tide, windward ebb, windward flood.

.4 VERBS **side, flank;** edge, skirt, border 235.10.

.5 **go sideways, sidle,** lateral, lateralize, **edge, veer, skew,** sidestep; go crabwise; sideslip, skid; make leeway.

.6 ADJS **side, lateral,** later(o)– *or* lateri–, pleur(o)– *or* pleuri–, ali–; flanking, skirting; next-beside; **sidelong,** sideling, **sidewise,** sideway, **sideways,** sideward, **sidewards,** glancing; leeward, lee; windward, weather; par(a)–.

.7 **sided, flanked,** –stichous; handed; lateral, –hedral; **one-sided,** unilateral; **two-sided, bilateral,** dihedral, bifacial; **three-sided, trilateral,** trihedral, triquetrous; **four-sided, quadrilateral,** tetrahedral, etc.; **many-sided, multilateral,** polyhedral.

.8 ADVS **laterally,** laterad; **sideways,** sideway, **sidewise, sidewards,** sideward, sideling, sidling, sidelong, aside, crabwise; **edgeways,** edgeway, **edgewise; askance,** askant, asquint, glancingly; broadside, **broadside on,** on the beam; on its side, on its beam-ends; on the other hand; right and left.

.9 **leeward,** to leeward, alee, downwind; **windward,** to windward, weatherward, aweather, upwind.

.10 **aside,** on one side, **to one side,** to the side, on the side, sidelong; nearby, in juxtaposition 200.20,21; away.

.11 PREPS **beside, alongside, abreast,** abeam, by, on the flank of, along by, **by the side of,** along the side of.

.12 PHRS **side by side,** cheek to cheek, cheek

by cheek, cheek by jowl, shoulder to shoulder, yardarm to yardarm.

243. RIGHT SIDE

.1 NOUNS **right side, right, right hand,** right-hand side, off side (of a horse or vehicle), starboard; Epistle side, decanal side; recto (of a book); right field; starboard tack; right wing; right-winger, conservative, reactionary.

.2 **rightness,** dextrality; dexterity, **right-handedness;** dextroversion, dextrocularity, dextroduction; dextrorotation, dextrogyration.

.3 right-hander; righty [informal].

.4 ADJS **right, right-hand,** dextral, dexter, dextr(o)–; off, **starboard;** dextrorse; dextropedal; dextrocardial; dextrocerebral; dextrocular; **clockwise,** dextrorotary, dextrogyrate, dextrogyratory; right-wing, right-wingish, conservative, reactionary.

.5 **right-handed,** dextromanual, dexterous *or* dextrous.

.6 **ambidextrous,** ambidextral, ambidexter; dextrosinistral, sinistrodextral.

.7 ADVS **rightward,** rightwards, rightwardly, **right, to the right,** dextrally, dextrad; on the right, dexter; starboard, astarboard.

244. LEFT SIDE

.1 NOUNS **left side, left, left hand,** left-hand side, wrong side [informal], near *or* nigh side (of a horse or vehicle), portside, port, larboard; Gospel side, cantorial side, verso (of a book); port tack; left wing, left-winger, radical, liberal.

.2 **leftness,** sinistrality, **left-handedness;** sinistration; levoversion, levoduction; levorotation, sinistrogyration.

.3 **left-hander, southpaw** *or* lefty [both informal].

.4 ADJS **left, left-hand,** sinister, sinistral, lev(o)– *or* laev(o)–; near, nigh; **larboard, port;** sinistrorse; sinistrocerebral; sinistrocular; counterclockwise, levorotatory, sinistrogyrate; left-wing, left-wingish, radical, liberal.

.5 **left-handed,** sinistromanual, sinistral, southpaw [slang].

.6 ADVS **leftward,** leftwards, leftwardly, **left, to the left,** sinistrally, sinister, sinistrad; on the left; larboard, port, aport.

245. STRUCTURE

.1 NOUNS **structure, construction,** architecture, tectonics, architectonics, frame, make, **build,** fabric, tissue, warp and woof *or* weft, web, weave, texture, context, texture, mold, shape, pattern, plan, fashion, arrangement, **organization,** organism, organic structure, **constitution, composition; makeup,** getup [informal], setup; **formation,** conformation, format; making, building, creation, production, forging, fashioning, molding, fabrication, manufacture, shaping, structuring, patterning; anatomy, physique; form 246.

.2 **structure, building, edifice, construction,** construct, erection, establishment, architecture, fabric; house 191.6; tower, pile, pyramid, skyscraper; prefabrication, prefab, packaged house; superstructure.

.3 **understructure,** understruction, underbuilding, **substructure,** substruction.

.4 **frame,** framing; **framework, skeleton,** fabric, cadre, chassis, shell; lattice, latticework; sash, casement, case, casing; window case *or* frame, doorframe; picture frame.

.5 **skeleton,** skelet(o)–, anatomy, **carcass,** frame, **bones;** endoskeleton, exoskeleton; axial skeleton, appendicular skeleton.

.6 **bone,** ossicle; osse(o)– *or* ossi– *or* oste(o)–, –ost, –osteon; cartilage, chondr(o)– *or* chondri–; tendon, ligament 206.2.

.7 (science of structure) **anatomy;** morphology, geomorphology, promorphology; tectology; histology; zootomy, anthropotomy; organology, organography; myology, myography; splanchnology, splanchnography; angiology, angiography; osteology, osteography; morphologist, anatomist, histologist.

.8 VERBS **construct** 167.10, structure.

.9 ADJS **structural,** formal, morphological, edificial, tectonic, textural; anatomic(al), organic, organismal; **architectural,** architectonic; constructional; superstructural, substructural.

.10 skeleton, skeletal.

.11 **bone,** osteal; **bony,** osseous, ossiferous; ossicular; ossified.

.12 **bones**

aitchbone
anklebone
anvil
astragalus
backbone
breastbone
calcaneus
cannon bone
carpal, carpus
cheekbone
chine
clavicle
coccyx
collarbone
costa
cranium
cuboid
edgebone
ethmoid bone
femur
fibula
floating rib
frontal bone
funny bone
hallux
hammer
haunch bone
heel bone
hipbone
humerus

hyoid bone
ilium
incus
inferior maxillary
innominate bone
ischium
jawbone
kneecap
kneepan
malleus
mandible
mastoid
maxilla
maxillary
metacarpal, metacarpus
metatarsal, metatarsus
nasal bone
occipital bone
parietal bone
patella
pelvis
phalanx, phalanges [pl]
pubis
rachidial
rachis
radius
rib
sacrum
scaphoid
scapula
sesamoid bones
shinbone
shoulder blade
skull
sphenoid
spinal column
spine
stapes
sternum
stirrup
talus
tarsal, tarsus
temporal bone
thighbone
tibia
ulna
vertebra
vertebral column
vomer
wishbone
wristbone
zygomatic bone

246. FORM

.1 NOUNS **form, shape, figure;** figuration, **configuration;** formation, **conformation; structure** 245; **build,** make, frame; makeup, format, layout; cut, set, stamp, type, turn, cast, mold, impression, pattern, matrix, model, mode, modality; archetype, prototype 25.1–6, Platonic form *or* idea; style, fashion; aesthetic form, inner form, significant form; art form, genre; morph(o)–, –morph, –morphism *or* –morphy.

.2 **contour,** *tournure* [Fr], *galbe* [Fr]; broad lines, silhouette, profile, **outline** 235.2.

.3 **appearance** 446, lineaments, features.

.4 (human form) **figure, form,** shape, frame, anatomy, **physique,** build, body-build, person; body 376.3.

.5 **forming, shaping,** molding, modeling, fashioning; **formation,** efformation, formature, conformation, figuration; sculpture; morphogeny, morphogenesis; creation 167.3; –plasis.

.6 [gram terms] form, morph, allomorph, morpheme; morphology, morphemics.

.7 VERBS **form,** formalize, **shape, fashion,** tailor, frame, figure, efform, **lick into shape;** work, knead; set, fix; **forge,** drop-forge; **mold,** model, sculpt *or* sculpture; cast, found; thermoform; stamp, mint; carve, cut, chisel, hew; roughhew, rough-cast, rough out, block out, lay out, hammer *or* knock out; create 167.10.

.8 (be formed) **form,** shape, **shape up, take shape;** materialize.

.9 ADJS **formative,** formal, formational, plastic, morphotic; morphogen(et)ic; –form *or* –iform, –morphic *or* –morphous.

.10 [biol terms] plasmatic, plasmic, protoplasmic, plastic, metabolic.

.11 [gram terms] morphologic(al), morphemic.

247. FORMLESSNESS

.1 NOUNS **formlessness, shapelessness;** amorphousness, amorphism, amorphia; **chaos,** confusion, messiness, orderlessness; **disorder** 62; entropy; anarchy 740.2; **indeterminateness, indefiniteness,** indecisiveness, vagueness, mistiness, haziness, fuzziness, blurriness, unclearness, obscurity.

.2 unlicked cub, diamond in the rough.

.3 VERBS **deform, distort** 249.5; unform, unshape; disorder, jumble, mess up, muddle, confuse; obfuscate, obscure, fog up, blur.

.4 ADJS **formless, shapeless,** featureless, characterless, nondescript, inchoate, lumpen, blobby *or* baggy [both informal], inform; amorphous, amorphic, amorph(o)–; **chaotic, orderless,** disorderly 62.13, unordered, unorganized, confused, anarchic 740.6; kaleidoscopic; **indeterminate, indefinite,** undefined, indecisive, vague, misty, hazy, fuzzy, blurred *or* blurry, unclear, obscure.

.5 **unformed, unshaped,** unshapen, unfashioned, unlicked; uncut, unhewn.

248. SYMMETRY

.1 NOUNS **symmetry,** symmetricalness, **proportion,** proportionality, **balance,** equilibrium; **regularity,** uniformity 17, evenness; equality 30; finish; harmony, congruity, consistency, conformity 82, correspondence, keeping; eurythmy, eurythmics; dynamic symmetry; bilateral symmetry, trilateral symmetry, etc., multilateral symmetry; parallelism, polarity; shapeliness.

.2 symmetrization, regularization, balancing, harmonization; evening, equalization; coordination, integration.

.3 VERBS symmetrize, regularize, **balance,** harmonize; **proportion,** proportionate; even, even up, equalize; coordinate, integrate.

.4 ADJS **symmetric(al),** sym–, **balanced,** proportioned, eurythmic, harmonious; **regular,** uniform 17.5, even, equal 30.7; coequal, coordinate, equilateral; **well-balanced,** well-set, well-set-up [informal]; finished.

.5 **shapely, well-shaped, well-proportioned,** well-made, **well-formed,** well-favored; comely 900.17; trim, neat, clean, clean-cut.

249. DISTORTION

.1 NOUNS **distortion,** detorsion, torsion, **contortion, crookedness,** tortuosity; **asymmetry,** unsymmetry, disproportion, lopsidedness, imbalance, irregularity, **deviation; twist,** quirk, turn, screw, wring, wrench, wrest; warp, buckle; knot, gnarl; anamorphosis, anamorphism.

.2 **perversion, corruption,** misdirection, misrepresentation, misinterpretation, misconstruction, false coloring; slanting, straining, torturing; misuse 667.

.3 **deformity,** deformation, **malformation,** malconformation, monstrosity, teratology, freakishness, misproportion, misshape; **disfigurement, defacement;** mutilation, truncation; humpback, hunchback, crookback, camelback, kyphosis [med]; swayback, lordosis [med]; wryneck, torticollis [med]; clubfoot, talipes [med], flatfoot, splayfoot; knock-knee; bowlegs; valgus [med]; harelip; cleft palate.

.4 **grimace, wry face,** wry mouth, rictus, snarl; moue, mow, pout.

.5 VERBS **distort, contort,** turn awry; **twist,** turn, screw, wring, wrench, wrest; writhe; warp, buckle, crumple; knot, gnarl; **crook,** bend, spring.

.6 **pervert, garble, put a false construction upon, give a false coloring,** color, varnish, slant, strain, torture; **bias;** misrepresent, misconstrue, misinterpret, misrender, misdirect; misuse 667.4.

.7 **deform,** misshape, disproportion; **disfigure, deface;** mutilate, truncate; blemish, mar.

.8 **grimace, make a face,** make a wry face *or* wry mouth, pull a face, **screw up one's face,** mug [slang], mouth, make a mouth, mop, mow, mop and mow; pout.

.9 ADJS distortive, contortive, contortional, torsional.

.10 **distorted, contorted, warped, twisted, crooked,** plect(o)–, strepsi–, strept(o)–, stroph(o)–; tortuous, labyrinthine, buckled, sprung, bent, bowed; cockeyed [informal], crazy; crunched, crumpled; unsymmetric(al), asymmetric(al), as– *or* asym–, nonsymmetric(al); irregular, deviative, anamorphous; one-sided, lopsided; askew 219.14.

.11 **perverted, twisted, garbled,** slanted, doctored, biased, cooked; strained, tortured; misrepresented, misquoted.

.12 **deformed, malformed, misshapen,** misbegotten, misproportioned, ill-proportioned, ill-made, ill-shaped, **out of shape;** dwarfed, stumpy; bloated; **disfigured,** defaced, blemished, marred; mutilated, truncated; grotesque, monstrous; swayback, round-shouldered; bowlegged, bandy-legged, bandy; knock-kneed; rickety, rachitic; club-footed, talipedic; flatfooted, splayfoot(ed), pigeon-toed; pug-nosed, snub-nosed, simous.

.13 **humpbacked, hunchbacked,** bunch-backed, crookbacked, crookedbacked, camelback, humped, gibbous, kyphotic [med].

250. STRAIGHTNESS

.1 NOUNS **straightness,** directness, unswerv-ingness, lineality, **linearity,** rectilinearity; verticalness 213; flatness, horizontalness 214.

.2 **straight line,** straight, right line, direct line, –trix; straight course *or* stretch, straightaway; **beeline,** air line; **shortcut** 203.5; great-circle course; streamline; edge, side, diagonal, secant, transversal, chord, tangent, perpendicular, normal, segment, directrix, diameter, axis, radius, vector, radius vector [all math].

.3 **straightedge, rule,** ruler; square, T square, triangle.

.4 VERBS be straight, have no turning; arrow; go straight 289.11.

.5 **straighten, set** *or* **put straight,** rectify; **unbend,** unkink, uncurl, unsnarl, disentangle 45.5; straighten up, stand *or* sit up; straighten out, extend; flatten, smooth 214.6.

.6 ADJS **straight,** orth(o)–, rect(i)–; straight-lined, dead straight, straight as an edge *or* ruler, ruler-straight, even, right, true, straight as an arrow, arrowlike; **rectilinear,** rectilineal; **linear,** lineal, in a line; **direct, undeviating, unswerving,** unbending, undeflected; **unbent, unbowed,** unturned, uncurved, undistorted; **uninterrupted, unbroken;** streamlined; straight-side, straight-front, straight-cut; upright, vertical 213.11; flat, level, smooth, horizontal 214.7.

.7 ADVS **straight,** straightly, on the straight, unswervingly, undeviatingly, **directly** 290.24; straight to the mark; down the alley *or* down the pipe *or* in the groove *or* on the beam [all informal].

251. ANGULARITY

.1 NOUNS **angularity,** angularness, crookedness, hookedness; orthogonality, right-angledness, right-angularity, rectangularity; flection, flexure.

.2 **angle,** –gon, goni(o)–, point, bight; vertex, apex 211.2, –ace; **corner,** quoin, coin, nook; **crook, hook,** crotchet; **bend,** swerve, veer, inflection, deflection; ell, L; cant; furcation, bifurcation, fork 299.4; zigzag, zig, zag; chevron; elbow, knee, dogleg [informal]; crank.

.3 (angular measurement) goniometry; trigonometry.

.4 (instruments) goniometer, radiogoniometer; pantometer, clinometer, graphometer, astrolabe; azimuth compass, azimuth circle; theodolite, transit theodolite, transit, transit instrument, transit circle; sextant, quadrant; bevel, bevel square; protractor, bevel protractor.

.5 VERBS **angle, crook, hook, bend,** elbow; crank; angle off *or* away, swerve, veer, go off on a tangent; furcate, bifurcate, branch, fork 299.7; zigzag, zig, zag.

.6 ADJS **angular,** ang–, anguli– *or* anguloo–; cornered, **crooked, hooked, bent,** akimbo; knee-shaped, geniculate, geniculated; crotched, Y-shaped, V-shaped; furcate, furcal, forked 299.10; sharp-cornered, **sharp, pointed;** zigzag, jagged, serrate, sawtooth *or* saw-toothed.

.7 **right-angled, rectangular,** right-angular, right-angle; **orthogonal,** orthodiagonal, orthometric; **perpendicular,** normal.

.8 **triangular, trilateral,** trigonal, oxygonal, deltoid, trigon(o)–, hastato–; wedge-shaped, cuneiform, cuneate, cuneated, sphen(o)–.

.9 **quadrangular, quadrilateral,** quadrate, quadriform; **rectangular, square,** quadr(i)– *or* quadru–; foursquare, orthogonal; tetragonal, tetrahedral; **oblong;** trapezoid(al), rhombic(al), rhomboid(al), rhomb(o)–; **cubic(al),** cubiform, cuboid, cube-shaped, cubed, diced, cub(o)– *or* cubi–; rhombohedral, trapezohedral.

.10 pentagonal, hexagonal, heptagonal, octagonal, decagonal, dodecagonal, etc.; pentahedral, hexahedral, octahedral, dodecahedral, icosahedral, etc., –hedral.

.11 multilateral, multiangular, polygonal; polyhedral, pyramidal, pyramidic(al), pyramid(o)–; prismatic, prismoid.

.12 **angles**

acute angle
oblique angle
obtuse angle
reentering angle
reflex angle
right angle
salient angle
solid angle
spherical angle
straight angle

.13 **angular geometric figures**

acute-angled triangle
cube
cuboid
cusp
decagon
dodecagon
dodecahedron
equilateral triangle
foursquare
frustum of a pyramid
gnomon
heptagon
hexagon
hexahedron
hypercube
icosahedron
isosceles triangle
oblong
obtuse-angled triangle
octagon
octahedron
oxygon
parallelepiped, parallelepipedon
parallelogram
pentagon
pentahedron
Platonic body
polygon
polyhedron
prism
prismoid
pyramid
quadrangle
quadrant
quadrature
quadrilateral
rectangle
rhombohedron
rhombus, rhomb, rhomboid
right-angled triangle, right triangle
scalene triangle
square
trapezium, trapeze
trapezohedron
trapezoid
tetragon
tetragram
tetrahedroid
tetrahedron
triangle
trigon
trilateral
truncated pyramid

252. CURVATURE

.1 NOUNS **curvature,** curving, curvity, curvation; incurvature, incurvity, incurvation; excurvature, excurvation; decurvature, decurvation; recurvature, recurvity, recurvation; rondure; **arching, vaulting,** arcuation, concameration; aduncity, aquilinity, crookedness, hookedness; sinuosity, sinuousness, tortuosity, tortuousness; circularity 253; convolution 254; rotundity 255; convexity 256; concavity 257.

.2 **curve,** curvi–, sinus; **bow, arc; crook, hook;** parabola, hyperbola; ellipse; caustic, catacaustic, diacaustic; catenary, festoon; conchoid; lituus; tracery; circle 253.2; curl 254.2.

.3 **bend,** bending; **bow,** bowing, oxbow; **turn,** turning, sweep, meander, hairpin turn *or* bend, S-curve, U-turn; **flexure,** flex, **flection,** conflexure, inflection, deflection; reflection; geanticline, geosyncline; trop(o)–, –tropy, –trope.

.4 **arch, span, vault,** vaulting, concameration, camber; ogive; apse; **dome,** cupola, geodesic dome, igloo, concha; cove; arched roof, ceilinged roof; **arcade, archway,** arcature; voussoir, keystone, skewback.

.5 **crescent, semicircle,** scythe, sickle, menis-

cus; crescent moon, half-moon; lunula, lunule; horseshoe.

.6 VERBS **curve, turn,** sweep; **crook, hook,** loop; incurve, incurvate; recurve, decurve, bend back, retroflex; sag, swag [dial]; **bend,** flex; deflect, inflect; reflect, reflex; **bow,** embow; **arch,** vault; dome; **hump,** hunch; wind, curl 254.4,5; round 255.6.

.7 ADJS **curved,** curve, curvate, curvated, **curving,** curvy, curvaceous [informal], curvesome, curviform; curvilinear, curvilineal; wavy, undulant, billowy, billowing; sinuous, tortuous, serpentine, mazy, labyrinthine, meandering; **bent;** incurved, incurving, incurvate, incurvated; recurved, recurving, recurvate, recurvated; geosynclinal, geanticlinal; –clastic, –tropic *or* –trophic; cyrt(o)–, sphing(o)–.

.8 **hooked, crooked, aquiline,** aduncous; **hook-shaped,** hooklike, uncinate, unciform; hamulate, hamate, hamiform; clawlike, unguiform, down-curving; **hook-nosed,** beak-nosed, parrot-nosed, aquiline-nosed, Roman-nosed, crooknosed, crookbilled; **beaked,** billed; **beak-shaped,** beak-like; bill-shaped, bill-like; rostrate, rostriform, rhamphoid.

.9 turned-up, upcurving, upsweeping, retroussé.

.10 **bowed,** embowed, bandy; bowlike, bow-shaped, oxbow, Cupid's bow; **convex** 256.12, **concave** 257.16, convexoconcave; arcuate, arcuated, arcual, arciform, arclike; **arched,** vaulted; **humped,** hunched, humpy, hunchy; gibbous, gibbose; hump-backed 249.13; tox(o)– *or* toxi–.

.11 **crescent-shaped,** crescentlike, crescent, crescentic, crescentiform; meniscoid(al), menisciform; S-shaped, sigmoid; **semicircular,** semilunar; horn-shaped, hornlike, horned, corniform; bicorn, two-horned; sickle-shaped, sickle-like, falcate, falciform; moon-shaped, moonlike, lunar, lunate, lunular, luniform; Cynthian; selen(o)– *or* seleni–.

.12 lens-shaped, lenticular, lentiform.

.13 parabolic(al), saucer-shaped; elliptic(al), ellipsoid; bell-shaped, bell-like, campanular, campanulate, campaniform.

.14 pear-shaped, pearlike, pyriform, obconic(al).

.15 heart-shaped, heartlike; cordate, cardioid, cordiform.

.16 kidney-shaped, kidneylike, reniform.

.17 turnip-shaped, turniplike, napiform.

.18 shell-shaped, shell-like; conchate, conchiform.

.19 shield-shaped, shieldlike, peltate; scutate, scutiform; clypeate, clypeiform.

.20 helmet-shaped, helmetlike, galeiform, cassideous.

.21 **arches**

fixed arch
flat arch
four-centered *or* Tudor arch
horseshoe arch
lancet arch
ogee arch
primitive arch
rampant arch
round arch
rowlock arch
segmental arch
shouldered arch
three-centered *or* basket-handle arch
trefoil arch

253. CIRCULARITY

(simple circularity)

.1 NOUNS **circularity, roundness,** annularity, annulation.

.2 **circle,** circus, **ring,** annulus, O; **circumference,** radius; **round,** roundel, rondelle; **cycle, circuit;** orbit 375.16; cycl(o)–, gyr(o)–; closed circle *or* arc; vicious circle, eternal return; magic circle, fairy ring; logical circle; wheel 322.4,18; disk, discus, saucer, disc(o)– *or* disci–; **loop,** looplet; noose, lasso; crown, diadem, coronet, corona; garland, chaplet, wreath; halo, glory, areola, aureole, stephano–; annular muscle, sphincter.

.3 (thing encircling) **band, belt** 231.65, **cincture,** cingulum, **girdle, girth,** girt, zone, zon(o)–, fascia, fillet; collar, collarband, neckband; necklace, bracelet, armlet, wristlet, wristband, anklet; ring, earring, nose ring, finger ring, dactylio–; hoop; quoit; zodiac, ecliptic, equator, great circle.

.4 **rim,** felly; **tire,** pneumatic tire, balloon tire, tubeless tire, safety tire, nonskid tire, bias tire, belted bias tire, radial tire, belted radial tire, white sidewall tire, winter tire, snow tire, studded tire; retreaded tire, retread.

.5 circlet, **ringlet,** roundlet, annulet, eye, **eyelet,** grommet.

.6 **oval,** ovule, ovoid; ellipse.

.7 cycloid; epicycloid, epicycle; hypocycloid; lemniscate; cardioid; Lissajous figure.

.8 **semicircle,** half circle, hemicycle; crescent 252.5; quadrant, sextant, sector.

.9 **round,** canon; rondo, rondino, rondeau, rondelet.

.10 VERBS **circle, round;** orbit; **encircle** 233.7, surround, encompass, girdle.

.11 ADJS **circular, round,** rounded, circinate, annular, annulate *or* annulose, ring-shaped, ringlike; disklike, discoid; cyclic(al), cycloid(al); coronary, crownlike.

.12 **oval,** ovate, ovoid, oviform, egg-shaped, obovate [bot], ov(o)– *or* ovi–.

254. CONVOLUTION

(complex circularity)

.1 NOUNS **convolution,** involution, circumvolution, **winding, twisting, turning; meander, meandering;** crinkle, crinkling; circuitousness, circumlocution, circumbendibus, circumambages, ambagiousness, ambages; tortuousness, tortuosity, tortility; torsion, intorsion; sinuousness, **sinuosity,** sinuation, slinkiness; anfractuosity; snakiness; flexuousness, flexuosity; undulation, wave, waving; rivulation.

.2 **coil, whorl,** roll, **curl,** curlicue, ringlet, **spiral,** helix, volute, volution, involute, evolute, gyre, scroll; **kink, twist, twirl;** screw, corkscrew; tendril, cirrus; whirl, swirl, vortex; gyr(o)–, helic(o)–, spir(o)– *or* spiri–, spondyl(o)–, verticill–.

.3 curler, curling iron; curlpaper, papillote.

.4 VERBS convolve, **wind, twine,** twirl, **twist, turn, twist and turn, meander,** crinkle; serpentine, snake, slink, worm; screw, corkscrew; whirl, swirl; whorl; scallop; wring; intort; contort.

.5 **curl, coil;** crisp, kink, crimp.

.6 ADJS **convolutional, winding, twisting,** twisty, **turning; meandering,** meandrous, mazy, labyrinthine; **serpentine,** snaky, anfractuous; roundabout, circuitous, ambagious, circumlocutory; **sinuous,** sinuose, sinuate; **tortuous,** torsional, tortile; flexuous, flexuose; involutional, involute, involuted; rivose, rivulose; sigmoid(al); wreathy, wreathlike; ruffled, whorled.

.7 **snakelike, snaky,** snake-shaped, **serpentine,** serpentile, serpentoid, serpentiform; anguine [archaic], anguiform; eellike, eel-shaped, anguilliform; wormlike, vermiform, lumbriciform.

.8 **spiral,** spiroid, volute, voluted; helical, helicoid(al); anfractuous; screw-shaped, corkscrew, corkscrewy; verticillate, whorled, scrolled; cochlear, cochleate; turbinal, turbinate.

.9 **curly, curled; kinky,** kinked; **frizzly,** frizzy, frizzed; crispy, crisp, crisped.

.10 **wavy, undulatory,** undulative, undulant, undulating, undulate, undulated; **billowy,** billowing, surgy, rolling.

.11 ADVS **windingly, twistingly,** sinuously, tortuously, serpentinely, meanderingly, meandrously; **in and out,** round and round.

255. SPHERICITY, ROTUNDITY

.1 NOUNS **sphericity, rotundity, roundness,** rotundness, orbicularity, **sphericalness,** sphericality, globularity, globosity; spheroidity, spheroidicity; belly; cylindricality; convexity 256.

.2 **sphere,** spher(o)– *or* sphaer(o)–, –sphaera; **ball, orb,** orbit, **globe,** rondure; geoid; spheroid, globoid, ellipsoid, oblate spheroid, prolate spheroid; spherule, globule, globelet, orblet; glomerulus, glomerul(o)–; **pellet;** boll; bulb, bulbil, bulblet, bulb(o)–; knob, knot; gob, blob, gobbet, bolus; **balloon,** bladder, bubble.

.3 **drop,** droplet; dewdrop, raindrop, teardrop; bead, pearl.

.4 **cylinder,** cylindroid, cylindr(o)–; pillar, column; barrel, drum, cask; pipe, tube; roll, rouleau, roller, rolling pin; bole, trunk.

.5 **cone,** conoid, conelet, con(o)– *or* coni–; complex cone, cone of a complex; funnel; ice-cream cone, cornet [Brit]; pine cone; cop.

.6 VERBS **round,** rotund; **round out, fill out;** cone.

.7 **ball, snowball;** sphere, spherify, globe, conglobulate; bead; balloon, mushroom.

.8 ADJS **rotund, round,** rounded, rounded out, round as a ball; bellied, bellylike; convex 256.12, bulging 256.14.

.9 **spheric(al),** spheriform, spherelike, sphere-shaped; **globular, global,** globed, globous, globose, globate, globelike, globe-shaped; orbic(al), orbicular, orbiculate, orbed, orb, orby, orblike; spheroid(al), globoid, ellipsoid(al); hemispheric(al); bulbous, bulblike; ovoid, obovoid [bot].

.10 **beady,** beaded, bead-shaped, bead-like.

.11 **cylindric(al),** cylindroid(al); **columnar,** columnal, columned, columelliform; tubular, tube-shaped; barrel-shaped, drum-shaped.

.12 **conic(al),** coned, cone-shaped, conelike; conoid(al); spheroconic; funnel-shaped, funnellike, funnelled, funnelform, infundibuliform, infundibular; turbinato–.

.13 **balls**

ball bearing	eight ball
baseball	football
basketball	golf ball
billiard ball	handball
bowling ball, bowl	meatball
cannonball	medicine ball
clew	mothball
cricket ball	pinball
croquet ball	Ping-Pong ball
cue ball	polo ball

pushball
rubber ball
skittle ball
snowball
soccer ball
softball
tea ball
tennis ball
tetherball
volleyball
whiffle ball

.14 **pellets**
BB
bead
buckshot
bullet
grapeshot
marble 878.16
pea
pearl
pebble
pill
shot

256. CONVEXITY, PROTUBERANCE

.1 NOUNS **convexity,** convexness, convexedness; excurvature, excurvation; camber; gibbousness, gibbosity; tuberousness, tuberosity; bulging, bellying.

.2 **protuberance** *or* protuberancy, **projection, protrusion, extrusion;** prominence, eminence, salience, boldness, bulging, bellying; gibbousness, gibbosity; excrescence *or* excrescency; tuberousness, tuberosity; salient; relief, high relief, *altorilievo* [Ital], low relief, bas-relief, *bassorilievo* [Ital], embossment.

.3 **bulge,** bilge, bow, convex; **bump;** thank-you-ma'am, cahot [Can]; hill 207.5, mountain 207.7; **hump,** hunch; **lump,** clump, bunch, blob [informal]; nubbin, nubble, nub; **mole,** nevus [med]; **wart,** papilloma, verruca [med]; **knob,** boss, bulla, button, bulb; stud, jog, joggle, peg, dowel; flange, lip; tab, ear, flap, loop, ring, handle 216.27; **knot,** knur, knurl, gnarl, burl, gall; **ridge,** rib, cost(o)– *or* costi–, chine, spine, shoulder; welt, wale; blister, bleb, vesicle [anat], blain; bubble; condyle, condyl(o)–, style, styl(o)– *or* styli–, tyl(o)–; tubercle *or* tubercule, tubercul(o)–.

.4 **swelling,** swell, swollenness, edema; **rising, lump, bump,** pimple, papulo–; pock, furuncle, boil, carbuncle; corn; pustule; dilation, dilatation; turgidity, turgescence *or* turgescency, tumescence, intumescence; tumor, tumidity, tumefaction; wen, cyst, sebaceous cyst; bunion; distension 197.2.

.5 **node,** nodule, nodulus, nodulation, nodosity.

.6 **breast, bosom, bust, chest,** crop, brisket; thorax, thorac(o)– *or* thoraci–, stern(o)–, steth(o)–; pigeon breast; **breasts;** tits *or* titties *or* boobs *or* boobies *or* bubbies *or* jugs *or* headlights *or* knockers *or* knobs [all slang]; *nénés* [Fr slang]; bazoom [slang]; teat, tit *or* titty *or* mamma [all slang]; dug; **nipple,** papilla, pap [dial], mammilla, *mamelon, teton* [both Fr]; mammillation, mamelonation; mammary gland, udder, bag.

.7 **nose,** nas(o)– *or* nasi–, rhin(o)–, olfactory organ; **snout,** rhynch(o)–, **snoot** [informal], nozzle [slang], **muzzle; proboscis,** antlia, **trunk; beak,** rostrum, rhamph(o)–, rostr(o)– *or* rostri–; **bill** *or* pecker [both slang]; nib, neb; smeller *or* beezer *or* bugle *or* schnozzle *or* schnoz *or* schnozzola *or* conk [all slang]; muffle, rhinarium; nostrils, noseholes [Brit dial], nares.

.8 (point of land) **point,** hook, spur, **cape,** tongue, bill; **promontory,** foreland, **headland,** head, mull [Scot]; naze, ness; **peninsula,** chersonese; **delta; spit,** sandspit; **reef,** coral reef; breakwater 216.4.

.9 VERBS **protrude, protuberate, project, extrude; stick out,** jut out, poke out, stand out, shoot out; **stick up,** bristle up, start up, cock up, shoot up.

.10 **bulge,** bilge, bouge [dial], **belly,** bag, balloon, **pouch,** pooch [dial]; pout; **goggle,** bug [dial], pop; **swell, dilate, distend,** billow; swell out, **belly out,** round out.

.11 **emboss, boss,** chase, raise; ridge.

.12 ADJS **convex,** convexed; excurved, excurvate, excurvated; bowed, out-bowed, arched 252.10; gibbous, gibbose; humped 252.10; rotund 255.8.

.13 **protruding, protrusive,** protrudent; **protuberant,** protuberating; **projecting, extruding,** jutting, outstanding; prominent, eminent, salient, bold; prognathous; excrescent, excrescential; protrusile, emissile.

.14 **bulging, swelling,** distended, bloated, potbellied, bellying, pouching; bagging, baggy; rounded, hillocky, hummocky, moutonnée; billowing, billowy, bosomy, ballooning, pneumatic; **bumpy,** bumped; bunchy, bunched; **bulbous,** bulbose; warty, verrucose, verrucated.

.15 **bulged, bulgy;** swollen 197.13, turgid, tumid, turgescent, tumescent, tumorous; bellied, ventricose; pouched, pooched [dial]; goggled, goggle; exophthalmic, bug-eyed [slang], popeyed [informal].

.16 **studded, knobbed, knobby,** knoblike, nubbled, nubby, nubbly, torose; **knotty, knotted; gnarled,** knurled, knurly, burled, gnarly; noded, nodal, nodiform; noduled, nodular; nodulated; tuberculous, tubercular; tuberous, tuberose.

.17 **in relief,** in bold *or* high relief, bold, raised, *repoussé* [Fr]; chased, bossed, embossed, bossy.

.18 **pectoral,** thoracic; pigeon-breasted; mammary, mammillary, mammiform; mam-

malian, mammate; papillary, papillose, papulous; breasted, bosomed, chested; teated, titted [slang], nippled.

.19 **peninsular**; deltaic, deltal.

257. CONCAVITY

.1 NOUNS **concavity, hollowness**; incurvature, incurvation, incurvity; depression, impression.

.2 **cavity,** concavity, concave; **hollow,** hollow shell, shell; **hole, pit, depression, dip,** sink, fold [Brit]; scoop, pocket; **basin,** trough, **bowl,** punch bowl, cup; **crater;** antrum, antr(o)–; sinus, sinu– *or* sino–; lacuna; alveola, alveolus, alveolation, alveol(o)–; vug [min]; follicle, crypt; armpit; socket; funnel chest *or* breast.

.3 **pothole, sinkhole,** pitchhole, chuckhole, **mudhole, rut** 263.1.

.4 **pit, well, shaft,** bothr(o)–; **chasm, gulf, abyss,** abysm; **excavation,** dig, diggings, workings; mine, quarry 383.6.

.5 **cave, cavern,** cove [Scot], **hole, grotto,** grot, antre, subterrane; lair 191.26; **tunnel, burrow,** warren; subway 272.13; bunker, foxhole, dugout, *abri* [Fr]; sewer.

.6 **indentation,** indent, indention, indenture, **dent,** dint; gouge, **furrow** 263; sunken part *or* place, **dimple; pit,** pock, pockmark; impression, impress; imprint, print; alveolus, alveolation; honeycomb; **notch** 262.

.7 **recess,** recession, **niche, nook,** inglenook, corner; cove, alcove; bay; pitchhole.

.8 (hollow in the side of a mountain) combe, cwm, cirque, corrie.

.9 **valley, vale, dale, dell,** dingle; **glen,** bottom, bottoms, bottom glade, intervale, strath [Scot], gill [Brit], wadi, grove; trench, trough, lunar rill; gap, pass, ravine 201.2.

.10 **excavator, digger;** sapper; **miner** 383.9; tunneler, sandhog *or* groundhog [both informal]; driller; steam shovel, navvy [Brit]; dredge, dredger.

.11 **excavation,** digging; mining; indentation, **engraving** 578.2.

.12 VERBS (be concave) **dish,** cup, bowl, hollow; retreat, retire; incurve.

.13 **hollow,** hollow out, concave, **dish,** cup, bowl; cave, cave in.

.14 **indent, dent,** dint, **depress,** press in, stamp, tamp, punch, punch in, impress, imprint; **pit;** pock, pockmark; dimple; **recess,** set back; set in; **notch** 262.4; engrave 578.10.

.15 **excavate, dig,** dig out, **scoop,** scoop out, **gouge,** gouge out, grub; shovel, spade, dike, delve, scrape, scratch, scrabble; dredge; **trench,** trough, furrow, groove; **tunnel, burrow;** drive [min], sink, lower; **mine,** sap; quarry; drill, bore.

.16 ADJS **concave,** concaved, **incurved,** incurving, incurvous, –coelous; **sunk,** sunken; retreating, retiring; **hollow,** hollowed; palm-shaped; dish-shaped, dished, dishing, dishlike, bowl-shaped; bowllike, crater-shaped, craterlike, saucer-shaped; spoonlike; **cupped,** cup-shaped, scyphate, scyph(o)– *or* scyphi–; funnel-shaped, infundibular, infundibuliform; funnel-chested, funnel-breasted; boat-shaped, boatlike, navicular, naviform, cymbiform, scaphoid, scaph(o)–; **cavernous,** cavelike.

.17 **indented, dented,** depressed; **dimpled; pitted;** pocked, pockmarked; honeycombed, alveolar, alveolate, faveolate; **notched** 262.5; **engraved** 578.12.

258. SHARPNESS

.1 NOUNS **sharpness, keenness, edge;** acuteness, acuity; **pointedness,** acumination; thorniness, prickliness, spinosity, mucronation; acridity 433.1.

.2 (sharp edge) edge, cutting edge, knife-edge, razor-edge, featheredge; edge tool 348.2,13; weapon 801.21–25.

.3 **point** 258.18, **tip,** cusp; acumination, mucro; **nib,** neb; needle 223.8, acu–; **drill,** borer, auger, bit; **prick, prickle;** sting, aculeus.

.4 (pointed projection) **projection,** spur, jag, **snag,** snaggle; **tooth,** fang; crag, peak, arête; spire, steeple, flèche; **cog, sprocket,** ratchet; sawtooth; harrow, rake; comb, pecten, cten(o)–, pectin(i)–.

.5 **tooth,** dent(o)– *or* denti–, odont(o)–, **fang, tusk,** tush, scrivello; denticulation, denticle, dentil, dent, dentition; snag, snaggletooth, peg; bucktooth, gagtooth *or* gang tooth [both dial]; pivot tooth; cuspid, bicuspid; canine tooth, canine, dogtooth, eyetooth; molar, grinder, myl(o)–; premolar; incisor, cutter, fore tooth; wisdom tooth; milk tooth, baby tooth, deciduous tooth; permanent tooth; gold tooth; crown.

.6 **teeth,** dentition, ivories [informal]; **denture,** false teeth, set of teeth, **plate, bridgework,** dental bridge, uppers and lowers; gums, periodontal tissue, alveolar ridge, gingiv(o)–, ulo–.

.7 **thorn, bramble, brier, nettle,** burr, prickle, sticker [informal]; **spike,** spikelet, spicule, spiculum; **spine;** bristle; quill; **needle,** pine needle; **thistle,** catchweed,

cleavers, goose grass, cactus; beggar's-lice, beggar's-ticks; yucca, Adam's-needle; acanth(o)–, echin(o)–.

.8 VERBS come *or* taper to a point, acuminate; prick, sting, stick, bite; be keen, have an edge, cut; bristle with.

.9 **sharpen, edge,** acuminate, aculeate, spiculate, taper; **whet, hone,** oilstone, file, grind; strop, strap; set, reset; **point,** cuspidate; barb, spur.

.10 ADJS **sharp,** oxy–, **keen, edged, acute,** acuto– *or* acuti–, fine, **cutting,** knifelike; sharp-edged, keen-edged, razor-edged, knife-edged, featheredged, sharp as broken glass; acrid 433.6; two-edged, double-edged; sharp as a razor *or* needle *or* tack, "sharp as a two-edged sword" [Bible], "sharper than a serpent's tooth" [Shakespeare]; sharpened, set.

.11 **pointed,** acuminate, acuate, aculeate, mucronate, acute, unbated; tapered, tapering; cusped, cuspidate; **sharp-pointed; needlelike,** needle-sharp, needle-pointed, needly, acicular, aculeiform; toothed, –dentate; **spiked,** spiky, spiculate; **barbed, tined, pronged; horned,** horny, cornuted, corniculate, cornified; **spined, spiny,** spinous, hispid, acanthoid, acanthous, "like quills upon the fretful porpentine" [Shakespeare].

.12 **prickly,** pricky [informal], muricate, echinate, acanaceous, aculeolate; pricking, stinging; **thorny,** brambly, briery, thistly; bristly.

.13 **arrowlike,** arrowy, arrowheaded; sagittal, sagittate, sagittiform.

.14 **spearlike,** hastate; lancelike, lanciform, lanceolate, lanceolar; **spindle-shaped,** fusiform.

.15 **swordlike,** gladiate, ensate, ensiform; xiph(o)– *or* xiphi–.

.16 **toothlike,** dentiform, dentoid, odontoid; dental; molar; bicuspid; **toothed,** toothy, **fanged, tusked;** snaggle-toothed, snagged.

.17 **star-shaped, starlike,** star-pointed.

.18 **points**

antler	dibble
awl	fid
barb	fishhook
barblet	fork
barbule	gaff
barbwire, barbed wire	gaffle
bodkin	gimlet
bradawl	goad
caltrop	harpoon
carpet tack	hat pin
cheval-de-frise, chevaux-de-frise	hook
	horn
cockspur	icepick
lance	skewer
lancet	spearhead
marlinespike	spicule
nail	spiculum
oxgoad	spike
pike	spine
pin	spit
pitchfork	spur
prong	staple
punch	tack
quill	thumbtack
rowel	tine, tang [Scot]

.19 **sharpeners**

Carborundum	oilstone
emery	rubstone
emery wheel	steel
file	strap, strop
grindstone	whetrock
hone	whetstone
novaculite	whittle

259. BLUNTNESS

.1 NOUNS **bluntness, dullness,** unsharpness, obtuseness, obtundity; bluffness; abruptness; flatness; toothlessness, lack of bite *or* incisiveness.

.2 VERBS **blunt, dull,** disedge, retund, obtund, **take the edge off;** turn, turn the edge *or* point of; weaken, repress; draw the teeth *or* fangs; bate.

.3 ADJS **blunt, dull,** obtuse; bluntish, dullish; **unsharp,** unsharpened; **unedged,** edgeless; rounded, faired, smoothed; **unpointed,** pointless; blunted, dulled; blunt-edged, dull-edged; blunt-pointed, dull-pointed, blunt-ended; bluff, abrupt; ambly(o)–.

.4 **toothless,** teethless, edentate, edental, biteless.

260. SMOOTHNESS

.1 NOUNS **smoothness, flatness, levelness,** evenness, uniformity, regularity; **sleekness,** glossiness; **slickness,** slipperiness, lubricity, oiliness, greasiness, frictionlessness; silkiness, satininess, velvetiness; glabrousness, glabriety; downiness; suavity 936.5.

.2 **polish, gloss, glaze,** burnish, **shine, luster,** finish; **patina.**

.3 (smooth surface) smooth, **plane, level, flat;** tennis court, bowling alley *or* green, billiard table *or* ball; slide; glass, ice; marble, alabaster, ivory; silk, satin, velvet; mahogany.

.4 **smoother,** smooth; roller, lawn-roller; sleeker, slicker; **polish,** burnish; **abrasive,** abradant.

.5 VERBS **smooth, flatten, plane,** planish, **level,** even, equalize; **dress,** dub, dab; smooth down *or* out, lay; plaster, plaster

down; harrow, drag; grade; mow, shave; lubricate, oil, grease.

.6 **press,** hot-press, **iron, mangle,** calender; roll.

.7 **polish, shine, burnish, furbish,** sleek, slick, slick down, gloss, glaze, glance, luster; **rub,** scour, **buff;** wax, varnish; finish.

.8 **grind, file, sand,** sandpaper, emery, pumice; sandblast.

.9 ADJS **smooth,** lio– *or* leio–, liss(o)–; smooth-textured *or* -surfaced, **even, level, plane, flat,** regular, uniform, **unbroken;** unrough, unroughened, unruffled, unwrinkled; glabrous, glabrate, glabrescent; downy; smooth as a billiard ball *or* a baby's ass; leiotrichous, lissotrichous; smooth-shaven 232.17; suave 936.18.

.10 **sleek, slick, glossy,** shiny, gleaming; silky, silken, satiny, velvety; **polished,** burnished, furbished; buffed, rubbed, finished; varnished, lacquered, shellacked, glazed, *glacé* [Fr]; **glassy,** smooth as glass.

.11 **slippery,** slippy, **slick,** slithery [informal], sliddery [dial], slippery as an eel; lubricious, lubric, oily, greasy, buttery, soaped; lubricated, oiled, greased.

.12 ADVS **smoothly, evenly,** regularly, uniformly; **like clockwork,** on wheels.

.13 **smoothers**

buff
buffer
burnisher
calender
chamois
drag
electric iron
flatiron
floor polisher
floor sander
glazer
goose
grader
harrow
hot press
iron
ironing board
mangle
plane 348.17
planisher
polisher
press
presser
roller
rolling pin
sadiron
sander
smoothing iron
steamroller
trouser press
trowel 348.16
waxer
wringer

.14 **polishes, abrasives**

aluminum oxide
auto polish
colcothar
corundum
crocus
emery
emery board
emery paper
ferric oxide
file
furniture polish
garnet
jeweler's rouge
nail file
pumice
pumice stone
quartz sand
rasp
rottenstone
rouge
sandpaper
scouring pad
shoe polish
silicon carbide
silver polish
tripoli
wax

261. ROUGHNESS

.1 NOUNS **roughness, unsmoothness, unevenness,** irregularity, ununiformity, nonuniformity 18, inequality, harshness, asperity; **ruggedness,** rugosity; **jaggedness,** raggedness, cragginess, scraggliness; joltiness, bumpiness; rough air, turbulence; choppiness; tooth; granulation; hispidity, bristliness, spininess; nubbiness, nubbliness.

.2 (rough surface) **rough,** broken ground; broken water, chop, lop; **corrugation,** ripple, washboard; washboard *or* corduroy road, corduroy; gooseflesh, goose bumps, goose pimples, horripilation; sandpaper.

.3 **bristle,** barb, barbel, striga, setule, setula, seta, seti–; **stubble.**

.4 VERBS **roughen,** rough, rough up; coarsen; granulate; gnarl, knob, stud, boss; pimple, horripilate.

.5 **ruffle,** wrinkle, corrugate, crinkle, crumple, **rumple; bristle; rub the wrong way, go against the grain,** set on edge.

.6 ADJS **rough, unsmooth,** trachy–; **uneven,** ununiform, unlevel, inequal, **broken,** irregular, textured; jolty, **bumpy,** rutty, rutted, pitted, pocky, potholed; horripilant, pimply; **corrugated,** ripply, wimpled; **choppy;** ruffled, unkempt; **shaggy,** shagged; **coarse,** rank, unrefined; unpolished; rough-grained, coarse-grained, cross-grained; grainy, granulated; rough-hewn, rough-cast; homespun, linsey-woolsey.

.7 **rugged,** ragged, harsh; rugose, rugous, wrinkled, crinkled, crumpled, corrugated; **jagged,** jaggy; **snaggy,** snagged, snaggled; scraggy, scragged, scraggly; sawtooth, sawtoothed, serrate, serrated; **craggy,** cragged; **rocky,** gravelly, stony; rockbound, ironbound.

.8 **gnarled,** gnarly; **knurled,** knurly; **knotted,** knotty, knobby, knobbly, nodose, nodular, studded, lumpy.

.9 **bristly, bristling,** bristled, hispid, hirsute, barbellate, glochidiate, setaceous, setous, setose; strigal, strigose, strigate, studded; **stubbled,** stubbly; hairy 230.24.

.10 bristlelike, setiform, aristate, setarious.

.11 ADVS **roughly,** rough, in the rough; **unsmoothly,** brokenly, **unevenly,** irregularly, raggedly, choppily, jaggedly.

.12 cross-grained, **against the grain,** the wrong way.

262. NOTCH

.1 NOUNS **notch, nick,** nock, **cut,** cleft, **incision, gash,** hack, blaze, scotch, **score,** kerf,

crena, depression, jag; jog, joggle; **indentation** 257.6.

.2 **notching, serration,** serrulation; denticulation, dentil, dentil band, dogtooth; crenation, crenelation, crenulation; scallop; rickrack; picot edge, Vandyke edge; deckle edge; cockscomb, crest; saw, saw teeth, pri– *or* prion(o)–.

.3 battlement, crenel, merlon, embrasure, castellation, machicolation.

.4 VERBS **notch, nick, cut, incise, gash,** slash, chop, crimp, scotch, **score,** blaze, jag, scarify; **indent** 257.14; scallop, crenellate, crenulate, machicolate; serrate, pink, mill, knurl, tooth, picot, Vandyke.

.5 ADJS **notched, nicked,** incised, gashed, scotched, scored, chopped, blazed; **indented** 257.17; serrate, serrated, serrulated, serrato–; crenate, crenated, crenulate, crenellated, battlemented, embrasured; scalloped; dentate, dentated, toothed; **saw-toothed,** sawlike; lacerate, lacerated; **jagged,** jaggy; erose.

263. FURROW

.1 NOUNS **furrow, groove,** scratch, crack, cranny, chase, chink, score, **cut,** gash, striation, streak, stria, **gouge,** slit, incision; sulcus, sulcation; **rut,** ruck [dial], wheeltrack, well-worn groove; wrinkle 264.3; **corrugation;** flute, fluting; rifling; chamfer, bezel, rabbet, dado; microgroove; **engraving** 578.2.

.2 **trench, trough, channel, ditch,** dike, fosse, **canal,** cut, gutter, kennel [Brit]; moat; sunk fence, ha-ha; aqueduct 396.2; entrenchment 799.5; canalization; pleat, crimp, goffer.

.3 VERBS **furrow, groove,** score, scratch, incise, cut, carve, chisel, gash, striate, streak, gouge, slit, crack; plow; rifle; **channel, trough, flute,** chamfer, rabbet, dado; **trench,** canal, canalize, **ditch,** dike, gully, **rut; corrugate;** wrinkle 264.6; pleat, crimp, goffer; **engrave** 578.10.

.4 ADJS **furrowed, grooved,** scratched, scored, incised, cut, gashed, gouged, slit, striated; **channeled, troughed, fluted,** chamfered, rabbeted, dadoed; rifled; sulcate, sulcated; canaliculate, canaliculated; **corrugated,** corrugate; corduroy, corduroyed, **rutted,** rutty; wrinkled 264.8, pleated, crimped, goffered; **engraved** 578.12; ribbed, costate.

264. FOLD

.1 NOUNS **fold, double,** doubling, duplicature; ply; plication, plica, plicature; flection, flexure; **crease,** creasing; crimp; **tuck, gather;** ruffle, frill, ruche, ruching; flounce; lappet; lapel; dog-ear.

.2 **pleat,** plait, plat [dial]; accordion pleat, box pleat, knife pleat.

.3 **wrinkle, corrugation,** ridge, **furrow, crease,** rivel, crimp, ruck, **pucker,** cockle; **crinkle,** crankle, rimple, ripple, wimple; crumple, rumple; crow's-feet.

.4 **folding, creasing,** infolding, infoldment *or* enfoldment; plication, plicature; paper-folding, *origami* [Jap].

.5 VERBS **fold,** infold *or* enfold, **double,** ply, plicate; fold over, double over, lap over, turn over *or* under; **crease, crimp;** crisp; **pleat,** plait, plat [dial]; **tuck, gather;** ruffle, ruff, frill; flounce; twill, quill, flute; dog-ear; interfold.

.6 **wrinkle, corrugate,** shirr, ridge, **furrow, crease,** crimp, crimple, cockle, cocker, **pucker, purse; knit,** knot; ruck, ruckle; **crumple,** rumple; **crinkle,** rimple, ripple, wimple.

.7 ADJS **folded, doubled;** plicate, plicated; **pleated,** plaited; **creased,** crimped; tucked, gathered; flounced, ruffled; twilled, quilled, fluted; dog-eared; foldable, folding, flexible, pliable, plicatile.

.8 **wrinkled, wrinkly; corrugated,** corrugate; **creased,** rucked, **furrowed** 263.4, ridged; cockled, cockly; puckered, puckery; pursed, pursy; knitted, knotted; rugged, rugose, rugous; **crinkled,** crinkly, cranklety [dial], rimpled, rippled; crimped, crimpy; **crumpled,** rumpled.

265. OPENING

.1 NOUNS **opening, aperture, hole,** hollow, **cavity** 257.2, **orifice,** –trema, –pyle, –stome; slot, split, crack, check, leak; opening up, unstopping, uncorking, clearing, throwing open, laying open, broaching; passageway 657.4; inlet 302.5; outlet 303.9; **gap,** gape, yawn, hiatus, lacuna, gat, space, interval; **chasm, gulf;** cleft 201.2; fontanel; foramen, fenestra; stoma; pore, poro–; fistula; **disclosure** 556.

.2 **gaping, yawning,** oscitation, oscitancy, dehiscence, pandiculation; **gape, yawn;** the gapes.

.3 **perforation, penetration, piercing,** empiercement, **puncture,** goring, boring, puncturing, punching, pricking, lancing, broach, transforation, terebration; acupuncture, acupunctuation; trephining, trepanning; **impalement,** skewering, fixing, transfixion, transfixation; bore, bore-

hole, drill hole; trypan(o)–, –tresia, –nyxis.

.4 (holes) armhole; bullet-hole, bunghole, keyhole, knothole, loophole, manhole, mousehole, peephole, pigeonhole, pinhole, porthole, punch-hole; placket, placket hole, tap, vent, venthole, air hole, blowhole, spiracle; eye, eyelet, eye of a needle; grommet, cringle, gasket, loop, guide; deadeye.

.5 **mouth,** oro– *or* ori–, stomat(o)–, stom(o)–, –stoma, –stomum; maw, oral cavity, gob [dial], gab [Scot]; **muzzle,** jaw, lips, embouchure; bazoo *or* kisser *or* mug *or* mush *or* trap *or* yap [all slang]; **jaws,** mandibles, chops, chaps, jowls, maxilla, maxill(o)– *or* maxilli–, geny(o)–, premaxilla.

.6 **anus; asshole** *or* bumhole *or* bunghole [all slang]; bung.

.7 **door,** doorway 302.6; **entrance, entry** 302.5.

.8 **window,** casement; porthole, port, portlight; bull's-eye, *œil-de-bœuf* [Fr]; casement window; bay window, bow window, bay, window bay, oriel, lancet window, rose window, dormer; picture window; louver window; grille, wicket, lattice; fanlight, fan window; skylight, lantern; transom; **windowpane,** window glass, pane, light.

.9 **porousness,** porosity; sievelikeness, cribriformity, cribrosity; screen, sieve, strainer, colander, riddle, cribble, net; honeycomb; sponge.

.10 **permeability, perviousness.**

.11 **opener;** can opener, tin opener [Brit]; corkscrew, bottle screw, bottle opener, church key [informal]; latchstring; **key,** clavis, cleid(o)–; latchkey; passkey, *passe-partout* [Fr], master key, skeleton key; open sesame.

.12 VERBS **open, ope, open up;** lay open, throw open; fly open, spring open, swing open; **tap, broach;** cut open, cut, cleave, split, slit, crack, chink, fissure, crevasse, incise; rift, rive; tear open, rent, tear, rip; part, dispart, separate, divide, divaricate; spread, spread out.

.13 **unclose,** unshut; **unfold,** unwrap, unroll; **unstop, unclog, unblock,** clear, unfoul, free, deobstruct; **unplug,** uncork; **unlock,** unlatch, undo; unseal, unclench, unclutch; **uncover,** uncase, unsheathe, unveil, undrape, uncurtain; **disclose** 556.4, expose, reveal, bare, patefy, manifest.

.14 **make an opening,** find an opening, make place *or* space, **make way, make room.**

.15 **breach,** rupture; **break open,** force *or* pry *or* prize open, crack *or* split open, rip *or* tear open; break into, break through; break in, burst in, bust in [informal], stave *or* stove in, cave in.

.16 **perforate, pierce,** empierce, **penetrate, puncture, punch,** prick, bite, hole; **tap, broach; stab, stick,** pink, run through; **transfix,** transpierce, fix, **impale,** spit, skewer; gore, spear, lance, spike, needle; **bore, drill,** auger; **ream,** ream out, countersink, gouge, gouge out; trepan, trephine; punch full of holes, **riddle, honeycomb.**

.17 **gape,** gap [dial], **yawn,** oscitate, dehisce, hang open.

.18 ADJS **open, unclosed,** uncovered; **unobstructed, unstopped, unclogged;** clear, cleared, free; wide-open, unrestricted; **disclosed** 555.10; bare, exposed, unhidden 555.11, naked, bald.

.19 **gaping, yawning,** oscitant, slack-jawed, openmouthed; dehiscent, ringent; agape, ajar.

.20 **apertured,** slotted, **holey;** pierced, **perforated,** perforate; honeycombed, like Swiss cheese, riddled, *criblé* [Fr], shot through, peppered; windowed, fenestrated.

.21 **porous,** porose; sievelike, cribose, cribriform; spongy, spongelike; percolating, leachy.

.22 **permeable, pervious, penetrable,** openable, accessible.

.23 **mouthlike, oral,** orificial; mandibular, maxillary.

.24 INTERJS **open up!,** open sesame!, **gangway!,** passageway!, **make way!**

266. CLOSURE

.1 NOUNS **closure, closing, shutting,** shutting up, occlusion, occlus(o)–, –clisis *or* –cleisis; **shutdown;** blockade.

.2 **imperviousness, impermeability, impenetrability,** impassability; imperforation.

.3 **obstruction, clog, block,** blockade, sealing off, **blockage,** strangulation, choking, choking off, **stoppage,** stop, **bar, barrier, obstacle,** impediment; **congestion,** jam; gorge; constipation, obstipation, costiveness; infarct, infarction; embolism, embolus; bottleneck; **blind alley,** blank wall, **dead end,** cul-de-sac, impasse; cecum, blind gut 225.4.

.4 **stopper,** stop, **stopple,** stopgap; **plug, cork,** bung, spike, spill, spile, tap, faucet, spigot, valve, check valve, cock, sea cock, peg, pin; lid 228.5.

.5 stopping, **wadding, stuffing,** padding, **packing,** tampon; gland; gasket.

.6 VERBS **close, shut,** occlude; close up, shut up, contract, constrict, strangle, choke, choke off, squeeze shut, fold, fold up; **fasten,** secure; **lock,** lock up, lock out, key, padlock, latch, bolt, bar, barricade; **seal,** seal up, seal off; plumb; button, button up; snap; zipper, zip up; batten, batten down; put *or* slap the lid on, **cover;** contain; shut the door, slam, clap, bang.

.7 **stop, stop up; obstruct, bar,** stay; **block,** block up; **clog,** clog up, foul; **choke,** choke up *or* off; **fill,** fill up; **stuff,** pack, jam; **congest,** stuff up; **plug,** plug up; stopper, stopple, **cork,** bung, spile; cover; **dam,** dam up; stanch, stench [Scot]; chink; caulk; blockade; constipate, obstipate, bind.

.8 **shut up shop,** close shop, **close up** *or* **down,** shut up, **shut down,** shutter, put up the shutters; cease 144.6.

.9 ADJS **closed, shut, unopen,** unopened, cleisto– *or* clisto–; unvented, unventilated; contracted, constricted, choked, choked off, squeezed shut, strangulated; blank; blind, cecal, dead; dead-end, blind-alley.

.10 **unpierced,** pierceless, **unperforated,** imperforate, intact; **untrodden,** pathless, wayless, trackless.

.11 **stopped, stopped up; obstructed,** infarcted, **blocked; plugged,** plugged up; **clogged,** clogged up; foul, fouled; **choked,** choked up; **full, stuffed,** packed, jammed; **congested,** stuffed up; constipated, obstipated, costive, bound.

.12 **close, tight, compact,** fast, shut fast, **snug,** staunch, firm; **sealed;** hermetic(al), hermetically sealed; airtight, dusttight *or* dustproof, gastight *or* gasproof, lighttight *or* lightproof, oiltight *or* oilproof, raintight *or* rainproof, smoketight *or* smokeproof, stormtight *or* stormproof, watertight *or* waterproof, windtight *or* windproof; water-repellant *or* -resistant.

.13 **impervious, impenetrable, impermeable; impassable,** unpassable; unpierceable, unperforable; **punctureproof,** nonpuncturable, holeproof.

267. MOTION

(motion in general)

.1 NOUNS **motion,** moto–; **movement,** moving, **move,** stir, unrest, restlessness; going, running, stirring; **activity** 707; kinesis, kinetics, kinematics, –kinesia, kin–, kine– *or* kino–, kinesi(o)–, kinet(o)–; dynamics; kinesiatrics, kinesipathy, kinesitherapy; **actuation,** motivation; mobilization; **velocity** 269.1,2.

.2 **course, career,** set, **passage, progress,** trend, **advance,** forward motion, traject, trajet, **flow,** flux, flight, **stream, current,** run, rush, onrush, ongoing; drift, driftage; backward motion, **regression,** retrogression, sternway, backing; backflowing, reflowing, refluence, reflux, ebbing, subsiding; downward motion, **descent,** descending, sinking, plunging; upward motion, mounting, climbing, rising, **ascent,** ascending, soaring; oblique motion; sideward motion; radial motion, angular motion, axial motion; random motion, Brownian movement.

.3 **mobility, motivity,** motive power, motility, movableness; **locomotion;** motorium.

.4 **rate, gait, pace,** tread, step, stride, clip *or* lick [both informal]; **travel** 273, **progress,** career.

.5 VERBS **move, budge, stir;** go, run, flow, stream; **progress,** advance; **back,** back up, regress, retrogress; ebb, subside, wane; **descend,** sink, plunge; **ascend,** mount, rise, climb, soar; go sideways, go round *or* around, circle, rotate, gyrate, spin, whirl; travel 273.17; move over, get over; shift, change, shift *or* change place.

.6 **set in motion, move, actuate,** motivate, push, shove, nudge, **drive,** impel, propel; mobilize.

.7 ADJS **moving, stirring, in motion;** transitional; **mobile,** motive, motile, motor; motivational, impelling, propelling, propellant, driving; traveling 273.35; **active** 707.17; moto–, phoro–, plan(o)–, zo(o)–.

.8 **flowing,** fluent, passing, streaming, flying, **running, going, progressive,** rushing; drifting; **regressive,** retrogressive, back, **backward;** back-flowing, refluent, reflowing; descending, sinking, plunging, **downward,** down-trending; ascending, mounting, rising, soaring, **upward,** up-trending; sideward; **rotary,** rotatory, rotational; axial, gyrational, gyratory.

.9 ADVS **under way,** under sail, on one's way, on the go *or* move *or* fly *or* run *or* march, **in motion, astir;** from pillar to post.

268. QUIESCENCE

(being at rest; absence of motion)

.1 NOUNS **quiescence** *or* quiescency, **stillness,** silence 451, quietness, **quiet,** qui-

etude, "lucid stillness" [T. S. Eliot]; **calmness,** restfulness, **peacefulness,** imperturbability, "wise passiveness" [Wordsworth], placidness, **placidity, tranquillity, serenity, peace, composure;** quietism, contemplation, satori, nirvana, ataraxy *or* ataraxia; **rest,** stato–; **repose,** silken repose, statuelike *or* marmoreal repose; sleep, slumber.

.2 **motionlessness, immobility; inactivity,** inaction; fixity, fixation 142.2,3.

.3 **standstill, stand,** stillstand; **stop, halt, cessation** 144; dead stop, dead stand, full stop; deadlock, lock, dead set; running *or* dying down, subsidence, waning, ebbing, wane, ebb.

.4 **inertness, dormancy; inertia,** vis inertiae; passiveness, passivity; suspense, abeyance, latency; torpor, apathy, indifference, indolence, lotus-eating, languor; **stagnation,** stagnancy, **vegetation,** stasis; deathliness, deadliness; catalepsy, catatonia; entropy.

.5 **calm, lull,** lull *or* calm before the storm; dead calm, flat calm, oily calm, windlessness, deathlike calm; doldrums, horse latitudes; anticyclone.

.6 **airlessness, closeness, oppressiveness,** oppression, **stuffiness.**

.7 VERBS **be still, keep quiet,** lie still; **rest, repose; remain, stay,** tarry; remain motionless, freeze [informal]; stand, **stand still,** be at a standstill; stand *or* stick fast, stick, stand firm, stay put [informal]; stand like a post; **not stir,** not stir a step; not breathe, hold one's breath; abide, abide one's time, mark time, tread water, coast; rest on one's oars, rest and be thankful.

.8 **quiet,** quieten, **lull, soothe,** quiesce, **calm,** calm down, tranquilize 163.7, pacify; **stop** 144.7, halt, bring to a standstill; **cease** 144.6, wane, subside, ebb, run *or* die down, dwindle, molder.

.9 **stagnate, vegetate,** fust [archaic]; sleep, slumber; smolder, hang fire; idle.

.10 **sit,** set [dial], **sit down, be seated,** remain seated; perch, roost.

.11 **becalm,** take the wind out of one's sails.

.12 ADJS **quiescent, quiet, still,** stilly [archaic], stillish, hushed; waning, subsiding, ebbing, dwindling, moldering; **at rest,** resting, reposing; restful, reposeful; cloistered, sequestered, sequestrated, isolated, secluded, sheltered; **calm, tranquil, peaceful,** peaceable, pacific, halcyon; **placid, smooth; unruffled, untroubled,** cool, undisturbed, unperturbed, unagitated, unmoved, unstirring; stolid, stoic, impassive; even-tenored; calm as a mill pond; still as death, "quiet as a street at night" [Rupert Brooke].

.13 **motionless, unmoving,** unmoved, moveless, **immobile,** immotive, aplano–, ankyl(o)–; **still, fixed, stationary,** static, at a standstill; **stock-still,** dead-still; still as a statue, statuelike; still as a mouse; at anchor, riding at anchor; idle, unemployed, out of commission.

.14 **inert, inactive, static, dormant,** passive, sedentary; **latent,** unaroused, suspended, abeyant, in suspense *or* abeyance; sleeping, slumbering, smoldering; **stagnant,** standing, foul; **torpid, languorous, languid,** apathetic, phlegmatic, **sluggish,** logy, dopey [informal], groggy, heavy, leaden, **dull,** flat, slack, **tame, dead,** lifeless; catatonic, cataleptic.

.15 **untraveled, stay-at-home,** stick-in-the-mud [informal], home-keeping.

.16 **airless,** breathless, breezeless, windless; **close, stuffy, oppressive, stifling, suffocating;** not a breath of air, not a leaf stirring, "not wind enough to twirl the one red leaf" [Coleridge]; ill-ventilated, unventilated, unvented.

.17 **becalmed,** in a dead calm.

.18 ADVS quiescently, **quietly,** stilly, still; **calmly, tranquilly, peacefully; placidly,** smoothly, unperturbedly.

.19 **motionlessly,** movelessly, stationarily, fixedly.

.20 **inertly, inactively,** statically, dormantly, passively, latently; stagnantly; **torpidly, languorously, languidly; sluggishly,** heavily, dully, coldly, lifelessly, apathetically, phlegmatically; stoically, stolidly, impassively.

269. SWIFTNESS

.1 NOUNS **velocity, speed,** drom(o)–, tacho–; **rapidity,** celerity, **swiftness,** fastness, **quickness,** snappiness [informal], **speediness;** haste, hurry, flurry, rush, precipitation; dispatch, expedition, promptness, promptitude, instantaneousness; flight, flit; lightning speed; fast *or* swift rate, smart *or* rattling *or* spanking *or* lively *or* snappy pace, round pace; air speed, ground speed, speed over the bottom; miles per hour, knots; rpm 322.3.

.2 **speed of sound, sonic speed,** Mach, Mach number, Mach one, Mach two, etc.; subsonic speed; supersonic *or* ultrasonic *or* hypersonic *or* transsonic speed; sound barrier 278.40; escape velocity.

.3 **run, sprint; dash, rush,** plunge, headlong

rush *or* plunge, **race, scurry, scamper,** scud, scuttle, **spurt,** burst, **burst of speed;** canter, **gallop,** lope; high lope, hand gallop, full gallop; dead run; **trot,** dogtrot, jog trot; open throttle, flat-out speed [Brit], wide-open speed, heavy right foot, maximum speed; forced draft, flank speed [both naut].

.4 **acceleration, quickening; pickup,** getaway; step-up, speedup; thrust, drive, impetus.

.5 **speeder,** scorcher *or* hell-driver [both informal], flier, goer, stepper; hummer *or* hustler *or* sizzler [all informal]; **speed demon** *or* maniac *or* merchant [informal]; **racer, runner;** horse racer, turfman, jockey; Jehu.

.6 (comparisons) lightning, greased lightning [informal], thunderbolt, flash, streak of lightning, streak, blue streak [informal], bat out of hell [slang], light, electricity, thought, wind, shot, cannonball, rocket, arrow, dart, quicksilver, mercury, express train, jet plane, torrent, eagle, swallow, antelope, courser, gazelle, greyhound, hare, blue darter, striped snake, scared rabbit.

.7 **speedometer,** accelerometer; cyclometer; tachometer; Mach meter; log, log line, patent log, taffrail log, harpoon log, ground log; wind gauge, anemometer.

.8 VERBS **speed, go fast,** clip [informal], spank *or* cut along [informal], **tear along, bowl along,** thunder along, storm along, breeze *or* **breeze along** [both informal], tear up the track *or* road [informal], eat up the track *or* road [informal], scorch *or* sizzle [both informal]; **rip, zip, whiz,** whisk, sweep, brush, nip, **tear,** skim; **fly,** zing [informal], flit, fleet, wing one's way, fly low [informal], outstrip the wind; **highball** [informal], ball the jack [slang], **barrel** [informal], pour it on [informal], boom, **zoom;** make knots, foot; break the sound barrier.

.9 **rush, tear, dash, dart,** shoot, hurtle, bolt, fling, **scamper, scurry,** skedaddle [informal], **scoot,** scour, scud, scuttle, scramble, **race,** career; **hasten,** haste, make haste, **hurry,** hie, post; **step on it** [informal], step on the gas [informal], hump *or* hump it [both slang], stir one's stumps [slang]; march in quick *or* double-quick time.

.10 **run, sprint, trip,** spring, **bound,** leap; hotfoot *or* hightail *or* make tracks [all informal], **step lively** [informal], step *or* step along [both informal], carry the mail [informal], hop *or* hop along [both informal], get [slang], git [dial]; gallop, lope, canter; trot, fox-trot.

.11 **go like the wind,** go like a shot *or* flash, go like lightning *or* a streak of lightning, go like greased lightning [informal], go like a bat out of hell [slang], run like a scared rabbit [informal], run like mad [informal], go hell-bent for election [informal].

.12 **make time,** make good time, cover **ground,** get over the ground, **make strides** *or* **rapid strides,** make the best of one's way.

.13 **go at full blast** [informal], **go all out** [informal], run wide open, go full speed ahead, go at full tilt *or* steam, go flat out [Brit], let her out [informal], **open her up** [informal].

.14 **accelerate, speed up, step up** [informal], **hurry up, quicken; step on it** [slang]; **hasten** 709.4; get a move on [informal], crack on, put on, put on steam, pour on the coal, put on more speed, open the throttle; quicken one's pace; pick up speed, gain ground; give it the gas *or* step on its tail *or* give it the gun [all slang]; race (a motor), rev [informal].

.15 [naut terms] put on sail, crack *or* pack on sail, crowd sail, press her.

.16 **spurt,** make a spurt *or* dash, **dash ahead, dart ahead, shoot ahead,** rush ahead, put on *or* make a burst of speed.

.17 **overtake, outstrip, overhaul,** catch up, **catch up with,** come up with *or* to, gain on *or* upon, pass, lap; outpace, outrun, outsail; leave behind, leave standing *or* looking *or* flatfooted.

.18 **keep up with,** keep pace with, run neck and neck.

.19 ADJS **fast, swift, speedy, rapid,** oxy–, tachy–; **quick,** double-quick, express, **fleet, hasty, expeditious,** hustling, snappy [informal], dashing, flying, galloping, running, –dromous, spanking [informal]; **agile, nimble,** lively, nimble-footed, light-footed, light-legged, light of heel; winged, eagle-winged; mercurial; quick as lightning, quick as thought, swift as an arrow, "swifter than arrow from the Tartar's bow" [Shakespeare]; **breakneck,** reckless, headlong, precipitate; quick as a wink, quick on the trigger [informal], hair-trigger [informal]; **prompt** 131.9.

.20 **supersonic,** transsonic, ultrasonic, hypersonic, faster than sound; **high-speed,** high-velocity, high-geared.

.21 ADVS **swiftly, rapidly, quickly,** snappily

[informal], **speedily,** with speed, **fast, quick,** apace, amain, on eagle's wings, *ventre à terre* [Fr]; at a great rate, at a good clip [informal], with rapid strides, with giant strides, *à pas de geant* [Fr], in seven-league boots, **by leaps and bounds,** trippingly; **lickety-split** *or* lickety-cut [both slang]; hell-bent *or* hell-bent for election *or* hell for leather [all slang]; **posthaste,** post, **hastily,** expeditiously, promptly, with great *or* all haste, whip and spur, **hand over hand** *or* **fist;** double-quick, in double time, in double-quick time, on the double *or* on the double-quick [both informal]; in high gear, in high; under press of sail, under press of sail and steam, under forced draft, at flank speed [all naut].

.22 **like a shot, like a flash,** like a streak, like a blue streak [informal], like a streak of lightning, like lightning, like greased lightning [informal], **like a bat out of hell** [slang], like a scared rabbit [informal], **like a house afire** [informal]; **like sixty** [informal], **like mad** *or* **crazy** *or* fury [all informal], like sin [informal]; **to beat the band** *or* the Dutch *or* the deuce *or* the devil [all informal].

.23 **in short order, in no time,** instantaneously, immediately if not sooner, in less than no time, in nothing flat [informal]; in a jiff *or* jiffy [both informal], before you can say 'Jack Robinson', **in a flash,** in a twink, **in a twinkling,** "in the twinkling of an eye" [Bible], *tout de suite* [Fr], pronto [informal].

.24 **at full speed,** with all speed, at full throttle, **at the top of one's bent, for all one is worth** [informal], as fast as one's legs will carry one, as fast as one can lay feet to the ground; **at full blast,** at full drive *or* pelt; under full steam, in full sail; **all out** [slang], flat out [Brit], **wide open;** full speed ahead.

270. SLOWNESS

.1 NOUNS **slowness, leisureliness,** pokiness, slackness, creeping; sluggishness, sloth, laziness, idleness, indolence, sluggardy, languor, inertia, inertness, lentitude *or* lentor [both archaic]; deliberateness, deliberation, circumspection, tentativeness, cautiousness, reluctance, foot-dragging [informal]; drawl.

.2 **slow motion, leisurely gait,** snail's *or* tortoise's pace; **creep, crawl; walk,** footpace, dragging *or* lumbering pace, trudge, waddle, saunter, stroll; slouch, shuffle, plod, shamble; limp, claudication, hobble; dogtrot, jog trot; jog, rack; mincing steps; slow march, dead *or* funeral march, andante.

.3 **dawdling, lingering, loitering, tarrying,** dalliance, **dallying,** dillydallying, shilly-shallying, lollygagging, dilatoriness, procrastination 132.5, lag, **lagging,** goofing off [slang].

.4 **slowing, retardation,** retardment, **slackening,** flagging, slowing down; **slowdown,** slowup, **letup, letdown, slack-up, slack-off,** ease-off, ease-up; **deceleration,** negative *or* minus acceleration; **delay** 132.2, **detention, setback, holdup** [informal], check, arrest, obstruction; lag, drag.

.5 **slowpoke** [informal], plodder, slow goer, **slow-foot,** slowbelly, **lingerer, loiterer, dawdler,** dawdle, **laggard,** procrastinator, foot-dragger, stick-in-the-mud [informal], drone, slug, sluggard, lie-abed, sleepyhead, goof-off [slang], goldbrick [slang]; tortoise, snail.

.6 VERBS **go slow** *or* **slowly,** go at a snail's pace, get no place fast [informal]; **drag,** drag out; **creep, crawl;** laze, idle; go dead slow; inch, inch along; worm, worm along; poke, **poke along;** shuffle along, stagger along, totter along, toddle along; drag along, drag one's feet, walk, traipse *or* **mosey** [both informal]; saunter, stroll, amble, waddle, toddle [informal]; jog-trot, dogtrot; limp, hobble, claudicate.

.7 **plod,** plug [informal], peg, **trudge,** tramp, stump, lumber; plod along, plug along [informal], schlep [slang]; rub on, jog on, chug on.

.8 **dawdle, linger, loiter, tarry, delay, dally, dillydally,** shilly-shally, lollygag, waste time, **take one's time,** take one's own sweet time; goof off *or* around [slang]; lag, drag, trail; flag, falter, halt.

.9 **slow, slow down** *or* **up, let down** *or* **up, ease off** *or* **up, slack off** *or* **up, slacken,** relax, moderate, lose speed *or* momentum; **decelerate, retard, delay** 132.8, **detain,** impede, obstruct, arrest, stay, **check,** curb, **hold up, hold back,** keep back, set back, hold in check; draw rein, rein in; throttle down, take one's foot off the gas; brake, **put on the brakes,** put on the drag; reef, take in sail; backwater, backpedal; lose ground; clip the wings.

.10 ADJS **slow,** brady–, **leisurely,** slack, moderate, gentle, **easy,** deliberate, unhurried, relaxed, gradual, circumspect, tentative, cautious, reluctant, foot-dragging [informal]; **creeping, crawling; poking,** poky,

slow-poky [informal]; tottering, staggering, toddling, trudging, **lumbering,** ambling, waddling, shuffling, **sauntering,** strolling; **sluggish,** languid, languorous, lazy, slothful, indolent, idle; **slow-going, slow-moving,** slow-creeping, slow-crawling, slow-running, slow-sailing; **slow-footed,** slow-foot, slow-legged, slow-gaited, slow-paced, slow-stepped, easy-paced, slow-winged; snail-paced, snail-like, tortoiselike, turtlelike, "creeping like snail" [Shakespeare]; limping, hobbling, hobbled; halting, claudicant; faltering, flagging; slow as slow, slow as molasses, slow as death, slower than the seven-year itch [informal].

.11 **dawdling, lingering, loitering, tarrying, dallying, dillydallying,** shilly-shallying, lollygagging, procrastinatory *or* procrastinative, dilatory, delaying 132.17, **lagging,** dragging.

.12 **retarded,** slowed down, **delayed, detained,** checked, **arrested,** impeded, set back, backward, behind; late, **tardy** 132.16.

.13 ADVS **slowly,** slow, **leisurely,** unhurriedly, relaxedly, easily, moderately, gently; creepingly, crawlingly; pokingly, pokily; **sluggishly,** languidly, languorously, lazily, indolently, idly, deliberately, with deliberation, circumspectly, tentatively, cautiously, reluctantly; **lingeringly,** loiteringly, tarryingly, dilatorily; limpingly, haltingly, falteringly; **in slow motion,** at a funeral pace, with faltering *or* halting steps; at a snail's *or* turtle's pace, "in haste like a snail" [John Heywood]; in slow tempo, in march time; with agonizing slowness; in low gear; under easy sail.

.14 **gradually,** little by little 29.6.

271. TRANSFERENCE

(removal from one place to another)

.1 NOUNS **transference, transfer; transmission,** transmittal, transmittance, –phoresis; transposition, transposal, transplacement, mutual transfer, interchange, metathesis; translocation, **transplantation,** translation; migration, transmigration; import, importation, export, exportation; deportation, extradition, expulsion, **transit,** transition, **passage; communication,** spread, spreading, dissemination, diffusion, contagion; metastasis; transmigration of souls, metempsychosis; passing over; osmosis, diapedesis; transduction, conduction, convection; transfusion, perfusion; transfer of property *or* right 817; delivery 818.1; travel 273.

.2 **removal, movement,** moving, relocation, shift, removement, remotion, amotion; **displacement,** delocalization.

.3 **transportation, conveyance, transport, carrying,** bearing, packing, toting [dial], lugging [informal]; **carriage,** carry, **hauling,** haulage, portage, porterage, waft, waftage; **cartage, truckage,** drayage, wagonage; ferriage, lighterage; telpherage; **freightage,** freight, expressage, railway express; airfreight, air express, airlift; **shipment,** shipping, transshipment; asportation.

.4 transferability, conveyability; transmissibility, transmittability; movability, removability; **portability,** transportability; communicability, impartability.

.5 **carrier, conveyer,** –pher, –phor(e), –phorus, –phorum; transporter, hauler, carter, wagoner, drayman, shipper, trucker, common carrier, truck driver; **bearer, porter,** redcap, skycap; coolie; litter-bearer, stretcher-bearer; caddie; shield-bearer, gun bearer; water carrier *or* bearer, water boy, bheesty [India]; the Water Bearer, Aquarius; letter carrier 561.5; busboy; cupbearer, Ganymede, Hebe; expressman, express; freighter; stevedore, cargo handler; carrier pigeon, homing pigeon.

.6 **beast of burden; pack** *or* **draft animal,** pack horse *or* mule, sumpter, sumpter horse *or* mule; **horse** 414.10–19, ass 414.20, mule; ox; camel, ship of the desert, dromedary, llama; reindeer; elephant; sledge dog, husky, malamute, Siberian husky.

.7 **freight,** freightage; **shipment, consignment,** goods [Brit]; **cargo,** payload; lading, load, pack; **baggage, luggage,** impedimenta.

.8 [geol terms] **deposit,** sediment; drift, silt, loess, moraine, scree, sinter; alluvium, alluvion, diluvium; detritus, debris.

.9 VERBS **transfer, transmit, transpose,** translocate, transplace, metathesize, switch; **transplant,** translate; **pass,** pass over, **hand over,** turn over, carry over, make over, consign, assign; **deliver** 818.13; pass on, pass the buck [informal], hand forward, hand on, relay; **import, export;** deport, extradite, expel; communicate, diffuse, disseminate, spread, impart; metastasize; transfuse, perfuse, transfer property *or* right 817.3.

.10 **remove, move, relocate, shift,** send, shunt; displace, delocalize, dislodge; **take away,** cart away, carry off *or* away; man-

handle; set *or* lay *or* put aside, put *or* set to one side, side.

.11 **transport, convey,** freight, conduct, **take; carry, bear,** pack, tote [dial], lug [informal], manhandle; lift, waft, whisk, wing, fly.

.12 **haul, cart,** dray, truck, bus, van, wagon, coach, wheelbarrow; sled, sledge; ship, boat, barge, lighter, ferry; raft, float.

.13 (convey through a channel) **channel,** put through channels; **pipe,** tube, pipeline, flume, **siphon, funnel,** tap.

.14 **send,** send off *or* away, send forth; **dispatch,** transmit, remit, consign, forward; expedite; **ship,** freight, airfreight, embark, **express,** air-express; **post, mail,** airmail, drop a letter; export.

.15 **fetch, bring, go get,** go and get, go to get, **go after,** go fetch, **go for,** call for, pick up; **get,** obtain, procure, secure; **bring back, retrieve;** chase after, run after, shag, fetch and carry.

.16 **ladle, dip, scoop; bail,** bucket; **dish,** dish out *or* up; cup; **shovel,** spade, fork; spoon; **pour,** decant.

.17 ADJS **transferable, conveyable; transmittable,** transmissible, transmissive, consignable; **movable,** removable; **portable,** portative; transportable, transportative, transportive; conductive, conductional; transposable, interchangeable; **communicable,** contagious, impartable; transfusable; metastatic(al), metathetic(al); mailable, expressable; assignable 817.5.

.18 ADVS by transfer, from hand to hand, from door to door; by freight, by express, by rail, by trolley, by bus, by steamer, by airplane, by mail, by special delivery; trans–.

.19 **on the way,** along the way, on the road *or* high road, **en route, in transit,** *in transitu* [L], on the wing, as one goes; in passing, *en passant* [Fr]; in mid-progress.

272. VEHICLE

(means of conveyance)

.1 NOUNS **vehicle, conveyance,** carrier, means of carrying *or* transporting, medium of transportation, carriage; watercraft 277.1–9, aircraft 280; –mobile.

.2 **wagon,** waggon [Brit], wain; haywagon, milkwagon; dray, van, caravan; covered wagon, prairie schooner, Conestoga wagon.

.3 **cart,** two-wheeler; oxcart, horsecart, ponycart, dogcart; dumpcart, coup-cart [Scot]; **handcart** 272.28; jinrikisha, ricksha.

.4 **carriage,** four-wheeler, *voiture* [Fr], gharry [India]; **chaise,** shay [dial], "one hoss shay" [O. W. Holmes, Sr.].

.5 **rig, equipage,** turnout [informal], coach-and-four; team, pair, span; tandem, randem; spike, spike team, unicorn; three-in-hand, four-in-hand, etc.; three-up, four-up, etc.

.6 **baby carriage,** baby buggy [informal], perambulator, pram [Brit]; gocart; **stroller,** walker.

.7 **wheel chair,** Bath chair.

.8 **cycle** 272.29, wheel [informal]; **bicycle,** bike [informal]; **tricycle,** trike [informal]; **motorcycle,** motocycle, motorbike [informal], iron [slang], road-bike [informal], pig [slang], chopper [informal], trail bike; minibike; pedicab.

.9 **automobile** 272.24, **car, auto,** motorcar, motocar, autocar, **machine,** motor, motor vehicle, motorized vehicle, *voiture* [Fr]; bus *or* buggy *or* wheels *or* heap *or* boat *or* crate *or* tub [all slang]; **jalopy** [informal], wreck [informal].

.10 **police car, patrol car; prowl car,** squad car, cruiser; **police van,** patrol wagon; wagon *or* paddy wagon *or* Black Maria [all informal]; carryall.

.11 **truck,** lorry [Brit], *camion* [Fr]; trailer truck, truck trailer, tractor trailer, semitrailer, semi [informal].

.12 (public vehicles) **bus,** omnibus, chartered bus, autobus, motorbus, motor coach, jitney [informal]; double-decker [informal]; **cab, taxicab, taxi,** hack [informal]; rental car; hired car *or* limousine; stage, **stagecoach,** *diligence* [Fr]; mail *or* post coach.

.13 **train,** railroad train; choo-choo *or* choo-choo train [both informal]; passenger train, Amtrak; local, way train, milk train, accommodation train; shuttle train, shuttle; express train, express; lightning express, flier, cannonball express [informal]; local express; special, limited; parliamentary train *or* parliamentary [Brit]; freight train, goods train [Brit], freight, freighter, rattler [slang]; baggage train, luggage train; electric train, electric [informal]; interurban; cable railroad; funicular; cog railroad *or* railway, rack-and-pinion railroad; subway, *métro* [Fr], tube, underground [Brit]; elevated, el [informal]; monorail; streamliner; rolling stock.

.14 **railway car,** car; passenger car, coach, carriage [Brit]; chair car, day coach; sleeping car, sleeper; Pullman, Pullman car; drawing-room car, palace car, parlor car; drawing room, roomette; dining car *or* com-

partment, diner; smoking car *or* compartment, smoker; freight car, waggon [Brit], goods waggon [Brit]; boxcar, box waggon [Brit], covered waggon [Brit]; flatcar, flat, truck [Brit]; gondola car, gondola, open waggon [Brit]; baggage car, luggage van [Brit], van [Brit]; mail car, mail van [Brit]; refrigerator car, reefer [slang]; tank car, tank; stockcar; coal car; tender; caboose; dinghy; way car, local.

.15 **streetcar, trolley** *or* trolley car, **tram** *or* tramcar [both Brit]; electric car, electric [informal]; trolley bus, trackless trolley; horsecar, horse box [Brit]; cable car, grip car.

.16 **handcar** [RR], go-devil; push car, trolley, truck car, rubble car.

.17 **tractor** 272.27, traction engine; Caterpillar tractor, Caterpillar, Cat [informal], tracked vehicle; bulldozer, dozer [informal], calfdozer.

.18 **trailer,** trail car; house trailer, mobile home; truck trailer, **semitrailer,** highway trailer; camp(ing) trailer, caravan [Brit]; **camper,** camping bus.

.19 **sled** 272.31, **sleigh,** *traîneau* [Fr]; snowmobile, Sno-Cat, weasel, Skimobile; runner, blade.

.20 **skates,** ice skates, hockey skates, figure skates; roller skates, skateboard, bob skates; **skis, snowshoes.**

.21 **hovercraft,** hovercar, air-cushion vehicle, ACV, cushioncraft, ground-effect machine, GEM, captured-air vehicle, CAV, captured-air bubble, CAB.

.22 ADJS **vehicular,** transportational; automotive, auto–, locomotive.

.23 **carriages**

araba
barouche
berlin
break
britska
brougham
buckboard
buggy
bullock cart
cabriolet
calash
calèche [Fr]
Cape cart
cariole
carryall
cart
charabanc
chariot
chariotee
charrette [Fr]
clarence
coach
Concord buggy
coupé
curricle
dearborn
desobligeant
dogcart
dormeuse [Fr]
drag
dray
droshky
ekka
fiacre
fly
four-in-hand coach
gig
glass coach
growler
hack
hackery
hackney, hackney coach
hansom, hansom cab
jaunting *or* jaunty car
jigger
jinrikisha
kibitka
kittereen
landau
limber
mail phaeton
outside jaunting car
oxcart
phaeton
post chaise
road cart
rockaway
runabout
shandrydan
sidecar
sociable, sociable coach
spring wagon
stanhope
sulky
surrey
tallyho, tallyho coach
tandem
tilbury
tonga
trap
troika
trolley
tumbrel
vettura [Ital]
victoria
vis-à-vis
voiturette
wagonette
whiskey
Whitechapel cart

.24 **automobiles**

air cushion car
ambulance
armored car
autobolide
beach buggy
beach wagon
berlin
berlin-landaulet
blitzbuggy
brougham
cabriolet
camper
carryall
clubmobile
coach
combat car
command car
compact car
convertible
convertible coupe
convertible sedan
coupe
coupelet
crash wagon
double fueler
dragster
dune buggy
electric brougham
electromobile
fastback
fire engine
fueler
funny car
gocart
golf cart
hardtop
hearse
hot rod
hovercar
jeep
landau
landaulet
land-rover
limousine
locomobile
midget racer
phaeton
race car
racer
racing car
rail
roadster
rocket car
runabout
saloon [Brit]
scout car
sedan
sedan limousine
shooting brake [Brit]
sports car
staff car
station wagon
steamer
stock car
swamp buggy
torpedo
tourer [Brit]
touring car
touring coupe
tow car
tractor
two-seater [Brit]
wrecker

.25 **auto parts**

accelerator
alternator
ammeter
automatic choke
backup light
bearings
bonnet [Brit]
boot [Brit]
brake
bucket seat
bumper
camshaft
carburetor
chassis
choke
clutch
connecting rod
convertible top
cowl
crank
crankcase
crankshaft
cutout
cylinder
cylinder head
dashboard, dash
differential
directional signal

disk brakes
distributor
emergency light
exhaust, exhaust pipe
fan
fender
flywheel
gear
gearbox
gearshift
generator
headlight
headrest
hood
horn
ignition
intake, intake manifold
manifold
muffler
oil gauge
parking light
PCV valve
piston
power brakes
power steering
radiator
radius rod
rear-view mirror
rumble seat
running board
seat belt
seat cover
seat cushion
shock absorber
side mirror
spark plug
speedometer
springs
starter
steering wheel
taillight
tail pipe
top
torsion bar
transmission
universal joint, universal
valve
windscreen [Brit]
windshield

.26 trucks

auto carrier [Brit]
autotruck
bloodmobile
bookmobile
camper
camping bus
carryall
cart
delivery truck
dolly
dray
duck, DUKW
dump truck
fork *or* forklift truck
freighter
garbage truck
hand truck
motor truck
moving van
panel truck
pickup
railroad truck
refrigerator truck
sedan delivery truck
six-by-six
stake truck
tongue truck
tractor, tractor truck
transfer
van
wagon truck
warehouse truck

.27 tractors

amphibian, amphibian tractor, amtrac [informal]
bulldozer
calfdozer
Caterpillar, Caterpillar tractor
crawler, crawler tractor
creeper, creeper tractor
duck, DUKW
farm tractor
go-devil
grader
halftrack
lawn-tractor
LVT (landing vehicle tracked)
Rome plow
scraper
tank
tracklayer

.28 handcarts

barrow
garden cart
handbarrow
laundry cart
lawn cart
push car
pushcart
serving cart
shopping cart
teacart
wheelbarrow

.29 cycles

bicycle
bicycle-built-for-two
folding bicycle
hydrocycle
minibike
monocycle
motorbike
motorcycle
motor scooter
push bicycle
quadricycle
safety bicycle
scooter
sidewalk bike
tandem
tandem bicycle
tricycle
unicycle
velocipede

.30 litters

brancard
cacolet [Fr]
camel litter
dandy
dolly
doolie
gocart
handbarrow
horse litter
jampan
kajawah [India]
lectica
norimon
palanquin
polki
sedan, sedan chair
stretcher
tonjon

.31 sleds

autosled
belly-bumper
bobsled, bobsleigh
cariole
coaster
cutter
dogsled
double-ripper, double-runner
drag
dray
jumper
kick-sled
luge
pung
scoot
skid
sledge
toboggan
troika

273. TRAVEL

.1 NOUNS **travel,** traveling, going, journeying, moving, **movement, motion, locomotion, transit, progress, passage,** course, traject, trajet, crossing, commutation; world travel, globe-trotting [informal]; **tourism,** touristry.

.2 **travels,** journeys, **journeyings, wanderings,** voyagings, peregrinations, peripatetics; odyssey.

.3 **wandering, roving, roaming, rambling, gadding,** traipsing [dial], wayfaring, flitting, straying, drifting, gallivanting, peregrination, peregrinism, pererration, discursion, errantry, divagation; roam, rove, ramble; **itinerancy,** itineracy; **nomadism,** nomadization, gypsydom; vagabonding, vagabondism, vagabondage, vagabondia; **vagrancy,** hoboism, waltzing Matilda [Austral]; bumming [slang]; the open road; wanderyear, *Wanderjahr* [Ger]; **wanderlust;** "afoot and lighthearted" [Whitman].

.4 **migration, transmigration,** passage, trek; run (of fish), flight (of birds and insects); swarm, swarming (of bees); **immigration,** in-migration; **emigration,** out-migration, expatriation; remigration; intermigration.

.5 **journey, trip,** *jornada* [Sp], peregrination, sally, **trek;** progress, course, run; **tour,** grand tour; round trip, circuit, turn; **expedition,** campaign; safari, hunting expedition, hunting trip, stalk, shoot; **pilgrimage,** hajj; **excursion, jaunt, junket, outing,**

pleasure trip; sight-seeing trip, rubberneck tour [slang]; package tour; **voyage** 275.6.

.6 **riding, driving; motoring,** automobiling; busing; motorcycling, bicycling, cycling, pedaling, biking [informal]; **horseback riding,** equitation; horsemanship, manège.

.7 **ride, drive;** spin *or* whirl [both informal]; joyride [informal]; Sunday drive; airing; lift [informal], pickup [slang].

.8 **gliding, sliding,** slipping, slithering, coasting, sweeping, flowing, sailing; **skating, skiing, tobogganing, sledding;** glide, slide, slither, sweep, skim, flow.

.9 **creeping, crawling,** going on all fours; sneaking, stealing, slinking, sidling, gumshoeing *or* pussyfooting [both informal], padding, prowling, nightwalking; worming, snaking; tiptoeing, tiptoe, tippytoe; creep, crawl, scramble, scrabble; all fours; herpet(o)–.

.10 **walking,** ambulation, perambulation, ambling, pedestrianism, shank's mare, going on foot *or* afoot, footing *or* hoofing, footing it; footwork, legwork [informal]; strolling, sauntering; **tramping, marching, hiking,** backpacking, footslogging, trudging, treading; lumbering, waddling; toddling, staggering, tottering; **hitchhiking** *or* hitching [both informal], thumbing *or* thumbing a ride [both informal]; jaywalking.

.11 **nightwalking,** noctambulation, noctambulism; night-wandering, noctivagation; **sleepwalking,** somnambulation, somnambulism, somnambul–; sleepwalk.

.12 **walk,** ramble, amble, **hike, march, tramp,** trudge, traipse [dial], schlep [slang], mush; **stroll,** saunter; parade; **promenade;** jaunt, airing; **constitutional** [informal], stretch; turn; peripatetic journey *or* exercise, peripateticism; walking tour *or* excursion; forced march; –grade.

.13 **step, pace, stride; footstep,** footfall, tread; hoofbeat, clop; hop, jump; skip, hippety-hop [informal].

.14 **gait, pace, walk, step, stride, tread;** saunter, stroll, strolling gait; shuffle, shamble, hobble, limp, hitch, waddle; totter, stagger, lurch; toddle, paddle; slouch, droop, drag; mince, mincing steps, scuttle, prance, flounce, stalk, strut, swagger; slink, slither, sidle; jog; swing, roll; amble, single-foot, rack, piaffer; trot, gallop 269.3; lock step; velocity 269.1,2; slowness 270.

.15 **march;** quick *or* quickstep march, quickstep, quick time; double march, double-quick, double time; slow march, slow time; half step; goose step.

.16 **leg, limb, shank,** hind leg, foreleg; podite, pod(e)–; stems *or* trotters *or* hind legs *or* underpinnings [all informal]; pins *or* gams *or* stumps [all slang]; gamb, jamb [her]; bowlegs, baker's legs, scissor-legs; bayonet legs; shin, cnemis; ankle, tarsus, tars(o)–; **hock,** gambrel; calf; **knee;** thigh, mer(o)–; popliteal space, ham, drumstick; gigot.

.17 VERBS **travel, go,** gang [Scot], **move, pass,** fare, wayfare, fare forth, fetch, flit, hie, sashay [informal], cover ground; **progress** 294.2; move on *or* along, go along; wend, **wend one's way;** betake oneself, direct one's course, bend one's steps *or* course; course, run, flow, stream; roll, roll on; commute.

.18 (go at a given speed) **go, go at,** reach, **make, do,** hit [informal], clip off [informal].

.19 **traverse, travel over** *or* through, pass through, **go** *or* **pass over, cover,** measure, transit, track, range, range over *or* through, course, do, perambulate, pererrate, peregrinate, overpass, go over the ground; patrol, reconnoiter, scout; sweep, go *or* make one's rounds, scour, scour the country; ply, voyage 275.13.

.20 **journey,** make *or* take *or* go *or* go on a journey, **take** *or* **make a trip,** fare, **wayfare, trek, jaunt,** peregrinate; **tour;** hit the trail [informal], take the road, go on the road; **cruise, voyage** 275.13; go abroad, go to foreign places *or* shores, range the world, globe-trot [informal]; pilgrimage, pilgrim, go on *or* make a pilgrimage; campaign, go overseas, go on an expedition, go on safari; go on a sight-seeing trip, sight-see, rubberneck [informal].

.21 **migrate, transmigrate,** trek; flit, take wing; run (of fish), swarm (of bees); **emigrate,** out-migrate, expatriate; **immigrate,** in-migrate; remigrate; intermigrate.

.22 **wander, roam, rove,** range, nomadize, **gad,** gad about, wayfare, flit, traipse [dial], gallivant, knock around *or* about [informal], bat around *or* about [slang], mooch [slang], prowl, **drift, stray,** straggle, **meander, ramble,** stroll, saunter, jaunt, peregrinate, pererrate, divagate, go *or* run about, go the rounds; **tramp,** hobo, bum *or* go on the bum [both slang], vagabond, vagabondize, take to the road, "travel the open road" [Whitman], beat one's way; **hit the road** *or*

trail [informal], walk the tracks *or* count ties [both informal].

.23 **go for an outing** *or* **airing,** take the air, get some air; go for a walk 273.28; go for a ride 273.32.

.24 **go to, repair to,** resort to, hie to, hie oneself to, arise and go to, direct one's course to, turn one's tracks to, make one's way to, bend one's steps to, betake oneself to, **visit;** make the scene [slang].

.25 **creep, crawl,** scramble, scrabble, grovel, **go on hands and knees,** go on all fours; worm, worm along, worm one's way, snake; inch, inch along; **sneak, steal,** steal along; pussyfoot *or* gumshoe [both informal], slink, sidle, pad, prowl, nightwalk; **tiptoe,** tippytoe, go on tiptoe.

.26 **walk,** ambulate, peripateticate, pedestrianize, traipse [dial]; **step, tread, pace, stride,** pad; foot, foot it; leg, leg it; hoof it, ankle, go on the heel and toe, ride shank's mare *or* pony, ride the shoe-leather *or* hobnail express, stump it [slang]; peg *or* jog *or* shuffle on *or* along; perambulate; circumambulate; jaywalk.

.27 (ways of walking) **stroll,** saunter; shuffle, scuff, scuffle, straggle, shamble; stride, straddle; **trudge, plod,** peg, traipse [dial], clump, stump, slog, footslog, drag, **lumber, barge;** stamp, stomp [dial]; swing, roll, lunge; hobble, halt, limp, hitch, lurch; totter, stagger; toddle, paddle; waddle, wobble, wamble, wiggle; slouch; slink, slither, sidle; stalk; **strut, swagger;** mince, sashay [informal], scuttle, prance, tittup, flounce, trip, skip, foot; hop, jump, hippety-hop [informal]; jog, jolt; bundle, bowl along; **amble,** pace; single-foot, rack; piaffe, piaffer.

.28 **go for a walk, take a walk, take one's constitutional** [informal], take a stretch, stretch the legs; **promenade,** parade, perambulate.

.29 **march,** mush, footslog, **tramp, hike,** backpack; file, defile, file off; **parade,** go on parade; goose-step, do the goose step; do the lock step.

.30 **hitchhike** *or* **hitch** *or* hitch rides [all informal], beat one's way, **thumb** *or* **thumb one's way** [both informal], **catch a ride;** hitch *or* hook *or* bum *or* cadge *or* thumb a ride [informal].

.31 **nightwalk,** noctambulate; **sleepwalk,** somnambulate, walk in one's sleep.

.32 **ride, go for a ride** *or* **drive;** go for a spin [informal], take *or* go for a Sunday drive; **drive, chauffeur; motor,** taxi; bus; bike *or* cycle *or* wheel *or* pedal [all informal]; **motorcycle, bicycle;** go by rail, entrain; joyride *or* take a joyride [both informal]; catch *or* make a train [informal].

.33 **go on horseback;** ride bareback; mount, take horse; hack; ride hard, clap spurs to one's horse; trot, amble, pace, canter, gallop, tittup, lope; prance, frisk, curvet, piaffe, caracole.

.34 **glide, coast, skim,** sweep, flow; **sail, fly,** flit; **slide,** slip, skid, sideslip, slither, glissade; skate, ice-skate, roller-skate, skateboard; ski; toboggan, sled, sleigh; belly-whop [dial].

.35 ADJS **traveling, going, moving,** trekking, passing; **progressing** 294.5; **itinerant,** itinerary, circuit-riding; **journeying, wayfaring,** strolling; **peripatetic;** ambulant, ambulatory; ambulative; perambulating, perambulatory; peregrine, peregrinative, pilgrimlike; locomotive; **walking, pedestrian, touring,** on tour, globe-trotting [informal], globe-girdling, mundivagant [archaic]; touristic(al), touristy [informal]; expeditionary.

.36 **wandering, roving, roaming,** ranging, **rambling, meandering,** strolling, **straying,** straggling, shifting, flitting, landloping, errant, divagatory, discursive, circumforaneous; **gadding,** traipsing [dial], gallivanting; **nomad,** nomadic, floating, drifting, gypsyish *or* gypsy-like; **transient,** transitory, fugitive; **vagrant,** vagabond; **footloose,** footloose and fancy-free; **migratory,** migrational, transmigratory.

.37 **nightwalking,** noctambulant, noctambulous; night-wandering, noctivagant; **sleepwalking,** somnambulant, somnambular.

.38 **creeping, crawling, on hands and knees, on all fours;** reptant, repent, reptile, reptatorial; **on tiptoe,** on tippytoe, atiptoe, tiptoeing, tiptoe, tippytoe.

.39 **traveled,** well-traveled, cosmopolitan.

.40 **wayworn,** way-weary, road-weary, leg-weary, **travel-worn,** travel-weary, travel-tired; travel-sated, travel-jaded; travel-soiled, travel-stained, dusty.

.41 ADVS **on the move** *or* **go,** en route, in transit, on the wing *or* fly; on the run, on the jump [informal], on the road, on the tramp *or* march; on the gad [informal], on the bum [informal].

.42 **on foot, afoot,** by foot, footback *or* on footback [both dial]; on the heel and toe, on shank's mare, on shank's pony.

.43 **on horseback,** horseback, by horse, mounted.

274. TRAVELER

.1 NOUNS **traveler, goer,** viator, comers and goers; **wayfarer, journeyer,** trekker; **tourist,** tourer, **tripper** [Brit], visiting fireman; **excursionist, sightseer,** rubberneck *or* rubbernecker [both informal]; **voyager,** *voyageur* [Fr], cruiser, sailor, mariner 276; **globe-trotter** [informal], globe-girdler, world-traveler, cosmopolite; jet set, jet-setter; **pilgrim,** palmer, hajji; **passenger,** fare; **commuter,** straphanger [informal]; transient; passerby; adventurer, alpinist, climber, mountaineer; explorer, forty-niner, pioneer, pathfinder, voortrekker, trailblazer, trailbreaker; camper; astronaut 282.8.

.2 **wanderer, rover, roamer,** rambler, stroller, straggler, mover; **gad, gadabout** [informal], runabout, go-about [dial]; **itinerant,** peripatetic, rolling stone, peregrine, peregrinator, bird of passage, visitant; **drifter** *or* **floater** [both informal]; Wandering Jew, Ahasuerus, Ancient Mariner [Coleridge], Argonaut, Flying Dutchman, Oisin, Ossian, Gulliver [Swift], Ulysses, Odysseus [Homer]; wandering scholar, Goliard, *vaganti* [L]; strolling player, wandering minstrel, troubadour.

.3 **vagabond, vagrant,** vag [slang]; **bum** *or* bummer [both slang], loafer, wastrel, losel [archaic], *lazzarone* [Ital]; **tramp,** turnpiker, piker, knight of the road, **hobo** *or* bo [both slang], rounder [dial], stiff *or* bindlestiff [both slang]; landloper, sundowner *or* swagman *or* swagsman [all Austral informal]; beggar 774.8; **waif,** homeless waif, dogie, stray, waifs and strays; ragamuffin, tatterdemalion; **gamin,** gamine, urchin, street urchin, Arab, **street Arab,** mudlark, guttersnipe [informal]; beachcomber, loafer, idler; ski bum, beach bum, surf bum, tennis bum; ragman, ragpicker.

.4 **nomad,** Bedouin, Arab; gypsy, Bohemian, Romany, *zingaro* [Ital], *Zigeuner* [Ger], *tzigane* [Fr].

.5 **migrant,** migrator, trekker; **immigrant,** inmigrant; migrant *or* migratory worker, wetback [informal]; **emigrant,** out-migrant, *émigré* [Fr]; expatriate; **evacuee,** *évacué* [Fr]; displaced person, DP, stateless person, exile.

.6 **pedestrian, walker,** walkist, –bates; foot traveler, foot passenger, hoofer [slang], footbacker [dial], ambulator, peripatetic; **hiker,** backpacker, trailsman, tramper; marcher, footslogger, foot soldier, infantryman, paddlefoot [slang]; **hitchhiker** [informal]; jaywalker.

.7 **nightwalker,** noctambulist, noctambule, **sleepwalker,** somnambulist, somnambulator, somnambule.

.8 **rider, equestrian, horseman,** horseback rider, horsebacker, caballero, cavalier, knight, chevalier; horse soldier, cavalryman, mounted policeman; horsewoman, equestrienne; cowboy, cowgirl, puncher *or* cowpuncher [both informal], *vaquero, gaucho* [both Sp]; broncobuster [slang], buckaroo; postilion, postboy; roughrider; **jockey;** steeplechaser; circus rider, trick rider.

.9 **driver,** reinsman, whip, Jehu, skinner [slang]; **coachman,** coachy [informal], *cocher* [Fr], *cochero* [Sp], *voiturier* [Fr], *vetturino* [Ital], gharry-wallah [India]; stage coachman; charioteer; harness racer; **cabdriver,** cabman, cabby [informal], hackman, hack, hacky [both informal], jarvey [Brit slang]; wagoner, wagonman, drayman, truckman; **carter,** cartman, carman; **teamster;** muleteer, mule skinner [slang]; bullwhacker; elephant driver, mahout; cameleer.

.10 **driver, motorist,** automobilist; **chauffeur; taxidriver,** cabdriver, cabby [informal], hackman, **hack** [informal], hacky [informal], hackdriver; jitney driver; **truck driver, teamster,** truckman, **trucker; bus driver,** busman; speeder 269.5, road hog [informal], Sunday driver, joyrider [informal]; hit-and-run driver; backseat driver.

.11 cyclist, cycler; **bicyclist,** bicycler; **motorcyclist,** motorcycler.

.12 **engineer,** engineman, engine driver [Brit]; hogger *or* hoghead [both slang]; Casey Jones; **motorman;** gripman.

.13 **trainman,** railroad man, **railroader;** conductor, guard [Brit]; brakeman, brakie [slang]; fireman, footplate man [Brit], stoker; smoke agent *or* bakehead [both slang]; switchman; yardman; yardmaster; trainmaster, dispatcher; stationmaster; lineman; baggage man, baggagesmasher [slang]; porter, redcap; trainboy, butcher [slang].

275. WATER TRAVEL

.1 NOUNS water travel, travel by water, marine *or* ocean *or* sea travel, **navigation,** navigating, **seafaring, sailing,** steaming, passage-making, voyaging, **cruising,** coasting, gunkholing [informal]; **boating, yachting,** motorboating, canoeing, row-

ing, sculling; circumnavigation, periplus; navigability.

.2 (methods) celestial navigation, astronavigation; radio navigation, radio beacon; coastal *or* coastwise navigation; dead reckoning; point-to-point navigation; pilotage; sonar, radar, sofar, loran, consolan, shoran, plane *or* traverse *or* spherical *or* parallel *or* middle *or* latitude *or* Mercator *or* great-circle *or* rhumbline *or* composite sailing; fix, line of position; sextant, chronometer, tables.

.3 **seamanship,** shipmanship; seamanliness, seamanlikeness; weather eye; sea legs.

.4 **pilotship,** pilotry, pilotage, **helmsmanship;** steerage; proper piloting.

.5 embarkation 301.3; disembarkation 300.2.

.6 **voyage,** ocean *or* sea trip, **cruise,** sail; course, **run, passage; crossing;** shakedown cruise; leg.

.7 **wake,** track; wash, backwash.

.8 (submarines) **surfacing,** breaking water; **submergence, dive;** stationary dive, running dive, crash dive.

.9 **way, progress; headway,** steerageway, sternway, leeway, driftway.

.10 **seaway, waterway,** fairway, road, channel, ocean *or* sea lane, ship route, steamer track *or* lane; approaches.

.11 aquatics, **swimming, bathing,** natation, balneation, nect(o)–; **swim, bathe;** crawl, Australian crawl, breaststroke, butterfly, sidestroke, dog paddle, backstroke; treading water; floating; diving 320.3; wading; fin; flipper, flapper; fishtail; waterskiing, aquaplaning, surfboarding; surfing.

.12 **swimmer, bather,** natator, merman; bathing girl, mermaid; bathing beauty; frogman; diver 320.4; –nect.

.13 VERBS **navigate, sail, cruise,** steam, run, **seafare, voyage,** ply, go on shipboard, go by ship, go on *or* take a voyage, "go down to the sea in ships" [Bible]; go to sea, sail the sea, sail the ocean blue; **boat, yacht,** motorboat, canoe, row, scull; steamboat; bear *or* carry sail; cross, traverse, make a passage *or* run; sail round, circumnavigate; coast.

.14 **pilot,** helm, coxswain, **steer,** guide, be at the helm *or* tiller, direct, manage, handle, run, operate, **conn** *or* cond, be at *or* have the conn; **navigate,** shape *or* chart a course.

.15 **anchor,** come to anchor, lay anchor, **cast anchor,** let go the anchor, drop the hook; carry out the anchor; kedge, kedge off; **dock, tie up; moor,** pick up the mooring; run out a warp *or* rope; lash, lash and tie; foul the anchor; disembark 300.8.

.16 **ride at anchor,** ride, lie, rest; ride easy; ride hawse full; lie athwart; set an anchor watch.

.17 **lay** *or* **lie to,** lay *or* lie by; lie near *or* close to the wind, head to wind *or* windward, be under the sea; lie ahull; lie off, lie off the land; lay *or* lie up.

.18 **weigh anchor,** up-anchor, bring the anchor home, break out the anchor, cat the anchor, break ground, loose for sea; **unmoor,** drop the mooring, cast off *or* loose *or* away.

.19 **get under way,** put *or* have way upon, **put** *or* **push** *or* **shove off;** hoist the blue Peter; **put to sea,** put out to sea, go to sea, head for blue water, go off soundings; **sail,** sail away; embark 301.16.

.20 **set sail,** hoist sail, unfurl *or* spread sail, heave out a sail, **make sail,** trim sail; square away, square the yards; **crowd** *or* **clap** *or* **crack** *or* **pack on sail,** put on (more) sail; clap on, crack on, pack on; give her beans [slang].

.21 **make way,** gather way, **make headway,** make sternway; make knots, foot; **go full speed ahead,** go full speed astern; go *or* run *or* steam at flank speed.

.22 run, **run** *or* **sail before the wind,** run *or* sail with the wind, run *or* sail down the wind, make a spinnaker run, sail off the wind, sail free, sail with the wind aft, sail with the wind abaft the beam; tack down wind; run *or* sail with the wind quartering.

.23 **bring off the wind, pay off,** bear off *or* away, put the helm to leeward, bear *or* head to leeward, pay off the head.

.24 **sail against the wind,** sail on *or* by the wind, sail to windward, bear *or* head to windward; **bring in** *or* **into the wind,** bring by *or* on the wind, haul the wind *or* one's wind; uphelm, put the helm up; haul, haul off, haul up; **haul to, bring to, heave to;** sail in *or* into the wind's eye *or* the teeth of the wind; sail to the windward of, weather.

.25 **sail near the wind,** sail close to the wind, lie near *or* close to the wind, sail full and by, hold a close wind, **sail close-hauled,** close-haul; work *or* go *or* beat *or* eat to windward, **beat, ply; luff,** luff up, sail closer to the wind; sail too close to the wind, sail fine, touch the wind, pinch.

.26 **gain to windward of,** eat *or* claw to windward of, eat the wind out of, have the wind of, be to windward of.

.27 **chart** *or* **plot** *or* **lay out a course;** shape a course, lay *or* lie a course.

.28 take *or* follow a course, **keep** *or* **hold the course** *or* **a course,** hold on the course *or* a course, stand on *or* upon a course, stand on a straight course, maintain *or* keep the heading, keep her steady, keep pointed.

.29 **drift off course, yaw,** yaw off, pay off, bear off, drift, sag; sag *or* bear *or* ride *or* drive to leeward, make leeway, drive, fetch away; be set by the current, drift with the current, fall down.

.30 **change course,** change the heading, bear off *or* away, bear to starboard *or* port; sheer, swerve; **tack,** cast, break, yaw, slew, shift, turn; **cant,** cant round *or* across; **beat, ply; veer, wear, wear ship; jibe** *or* gybe [both Brit], jibe all standing, make a North River jibe; **put about,** come *or* go *or* bring *or* fetch about, beat about, cast *or* throw about; bring *or* swing *or* heave *or* haul round; **about ship,** turn *or* put back, turn on her heel, wind; swing the stern; box off; back and fill; stand off and on; double *or* round a point; miss stays.

.31 put the rudder hard left *or* right, put the rudder *or* helm hard over, put the rudder amidships, ease the rudder *or* helm, give her more *or* less rudder; starboard, port, larboard.

.32 **veer** *or* **wear short,** bring by the lee, **broach to,** lie beam on to the seas.

.33 (come to a stop) **fetch up,** haul up, fetch up all standing.

.34 **backwater,** back, reverse, go astern; **go full speed astern;** make sternway.

.35 **sail for, put away for, make for** *or* toward, make at, **run for,** stand for, head *or* steer toward, lay for, **lay a course** *or* **one's course for,** bear up for; bear up to, **bear down on** *or* **upon,** run *or* bear in with, **close with;** make, reach, fetch; heave *or* go alongside; lay *or* go aboard; lay *or* lie in; **put in** *or* into, put into port, approach anchorage.

.36 **sail away from,** head *or* steer away from, run from, **stand from,** lay away *or* off from; **stand off,** bear off, put off, shove off, haul off; stand off and on.

.37 **clear the land,** bear off the land, lay *or* settle the land, make *or* get sea room.

.38 **make land,** reach land; close with the land, stand in for the land; sight land; make a landfall.

.39 **coast,** sail coast-wise, stay in soundings, range the coast, skirt the shore, lie along the shore, **hug the shore** *or* **land** *or* **coast.**

.40 **weather the storm,** weather, ride, **ride out,** outride, ride *or* ride out a storm; make heavy *or* bad weather.

.41 **sail into,** run down, run in *or* into, **ram; come** *or* **run foul** *or* **afoul of, collide,** fall aboard; nose *or* head into, run prow *or* end *or* head on, run head and head; run broadside on.

.42 **shipwreck,** wreck, pile up [informal], cast away; **go** *or* **run aground,** ground, take the ground, beach, strand, run on the rocks; ground hard and fast.

.43 **careen, list, heel,** tip, cant, heave *or* lay down, lie along; be on her beam ends.

.44 **capsize, upset,** overset, **overturn,** turn over, turn turtle, upset the boat, keel, keel over *or* up; pitchpole, somersault; **sink, founder,** be lost, go down, go to the bottom, go to Davy Jones's locker; scuttle.

.45 **go overboard,** go by the board, go over the board *or* side.

.46 **maneuver,** execute a maneuver; heave in together, keep in formation, maintain position, **keep station,** keep pointed, steam in line, steam in line of bearing; convoy.

.47 (submarines) **surface,** break water; **submerge, dive,** go below; rig for diving; flood the tanks, flood negative.

.48 (activities aboard ship) lay, lay aloft, lay forward, etc.; traverse a yard, brace a yard fore and aft; heave, haul; kedge; warp; boom; heave round, heave short, heave apeak; log, heave *or* stream the log; haul down, board; spar down; ratline down, clap on ratlines; batten down the hatches; unlash, cut *or* cast loose; clear hawse.

.49 **trim ship,** trim, trim up; trim by the head *or* stern, put in proper fore-and-aft trim, give greater draft fore and aft, **put on an even keel; ballast,** shift ballast, wing out ballast; break out ballast, break bulk, shoot ballast; **clear the decks,** clear for action.

.50 **reduce sail,** shorten *or* take in sail, hand a sail, **reef,** reef one's sails; double-reef; lower sail, dowse sail; run under bare poles; snug down; **furl,** put on a harbor furl.

.51 **take bearings,** cast a traverse; correct distance and maintain the bearings; run down the latitude, **take a sight,** shoot the sun, bring down the sun; **box the compass; take soundings** 209.9.

.52 **signal,** make a signal, speak, hail and

speak; dress ship; unfurl *or* hoist a banner, unfurl an ensign, **break out a flag;** hoist the blue Peter; show one's colors, **exchange colors;** salute, dip the ensign.

.53 **row, paddle,** ply the oar, **pull, scull, punt;** give way, row away; catch *or* cut a crab *or* lobster [informal]; feather, feather an oar; sky an oar [informal]; row dry [Brit informal]; pace, shoot; ship oars.

.54 **float,** ride, drift; **sail, scud, run,** shoot; skim, foot; ghost, glide, slip; ride the sea, plow the deep, walk the waters.

.55 **pitch, toss, tumble,** toss and tumble, pitch and toss, **plunge,** hobbyhorse, pound, **rear, rock, roll, reel, swing, sway, lurch, yaw, heave,** scend, **flounder, welter, wallow;** make heavy weather.

.56 **swim, bathe,** go in swimming *or* bathing; tread water; **float,** float on one's back, do the deadman's float; **wade,** go in wading; skinny-dip; dive 320.6.

.57 ADJS **nautical, marine, maritime, naval, navigational; seafaring, seagoing, ocean-going,** water-borne; seamanly, seamanlike, **salty** [informal]; pelagic, oceanic 397.8.

.58 **aquatic, water-dwelling,** water-living, water-growing, water-loving; **swimming,** balneal, natant, natatory, natatorial; shore, seashore; tidal, estuarine, littoral, grallatorial; deep-sea 209.14.

.59 **navigable,** boatable.

.60 **floating, afloat,** awash; water-borne.

.61 **adrift, afloat,** unmoored, untied, loose, unanchored, aweigh; cast-off, started.

.62 ADVS **on board,** on shipboard, on board ship, **aboard,** all aboard, afloat; **on deck,** topside; aloft; in sail; before the mast; athwart the hawse, athwarthawse.

.63 **under way,** making way, with steerageway, with way on; **at sea,** on the high seas, off soundings, in blue water; **under sail** *or* **canvas,** with sails spread; under press of sail *or* canvas *or* steam; under steam *or* power; under bare poles; on *or* off the heading *or* course; in soundings, homeward bound.

.64 **before the wind,** with the wind, down the wind, running free; off the wind, with the wind aft, with the wind abaft the beam, wing and wing, under the wind, under the lee; on a reach, on a beam *or* broad reach, with wind abeam.

.65 **against the wind,** on the wind, in *or* into the wind, up the wind, by the wind, head to wind; in *or* into the wind's eye, in the teeth of the wind.

.66 **near the wind,** close to the wind, **close-hauled,** on a beat, full and by.

.67 **coastward, landward,** to landward; **coastwise,** coastways.

.68 **leeward,** to leeward, alee, downwind; **windward,** to windward, weatherward, aweather, upwind.

.69 **aft,** abaft, baft, **astern;** fore and aft.

.70 **alongside,** board and board, yardarm to yardarm.

.71 **at anchor,** riding at anchor; lying to, hove to; lying ahull.

.72 **afoul,** foul, in collision; head and head, head *or* end *or* prow on; broadside on.

.73 **aground,** on the rocks; hard and fast.

.74 **overboard,** over the board *or* side, by the board; aft the fantail.

.75 INTERJS (orders, calls) ahoy!, ahoy there!, ship ahoy!; avast!, hold fast!; belay!, belay that *or* there!; aye, aye!, aye, aye, sir!; heave!, heave ho!, yo-heave-ho!, heave and awash!; lend a hand!; one hand for yourself and one for the ship!; stand by!, stand by to weigh anchor!, stand by the main sheet!, etc.; anchors aweigh!; aloft!, aloft there!; ready about!; turn out!, show a leg!, rise and shine!; man overboard!; aboard!, all aboard!, take ship!, up oars!, give way!, row away!; way enough!, ship oars!

.76 (orders to the helm) up helm!, down helm!, port!, larboard!, starboard!, helm aport!, helm astarboard!, helm alee!, helm aweather!, hard aport!, hard alee!, hard astarboard!, hard aweather!, hard over!, right!, left!, right *or* left rudder!, right *or* left standard rudder!, right *or* left five (ten etc.) degrees rudder!, right *or* left half rudder!, right *or* left full rudder!, right *or* left handsomely!, give her more rudder!, shift the rudder!, meet her!, ease the helm *or* rudder!, rudder amidships!, nothing to the right *or* left!, no nearer!, how is your rudder?, how does she head?, keep her so!, steady!, steady so!, steady as you go!, about ship!

.77 (orders to the engine room) starboard *or* port engine!, all engines!, ahead!, back!, astern!, starboard *or* port engine ahead!, full speed ahead! *or* astern!, slow ahead!, slow astern!, all engines ahead!, ahead one-third!, ahead two-thirds!, ahead standard!, ahead full!, back one-third!, back two-thirds!, back full!

.78 (submarine orders) rig for diving!, ventilate inboard!, shift the control!, stations for diving!, secure the engines!, secure the main induction!, close the conning tower hatch!, ahead both motors!, flood the tank!, blow the tank!, flood main bal-

last!, close main vents!, flood 2000 pounds in after trim!

276. MARINER

.1 NOUNS **mariner, seaman, sailor,** sailorman, **navigator, seafarer,** seafaring man, bluejacket, sea *or* water dog [informal], shipman, jack, jacky, jack afloat, jack-tar, **tar, salt** [informal], hearty, lobscouser [slang], *matelot* [Fr], windsailor, windjammer; limey *or* limejuicer [both slang], lascar [India]; common *or* ordinary seaman, OD; able *or* able-bodied seaman, AB; deep-sea man, saltwater *or* bluewater *or* deepwater sailor; fresh-water sailor; fair-weather sailor; whaler, fisherman, lobsterman; viking, sea rover, buccaneer, privateer, pirate; Jason, Argonaut, Ancient Mariner, Flying Dutchman; Neptune, Poseidon, Varuna, Dylan.

.2 (novice) **lubber, landlubber;** polliwog.

.3 (veteran) **old salt** *or* old sea dog *or* shellback *or* barnacle-back [all informal]; **master mariner.**

.4 **navy man,** man-of-war's man, **bluejacket; gob** *or* swabbie *or* swabber [all slang]; **marine, leatherneck** [informal], gyrene, devil dog [both slang], Royal Marine, jolly [Brit informal]; horse marine; boot [informal]; **midshipman,** midshipmite, middy [informal]; cadet, naval cadet; coastguardsman, Naval Reservist, Seabee, frogman.

.5 **boatman,** boatsman, boat-handler, **boater,** waterman; **oarsman,** oar, rower, sculler, punter; galley slave; **yachtsman,** yachter; **ferryman,** ferrier; **bargeman,** barger, bargee [Brit], bargemaster; lighterman, wherryman; **gondolier,** *gondoliere* [Ital].

.6 hand, **deckhand,** deckie [Brit], roustabout [informal]; stoker, fireman, bakehead [slang]; black gang; wiper, oiler, boilerman; cabin boy; yeoman, ship's writer; purser; ship's carpenter, chips [informal]; ship's cooper, bungs *or* Jimmy Bungs [both informal]; ship's tailor, snip *or* snips [both informal]; steward, stewardess, commissary steward, mess steward, hospital steward; commissary clerk; mail orderly; navigator; radio operator, sparks [informal]; landing signalman; gunner, gun loader, torpedoman; afterguard; complement; watch.

.7 (ship's officers) **captain,** shipmaster, **master, skipper** [informal], **commander,** the Old Man [informal], *patron* [Fr]; navigator, navigating officer, sailing master; deck officer, officer of the deck, OD; watch officer, officer of the watch; **mate,** first *or* chief mate, second mate, third mate, boatswain's mate; **boatswain,** bos'n, pipes [informal]; quartermaster; sergeant-at-arms; chief engineer, engine-room officer; naval officer 749.20.

.8 **steersman, helmsman,** wheelman, wheelsman, boatsteerer; **coxswain,** cox [informal]; **pilot,** conner, sailing master; harbor pilot, docking pilot.

.9 **longshoreman,** wharf hand, dockhand, docker, dock-walloper [slang]; **stevedore,** loader; **roustabout** [informal], lumper.

277. SHIP, BOAT

.1 NOUNS **ship** 277.22, **boat** 277.21, **vessel, craft,** bottom, bark, argosy, hull, hulk, keel, watercraft; tub *or* bucket *or* hooker [all slang], packet; leviathan; "that packet of assorted miseries which we call a ship" [Kipling], "the ship, a fragment detached from the earth" [Joseph Conrad].

.2 **steamer, steamboat, steamship;** motor ship.

.3 **sailboat, sailing vessel** 277.23, sailing boat, sailing yacht, sailing cruiser, sailing ship, tall *or* taunt ship, sail, sailer, **windjammer** [informal], windship, windboat; **galley** 277.25.

.4 **motorboat, powerboat,** speedboat; **launch,** motor launch, steam launch, naphtha launch; **cruiser,** power cruiser, **cabin cruiser,** sedan cruiser, outboard cruiser.

.5 **liner, ocean liner,** ocean greyhound [informal], passenger steamer, floating hotel *or* palace, luxury liner.

.6 **warship,** war vessel, naval vessel 277.24, **man-of-war,** man-o'-war, ship of war, armored vessel; USS, United States Ship; HMS, His *or* Her Majesty's Ship; line-of-battle ship, ship of the line.

.7 **battleship,** battlewagon [informal], capital ship; **destroyer,** can *or* tin can [both informal].

.8 **carrier, aircraft carrier,** seaplane carrier, **flattop** [informal].

.9 **submarine, sub,** submersible, underwater craft; **U-boat,** *U-boot, Unterseeboot* [both Ger], pigboat [slang].

.10 **ships, shipping,** merchant *or* mercantile marine, merchant navy *or* fleet, bottoms, tonnage; **fleet,** flotilla, argosy; line; fishing fleet, whaling fleet, etc.; **navy** 800.26.

.11 **float, raft;** balsa, balsa raft, Kon Tiki; life raft, Carling float; boom; pontoon; buoy,

life buoy; **life preserver** 701.5; surfboard; cork; bob.

.12 **rigging** 277.31, rig, **tackle,** tackling, **gear; ropework,** roping; service, serving, whipping; standing rigging, running rigging; boatswain's stores; ship chandlery.

.13 **spar** 277.29, timber; **mast,** pole, stick *or* tree [both informal]; bare pole.

.14 **sail** 277.30, **canvas,** muslin, cloth, rag [informal]; **full** *or* **plain sail,** press *or* crowd of sail; reduced sail, reefed sail; square sail; fore-and-aft sail; luff, leech, foot, earing, reef point, boltrope, clew, cringle, head.

.15 **oar,** remi–; **paddle,** scull, sweep, pole; steering oar.

.16 **anchor** 277.32, mooring, hook *or* mudhook [both informal]; **anchorage,** moorings; **berth,** slip; mooring buoy.

.17 ADJS **rigged,** decked, trimmed; square-rigged, fore-and-aft rigged, Marconi-rigged, gaff-rigged, lateen-rigged.

.18 **seaworthy,** sea-kindly, fit for sea, **snug, bold; watertight,** waterproof; **A1,** A1 at Lloyd's; stiff, tender; weatherly.

.19 **trim,** in trim; apoise, on an even keel.

.20 **shipshape,** Bristol fashion, shipshape and Bristol fashion, trim, trig, neat, tight, taut, ataunt, all ataunto, bungup and bilge-free.

.21 **boats**

airboat
almadia
ark
auxiliary, auxiliary boat
barge
bateau
broadhorn
bucentaur
bumboat
bunder boat
bungo
buss
caïque
canalboat
canoe
cargo boat
catamaran
catboat, cat
coble
cockboat
cockle
cockleboat
cockleshell
cog
coracle
cruiser 277.4
curragh
cutter
cutter-gig
dahabeah
dinghy
dispatch boat
dogger
dory
double-ender
drifter
dugout
eight-oar
Faltboat [Ger]
ferry, ferryboat
fiber-glass boat
fireboat
fishing boat
fishing dory
flatboat
flyboat
foldboat
four-oar
funny
galley
garvey
gig
glass-bottomed boat
glider
gliding boat
gondola
houseboat
hoy
hydrocycle
hydrofoil
hydroglider
hydroplane
jangada
johnboat
jolly, jolly boat
kayak
launch 277.4
lerret
lifeboat
lifesaving boat
lighter
log canoe
longboat
mail boat, mailer
motorboat
nuggar
outboard motorboat, outboard
outrigger canoe
pair-oar
pilot, pilot boat
pinnace
piragua
pirogue
pontoon
post boat
pram
punt
racer
racing shell
radio-controlled lifeboat
randan
rowboat, rowing boat
runabout
sampan
scooter
scow
scull
sea sled
shallop
shell
ship's boat
showboat
skiff
small boat
sneakbox
surfboat
towboat
trawler, trawlboat
trimaran
trow
tug, tugboat
tuna clipper
umiak
wanigan
whaleboat
whale-gig
wherry
workboat
yawl, yawl boat

.22 **ships**

argosy
ark
bathyscaphe
buoy-tender
cabin boat
cable ship
caravel
cargo ship
coaler, collier
coaster
coast guard cutter
container ship
derelict
dredge
excursion steamer
fishing boat *or* vessel
floating drydock
freighter
hydrofoil
icebreaker
LASH (lighter aboard ship)
lightship
liner 277.5
mail steamer
merchant ship, merchantman
nuclear-powered ship
ocean-going tug
oceanographic research ship
oiler
packet, packet boat *or* ship
paddle boat *or* steamer
picket ship
refrigeration ship
revenue cutter
rotor, rotor ship
screw steamer
self-propelled barge
side-wheeler
slaver
spar-decker, spar-deck vessel
stage boat
steamer 277.2
steam schooner
steam yacht
stern-wheeler
storeship
super-tanker
tanker
tender
tramp steamer
transport
trawler
turbine
turbine steamer
weather ship
whaleback
whaler

.23 **sailing vessels**

baggala
bark
barkentine
bastard schooner
bawley
bilander
brig
brigantine
bugeye
bully
buss
caravel
carrack
cat
catamaran
catboat

chasse-marée [Fr]
Chesapeake canoe
class boat
clipper
corsair
corvette
cutter
dandy
dhow
dogger
dromond
felucca
fishing schooner
fishing smack
flattie
folkboat
fore-and-aft, fore-and-after
four-masted bark
four-master
Friendship sloop
frigate
full-rigged ship
gabert
galiot
galleass
galleon
hermaphrodite brig
hooker
hoy
Hudson River sloop
iceboat
ice yacht
junk
keelboat
ketch
knockabout
lateen, lateener
lorcha
lugger
motorsailer
nobby
ocean racer
outrigger
pilot boat
pinnace
piragua
pirogue
polacre, polacca
pram
proa
pungy
racing yacht
rigger
saic
sailing auxiliary
sailing barge
sailing canoe
sailing dinghy
sailing launch
sailing packet
sailing trawler
sampan
sandbagger
schooner
scooter
shallop
sharpie
shipentine
skipjack
sloop
smack
smack boat
snow
square-rigger
tartan
tea-clipper
three-master
topsail schooner
trimaran
well smack
whaler
wool-clipper
xebec
yacht
yawl

.24 naval vessels

aircraft carrier 277.8
aircraft tender
AKA boat (auxiliary cargo attack)
ammunition ship
APA boat (auxiliary personnel attack)
armored *or* protected cruiser
assault boat
assault transport
atomic *or* atomic-powered submarine
battle cruiser
battleship 277.7
blockship
bomb ketch *or* vessel
capital ship
caravel
carrier 277.8
coast guard cutter
communications ship
convoy
corvette
crash boat
cruiser
cutter
depot ship
destroyer 277.7
destroyer escort
destroyer leader
destroyer tender
dispatch boat
dreadnought
eagle boat
E-boat
escort carrier
escort vessel
fireboat
fire ship
first-rate
flagship
flattop [informal]
fleet submarine
floating battery
frigate
fuel ship
guard ship *or* boat
guided missile cruiser
gunboat
heavy cruiser
hospital ship
hunter-killer submarine
ironclad
ironclad ram
ironsides
jeep carrier
landing craft
LC (landing craft)
LCC (landing craft, control)
LCI (landing craft, infantry)
LCM (landing craft, mechanized)
LCP (landing craft, personnel)
LCT (landing craft, tank)
LCV (landing craft, vehicle)
LCVP (landing craft, vehicle-personnel)
liberty boat
light cruiser
line-of-battle ship
LSD (landing ship, dock)
LSM (landing ship, medium)
LST (landing ship, tank)
mine layer, mine ship
mine sweeper
minisub
monitor
mosquito boat
MTB (motor torpedo boat)
naval auxiliary
net-tender
nuclear *or* nuclear-powered submarine
patrol boat
patrol torpedo boat
PC (patrol craft)
PCE (patrol craft, escort)
PCS (patrol craft, sweeper)
picketboat
pocket battleship
Polaris submarine
privateer
protected cruiser
PT boat (patrol torpedo boat)
raider
ram
receiving ship
reconnaissance ship
repair ship
river gunboat
rocket boat
SC (scouting craft)
scout
scout cruiser
seaplane carrier
second-line battleship
second-line destroyer
ship of the line
ship of war
shipplane carrier
sloop of war
spy ship
storeship
storm boat
submarine 277.9
submarine chaser, subchaser
submarine patrol boat
submarine tender
submersible
superdreadnought
supply ship
sweeper
tanker
target boat
tender
torpedo boat
torpedo-boat destroyer *or* catcher
transport, transport ship *or* vessel
troopship
turret ship
warship

.25 galleys

bireme
foist
galiot
galleass
galley foist
half galley
hepteris
hexeris
penteconter
quadrireme
quarter galley
quinquereme
tessaraconter
triaconter
trireme
Venetian galley
war galley

.26 parts of ships

back
balance rudder
batten
beak, beakhead
beam
beam clamp
bilge keel
bilge keelson
bitt
board
bollard
bollard timber
bow
bracket plate
bridge
bulkhead
bull's-eye
bulwarks
cam cleat
capstan
carling
casemate
cathead
ceiling

centerboard
centerboard trunk
chainplate
cleat
coffee-grinder winch
companion
companion ladder
companionway
conning tower
conning tower hatch
counter
crow's nest
cutwater
daggerboard
davit
deadwood
entrance
false keel
fantail
figurehead
fin keel
forefoot
foresheets
foretop
frame
freeboard
futtock
gangplank
gangway
garboard strake
gudgeon
gunwale, gunnel
hatch
hatchway
hawse, hawsehole
hawsepiece
hawsepipe
hawse timber
head
heel
island
keel
keel and keelson
keelson
kevel
knee
knighthead
larboard
lee, lee side, leeward
leeboard
limber board
limber hole
maintop
mizzentop
monkey rail
nose
paddle wheel
pintle
planking, plank plating
Plimsoll marks
poop
port, portside
porthole
post
propeller
prow
pulpit
rail
rib
rubrail
rudder
rudderpost
rudderstock
run
scupper
scuttle
scuttlebutt
shaft tunnel
sheave hole
sheer strake
sheets
shelf, shelfpiece
sister *or* side keelson
sister rib
skeg
snorkel
spirketing
stanchion
starboard
steering engine
stem
stern
sternpost
stern sheets
strake
stringer
superstructure
tail end
tail shaft
tiller
transom
trimming hatch *or* hole
truck
waterline
waterway
weather, weather side
weatherboard
wheel
winch
windlass
windward, windward side

.27 compartments

below space
between-decks, 'tween-decks
boiler room
brig
bunker
cabin
caboose, camboose
chain locker
chart room, chart house
conning tower
engine room, engine
forecastle, fo'c'sle
forepeak
galley
head
hold, hole
lazaret
officers' country
paint locker
pilothouse
quarters
radio room, radio shack
roundhouse
sail loft
sick bay
stateroom
stokehold
topside
wardroom

.28 decks

after deck
anchor deck
boat deck
bridge deck
flight deck
forward deck
gun deck
half deck
hurricane deck
landing deck
lower deck
main deck
middle deck
orlop deck
partial hold deck
platform, platform deck
poop, poop deck
promenade deck
protective deck
quarterdeck
runway
shelter deck
spar deck
splinter deck
superstructure deck
upper *or* top deck
weather deck

.29 spars, masts

boom
bowsprit
brace bumpkin
bumpkin, boomkin
club
crossjack yard
crosstree
dolphin striker
flying jib boom
fore jack
foremast
foreroyal mast
foreroyal-studding-sail boom
foreroyal yard
fore-skysail mast
fore-skysail yard
fore-topgallant mast
fore-topgallant-studding-sail boom
fore-topgallant yard
fore-topmast
fore-topmast-studding-sail boom
fore-topsail yard
fore-trysail gaff
foreyard
gaff
gooseneck
jack
jack staff
jib boom
jigger mast
king post
lazy jack
lower boom
lower mizzen-topsail yard
main-brace bumpkin
mainmast
main-royal mast
main-royal-studding-sail boom
main-royal yard
main-skysail mast
main-skysail yard
main-topgallant mast
main-topgallant-studding-sail boom
main-topgallant yard
main-topmast
main-topmast-studding-sail boom
main-topsail yard
main-trysail gaff
main yard
martingale *or* dolphin-striker boom
mast
masthead
mizzen, mizzenmast
mizzen-royal mast
mizzen-royal yard
mizzen-skysail mast
mizzen-skysail yard
mizzen-topgallant mast
mizzen-topgallant yard
mizzen-topmast
mizzen-topsail yard
sheer pole
skysail mast *or* pole
skysail yard
spanker boom
spanker gaff
spinnaker pole
spreader
sprit
tack bumpkin
topgallant mast
topgallant yard
topmast
trysail gaff
whisker boom
whisker pole
yard
yardarm

.30 sails

baby jib topsail
balance *or* French lug
balloon sail *or* jib, balooner
batten
batten pocket
club-footed jib
club topsail

crossjack
dipping lug
fly-by-night
flying jib
flying kites
fore gaff-topsail
foreroyal
foreroyal studding sail
foresail
fore-skysail
forestaysail
fore topgallant sail
fore-topgallant studding sail
fore-topmast staysail
fore-topmast studding sail
fore-topsail
Genoa, Genoa jib
inner jib
jenny
jib
jigger
jimbo
jolly jumper
kites
lateen sail
leg-of-mutton sail
loose-footed sail
lower studding sail
lug
lugsail
main gaff-topsail
main royal
main-royal staysail
main-royal studding sail
mainsail
main skysail
main staysail
main-topgallant sail
main-topgallant studding sail
main-topmast staysail
main-topmast studding sail
main-topsail
mizzen
mizzen royal
mizzen-royal staysail
mizzen sail
mizzen skysail
mizzen staysail
mizzen-topgallant sail
mizzen-topgallant staysail
mizzen-topmast staysail
moonraker
moonsail
outer jib
parachute spinnaker
reef
reef point
royal
skysail
skyscraper [informal]
spanker
spinnaker
spitfire
spritsail
square sail
standing lug
staysail
stern staysail
storm trysail
studding sail
topgallant sail
topsail
trysail
working jib

.31 ropes, rigging

after shroud
anchor chain
anchor rode
backropes
backstay
becket
block
boat line
bobstay
boltrope
boom vang
bow fast
bowline
bowsprit shroud
brace
brail
breast fast
buntline
crossjack brace
crossjack lift
deadeye
downhaul
earing
fast
Flemish horse
flying jib guy
flying jib martingale
flying jib stay
footropes
forebrace
foreganger
fore lift
foreroyal backstay
foreroyal brace
foreroyal lift
foreroyal shroud
foreroyal stay
forerunner
foresheet
fore-skysail backstay
fore-skysail brace
fore-skysail lift
fore-skysail shroud
fore-skysail stay
forestay
foretack
fore-topgallant backstay
fore-topgallant brace
fore-topgallant lift
fore-topgallant shroud
fore-topgallant stay
fore-topmast backstay
fore-topmast stay
fore-topmast staysail stay
fore-topsail lift
fore-trysail peak halyard
fore-trysail vang
futtock hoop
futtock shroud
gasket
grab rope
guess-rope
guess-warp
guest rope
gunter
guy
halyard
harbor gasket
hawser
head earing
head fast
Jacob's ladder
jib guy
jib martingale
jibstay
lanyard
lee sheet
lee tack
lifeline
lift
lower-boom topping lift
main brace
main lift
main-royal brace
main-royal lift
main-royal stay
mainsheet
main-skysail brace
main-skysail lift
main-skysail stay
mainstay
main-topgallant brace
main-topgallant lift
main-topgallant stay
main-topmast stay
main-topsail lift
main-trysail peak halyard
main-trysail vang
marline
martingale
messenger
mizzen-royal brace
mizzen-royal lift
mizzen-royal stay
mizzen-skysail brace
mizzen-skysail lift
mizzen-skysail stay
mizzen stay
mizzen-topgallant brace
mizzen-topgallant lift
mizzen-topgallant stay
mizzen-topmast stay
mizzen-topsail lift
mooring pendant *or* pennant
outhaul
painter
pennant hoist
port tack
preventer backstay
quarter fast
ratline
reef earing
roband, ropeband
roller-reefing gear
sea gasket
sheet
shroud
span
spanker peak halyard
spanker sheet
spanker vang
spring, spring line
starboard tack
stay
stern fast
stirrup
swifter
tack
timenoguy
topping lift
vang
weather sheet
whisker jumper

.32 anchors

Baldt anchor
bower
center anchor
CQR *or* CQR plow anchor
Danforth anchor
dinghy anchor
drag anchor
drogue
Dunn anchor
floating anchor
fluke
grapnel
kedge, kedge anchor
killick
Martin's anchor
mushroom anchor
Navy anchor
Northill anchor
parachute drogue
plow anchor
port anchor
sacred anchor
sand anchor
screw anchor
sea anchor
shank
sheet anchor
starboard anchor
stern anchor
stock
stockless anchor
stream anchor
Trotman's anchor
yachtman's anchor

.33 helms

automatic pilot
destroyer wheel
electrohydraulic steering gear
gyroscopic pilot
hand gear
lee helm
lever pilot

servo-pilot
steering gear
telemotor
tiller
weather helm
wheel

.34 **equipment**

anemometer
anemoscope
baggywrinkle
barograph
barometer
belaying pin
bilge pump
binnacle
boat hook
caulking cotton
caulking iron
compass
fid
grapnel
grappling iron
hawse bag
hawse hook
holystone
hygrograph
log
marlinespike
mooring swivel *or* shackle
pump
rigger's knife
sounders 209.17
tackle 287.10
thermograph
toggle

278. AVIATION

.1 NOUNS **aviation, aeronautics,** aer(o)–; airplaning, skyriding, **flying, flight,** winging; volation, volitation; aeronautism, aerodromics; powered flight, jet flight, subsonic *or* supersonic flight; cruising, cross-country flying; bush flying; **gliding,** sailplaning, soaring, sailing; volplaning; ballooning, balloonery, lighter-than-air aviation; barnstorming [informal]; high-altitude flying; blind *or* instrument flight *or* flying, instrument flight rules, IFR; contact flying, visual flight *or* flying, visual flight rules, VFR, pilotage; skywriting; cloud-seeding; in-flight training, ground school; **airline,** air service, feeder airline, scheduled airline, nonscheduled airline *or* nonsked [informal], short-hop airline; commercial aviation, general aviation, private aviation, private flying; astronautics 282.1; air show, flying circus.

.2 (allied sciences) aeroballistics, aerocartography, aerodontia, aerodynamics, aerogeography, aerogeology, aerography, aerology, aeromechanics, aerometry, aeronautical engineering, aerophotography, aeronautical meteorology, aerial photography, aerophysics, aeroscopy, aerospace research, aerostatics, aerostation, aerotechnics, aviation technology, aircraft hydraulics, avionics, climatology, acronomy, hydrostatics, jet engineering, kinematics, kinetics, meteorology, micrometry, photometry, pneumatics, rocket engineering, rocketry; supersonics, supersonic aerodynamics; aviation medicine, aeromedicine.

.3 **airmanship,** pilotship; **flight plan;** briefing, brief, rundown [informal], debriefing; flight *or* pilot training, flying lessons; washout [informal].

.4 air-mindedness, aerophilia; air legs.

.5 airsickness; aerophobia, aeropathy.

.6 **navigation,** avigation, aerial *or* air navigation; celestial navigation, astronavigation; electronic navigation, automatic electronic navigation, radio navigation, navar, radar, consolan, tacan, teleran, loran, shoran; omnidirectional range, omnirange, visual-aural range, VAR.

.7 (aeronautical organizations) Civil Aeronautics Administration, CAA, Federal Aviation Agency, FAA; Bureau of Aeronautics, BuAer; National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, NACA; Office of Naval Research, ONR; Civil Air Patrol, CAP; Caterpillar Club; Airline Pilots Association; Aircraft Recognition Society, ARS; Air Force 800.28,29.

.8 **takeoff,** hopoff [informal]; taxiing, takeoff run, takeoff power, rotation; daisy-clipping *or* grass-cutting [both informal]; ground loop; level-off; jet-assisted takeoff, JATO, booster rocket, takeoff rocket; catapult, electropult.

.9 **flight, trip, run; hop** *or* **jump** [both informal]; powered flight; solo flight, **solo;** inverted flight; supersonic flight; test flight, **test hop** [informal]; **airlift;** airdrop.

.10 **air travel,** air transport, airfreight, air cargo, airline travel; shuttle, air shuttle, shuttle service, shuttle trip, air taxi; weather *or* meteorological reconnaissance; in-flight refueling; **range,** flying range, radius of action, navigation radius.

.11 (Air Force) **mission,** flight operation; training mission; gunnery mission; combat rehearsal, **dry run** [informal]; transition mission; reconnaissance mission, reconnaissance, observation flight, search mission; **milk run** [informal]; box-top mission [informal]; combat flight; **sortie,** scramble [informal]; **air raid;** shuttle raid; bombing mission; bombing, strafing 798.7,8; **air support** (for ground troops), **air cover,** cover, umbrella, air umbrella.

.12 flight formation, formation flying, formation; close formation, loose formation, wing formation; V formation, echelon.

.13 (maneuvers) acrobatic *or* tactical evolutions *or* maneuvers, acrobatics, **aerobatics;** stunting *or* **stunt flying** [both informal]; rolling, crabbing, banking, porpoising, fishtailing, diving; **dive, nose dive, power dive; zoom,** chandelle; stall, whip stall; **glide,** volplane; spiral, split 'S', lazy eight, sideslip, pushdown, pull-up, pull-out.

.14 **roll, barrel roll,** aileron roll, outside roll, **snap roll.**

.15 **spin,** autorotation, **tailspin,** flat spin, inverted spin, normal spin, power spin, uncontrolled spin, falling leaf.

.16 **loop,** spiral loop, ground loop, normal loop, outside loop, inverted normal *or* outside loop, dead-stick loop, wingover, looping the loop; Immelmann turn, reverse turn, reversement; flipper turns.

.17 **buzzing,** flathatting *or* **hedgehopping** [both informal].

.18 **landing,** coming in [informal], touching down, touchdown; arrival; landing run, landing pattern; approach, downwind leg, approach leg; holding pattern, stack up [informal]; ballooning in, parachute approach; blind *or* instrument landing, dead-stick landing, glide landing, stall landing, fishtail landing, sideslip landing, level *or* two-point landing, normal *or* three-point landing, Chinese landing [informal], tail-high landing, tail-low landing, thumped-in landing [informal], pancake landing, belly landing, crash landing, noseover, nose-up; practice landing, bounce drill.

.19 (flying and landing guides) marker, pylon; beacon; radio beacon, radio range station, radio marker; fan marker; radar beacon, racon; beam, radio beam; beacon lights 336.10; runway lights, high-intensity runway approach lights, sequence flashers, flare path; wind indicator, wind cone *or* sock, air sleeve; instrument landing system, ILS, touchdown rate of descent indicator, TRODI, ground-controlled approach, GCA; talking-down system, talking down.

.20 **crash, crack-up,** prang [Brit informal]; crash landing; collision, midair collision; near-miss.

.21 **blackout;** grayout; anoxia; useful consciousness; pressure suit, antiblackout suit.

.22 **airport, airfield, airdrome,** aerodrome [Brit], drome, port, air harbor [Can], aviation field, **landing field,** landing, field, airship station; **air base,** air station, naval air station; airpark; **heliport,** helidrome; control tower, island; Air Route Traffic Control Center.

.23 **runway, taxiway,** strip, landing strip, **airstrip, flight strip,** take-off strip; fairway, launching way; stopway; clearway; transition strip; apron; **flight deck,** landing deck.

.24 **hangar,** housing, dock, airdock, shed, airship shed; mooring mast.

.25 aerocurve, aerodynamic *or* air volume, airplane heading, amplitude, aspect ratio, camber, *décalage* [Fr], equivalent monoplane, fineness ratio, flight path, margin of power, positive direction of roll, propulsive efficiency, resultant force, righting *or* restoring moment, skin friction, skin effect, slip, stagger, sweepback, tail force.

.26 (angle) aileron angle, blade angle, coning angle, dihedral angle, drift angle, downwash angle, elevator angle, flapping angle, flight path angle, gliding angle, helix angle, landing angle, rudder angle, trim angle, zero-lift angle, angle of attack, angle of dead rise, angle of heel, angle of incidence *or* wing setting, angle of pitch, angle of roll *or* bank, angle of sideslip, angle of stabilizer setting, angle of yaw.

.27 (center) aerodynamic center, elastic center, center of buoyancy, center of gravity, center of mass, center of pressure, center-of-pressure coefficiency.

.28 (axis) horizontal *or* longitudinal axis, fore-and-aft axis, X axis; lateral axis, Y axis; normal axis, Z axis; elastic axis, wing axis, drag axis, positive lift axis; yawing, yaw, positive direction of yaw.

.29 (stability) automatic stability, directional stability, dynamic stability, inherent stability, lateral stability, longitudinal stability, static stability.

.30 (load) basic load, design load, full load, normal load, ultimate load, useful load; payload, passenger capacity; offensive load; power loading, span loading, unsymmetrical loading, wing loading.

.31 (pressure) altitude *or* height pressure, dynamic pressure, impact pressure, manometer pressure, superpressure; center of pressure; stress, working stress, breathing stress; torsion, torsional stress, torque, propeller torque; structural fatigue.

.32 (thrust) propeller thrust, static propeller thrust, line of thrust *or* flight; jet thrust, pounds of thrust, augmenter *or* thrust augmenter, afterburner, tail-pipe burner, fan-jet; rocket assist.

.33 (propulsion) rocket propulsion, rocket power; **jet propulsion,** jet power; turbojet propulsion, pulse-jet propulsion, ram-jet propulsion, resojet propulsion; constant *or* ram pressure, air-ram; reaction propulsion, reaction, action and reaction; aeromotor 280.17, aircraft engine, power plant.

.34 **pitch,** pitch ratio, aerodynamic pitch, effective pitch, geometrical pitch, zero-thrust pitch; angle of pitch, positive direction of pitch.

.35 **lift,** lift ratio, lift force *or* component, lift direction; aerostatic lift, dynamic lift, gross lift, useful lift, margin of lift.

.36 **drag,** resistance; drag ratio, drag force *or* component, induced drag, wing drag, parasite *or* parasitic *or* structural drag, profile drag, head resistance, drag direction, cross-wind force.

.37 **drift,** drift angle; lateral drift, leeway.

.38 flow, air flow, laminar flow; **turbulence,** turbulent flow, burble, burble point, eddies.

.39 wash, wake, stream; downwash; backwash, **slipstream,** propeller race, propwash; **exhaust,** jet exhaust, blow wash; **vapor trail,** condensation trail, contrail, vortex.

.40 (speed) **air speed,** true air speed, operating *or* flying speed, cruising speed, knots, minimum flying speed, hump speed, peripheral speed, pitch speed, terminal speed, sinking speed, get-away *or* take-off speed, landing speed, ground speed, speed over the ground; **speed of sound** 269.2; zone of no signal, Mach cone; **sound barrier,** sonic barrier *or* wall; sonic boom, shock wave, Mach wave.

.41 (air, atmosphere) **airspace,** navigable airspace; aerosphere; aeropause; troposphere, tropopause, substratosphere, stratosphere, stratopause, ionosphere; **aerospace;** space, empty space; **ceiling,** ballonet ceiling, service ceiling, static ceiling, absolute ceiling; cloud layer *or* cover, ceiling zero; visibility, visibility zero; **overcast,** undercast; fog, soup [informal]; high-pressure area, low-pressure area; trough, trough line; front; **air pocket** *or* air hole, air bump, pocket, hole, bump; **turbulence,** clear-air turbulence, CAT, roughness; head wind, unfavorable wind; tail wind, favorable *or* favoring wind; crosswind; atmospheric tides; jetstream.

.42 **airway, air lane, air line,** air route, skyway, corridor, lane, path.

.43 **course, heading,** vector; compass heading *or* course, compass direction, magnetic heading, true heading *or* course.

.44 (altitude) altitude of flight, absolute altitude, critical altitude, density altitude, pressure altitude, sextant altitude; clearance; ground elevation.

.45 VERBS **fly,** be airborne, flit, wing, take wing, wing one's way, take *or* make a flight, take to the air, take the air, volitate, be wafted; **jet;** aviate, airplane, aeroplane; travel by air, go *or* travel by airline, go by plane *or* by air, take to the airways, ride the skies; hop [informal]; **soar,** drift, hover; **cruise; glide,** sailplane, sail, volplane; hydroplane, seaplane; balloon; ferry; airlift; break the sound barrier; navigate, avigate.

.46 **pilot,** control, be at the controls, **fly,** manipulate, drive, fly left seat; **copilot,** fly right seat; solo; **barnstorm** [informal]; fly blind, fly by the seat of one's pants [informal]; follow the beam, ride the beam, fly on instruments; fly in formation, take position; peel off.

.47 **take off,** hop *or* jump off [informal], become airborne, get off *or* leave the ground, take to the air, go *or* fly aloft, clear; rotate, power off; **taxi.**

.48 **ascend,** climb, gain altitude, mount; **zoom,** hoick [informal], chandelle.

.49 (maneuver) **stunt** [informal], perform aerobatics; crab, fishtail; **spin,** go into a tail spin; **loop,** loop the loop; **roll,** wingover, spiral, undulate, porpoise, feather, yaw, sideslip, skid, bank, dip, nose down, nose up, pull up, push down, pull out, plow, mush through.

.50 **dive,** nose-dive, power-dive, go for the deck; lose altitude, settle, dump altitude [informal].

.51 **buzz,** flathat *or* **hedgehop** [both informal].

.52 **land,** set her down [informal], **alight, light,** touch down; **descend,** come down, fly down; come in, come in for a landing; **level off,** flatten out; upwind, downwind; overshoot, undershoot; make a dead-stick landing; pancake, thump in [informal]; bellyland, settle down, balloon in; fishtail down; **crash-land;** ditch [informal]; nose up, nose over; talk down.

.53 **crash, crack up,** prang [Brit informal], spin in, fail to pull out.

.54 **stall,** lose power, conk out [informal]; flame out.

.55 **black out,** gray out.

.56 **parachute, bail out, jump,** make a parachute jump, hit the silk, make a brollyhop [Brit informal], sky-dive.

.57 **brief,** give a briefing; debrief.

.58 ADJS **aeronautic(al),** aerial; **aviatorial,** aviational; aerodontic, aerospace, aerotechnical, aerostatic(al), aeromechanic(al), aerodynamic(al), avionic, aeronomic, aerophysical; aeromarine; aerobatic; airwor-

thy, air-minded, air-conscious, aeromedical; air-wise; airsick.

.59 **flying,** flitting, winging; volant, volitant, volitational, hovering, fluttering; gliding; **airborne;** jet-propelled, rocket-propelled.

.60 ADVS **in flight, on the wing** *or* fly, while airborne.

.61 **instruments**

absolute altimeter
accelerometer
aerial reconnaissance camera
aerograph
aerometer
aeroscope
air log
air-speed head
air-speed indicator
altigraph
altimeter
altitude mixture control
ammeter
anemograph
anemometer
anemoscope
aneroid
automatic boost control
automatic *or* robot pilot
autopilot
autosyn
bank *or* banking indicator
barometer
bearing plate
bombing locator
bombsight
Bourdon tube
calorimeter
carburetor altitude control
card compass
card magnetic compass
ceiling-height indicator
chronometer
climatometer
compass
control rod *or* column
control stick
directional gyro
direction finder
direction indicator
drift meter
earth inductor *or* induction compass
electrical capacity altimeter
engine gauge
evaporimeter
flight recorder
fuel-flow meter
fuel quantity indicator
galvanometer
gosport, gosport tube
gyrocompass
Gyro Flux Gate
gyro horizon
Gyropilot
gyrosyn
horn
hub dynamometer
hygrograph
hygrometer
hypsometer
inclinometer
induction compass
instrument board *or* panel
intervalometer
Joyce stick
joy stick
macaviator
Mach meter
magnetic compass
manifold pressure gauge
meteorograph
micrometer
nephoscope
octant
optical altimeter
ozonometer
pelorus
photometer
pitch *or* pitching indicator
pitot-static tube
pluviometer
polymeter
position indicator
potentiometer
pressure altimeter
pyrometer
quadrant
radar
radio
radio altimeter
radio compass
radio direction finder
radiogoniometer
rate-of-climb indicator
recording altimeter
recording anemometer
recording hygrometer
sextant
sound-ranging altimeter
Sperry antiaircraft director
spirit level
static tube
sting
strike radar scanner
sun compass
tachometer
terrain clearance indicator
thermograph
thermometer
thermostat
throttle
transit instrument
turn-and-bank indicator
turnmeter
variometer
venturi tube
viscosimeter
yawmeter
yoke

279. AVIATOR

.1 NOUNS **aviator,** aeronaut, aeroplaner, airplaner, aeroplanist, airplanist, **airman, flier, pilot,** air pilot; licensed pilot, private pilot, commercial pilot, instructor; wingman; chief pilot, captain; birdman [informal]; copilot; jet pilot, jet jockey [informal]; test pilot; bush pilot; astronaut 282.8; cloud seeder, rainmaker; cropduster; barnstormer [informal]; stunt man, stunt flier.

.2 **aviatrix,** aviatress, **airwoman,** birdwoman [informal].

.3 **military pilot,** naval pilot, combat pilot; fighter pilot; bomber pilot; suicide pilot, kamikaze; observer; **aviation cadet,** air *or* flying cadet, pilot trainee; flyboy [slang]; ace; air force 800.28,29.

.4 crew, **aircrew,** flight crew; aircrewman; **navigator,** avigator; **bombardier;** gunner, machine gunner, belly gunner, tail gunner; crew chief; aerial photographer; meteorologist; steward, stewardess, hostess, flight attendant.

.5 **ground crew,** landing crew, plane handlers.

.6 aircraftsman, aeromechanic, aircraft mechanic, mechanic, grease monkey [slang]; rigger; aeronautical engineer, flight engineer, jet engineer, rocket engineer 281.11; ground tester, flight tester.

.7 **balloonist,** ballooner, aeronaut.

.8 **parachutist,** chutist *or* chuter [both informal], parachute jumper, sports parachutist; sky diver; smoke jumper; **paratrooper;** paradoctor, paramedic; jumpmaster.

.9 (mythological fliers) Daedalus, Icarus.

280. AIRCRAFT

.1 NOUNS **aircraft,** aerocraft, **airplane** 280.15, aeroplane [Brit], **plane, ship,** fixed-wing aircraft, flying machine, *avion* [Fr]; aerodyne, heavier-than-air craft; kite [Brit informal]; lifting body; planform.

.2 **propeller plane,** single-prop, double-prop *or* twin-prop, multi-prop; tractor, tractor plane; pusher, pusher plane; piston plane; turbo-propeller plane, turbo-prop, prop-jet.

.3 **jet plane, jet; turbojet,** ramjet, pulse-jet,

blowtorch [informal]; single-jet, twin-jet, multi-jet; Jet Liner, business jet; delta-planform jet, tailless jet, twin-tailboom jet; jumbo jet; subsonic jet; supersonic jet, supersonic transport, SST.

.4 **rocket plane,** repulsor; rocket ship, spaceship 282.2; rocket 281.2.

.5 **rotor plane,** rotary-wing aircraft, rotocraft, rotodyne; gyroplane, gyro, **autogiro,** windmill [informal]; **helicopter,** heli–; copter *or* whirlybird *or* chopper *or* eggbeater [all informal].

.6 **ornithopter,** orthopter, wind flapper, mechanical bird.

.7 **flying platform,** flying ring, Hiller-CNR machine, flying bedstead *or* bedspring; **hovercraft,** air car, ground-effect machine, air-cushion vehicle, hovercar, cushioncraft; flying crow's nest, flying motorcycle, flying bathtub.

.8 **seaplane,** waterplane, **hydroplane,** aerohydroplane, aeroboat, **floatplane,** float seaplane; **flying boat,** clipper, boat seaplane; **amphibian,** triphibian.

.9 **warplane,** battleplane, combat plane, gun boat, military aircraft; suicide plane, kamikaze; bogey, bandit, enemy aircraft; air fleet, air armada; air force 800.28,29.

.10 **trainer;** Link trainer; **flight simulator;** dual-control trainer; basic *or* primary trainer, intermediate trainer, advanced trainer; crew trainer, flying classroom; navigator-bombardier trainer, radio-navigational trainer, etc.

.11 **aerostat,** lighter-than-air craft; **airship,** ship, dirigible balloon, **blimp** [informal]; rigid airship, semirigid airship; **dirigible,** zeppelin, Graf Zeppelin; gasbag, ballonet; **balloon** 280.18, *ballon* [Fr].

.12 **glider,** gliding machine; **sailplane,** soaring plane; rocket glider; student glider; air train, glider train.

.13 **parachute,** para–; **chute** [informal], umbrella [informal], brolly [Brit informal]; pilot chute, drogue chute; rip cord, safety loop, shroud lines, harness, pack, vent; parachute jump, brolly-hop [Brit informal]; sky dive; brake *or* braking *or* deceleration parachute.

.14 **kite,** box kite, Eddy kite, Hargrave *or* cellular kite, tetrahedral kite.

.15 **airplanes**

aerobus
aerodone
air ambulance
air coach
air cruiser
airfreighter
airliner
air scout
air-sea rescue amphibian
air-sea rescue plane
all-weather fighter
ambulance
amphibian transport
antique plane
antisubmarine patrol
antisubmarine plane
arctic rescue helicopter
assault transport
assault-troop plane
attack bomber
attack plane
attack transport
Autogiro
avion-canon [Fr]
biplace [Fr]
biplane
bomber
cabin plane
canard
cargo plane
cargo transport
carrier-based plane
carrier fighter
casualty-evacuation plane
club plane
commercial transport
constant-chord-rotor helicopter
convertiplane
crop-duster
cruiser
Cub
dive bomber
drone
escort fighter
evacuation ambulance
evacuation plane
executive plane
fighter
fighter-bomber
flying banana
flying boxcar
flying fortress
flying platform 280.7
flying tanker
flying wing
freighter
freight transport
general reconnaissance
glider 280.12
grasshopper
ground-attack fighter
ground-support aircraft
gyrodyne
heavy bomber
heavy transport
helibus
helicopter 280.5
helicopter gun ship
high-altitude reconnaissance plane
high-altitude research aircraft
high-wing monoplane
hovercraft 280.7
hunter
hurricane hunter
in-flight refueling tanker
interceptor
intermeshing-rotor helicopter
jet, jet plane 280.3
jet bomber
jet fighter
jet tanker
jet transport
killer
laminar-flow-control plane
landplane
liaison plane
light bomber
light transport
liner
long-range attack aircraft
long-range bomber
long-range medium *or* heavy bomber
long-range patrol bomber
low-wing monoplane
mailplane
maritime reconnaissance plane
medium bomber
meteorological reconnaissance plane
midwing monoplane
military aircraft
military transport
mobile command post
monoplace [Fr]
monoplane
mosquito
multipurpose plane
naval aircraft
naval bomber
naval fighter
naval interceptor
night fighter
observation plane
ornithopter 280.6
paraglider
parasol
passenger plane
pathfinder
patrol bomber
patrol plane
photo-reconnaissance plane
picket patrol plane
pilotless aircraft
pou de ciel [Fr]
precision bomber
private plane
propeller plane 280.2
pulse jet helicopter
pursuit plane
radar picket plane
reconnaissance plane
rescue helicopter
rescue plane
research plane
robot plane
rocket-firing plane
rocket plane 280.4
rotor plane 280.5
scout, scout plane
seaplane 280.8

search plane
service aircraft
sesquiplane
shipboard interceptor
shipboard plane
shipplane
ski-plane
sky truck
sport plane, sports plane
spotter plane
spy plane
STOL (short takeoff and landing)
stratofreighter
stratojet
strike plane
supersonic combat plane
supersonic research plane
tactical support bomber
tandem plane
tandem-rotor helicopter
target-tug *or* -tower
taxiplane
torpedo bomber
torpedo strike aircraft
trainer 280.10
trainer-bomber
trainer-fighter
transport
triplane
troop carrier
troop transport
turbojet
utility plane
VTOL (vertical takeoff and landing)
warplane 280.9
weather reconnaissance plane

.16 airplane parts

adjustable propeller
aerothermodynamic duct
afterburner
aileron
air brake
air controls
airfoil
airframe
air intake
air scoop
airscrew
antidrag wire
antilift *or* landing wire
arresting gear
arrestor hook
astrodome
athodyd
axial-flow unit
balancing flap
ball turret
bay
beaching gear
belly tank
blister
blister canopy
body
bomb bay
bomb rack
bomb release
bonnet
booster rocket unit
bow
brace wire
bubble
bubble canopy
bubble hood
bucket seat
bumper bag
butterfly tail
cabin
canopy
cat strip
channel patch
chassis
chin
coaxial propellers
cockpit
coke-bottle fuselage
contraprops
contra-rotating airscrews
controls
control surface
control wires
cowl
crew compartment
dead stick
deceleron
deck
deicer
delta wing
dihedral
diving rudder
dorsal airdome
dorsal blister
double-bubble
drag strut
drag wire
drift wire
dual controls
ejection seat
ejector
elevating rudder
elevator
elevon
emergency landing gear
empennage
engine controls
fin
finger patch
flame trap
flap
flex wing
float
flotation gear
folding wing
fuel injector
fuselage
gas-shaft hood
gore
gull wing
gun mount
hatch
hood
instruments 278.61
intermeshing rotors
jackstay
jet pipe
jet pod
jury skid
keel
laminar-flow system
landing gear
landing lights
landing skis
launching gear
launching tube
leading edge
lift wire
longeron
monocoque [Fr]
nacelle
navigation lights
navigator's bubble
nose
nose radiator
nose turret
nosewheel
nosewheel undercarriage
oleo gear
oleo leg
pants, wheel parts
parasol wing
Perspex 'chin' housing
pilot plane
pod
pontoon
projector tube
propeller, prop [informal]
propulsive duct
radar nacelle
radar nose
radar scanner
radome
retractable landing gear
rocket launcher
Rogallo wing
rotors
rudder
rudder bar
rudder pedals
ruddervator
runners (for snow or ice)
safety wire
skid fin
skid landing gear
ski landing gear
slitwing
spinner
spoiler
spray strip
stabilizer, stabilizator
stagger *or* incidence wire
stay
stick, stick control
stressed skin
stringers
strut
stub-wing stabilizer
supersonic wings
tail
tail boom
tail fin
tail pipe
tail plane
tail rotor
tail skid
tail stinger
tail unit
tail wheel
tandem rotors
tandem seat
tractor airscrew
trailing edge
trim controls
trim tab
truss
turbine nozzle
turboprops
turret
turtleback
twin tail wheel
undercarriage
ventral airdome
ventral radome
vertical fin
V tail *or* vee tail
waist gun blister
walking beam
wheel cowlings
wing
wing radiator
wing rib
wing root air intake
wing roots
wing skid
wing truss

.17 aircraft engines

aeromotor
arc-jet engine
athodyd
axial-flow turbojet
axial-type engine
cam engine
compound engine
compression-ignition engine
double-row radial engine
fan-jet engine
gas jet
gas turbine jet engine
impulse duct engine
intermittent duct engine
inverted engine
jet engine
pancake engine
piston engine
propeller-drive gas turbine
propeller-jet engine
propjet
pulse jet
radial engine
ramjet
reaction engine *or* motor
reciprocating engine
resojet

resonance duct jet engine
resonance jet engine
rocket motor
rotary engine
supercharged engine
turbine
turbojet
turboprop
turbo-propeller engine
turboprop-jet
turboram-jet
twin-engines
vertical engine
V-type engine
W-type engine
X-type engine

.18 **balloons**

ballon-sonde [Fr]
barrage balloon
blimp 280.11
captive balloon
ceiling balloon
dirigible balloon, dirigible 280.11
fire balloon
free balloon
gasbag
gas balloon
hot-air balloon
kite balloon *or* sausage
montgolfier
observation balloon
pilot balloon
radiosonde balloon
rockoon (rocket-balloon)
sausage, sausage balloon
skyhook, skyhook balloon
sounding balloon
stratosphere balloon
weather balloon

.19 **airship parts**

ballonet
basket
car
catwalk
envelope
gas chamber *or* cell
gondola
landing *or* mooring line
mooring harness
observation car
observation platform
sandbag
side *or* wing car
subcloud car

281. ROCKETRY, MISSILERY

.1 NOUNS **rocketry,** rocket science *or* engineering *or* research *or* technology; **missilery,** missile science *or* engineering *or* research *or* technology; rocket *or* missile testing; ground test, firing test, static firing; rocket *or* missile project *or* program; instrumentation; telemetry.

.2 **rocket, rocket engine** *or* **motor,** reaction engine *or* motor, jet engine; rocket exhaust; plasma jet, plasma engine; ion engine; jetavator.

.3 **rocket, missile** 281.14,15, **ballistic missile, guided missile; torpedo** 281.16; projectile rocket, ordnance rocket, combat *or* military *or* war rocket; bird [informal]; **payload; warhead,** nuclear *or* thermonuclear warhead, atomic warhead; multiple *or* multiple-missile warhead.

.4 **rocket bomb,** flying bomb *or* torpedo, cruising missile; **robot bomb,** robomb, *Vergeltungswaffe* [Ger], V-weapon, P-plane; **buzzbomb,** bumblebomb, doodlebug.

.5 **multistage rocket, step rocket;** two- *or* three-stage rocket, two- *or* three-step rocket; single-stage rocket, single step rocket, one-step rocket; **booster,** booster unit, booster rocket, takeoff booster *or* rocket; piggyback rocket.

.6 **test rocket,** research rocket, high-altitude research rocket, registering rocket, instrument rocket, instrument carrier, test instrument vehicle, rocket laboratory; probe.

.7 **proving ground,** testing ground; firing area; impact area; control center, bunker; radar tracking station, tracking station, visual tracking station; meteorological tower.

.8 **rocket propulsion,** reaction propulsion, jet propulsion, blast propulsion; **fuel, propellant,** solid fuel, liquid fuel, hydrazine, liquid oxygen *or* lox; charge, propelling *or* propulsion charge, powder charge *or* grain, high-explosive charge; **thrust,** constant thrust; **exhaust,** jet blast, backflash.

.9 **rocket launching** *or* **firing,** ignition, launch, shot, shoot; **lift-off,** blast-off; guided *or* automatic control, programming; flight, trajectory; **burn; burnout,** end of burning; velocity peak, *Brennschluss* [Ger]; altitude peak, ceiling; descent; airburst; impact.

.10 **rocket launcher,** projector; **launching** *or* **launch pad,** launching platform *or* rack, firing table; **silo;** takeoff ramp; tower projector, launching tower; launching mortar, launching tube, projector tube, firing tube; rocket gun, bazooka, antitank rocket, *Panzerfaust* [Ger]; superbazooka; multiple projector, calliope, Stalin organ, Katusha; antisubmarine projector, Mark 10, hedgehog [slang]; Minnie Mouse launcher, mousetrap [slang]; Meilewagon.

.11 rocket scientist *or* technician, rocketeer *or* rocketer, rocket *or* missile man, rocket *or* missile engineer.

.12 VERBS **rocket, skyrocket.**

.13 **launch,** project, **shoot, fire,** blast off.

.14 **rockets, missiles**

AAM (air-to-air missile)
AA target rocket
ABM (antiballistic missile)
airborne rocket
anchor rocket
antiaircraft rocket
antimine rocket
antimissile
antiradar rocket
antisubmarine *or* anti-sub rocket
antitank rocket
ASM (air-to-surface missile)
ATA missile (air-to-air)
ATG rocket (air-to-ground)
atom-rocket
ATS (air-to-ship)
AUM (air-to-underwater missile)
barrage rocket
bat bomb
bazooka rocket
bombardment rocket
chemical rocket
combat high-explosive rocket
Congreve rocket
countermissile
demolition rocket
fin-stabilized rocket
fireworks rocket

flare rocket
flying tank
GAPA (ground-to-air pilotless aircraft)
glide bomb
GTA rocket (ground-to-air)
GTG rocket (ground-to-ground)
guided missile
harpoon rocket
high-altitude rocket
homing rocket
HVAR (high velocity aircraft rocket)
ICBM (intercontinental ballistic missile)
incendiary antiaircraft rocket
incendiary rocket
ion rocket
IRBM (intermediate range ballistic missile)
line-throwing rocket
liquid-fuel rocket
long-range rocket
MIRV (multiple independently targetable re-entry vehicle)
MRV (multiple re-entry vehicle)
ram rocket
retro-float light
retro-rocket
rockoon
SAM (surface-to-air missile)
signal rocket
skyrocket
smokeless powder rocket
smoke rocket
snake (antimine)
solid-fuel rocket
space rocket 282.2
spinner
spin-stabilized rocket
SSM (surface-to-surface missile)
STS rocket (ship-to-shore)
submarine killer
supersonic rocket
target missile
torpedo rocket
training rocket *or* missile
trajectory missile
transoceanic rocket
vernier, vernier rocket
window rocket (antiradar)
winged rocket
XAAM (experimental air-to-air missile)
XASM (experimental air-to-surface missile)
XAUM (experimental air-to-underwater missile)
XSAM (experimental surface-to-air missile)
XSSM (experimental surface-to-surface missile)

.15 rocket and missile names

Aerobee
Aerojet
Asp
Asroc
Astor
Atlas
Atlas-Agena
Atlas-Centaur
Bomarc
Bullpup
Cajun
Corporal
Corvus
Crossbow
Dart
Davy Crockett
Deacon
Delta
Diamant
Ding-Dong
Dove
Falcon
Firebee
Genie
Hawk
Holy Moses
Honest John
Hound Dog
Jupiter
Lacrosse
Lark
Little John
Lobber
Loki
Loon
Mace
Matador
Mauler
Minnie Mouse
Minuteman
NATIV (North American test instrument vehicle)
Navaho
Nike
Nike Ajax
Nike Hercules
Nike Zeus
Pershing
Petrel
Pofo
Polaris
Poseidon
Private A
Private F
Quail
Ram
Rascal
Redeye
Redstone
Regulus I
Saturn
Scout
Sentinel
Sergeant
Shillelagh
Sidewinder
Skybolt
Snark
Spaerobee
Sparrow
SS-9, SS-10, SS-11
Subroc
Super Talos
Talos
Tartar
Terrier
Thor
Thor Able Star
Thor-Agena
Thor-Delta
Tiny Tim
Titan
V-1, V-2
Viking
WAC-Corporal
Wagtail
Zuni

.16 torpedoes

aerial torpedo
bangalore torpedo
homing torpedo
rocket torpedo
spar torpedo
submarine torpedo *or* fish [slang]

282. SPACE TRAVEL

.1 NOUNS **space travel, astronautics,** cosmonautics, **space flight,** navigation of empty space; interplanetary travel, space exploration; space walk; space navigation, astrogation; **space science,** space technology *or* engineering; **aerospace science,** aerospace technology *or* engineering; space *or* aerospace research; space *or* aerospace medicine, bioastronautics; astrionics; escape velocity; rocketry 281; multistage flight, step flight, shuttle flights; trip to the moon, trip to Mars, grand tour; space terminal, target planet; science fiction 608.7.

.2 **spacecraft, spaceship, space rocket,** rocket ship, manned rocket, interplanetary rocket; **rocket** 281.2; **capsule, space capsule,** ballistic capsule; module, command module, lunar excursion module, lunar module, LEM, LM; moon ship, Mars ship, etc.; deep-space ship; exploratory ship, reconnaissance rocket; ferry rocket, tender rocket, tanker ship, fuel ship; **multistage rocket** 281.5, shuttle rocket, retro rocket, attitude-control rocket, main rocket; **burn;** space docking, docking, docking maneuver; **orbit,** parking orbit; earth orbit, apogee, perigee; lunar *or* moon orbit, apolune, perilune, apocynthion, pericynthion; soft landing, hard landing; injection, insertion, lunar insertion, Earth insertion; **reentry, splashdown.**

.3 **flying saucer,** unidentified flying object, UFO.

.4 **rocket engine** 281.2; atomic power plant; solar battery.

.5 **space station,** astro station, **space island,** island base, cosmic stepping-stone, halfway station, advance base; manned sta-

tion; inner station, outer station, transit station; space airport, **spaceport,** spaceport station, space dock, launching base; research station, space laboratory, space observatory; tracking station, radar tracking station; radar station, radio station; radio relay station, radio mirror; space mirror, solar mirror; moon station, moon base, lunar base, lunar city, observatory on the moon.

.6 **artificial satellite, satellite,** space satellite, robot satellite, unmanned satellite, sputnik; communications satellite, active communications satellite, communications relay satellite, weather satellite, orbiting observatory, geophysical satellite, navigational satellite, geodetic satellite, research satellite, interplanetary monitoring satellite, automated satellite; **probe, space probe,** geo probe, interplanetary explorer.

.7 (satellite telemetered recorders) micro-instrumentation; aurora particle counter, cosmic ray counter, gamma ray counter, heavy particle counter, impulse recorder, magnetometer, solar ultraviolet detector, solar X-ray detector, telecamera.

.8 **astronaut,** astronavigator, cosmonaut, **spaceman,** space traveler, **rocket man,** rocketeer, rocket pilot; space doctor; space crew; planetary colony, lunar colony; extraterrestrial visitor, alien, saucerman, man from Mars, Martian, little green man.

.9 **rocket society,** American Rocket Society, American Interplanetary Society, British Interplanetary Society, German Society for Space Research.

.10 (space hazards) cosmic particles, intergalactic matter, aurora particles, radiation, cosmic ray bombardment; meteors, meteorites; asteroids; meteor dust impacts, meteoric particles, space bullets; extreme temperatures; the bends, blackout, weightlessness.

.11 **space suit,** pressure suit, G suit, anti-G suit; space helmet.

.12 VERBS travel in space, go into outer space; orbit the earth, go into orbit, orbit the moon, etc.; navigate in space, astrogate; escape earth, break free, leave the atmosphere, shoot into space; rocket to the moon, park in space, hang *or* float in space, space walk.

.13 ADJS **astronautical,** cosmonautical, space-traveling; astrogational; rocket-borne, spaceborne.

.14 **spacecraft, artificial satellites, space probes**

A-1
Alouette
Anna
Apollo
Ariel
ATDA
Atlas-Score
ATS
Aurora 7 (Mercury)
Biosatellite
Comsat
Cosmos
Courier
D1-C
D2-D
Diapason
Discoverer
Early Bird
Echo
Elektron
ERS
ESSA (environmental survey satellite)
Explorer
Faith 7 (Mercury)
FR-1
Freedom 7 (Mercury)
Friendship 7 (Mercury)
GATV
Gemini
Greb
Injun
Intelsat
Lageos (laser geodynamic satellite)
Lani Bird
Liberty Bell 7 (Mercury)
Lofti
Luna
Lunar Orbiter
Lunik
Mariner
Mars probes
Mercury
Midas
Molniya
Nimbus
OAO (orbiting astronomical observatory)
OGO (orbiting geophysical observatory)
OSO (orbiting solar observatory)
OV1
OV3
Pageos
Pegasus
Pioneer
Polyot
Proton
Ranger
Relay
Samos
San Marco
Secor
Sigma 7 (Mercury)
Skylab
Soyuz
Sputnik
Surveyor
Syncom
Telstar
TIROS (television and infrared observation satellite)
Transit
Vanguard
Venus probes
Viking
Voskhod
Vostok
WRESAT
Zond

283. IMPULSE, IMPACT

(driving and striking force)

.1 NOUNS **impulse,** impulsion, impelling force, impellent; **drive,** driving force *or* power; **thrust;** motive power, power 157; irresistible force; clout [informal]; **impetus; momentum;** moment, moment of force; propulsion 285.1; incitement 648.4, incentive 648.7, compulsion 756.

.2 **thrust, push, shove,** boost [informal]; press, **pressure,** piezo–, tono–; **stress,** bearing; **prod, poke, punch, jab,** dig, nudge; **bump,** jog, joggle, jolt; **jostle,** hustle; **butt,** bunt; head (of water, steam, etc.).

.3 **impact, collision, clash,** appulse, encounter, meeting, impingement, **bump, crash,** crump, whomp; **carom,** carambole, cannon; sideswipe [informal]; smash *or* **smashup** *or* **crack-up** *or* crunch [all infor-

mal]; **shock, brunt;** percussion, concussion; **thrusting, ramming, bulling, bulldozing,** shouldering; hammering, smashing, mauling, sledgehammering; onslaught 798.1.

.4 **hit, blow, stroke, knock, rap, pound,** bat [informal], slam, bang, crack, **whack, smack, thwack,** smash, dash, swipe, **belt** *or* **clout** [both informal], **swat** [informal], swing, **punch, poke, jab,** dig, drub, thump, pelt, yerk [dial], cut, plunk [informal], chop, **clip** *or* **lick** [both informal], **sock** [slang], **biff** [informal]; clump *or* whop *or* bonk [all informal], dint, slog, slug [slang], bash [informal]; drubbing, drumming, tattoo, fusillade; beating 1010.4.

.5 (boxing blows) backhander, backhand, backstroke; sidewinder; hook; short-arm blow; swing, round-arm blow, roundhouse, Long Melford; uppercut, bolo punch; haymaker; one-two, the old one-two [both slang].

.6 **tap, rap, pat,** dab, chuck, touch, tip; **snap, flick, flip,** fillip, flirt, whisk, brush; **peck,** pick.

.7 **slap, smack,** flap; **box, cuff,** buffet; **spank;** whip, **lash,** cut, stripe.

.8 **kick, boot;** punt, drop kick, place kick, kicking, calcitration [archaic].

.9 **stamp,** stomp [dial], drub, clump, clop.

.10 VERBS **impel,** give an impetus, **set going** *or* agoing, put *or* set in motion, give momentum; **drive, move,** animate, actuate, forward; **thrust,** power; drive *or* whip on; goad; **propel** 285.10; motivate, incite 648.12–21; compel 756.4.

.11 **thrust, push** 285.10, **shove,** boost [informal]; press, stress, **bear,** bear upon, bring pressure to bear upon; **ram,** ram down, tamp, pile drive, jam, crowd, cram; bull, bulldoze; **drive, force,** run; **prod, goad, poke, punch, jab,** dig, nudge; **bump,** jog, joggle, jolt, shake, rattle; **jostle,** hustle, hurtle; elbow, shoulder; **butt,** bunt, buck [informal], run *or* bump *or* butt against, knock *or* run one's head against; assault 798.15.

.12 **collide,** come into collision, be on a collision course, **clash,** meet, encounter, confront each other, impinge; percuss, concuss; **bump, hit, strike, knock, bang; run into, bump into,** bang into, slam into, smack into, **crash into,** smash into, dash into, carom into; **hit against,** strike against, knock against; foul, fall *or* run foul *or* afoul of; hurtle, hurt; **carom,** cannon; **sideswipe** [informal]; **crash,** smash, crump, whomp; smash up *or* crack up *or* crunch [all informal].

.13 **hit, strike, smite, knock,** knock down *or* out, knock for a loop [informal], knock cold [slang], deck [slang], coldcock [slang]; **clobber** *or* **belt** *or* **bat** *or* **clout** [all informal], bang, slam, dash, bash [informal], **biff** [informal], **paste** [informal], **poke, punch, jab,** thwack, **smack,** clap, crack, swipe, **whack;** wham *or* whop *or* clump *or* bonk [all informal], wallop [slang], clip [informal], cut, plunk [informal], **swat** [informal], soak *or* **sock** [both slang], slog, **slug** [slang], yerk [dial]; deal, fetch, deal *or* fetch a blow, hit a clip [informal], let have it; **thump,** snap; strike at 798.16.

.14 **pound, beat, hammer, maul,** sledgehammer, **knock, rap, bang,** thump, **drub,** buffet, **batter,** pulverize, paste [informal], patter, pommel, pummel, pelt, wallop [slang], larrup [informal], baste, lambaste [informal]; thresh, thrash; flail; spank, flap; whip 1010.14.

.15 **tap, rap, pat,** dab, chuck, touch, tip; **snap, flick, flip,** fillip, tickle, flirt, whisk, **graze,** brush; bunt; **peck,** pick, beak.

.16 **slap, smack,** flap; **box, cuff,** buffet; **spank;** whip 1010.14.

.17 **club,** cudgel, blackjack, sandbag, cosh [Brit].

.18 **kick,** boot, calcitrate [archaic]; punt, drop-kick, place-kick; knee.

.19 **stamp,** stomp [dial], trample, tread, drub, clump, clop.

.20 ADJS **impelling,** impellent; impulsive, pulsive, **moving,** motive, animating, actuating, **driving;** thrusting.

.21 concussive, percussive, crashing, smashing.

284. REACTION

.1 NOUNS **reaction,** retroaction; **response,** respondence, reply, answer 487.1, **rise** [slang]; **reflex,** reflection, **reflex action;** echo, bounceback, reverberation; return, revulsion; reflux, refluence; sympathetic vibration; action and reaction; predictable response, automatic *or* autonomic reaction; spontaneous *or* unthinking response, spur-of-the-moment response; conditioned reflex; –nasty, –taxia *or* –taxis.

.2 **recoil, rebound,** resilience, repercussion, *contrecoup* [Fr]; **bounce, bound, spring;** repulse, rebuff; **backlash,** backlashing, kickback, **kick,** recalcitration; **backfire, boomerang;** ricochet, carom.

.3 (a drawing back or aside) **retreat,** recoil, fallback, pullout, pullback; evasion, avoidance, sidestepping; **flinch,** wince, cringe; **side step,** shy; **dodge, duck** [informal].

.4 **reactionary,** reactionist, recalcitrant.

.5 VERBS **react, respond,** reply, answer, riposte, snap back, come back at [informal]; rise to the fly, take the bait.

.6 **recoil, rebound,** resile; **bounce, bound, spring; spring** *or* **fly back,** bounce *or* bound back, snap back; repercuss, have repercussions; **kick,** kick back, recalcitrate; **backfire, boomerang;** backlash, lash back; ricochet, carom, cannon, cannon off.

.7 **pull** *or* **draw back,** retreat, recoil, fade, **fall back,** reel back, hang back, start back, shrink back; **shrink, flinch, wince, cringe,** blink, blench, quail; **shy,** start *or* turn aside, evade, avoid, sidestep, weasel, weasel out; **dodge, duck** [informal]; jib, swerve, sheer off.

.8 get a reaction, get a response, evoke a response, ring a bell, strike a responsive chord, strike fire, strike *or* hit home, hit a nerve, get a rise out of [slang].

.9 ADJS **reactive,** reacting; **responsive,** respondent, responding, antiphonal; reactionary; retroactionary, retroactive; revulsive; **reflex,** reflexive; refluent; –tactic, –tropic *or* –trophic.

.10 recoiling, rebounding, **resilient; bouncing,** bounding, springing; repercussive; recalcitrant.

.11 ADVS **on the rebound,** on the return, on the bounce; on the spur of the moment, off the top of the head.

285. PUSHING, THROWING

.1 NOUNS **pushing, propulsion,** pulsion, **propelling,** propelment, **shoving; drive, thrust,** motive power, driving force; push, shove; butt, bunt; shunt, impulsion 283.1.

.2 steam propulsion, gas propulsion, gasoline propulsion, diesel propulsion, diesel-electric propulsion, jet propulsion, turbojet propulsion, pulse-jet propulsion, plasma-jet propulsion, ram-jet propulsion, resojet propulsion, rocket propulsion, reaction propulsion; wind propulsion.

.3 **throwing, projection,** trajection, jaculation, flinging, slinging, **pitching,** casting, hurling, lobbing, chucking, heaving; **shooting,** firing, gunnery, musketry; trapshooting, skeet *or* skeet shooting; archery.

.4 **throw, fling, sling, cast, hurl,** chuck, chunk, lob, **heave,** shy, **pitch, toss,** peg [informal]; **flip;** put, shot-put; (football) pass, forward pass, lateral pass, lateral; (tennis) serve, service; bowl; (baseball) fastball, curve, screwball, incurve, outcurve, upcurve, downcurve, sinker, slider, knuckleball, spitball, spitter, change-up, change of pace.

.5 **shot,** discharge; ejection 310; detonation 456.3; gunfire 798.9; gun, cannon 801.5,6; bullet 801.13; **salvo, volley,** fusillade, tattoo, spray; bowshot, gunshot, stoneshot, potshot.

.6 **projectile,** trajectile; ejecta, ejectamenta [both pl]; **missile** 801.12; ball 255.13; discus, quoit.

.7 **propeller,** prop [informal], airscrew; propellant, propulsor, driver; screw, wheel, screw propeller, twin screws; paddle wheel; turbine, turbo–; fan, impeller, rotor; piston.

.8 **thrower, pitcher,** hurler, chucker, heaver, tosser, flinger, slinger; bowler; shotputter; javelin thrower; discus thrower, discobolus.

.9 **shooter,** shot; **gunner,** gun, **gunman; rifleman,** musketeer, carabineer; cannoneer, artilleryman 800.10; Nimrod, hunter 655.5; trapshooter; archer, bowman, toxophilite; **marksman,** markswoman, targetshooter, **sharpshooter,** sniper; good shot, dead shot, deadeye, **crack shot.**

.10 VERBS **push, propel,** impel, **shove,** thrust 283.11; **drive, move,** forward, advance; sweep, sweep along; butt, bunt; shunt; pole, row; pedal, treadle; **roll,** troll, bowl, trundle.

.11 **throw, fling, sling, pitch, toss, cast, hurl,** hurtle, **heave, chuck,** chunk, lob, peg [informal], shy, fire, launch, dash, let fly; catapult; **flip,** snap, jerk; bowl; pass; serve; put, put the shot; dart, lance, tilt; fork, pitchfork; pelt 798.27,28.

.12 **project,** traject, jaculate.

.13 **shoot, fire,** fire off, let off, let fly, **discharge,** eject 310.13; detonate 456.8; gun [informal], pistol; shoot at 798.22, gun for [informal]; strike, hit, plug [slang]; shoot down, fell, drop, stop in one's tracks; **riddle, pepper,** pelt, pump full of lead [slang]; snipe, pick off; torpedo; pot; potshoot, potshot, take a potshot; load, prime, charge; cock.

.14 **start,** start off, start up, give a start, **put** *or* **set in motion, set on foot,** set going *or* agoing, start going; **kick off** *or* **start the ball rolling** [both informal]; **launch,** float, set afloat; send, send off *or* forth; bundle, bundle off.

.15 ADJS **propulsive,** propulsory, pulsive; **propellant,** propelling; motive; **driving, pushing, shoving.**

.16 **projectile,** trajectile, jaculatory; **ballistic,** missile; ejective 310.28.

.17 jet-propelled, rocket-propelled, steam-propelled, gasoline-propelled, gas-propelled, diesel-propelled, wind-propelled, self-propelled.

286. PULLING

.1 NOUNS **pulling, traction, drawing,** draft, heaving, tugging; pulling *or* tractive power, **pull;** tug-of-war; towing, towage; **hauling,** haulage, drayage; attraction 288; extraction 305.

.2 **pull, draw,** draft, **heave, haul,** lug [informal], **tug,** strain, drag.

.3 **jerk,** yerk [dial], **yank** [informal], quick *or* sudden pull; **twitch,** tweak, pluck, hitch, wrench, snatch, start, bob; **flip,** flick, flirt, flounce; jig, **jiggle;** jog, joggle.

.4 VERBS **pull, draw, heave, haul,** hale, lug, **tug, tow,** take in tow; trail, train; **drag,** draggle, snake [informal]; troll, trawl.

.5 **jerk,** yerk [dial], **yank** [informal]; **twitch,** tweak, pluck, snatch, hitch, wrench, snake [informal]; **flip,** flick, flirt, flounce; **jiggle,** jig, jigget, jigger; jog, joggle.

.6 ADJS **pulling, drawing,** tractional, tractive, hauling, tugging, towing; draft.

287. LEVERAGE, PURCHASE

(mechanical advantage applied to moving or raising)

.1 NOUNS **leverage,** fulcrumage; **pry,** prize [dial].

.2 **purchase, hold,** advantage; **foothold,** toehold, footing; differential purchase; collier's purchase; traction.

.3 **fulcrum, axis, pivot,** bearing, rest, resting point, *point d'appui* [Fr]; thole, tholepin, rowlock, oarlock.

.4 **lever; pry,** prize [dial]; **bar,** pinch bar, **crowbar,** crow, iron crow, wrecking bar, ripping bar, claw bar; cant hook, peavey; **jimmy;** handspike, marlinespike; boom, spar, beam, outrigger; pedal, treadle, crank; limb.

.5 **arm,** brachi(o)–; forearm; wrist; elbow; upper arm, biceps.

.6 **tackle** 287.10, purchase.

.7 **windlass; capstan; winch,** crab; reel; Chinese windlass, Spanish windlass.

.8 VERBS get a purchase, get leverage, get a foothold; **pry,** prize, **lever,** wedge; **jimmy,** crowbar.

.9 **reel in,** wind in, draw in, pull in, crank in, trim, tighten, tauten, draw taut; windlass, winch, crank, reel; tackle.

.10 **tackle**

Bell's tackle *or* purchase
block
block and fall *or* falls
block and tackle
boat falls
boom tackle
burton
cat
chain block
chain fall
collier's purchase
deck tackle
differential tackle
double *or* twofold tackle
duplex purchase
fall
fore-and-aft tackle
foretackle
gun tackle
handy-billy
hatch tackle
jigger
luff, luff tackle
luff upon luff
pulley
pulley tackle
runner
runner and tackle
runner tackle
single tackle
single-whip tackle
snatch block
Spanish burton
stay tackle
tackle block
threefold, fourfold, etc., tackle
top burton
yard tackle

288. ATTRACTION

(a drawing toward)

.1 NOUNS **attraction,** traction 286.1, attractiveness, attractivity; attractance *or* attractancy; mutual attraction; pulling power, **pull,** drag, draw, tug; magnetism 342.7; gravity, gravitation, gravit(o)–; centripetal force; capillarity, capillary attraction; adduction; affinity, sympathy; **allurement** 650.

.2 attractor, attractant, attrahent; adductor; cynosure, focus, center, center of attraction *or* attention; **lure** 650.2.

.3 **magnet,** artificial magnet, field magnet, bar magnet, horseshoe magnet, electromagnet, solenoid, paramagnet, electromagnetic lifting magnet, magnetic battery; magnetic needle; lodestone, magnetite; lodestar, polestar.

.4 VERBS **attract, pull, draw,** drag, tug, pull *or* draw towards, have an attraction; **magnetize,** magnet, be magnetic; **lure** 650.4; adduct.

.5 ADJS attracting, drawing, pulling, dragging, tugging; **attractive, magnetic,** magnetized, attrahent; sympathetic; **alluring** 650.7; adductive, adducent.

.6 ADVS attractionally, attractively; magnetically.

289. REPULSION

(a thrusting away)

.1 NOUNS **repulsion,** repellence *or* repellency, **repelling;** mutual repulsion, polar-

ization; disaffinity; centrifugal force; magnetic repulsion, diamagnetism; antigravity.

.2 **repulse, rebuff; dismissal,** cold shoulder, snub, spurning, brush-off, cut; refusal.

.3 VERBS **repulse, repel, rebuff, turn back,** put back, beat back, drive *or* push *or* thrust back; drive away, chase, chase off *or* away; send off *or* away, send about one's business, **send packing,** pack off, dismiss; snub, cut, brush off; spurn, refuse; **ward off,** hold off, keep off, fend off, keep at arm's length.

.4 ADJS **repulsive,** repellent, **repelling;** diamagnetic, of opposite polarity.

.5 ADVS repulsively, repellently.

290. DIRECTION

(compass direction or course)

.1 NOUNS **direction,** quarter, line, direction line, line of direction, point, **aim, way,** track, range, **bearing,** azimuth, compass reading, **heading, course;** current, set, tendency, inclination, bent, trend, tenor, run, drift; **orientation,** lay, lie; steering, steerage, helmsmanship, piloting; navigation 275.1,2; line of march.

.2 [naut & aero terms] vector, tack; compass direction, azimuth, compass bearing *or* heading, magnetic bearing *or* heading, relative bearing *or* heading, true bearing *or* heading *or* course; lee side, weather side 242.2,3.

.3 **points of the compass,** cardinal points, half points, quarter points, degrees, compass rose; compass card, lubber line; rhumb, loxodrome; **north,** northward, nor', arct(o)–; **south,** southward, austr(o)–, not(o)–; **east,** eastward, orient, sunrise; **west,** westward, occident, sunset; southeast, southwest, northeast, northwest.

.4 easting, westing, northing, southing.

.5 **orientation, bearings;** adaptation, adjustment, accommodation, alignment, collimation; disorientation.

.6 VERBS **direct, point, aim, turn, bend, train,** present, fix, set, determine; point to *or* at, hold on, fix on, sight on; aim at, level at, turn *or* train upon; directionize, give a push in the right direction.

.7 **direct to,** give directions to, lead *or* conduct to, point out to, show, **show** *or* **point the way,** steer, put on the track, put on the right track, set straight, set *or* put right.

.8 (have or take a direction) **bear, head, turn, point, aim,** take *or* hold a heading, lead, go, steer, direct oneself, align oneself; **incline, tend,** trend, set, dispose, verge, tend to go.

.9 wester, west, western; easter, east, eastern; norther, north, northern; souther, south, southern.

.10 **head for,** bear for, **go for,** make for, hit for [informal], **steer for,** hold for, put for, **set out** *or* **off for,** strike out for, take off for [informal], bend one's steps for, lay for, bear up for, bear up to, make up to, set in towards; set *or* direct *or* shape one's course for, set one's compass for, sail for 275.35; align one's march; **break for,** make a break for [informal], run *or* dash for, make a run *or* dash for.

.11 **go directly, go straight,** follow one's nose, go straight on, **head straight for,** vector for, go straight to the point, steer a straight course, follow a course, keep *or* hold one's course, hold steady for, arrow for, cleave to the line, keep pointed; **make a beeline,** take the air line, stay on the beam.

.12 **orient,** orientate, orient *or* orientate oneself, orient the map *or* chart, **take** *or* **get one's bearings,** get the lay *or* lie of the land, see which way the land lies, see which way the wind blows; adapt, adjust, accommodate.

.13 ADJS **direct,** immediate, **straight, straightforward,** straightaway, straightway; **undeviating,** unswerving, unveering; uninterrupted, unbroken; one-way, unidirectional, irreversible.

.14 **directable,** aimable, pointable, trainable; **steerable,** dirigible, guidable, leadable; **directed,** aimed; well-aimed *or* -directed *or* -placed, on the mark, on the nose *or* money [informal]; **directional,** directive.

.15 **northern,** north, northernmost, northerly, northbound, **arctic,** boreal, hyperborean; **southern,** south, southernmost, southerly, southbound, meridional, **antarctic,** austral; **eastern,** east, easternmost *or* eastermost, easterly, eastbound, **oriental; western,** west, westernmost, westerly, westbound, **occidental; northeastern,** northeast, northeasterly; **southeastern,** southeast, southeasterly; **southwestern,** southwest, southwesterly; **northwestern,** northwest, northwesterly.

.16 ADVS **north,** N, nor', northerly, northward, north'ard, norward, northwards, northwardly; north about.

.17 **south,** S, southerly, southward, south'ard, southwards, southwardly; south about.

.18 **east,** E, easterly, eastward, eastwards, eastwardly, where the sun rises; eastabout.

.19 **west,** W, westerly, westernly, westward, westwards, westwardly; westabout.

.20 **northeast,** NE, nor'east, northeasterly, northeastward, northeastwards, northeastwardly; north-northeast, NNE; northeast by east, N by E; northeast by north, NE by N.

.21 **northwest,** NW, nor'west, northwesterly, northwestward, northwestwards, northwestwardly; north-northwest, NNW; northwest by west, NW by W; northwest by north, NW by N.

.22 **southeast,** SE, southeasterly, southeastward, southeastwards, southeastwardly; south-southeast, SSE; southeast by east, SE by E; southeast by south, SE by S.

.23 **southwest,** SW, southwesterly, southwestward, southwestwards, southwestwardly; south-southwest, SSW; southwest by south, SW by S.

.24 **directly, direct, straight,** straightly, **straightforward,** straightforwards, **undeviatingly,** unswervingly, unveeringly; **straight ahead,** dead ahead; due, dead, due north, etc.; right, forthright; –way(s), –wise, –ward(s); in a direct *or* straight line, in line with, in a line for, **in a beeline, as the crow flies,** straight across; straight as an arrow.

.25 **squarely, square, right, straight,** flush, full, point-blank; **plump,** plumb, plunk, kerplunk, plop, smack, smack-dab, spang; **exactly,** precisely.

.26 **clockwise,** rightward 243.7; **counterclockwise,** anticlockwise, widdershins, leftward 244.6; homeward; landward; seaward; earthward; heavenward; leeward, windward 242.9.

.27 **in every direction,** in all directions, in all manner of ways, every which way [informal], everywhither, **everyway, everywhere,** in all directions at once, in every quarter, on every side; around, all round, round about; forty ways *or* six ways from Sunday [informal]; from every quarter, everywhence; from *or* to the four corners of the earth, from *or* to the four winds.

.28 PREPS **toward,** towards, **in the direction of, to,** up, on, upon; ad– *or* ac– *or* af– *or* ag– *or* al– *or* ap– *or* as– *or* at–, pros–; against, over against, versus; headed for, on the way to, on the road *or* high road to, in transit to, en route to, on route to, in passage to.

.29 **through,** by, passing by *or* through, **by way of,** by the way of, **via;** over, around, round about, here and there in, all through.

291. DEVIATION

(indirect course)

.1 NOUNS **deviation,** deviance *or* deviancy, deviousness, **departure, digression,** diversion, **divergence,** divarication, branching off, divagation, declination, aberration, aberrancy, **variation,** indirection, exorbitation; detour, excursion, excursus, discursion; obliquity, bias, skew, slant; **circuitousness** 321; **wandering,** rambling, **straying,** errantry, pererration; drift, drifting; turning, shifting, swerving, swinging; **turn,** corner, bend, curve, dogleg, crook, hairpin, zigzag, twist, warp, swerve, **veer,** sheer, sweep; shift, double; tack, yaw; wandering *or* twisting *or* zigzag *or* shifting course *or* path; –plania.

.2 **deflection,** deflexure, flection, flexure; torsion, distortion; skewness; **refraction, diffraction, scatter,** diffusion, dispersion.

.3 VERBS **deviate, depart from, vary, diverge,** divaricate, branch off, **digress,** divagate, **turn aside,** go out of the way, detour; **swerve, veer,** sheer, curve, **shift, turn,** trend, bend, heel, bear off; tack 275.30; alter one's course, change the bearing.

.4 **stray,** go astray, lose one's way, err; take a wrong turn *or* turning; drift, go adrift; **wander,** ramble, rove, straggle, divagate, excurse, pererrate; meander, wind, twist, snake, twist and turn.

.5 **deflect,** deviate, **divert,** diverge, **turn,** bend, curve, pull, crook, dogleg, hairpin, zigzag; **warp,** bias, twist, distort, skew; refract, diffract, **scatter, diffuse, disperse.**

.6 **turn aside** *or* **to the side,** draw aside, side, **turn away,** jib, shy, shy off; avert; gee, haw; **sidetrack,** shove aside, shunt, switch; **head off,** turn back 289.3; **step aside,** sidestep, move aside *or* to the side, sidle; **steer clear of,** make way for, get out of the way of; go off, bear off, sheer off, veer off, ease off, edge off; fly off, go *or* fly off at a tangent; glance, glance off.

.7 ADJS **deviative,** deviatory, deviating, **deviant,** departing, aberrant, aberrational, aberrative, shifting, turning, swerving, veering; **digressive,** discursive, excursive, **circuitous; devious,** indirect, out-of-the-way; errant, erratic, zigzag, **wandering,** rambling, roving, winding, twisting, meandering, snaky, serpentine, mazy, labyrin-

thine, vagrant, stray, desultory, planetary, undirected.

.8 **deflective,** inflective, flectional, diffractive, refractive; refractile, refrangible; deflected, flexed, refracted, diffracted, scattered, diffuse, diffused, dispersed; distorted, skewed, skew.

292. LEADING

(going ahead)

.1 NOUNS **leading, heading,** foregoing; anteposition, the lead, *le pas* [Fr]; **preceding,** precedence 64; priority 116; front, van 240; precursor 66.

.2 VERBS **lead, head,** spearhead, stand at the head, stand first, head the line; take the lead, go in the lead, **lead the way,** be the bellwether; lead the dance; **light the way,** beacon, guide; get before, get ahead *or* in front of, come to the front, lap, outstrip, pace, set the pace; get *or* have the start, get a head start, steal a march upon; **precede** 64.2, **go before** 66.3.

.3 ADJS **leading, heading,** precessional, precedent, precursory, foregoing; **first, foremost,** headmost; **preceding,** antecedent 64.4; **prior** 116.4; **chief** 36.14.

.4 ADVS **before** 64.6, in front, foremost, headmost, in advance 240.12.

293. FOLLOWING

(going behind)

.1 NOUNS **following,** heeling, **trailing,** tailing [informal], shadowing; **hounding, dogging,** chasing, **pursuit,** pursual, pursuance; sequence 65; sequel 67; series 71.2.

.2 **follower,** successor, tagtail, tail [informal], shadow; **pursuer,** pursuivant; **attendant** 73.4, **satellite, hanger-on,** dangler, adherent, appendage, dependent, parasite, stooge [slang], flunky; **henchman,** ward heeler, partisan, supporter, votary, sectary; fan *or* buff [both informal]; courtier, *homme de cour* [Fr], *cavaliere servente* [Ital]; trainbearer; **public; following** 73.6; disciple 566.2.

.3 VERBS **follow,** go after *or* behind, come after *or* behind, move behind, **pursue, shadow, tail** [informal], **trail,** trail after, follow in the trail of, camp on the trail of, **heel,** follow *or* tread on the heels of, follow in the steps *or* footsteps *or* footprints of, tread close upon, follow in the wake of, hang on the skirts of, stick like the shadow of, sit on the tail of, tailgate [slang], go in the rear of, bring up the rear, eat the dust of, take *or* swallow one's dust; tag *or* **tag after** *or* tag along [all informal]; string along [informal]; **dog,** bedog, **hound,** chase, **pursue.**

.4 lag, **lag behind,** straggle, drag, trail, **trail behind,** hang back, loiter, linger, **loiter** *or* **linger behind,** dawdle, get behind, fall behind *or* behindhand.

.5 ADJS **following,** trailing; succeeding 65.4; consecutive 71.9.

.6 ADVS **behind, after,** in the rear, in the train *or* wake of; in back of 241.13.

294. PROGRESSION

(motion forwards)

.1 NOUNS **progression, progress,** progressiveness; **passage,** course, march, career; **advance,** advancing, **advancement, promotion, furtherance,** furthering; forward motion, forwarding, forwardal; **ongoing,** ongo, go-ahead [informal], onward course, rolling, rolling on; **headway,** way; travel 273.

.2 VERBS **progress, advance, proceed, go,** go *or* move forward, step forward, go on, **go ahead,** go along, pass on *or* along; move, travel 273.17; go fast 269.8–18; **make progress,** come on, **get along,** come along [informal], **get ahead;** further oneself; **make headway, roll,** gather head, gather way; make strides *or* rapid strides, cover ground, get over the ground, make good time, make the best of one's way; make up for lost time, gain ground, make up leeway, make progress against, make head against, stem.

.3 **march on,** run on, rub on, **jog on, roll on,** flow on; drift along, go with the stream.

.4 **make one's way, work one's way,** weave *or* worm *or* thread one's way, inch forward, feel one's way, muddle through; go slow 270.6–9; carve one's way; push *or* force one's way, fight one's way; **forge ahead,** drive on *or* ahead, **push** *or* **press on** *or* **onward,** push *or* press forward, push, crowd.

.5 **advance, further, promote,** forward, hasten, contribute to, foster.

.6 ADJS **progressive,** progressing, advancing, proceeding, **ongoing,** oncoming, onward, forward, **forward-looking,** go-ahead [informal]; moving 273.35.

.7 ADVS **in progress,** in mid-progress; **going on.**

.8 **forward, forwards, onward, onwards, forth, on,** along, **ahead;** on the way to, on

the road *or* high road to, en route to *or* for.

295. REGRESSION

(motion backwards)

.1 NOUNS **regression,** regress; recession 297; **retrogression,** retrocession, retroflexion, reflux, refluence, retrogradation, retroaction, retrusion, reaction; return, reentry; **setback,** backset, throwback, rollback, sternway; backward motion, backward step; **backsliding,** lapse, relapse, recidivism, recidivation.

.2 **retreat,** *reculade* [Fr], **withdrawal,** withdrawment, **retirement, fallback,** pullout, pullback; advance to the rear; disengagement.

.3 **reverse, reversal,** reversing, reversion; **backing,** backing up, backing off, backing out, backup; **about-face,** *volte-face* [Fr], about-turn, right-about, right-about-face, turn to the right-about, U-turn, turnaround, turnabout, swingaround; back track, back trail.

.4 **countermotion,** countermovement; countermarching, countermarch.

.5 VERBS **regress,** go backwards, **recede,** return, revert; **retrogress,** retrograde, retroflex, retrocede; pull back, jerk back, cock (the arm, fist, etc.); fall *or* get *or* go behind, fall astern, lose ground, slip back; **backslide,** lapse, relapse, recidivate.

.6 **retreat,** sound *or* beat a retreat, **withdraw, retire,** pull out *or* back, advance to the rear, disengage; **fall back,** move back, go back, stand back; run back; **draw back,** draw off; **back out** *or* **out of** [informal], back down; give ground, give place.

.7 **reverse,** go into reverse; **back, back up,** backpedal, back off *or* away; **backwater,** make sternway; **backtrack,** backtrail, take the back track; countermarch; reverse one's field; take the reciprocal course.

.8 **turn back,** put back; double, double back, retrace one's steps; turn one's back upon; **return,** go *or* come back, go *or* come home.

.9 **turn round** *or* **around** *or* **about,** turn, make a U-turn, turn on a dime, turn tail, **come** *or* **go about,** put about, fetch about; veer, veer around; **swivel,** pivot, pivot about, swing, round, swing round; wheel, wheel about, whirl, spin; heel, turn upon one's heel.

.10 **about-face,** *volte-face* [Fr], right-about-face, **do an about-face** *or* a right-about-face *or* an about-turn, perform a *volte-face,* **face about,** turn *or* face to the right-about, do a turn to the right-about.

.11 ADJS **regressive,** recessive; **retrogressive,** retrocessive, retrograde; retroactive; reactionary.

.12 **reversed,** reflex, **turned around,** back, **backward;** wrong-way, wrong-way around, counter.

.13 ADVS **backwards,** backward, retrad, **hindwards,** hindward, **rearwards,** rearward, arear, astern; **back,** away, fro, *à reculons* [Fr]; **in reverse,** ass-backwards [slang]; against the grain, *à rebours* [Fr]; counterclockwise, anticlockwise, widdershins; an(a)–, re–, retro–.

296. APPROACH

(motion towards)

.1 NOUNS **approach,** approaching, coming toward, coming near, **access,** accession, nearing; approximation, proximation, appropinquation [archaic]; advance, oncoming; **advent, coming,** forthcoming; flowing toward, afflux, affluxion; appulse; nearness 200; imminence 152.

.2 **approachability, accessibility, access,** getatableness *or* come-at-ableness [both informal], attainability.

.3 VERBS **approach, near, draw near** *or* nigh, go *or* come near, come closer *or* nearer, come to close quarters; **close,** close in, close with; **accost,** encounter, confront; approximate, proximate, appropinquate [archaic]; **advance,** come, **come forward,** come on, come up, bear up, step up; ease *or* edge *or* sidle up to; bear down on *or* upon, be on a collision course with; gain upon, narrow the gap.

.4 ADJS **approaching, nearing,** advancing; attracted to, drawn to; **coming, oncoming, forthcoming,** upcoming, to come; approximate, proximate, approximative; near 200.14; imminent 152.3; –petal, –philic.

.5 **approachable, accessible,** getatable *or* come-at-able [both informal], attainable.

297. RECESSION

(motion from)

.1 NOUNS **recession,** recedence, receding, retrocedence; **retreat, retirement, withdrawal;** retraction, retractation, retractility.

.2 VERBS **recede,** retrocede; **retreat, retire, withdraw;** move off *or* away, stand off *or* away, stand out from the shore; go, **go away; die away,** fade away, drift away; **di-**

minish, decline, sink, shrink, dwindle, **fade, ebb,** wane; go out with the tide, fade into the distance; pull away, widen the distance.

.3 **retract,** withdraw, **draw** *or* **pull back,** pull out, draw *or* pull in; draw in one's claws *or* horns; **shrink,** wince, cringe, flinch, shy, duck.

.4 ADJS **recessive,** recessional, recessionary; recedent, retrocedent.

.5 **receding, retreating, retiring;** diminishing, declining, sinking, shrinking, dwindling, **ebbing,** waning; **fading,** dying.

.6 **retractile,** retractable, retrahent.

298. CONVERGENCE

(coming together)

.1 NOUNS **convergence,** converging, confluence, concourse, conflux; mutual approach, approach 296; **meeting,** congress, concurrence; **concentration,** concentralization, focalization 226.8, focus 226.4; collision course, narrowing gap; funnel, bottleneck; hub, spokes; asymptote; radius; tangent; crossing 221.

.2 VERBS **converge, come together,** approach 296.3, run together, **meet,** unite; intersect; fall in with; be on a collision course; narrow the gap, close with, close, close up, close in; funnel; taper, pinch, nip; centralize, center, **come to a center;** concentralize, concenter, **concentrate,** come *or* tend to a point; **come to a focus** 226.10.

.3 ADJS **converging,** convergent; **meeting,** uniting; concurrent, confluent, mutually approaching, approaching; connivent; **focal,** confocal; centrolineal, centripetal; asymptotic(al); radial, radiating; tangent, tangential.

299. DIVERGENCE

(recession from one another)

.1 NOUNS **divergence** *or* divergency, divarication; aberration, deviation 291; **separation,** division, decentralization; centrifugence; spread, spreading, spreading out, splaying, fanning, fanning out, deployment.

.2 **radiation,** ray, radius, spoke; radiance, diffusion, scattering, dispersion, emanation.

.3 **forking,** furcation, bifurcation, biforking, trifurcation, divarication; **branching,** branching off *or* out, **ramification;** arborescence, arborization, treelikeness.

.4 **fork, prong,** trident; Y, V; **branch, ramification,** stem, offshoot, –dendron; **crotch,** crutch; **fan, delta,** Δ; **groin,** inguen, inguin(o)–; furcula, furculum, **wishbone.**

.5 VERBS **diverge,** divaricate; aberrate; **separate,** divide; spread, **spread out,** outspread, splay, fan out, deploy; go off *or* away, **fly** *or* **go off at a tangent.**

.6 **radiate,** ray, diffuse, emanate, spread, disperse, scatter.

.7 **fork,** furcate, bifurcate, trifurcate, divaricate; **branch,** stem, ramify, branch off *or* out.

.8 ADJS **diverging,** divergent; divaricate, divaricating; palmate, palmated, palmi–, palmat(i)–; fanlike, fan-shaped; deltoid(al), deltalike, delta-shaped; splayed; centrifugal.

.9 **radiating,** radial, radiate, radiated, radio–; rayed, spoked; radiative; actin(o)–, actini–, –actinal, –actine.

.10 **forked, forking,** furcate, biforked, bifurcate, bifurcated, forklike, trifurcate, trifurcated, tridentlike, pronged; **crotched,** Y-shaped, V-shaped; **branched, branching;** arborescent, arboreal, arboriform, treelike, tree-shaped, dendriform, dendritic; branchlike, ramous.

300. ARRIVAL

.1 NOUNS **arrival, coming, advent,** approach, appearance, reaching; attainment, accomplishment, achievement.

.2 **landing,** landfall; docking, mooring, tying up, dropping anchor; **disembarkation,** disembarkment, debarkation, coming *or* going ashore.

.3 **return, homecoming,** recursion; reentrance, reentry; remigration.

.4 **welcome, greetings** 925.2–4.

.5 **destination, goal,** bourn [archaic]; port, haven, harbor, anchorage, **journey's end;** end of the line, terminus, **terminal,** terminal point; stop, stopping place, last stop.

.6 VERBS **arrive,** arrive at, arrive in, come, **come** *or* **get to,** approach, **reach, hit** [informal]; find, **gain,** attain, attain to, accomplish, achieve, make, **make it** [informal], fetch, fetch up at, get there, reach one's destination, come to one's journey's end; make *or* put in an appearance, show up [informal], turn up, pop *or* bob up [informal]; **get in, come in,** blow in [slang], pull in, roll in; **check in;** clock *or* punch *or* ring *or* time in [all informal], sign in; hit town [informal]; come to hand, be received.

.7 **arrive at,** come at, get at, **reach,** arrive upon, **come upon, hit upon,** strike upon, fall upon, light upon, pitch upon, stumble on *or* upon.

.8 **land,** come to land, make a landfall, set foot on dry land; reach *or* make land, make port; put in *or* into, put into port; dock, moor, tie up, drop anchor; go ashore, **disembark,** debark, unboat; **detrain,** debus, deplane, disemplane; alight 316.7, 278.52.

.9 ADJS **arriving,** approaching, entering, **coming,** incoming; inbound, inward-bound; homeward, homeward-bound.

301. DEPARTURE

.1 NOUNS **departure, leaving, going,** passing, **parting; exit,** walkout [informal]; exodus, hegira; egress 303; **withdrawal,** removal, retreat 295.2, retirement; evacuation, abandonment; decampment; escape, flight, getaway [informal].

.2 **outset,** outsetting, setout, outstart, **start,** starting, start-off, setoff, takeoff [informal].

.3 **embarkation,** embarkment, boarding; entrainment; enplanement *or* emplanement, **takeoff,** hopoff [informal].

.4 **leave-taking, leave, parting,** congé; **send-off,** Godspeed; **adieu,** one's adieus, **farewell,** aloha, **good-bye;** valedictory address, valedictory, valediction, parting words; valedictorian; viaticum; stirrup cup, one for the road, *doch-an-dorrach* or *doch-an-dorris* [both Gaelic].

.5 **point of departure, starting place** *or* **point,** takeoff, **start,** base, basis; line of departure; starting post *or* gate; stakeboat; port of embarkation.

.6 VERBS **depart,** take one's departure *or* leave, **leave, go,** up and go [dial], **go away, go off, get off** *or* **away,** get under way, come away, go one's way, go *or* get along, be getting along [informal], gang along [Scot], go on, get on; trot *or* toddle *or* stagger along [informal]; mosey *or* sashay [both informal], mosey *or* sashay off *or* along [informal]; **buzz off** *or* along [informal]; take wing *or* flight, wing it [slang]; move off *or* away, move out, march off *or* away; **pull out;** exit 303.11; take *or* break *or* tear oneself away, take oneself off.

.7 **set forth,** put forth, go forth, **sally forth,** sally, issue, issue forth, set forward, **set out** *or* **off,** be off, be on one's way, outset, **start, start out** *or* **off,** outstart, **strike out,** get off.

.8 **quit, vacate,** evacuate, abandon, turn one's back on; **withdraw,** retreat, **beat a retreat,** retire, remove; abscond, disappear, vanish; **bow out** [informal], make one's exit.

.9 begone, get lost *or* flake off [both slang], get going [informal], shove off *or* hit the road [both slang], **get out,** be off, take oneself off *or* away, get *or* git [both slang]; **clear out** [informal], **get the hell out** [slang], make yourself scarce [informal], vamoose [informal], beat it *or* scram [both slang].

.10 make off, **take off** [informal], split, dog it [both slang]; skip *or* skip out [both informal]; lam *or* take it on the lam [both slang]; powder *or* take a powder *or* take a runout powder [all slang]; skedaddle *or* absquatulate [both slang]; decamp.

.11 **hasten off, hurry away; scamper off, dash off,** whiz off, whip off *or* away, nip *or* nip off [both informal], tear off *or* out, **light out** [slang], dig *or* skin out [slang].

.12 **fling out** *or* **off,** flounce out *or* off.

.13 **run off** *or* **away,** run along, flee, take to flight, fly, take to one's heels, cut out *or* cut and run [both informal], hightail [slang], make tracks [informal]; run for one's life; run away from 631.10.

.14 **check out;** clock *or* ring *or* punch out [all informal], sign out.

.15 **decamp, break camp,** strike camp *or* tent, **pull up stakes.**

.16 **embark, go aboard,** board, go on board; go on shipboard, take ship; hoist the blue Peter; **entrain,** enplane *or* emplane, embus; weigh anchor, put to sea 275.19,20.

.17 say *or* bid good-bye *or* farewell, take leave, make one's adieus; bid Godspeed, give one a send-off, "speed the parting guest" [Pope]; drink a stirrup cup, have one for the road.

.18 **leave home,** go from home; leave the country, emigrate, out-migrate, expatriate.

.19 ADJS **departing, leaving; parting,** last, final, farewell; valedictory; outward-bound.

.20 **departed, left, gone,** gone off *or* away.

.21 ADVS **hence,** thence, whence; off, away, forth, out; therefrom, thereof; ab–, de–.

.22 PREPS **from, away from;** out, out of.

.23 INTERJS **farewell!, good-bye!, adieu!, so long!** [informal], cheerio! [Brit], *au revoir!* [Fr], *¡adios!* [Sp], *¡hasta la vista!* [Sp], *¡hasta luego!* [Sp], *¡vaya con Dios!* [Sp], *auf Wiedersehen!* [Ger], *addio!* [Ital], *arrivederci!, arrivederla!* [both Ital], *ciao!* [Ital informal], *do svidanye!*

[Russ], *shalom!* [Heb], *sayonara!* [Jap], *vale!, vive valeque!* [both L], aloha!, **until we meet again!**, until tomorrow!, *à demain!* [Fr], **see you later!**, see you!, I'll be seeing you!, we'll see you!, *à bientôt!* [Fr], *à toute a l'heure!* [Fr]; be good!, keep in touch!, come again!; *bon voyage!* [Fr], pleasant journey!, have a nice trip!, *tsetchem leshalom!* [Heb], *glückliche Reise!* [Ger], happy landing!; Godspeed!, peace be with you!, *pax vobiscum!* [L]; all good go with you!, God bless you!

.24 **good night!**, nighty-night! [informal], *bonne nuit!* [Fr], *gute Nacht!* [Ger], *¡buenas noches!* [Sp], *buona notte!* [Ital].

302. INGRESS, ENTRANCE

.1 NOUNS **ingress,** ingression, introgression; **entrance, entry,** entree, *entrée* [Fr]; **access; ingoing, incoming,** income; import, importing, importation; **input, intake; penetration,** interpenetration; infiltration, percolation, seepage, leakage; insinuation; intrusion 238; introduction, **insertion** 304; admission, reception 306.

.2 **influx,** influxion, **inflow,** inflooding, indraft, indrawing, inpour, inrun, inrush; afflux, affluxion, affluence.

.3 **immigration,** in-migration, incoming population, foreign influx.

.4 **incomer, entrant,** comer, arrival; **visitor,** visitant; **immigrant,** in-migrant; newcomer 78.4; settler 190.9; **intruder** 238.3.

.5 **entrance,** entry, **entranceway,** entryway; **inlet,** ingress, intake, adit, approach, **access,** means of access, in [informal], way in; **opening** 265; **passageway,** corridor, companionway, hall, passage, way; gangway, gangplank; vestibule 192.19; air lock.

.6 **porch,** propylaeum; **portal,** postern, **threshold,** doorjamb, gatepost, doorpost, lintel; **door, doorway,** French door; **gate, gateway,** lych gate, barway, pylon, archway; front door, back door, side door; carriage entrance, porte cochere; cellar door, cellarway; bulkhead; hatch, hatchway, scuttle; storm door; trap door, trap; tollgate; stile, turnstile, turnpike.

.7 VERBS **enter, go in** *or* **into,** cross the threshold, **come in,** find one's way into, put in *or* into; be admitted, gain admittance, have an entree, have an in [informal]; **set foot in,** step in; **get in,** jump in, hop in; **drop in,** look in, visit, pop in [informal]; **breeze in,** come breezing in; break *or* burst in, bust in *or* come busting in [both slang]; **barge in** *or* come barging in [both informal]; thrust in, push *or* press in, crowd in, jam in, wedge in, pack in, squeeze in; slip *or* creep in, wriggle *or* worm oneself into, edge in, work in, insinuate oneself; irrupt, intrude 238.5; take in, admit 306.10; insert 304.3.

.8 **penetrate** 265.16, interpenetrate, **pierce,** pass *or* go through, get through, get into, make way into, make an entrance, gain entree.

.9 **flow in,** inflow, inflood, inpour, inrush, **pour in.**

.10 **filter in, infiltrate, seep in,** percolate into, leak in, soak in.

.11 **immigrate,** in-migrate.

.12 ADJS **entering,** ingressive, **incoming, ingoing;** in, inward; **inbound,** inward-bound; inflowing, inflooding, inpouring, inrushing; invasive, intrusive, irruptive; ingrowing.

.13 ADVS **in,** inward, inwards, inwardly; en– *or* em–, in– *or* il– *or* im– *or* ir–, ob–.

.14 PREPS **into, in,** to.

303. EGRESS, EMERGENCE

.1 NOUNS **egress,** egression; **exit, exodus; outgoing,** outgo, going out; outcoming, outcome, forthcoming; departure 301; extraction 305.

.2 **emergence,** emersion; surfacing; **issue, issuance;** extrusion; **emission,** emanation, **vent,** discharge.

.3 outburst 162.6, ejection 310.

.4 **outflow,** outflowing; discharge; **outpour,** outpouring; effluence, effusion, exhalation; **efflux,** effluxion, defluxion; **exhaust; runoff, flowoff;** outfall; drainage, drain; gush 395.4.

.5 **leakage,** leaking, **leak; dripping,** drippings, **drip,** dribble, drop, trickle; distillation.

.6 **exudation,** transudation; **filtration,** exfiltration, filtering; straining; **percolation,** percolating; leaching, lixiviation; effusion, extravasation; **seepage,** seep; **oozing,** ooze; weeping, weep; **excretion** 311.

.7 **emigration,** out-migration, remigration; exile, expatriation, deportation.

.8 **export,** exporting, exportation.

.9 **outlet,** egress, **exit,** outgo, outcome, out [informal], way out; loophole, escape; **opening** 265; outfall, estuary; chute, flume, sluice, weir, floodgate; **vent,** ventage, venthole, port; avenue, channel; spout, tap; debouch; **exhaust;** door 302.6; outgate, sally port; vomitory; emunctory; pore; blowhole, spiracle.

.10 **outgoer, goer,** leaver, departer; **emigrant,** *émigré* [Fr], out-migrant.

.11 VERBS **exit,** make an exit, **make one's exit;** egress, **go out,** get out, walk out, march out, run out, pass out, bow out [informal]; depart 301.6.

.12 **emerge, come out, issue,** issue forth, extrude, **come forth,** surface, sally, sally forth; emanate, effuse, arise, come; debouch, disembogue; jump out, bail out; burst forth, break forth, erupt, break cover, **come out in the open;** protrude 256.9.

.13 **run out,** empty, find vent; **exhaust** 310.23; **drain,** drain out; **flow out,** outflow, outpour, **pour out,** sluice out, well out, gush *or* spout out, flow, pour, well, surge, gush, jet, spout, spurt, vomit forth, blow out, spew out.

.14 **leak, leak out, drip,** dribble, drop, trickle, trill, weep, distill.

.15 **exude,** exudate, transude, transpire, reek; **emit, discharge,** give off; **filter,** filtrate, exfiltrate; strain; **percolate;** leach, lixiviate; effuse, extravasate; **seep, ooze;** bleed; weep; excrete 311.12.

.16 **emigrate,** out-migrate, remigrate; exile, expatriate, deport.

.17 **export,** send abroad.

.18 ADJS **emerging,** emergent; **issuing,** arising, surfacing, coming, forthcoming; emanating, emanent, emanative, transeunt, transient.

.19 **outgoing, outbound,** outward-bound; **outflowing,** outpouring, effusive, effluent; effused, extravasated; extro–.

.20 exudative, transudative; percolative; porous, permeable, pervious, oozy, runny, weepy, leaky; excretory 311.19.

.21 ADVS **forth; out,** outward, outwards, outwardly.

.22 PREPS **out of,** ex; **from; out.**

304. INSERTION

(putting in)

.1 NOUNS **insertion, introduction,** insinuation, injection, infusion, perfusion, inoculation, intromission; entrance 302; penetration 265.3; interjection, interpolation 237.2; graft, grafting, transplant, transplantation; infixion, implantation, embedment, tessellation, impactment, impaction; –phoresis.

.2 **insert,** insertion; **inset, inlay;** tessera.

.3 VERBS **insert, introduce,** insinuate, inject, infuse, perfuse, inoculate, intromit; enter 302.7; penetrate 265.16; **put in, stick in,** set in, throw in, pop in, tuck in, whip in; slip in, ease in; interject 237.7.

.4 **install,** instate, inaugurate, initiate, invest, ordain; enlist, enroll, induct, sign up, sign on.

.5 **inset, inlay; embed** *or* bed, bed in.

.6 **graft,** engraft, **implant,** imp [archaic]; bud; inarch.

.7 **thrust in, drive in, run in, plunge in,** force in, push in, **ram in,** press in, stuff in, crowd in, squeeze in, cram in, jam in, tamp in, pound in, pack in, poke in, knock in, wedge in, impact.

.8 **implant,** infix 142.9, fit in, inlay, tessellate.

305. EXTRACTION

(taking or drawing out)

.1 NOUNS **extraction, withdrawal,** removal; **drawing, pulling,** drawing out; ripping *or* tearing *or* wresting out; eradication, **uprooting,** unrooting, deracination; squeezing out, pressing out, expression; avulsion, evulsion, cutting out, exsection, extirpation, excision, enucleation; extrication, evolvement, disentanglement, unravelment; excavation, mining, quarrying, drilling; dredging.

.2 **disinterment, exhumation,** disentombment, **unearthing.**

.3 **drawing,** drafting, sucking, **suction,** aspiration, pipetting; pumping, siphoning, tapping, broaching; milking; drainage, draining, emptying; cupping; bloodletting, bleeding, phlebotomy, venesection.

.4 **evisceration,** gutting, **disembowelment.**

.5 **elicitation,** eduction, drawing out *or* forth, bringing out *or* forth; **evocation,** calling forth; arousal.

.6 **extortion, exaction,** claim, demand; **wresting, wrenching, wringing, rending,** tearing, ripping; wrest, wrench, wring.

.7 (obtaining an extract) **squeezing, pressing,** expression; **distillation;** decoction; **rendering,** rendition; **steeping,** soaking, infusion; concentration.

.8 **extract,** extraction; **essence, quintessence, spirit, elixir;** decoction; **distillate,** distillation; **concentrate,** concentration; infusion; refinement, purification.

.9 **extractor,** separator; siphon; aspirator, pipette; pump, vacuum pump; press, wringer; corkscrew; forceps, pliers, pincers, tweezers; crowbar.

.10 VERBS **extract, take out,** get out, **withdraw, remove;** pull, draw; **pull out, draw out,** tear out, rip out, wrest out, pluck out, pick out, weed out, rake out; **pull up,** pluck up; **root up** *or* **out, uproot,** un-

root, eradicate, deracinate, pull *or* pluck up by the roots; cut out, excise, exsect; gouge out, avulse, evulse; extricate, evolve, disentangle, unravel; **dig up** *or* **out,** grub up *or* out, excavate, **unearth,** mine, quarry; dredge, dredge up *or* out.

.11 **disinter, exhume,** disentomb, unbury, unsepulcher.

.12 **draw off, draft off,** draft, draw, draw from; **suck,** suck out *or* up, **siphon off;** pipette; pump, pump out; tap, broach; let, let out; bleed; let blood, venesect, phlebotomize; milk; **drain,** decant; exhaust, empty.

.13 **eviscerate, disembowel, gut.**

.14 **elicit,** educe, deduce, induce, derive, obtain, procure, secure; **get from,** get out of; **evoke, call up, summon up,** call *or* summon forth, call out; rouse, arouse, stimulate; **draw out** *or* **forth,** bring out *or* forth, winkle out [Brit], drag out, worm out, bring to light; wangle, wangle out of, worm out of.

.15 **extort, exact,** claim, demand; **wrest, wring from, wrench from, rend from,** wrest *or* tear from.

.16 (obtain an extract) **squeeze** *or* **press out,** express, wring, wring out; **distill,** elixirate [archaic]; decoct; **render,** melt down; refine; **steep,** soak, infuse; **concentrate,** essentialize.

.17 ADJS extractive, eductive; educible; eradicative, uprooting; elicitory, **evocative,** arousing; **exacting,** exactive; **extortionate,** extortionary, extortive.

.18 **essential,** quintessential, pure 45.6.

306. RECEPTION

.1 NOUNS **reception, taking in,** receipt, receiving; welcome, welcoming; refuge 700.

.2 **admission,** admittance, acceptance; immission [archaic], intromission 304.1; **installation,** instatement, inauguration, initiation; baptism, investiture, ordination; enlistment, enrollment, induction.

.3 **entree,** *entrée* [Fr], in [informal], entry, entrance 302, **access,** opening, **open door,** open arms.

.4 **ingestion,** eating, imbibition, drinking; engorgement, ingurgitation, engulfment; **swallowing,** gulping; swallow, gulp, slurp.

.5 (drawing in) **suction,** suck, sucking, myzo–; **inhalation,** inhalement, inspiration, aspiration; snuff, snuffle, sniff, sniffle.

.6 sorption, **absorption,** adsorption, chemisorption *or* chemosorption, engrossment, digestion, **assimilation,** infiltration; **sponging, blotting; seepage,** percolation; **osmosis,** osmo–, endosmosis, exosmosis, electroosmosis; absorbency; **absorbent,** adsorbent, **sponge, blotter,** blotting paper.

.7 (bringing in) **introduction; import,** importing, **importation.**

.8 readmission; reabsorption, resorbence.

.9 **receptivity, receptiveness,** invitingness, openness, hospitality, recipience *or* recipiency; receptibility, admissibility.

.10 VERBS **receive, take in; admit, let in,** immit [archaic], intromit, give entrance *or* admittance to, give an entree, open the door to, give refuge *or* shelter *or* sanctuary to, throw open to.

.11 **ingest,** eat, imbibe, drink; **swallow, devour,** ingurgitate; **engulf,** engorge; **gulp,** gulp down, swill, swill down, wolf down, gobble.

.12 **draw in, suck,** suckle, suck in *or* up, aspirate; **inhale,** inspire, breathe in; snuff, snuffle, sniff, sniffle, snuff in *or* up, slurp.

.13 sorb, **absorb,** adsorb, chemisorb *or* chemosorb, **assimilate,** engross, digest, **drink,** imbibe, take up *or* in, drink up *or* in, slurp up, swill up; blot, **blot up, soak up,** sponge; osmose; infiltrate, filter in; **soak in, seep in,** percolate in.

.14 **bring in, introduce, import.**

.15 readmit; reabsorb, resorb.

.16 ADJS **receptive,** recipient; welcoming, open, hospitable, inviting, invitatory; introceptive; **admissive,** admissory; receivable, receptible, admissible; intromissive, intromittent; ingestive, imbibitory; end(o)–.

.17 sorbent, **absorbent,** adsorbent, chemisorptive *or* chemosorptive, **assimilative,** digestive; bibulous, imbibitory, thirsty, soaking, blotting; spongy, spongeous; osmotic, endosmotic, exosmotic; resorbent.

.18 **introductory,** introductive; **initiatory,** initiative, baptismal.

307. EATING

.1 NOUNS **eating, feeding, dining,** messing; ingestion, consumption, deglutition; **tasting,** relishing, savoring; nibbling, pecking, licking, **munching; devouring,** devourment, gobbling, wolfing; **chewing,** mastication, manducation, rumination; feasting, regalement, epulation; appetite, hunger 634.7; nutrition 309; **dieting** 309.11; gluttony 994; carnivorism, carnivorousness, carnivority; herbivorism, herbivority, herbivorousness, grazing, cropping, pasturing, pasture, vegetarianism, phytoph-

agy; omnivorism, omnivorousness, pantophagy; cannibalism, anthropophagy; omophagia *or* omophagy; phag(o)–, –phagia *or* –phagy.

.2 **bite, morsel,** swallow; mouthful, gob [slang]; cud, quid; bolus; **chew,** chaw [dial]; nip, nibble; munch; gnash; champ, chomp [dial]; snap.

.3 **drinking,** imbibing, imbibition, potation; lapping, slipping, tasting, nipping; quaffing, gulping, swigging [informal], swilling *or* guzzling [both slang], pulling [informal]; compotation, symposium; drunkenness 996.1–4.

.4 **drink,** potation, portion, libation; draft, dram, drench, **swig** [informal], swill *or* guzzle [both slang], quaff, **sip,** sup, suck, tot, bumper, snort [slang], pull [informal], lap, gulp, slurp [slang]; nip, peg; beverage 308.48,49.

.5 **meal, repast,** feed [informal], mess, spread [informal], table, board, meat, *repas* [Fr]; **refreshment,** refection, regalement, entertainment, treat.

.6 (meals) **breakfast,** *petit déjeuner* [Fr]; meat breakfast, *déjeuner à la fourchette* [Fr]; **brunch** [informal], elevenses [Brit informal]; **lunch, luncheon,** tiffin, hot luncheon; **tea,** teatime, high tea; **dinner,** *diner* [Fr]; **supper,** *souper* [Fr]; buffet supper *or* lunch; TV dinner; **picnic, cookout,** alfresco meal, fête champêtre, **barbecue,** fish fry, clambake, wiener roast *or* wienie roast; coffee break, tea break, mash [Brit informal].

.7 **light meal,** light repast, light lunch, spot of lunch [informal], collation, **snack** [informal], nosh [informal], **bite** [informal], *casse-croûte* [Fr], refreshments.

.8 **hearty meal, full meal,** healthy meal, large *or* substantial meal, heavy meal, **square meal,** man-sized meal, large order.

.9 **feast, banquet,** festal board; lavish *or* Lucullan feast; bean-feast *or* beano [both Brit informal], blow *or* blowout [both informal], groaning board.

.10 **serving,** service; **portion, helping,** help; second helping; **course;** dish, plate; antepast; entree, *entrée* [Fr], entremets; dessert; cover, place.

.11 (manner of service) service, table service, counter service, self-service; table d'hôte, ordinary; à la carte; cover, *couvert* [Fr]; cover charge; American plan, European plan.

.12 **menu, bill of fare,** carte.

.13 **gastronomy,** gastronomics, gastrology, **epicurism,** epicureanism.

.14 **eater,** feeder, consumer, devourer; **diner,** luncher; picnicker; mouth, hungry mouth; diner-out, eater-out; boarder, board-and-roomer; **gourmet,** gastronome, epicure, connoisseur of food *or* wine, bon vivant, high liver, Lucullus, Brillat-Savarin; omnivore, pantophagist; **flesh-eater, meat-eater, carnivore,** omophagist, predacean; **man-eater, cannibal; vegetarian,** lactovegetarian, fruitarian, plant-eater, **herbivore,** phytophagan, phytophage; grass-eater, graminivore; grain-eater, granivore; gourmand, trencherman, **glutton** 994.3; –phage, –vore *or* –vora.

.15 **restaurant,** eating house, dining room; eatery *or* beanery *or* hashery *or* hash house [all slang]; *trattoria* [Ital]; **lunchroom,** luncheonette; **café,** *caffè* [Ital]; **tearoom,** *bistro* [Fr]; **coffeehouse,** coffee-room, **coffee shop,** tavern 191.16; chophouse; **grill,** grillroom; cookshop; buffet, smorgasbord; **lunch counter,** quick-lunch counter; hot-dog stand, hamburger stand, drive-in restaurant, drive-in; fast-food chain; **snack bar,** *buvette* [Fr], *cantina* [Sp]; pizzeria; **cafeteria,** automat; mess hall, dining hall; canteen; cookhouse, cookshack, lunch wagon, chuck wagon; **diner,** dog wagon [slang]; **kitchen** 330.3.

.16 VERBS **feed, dine,** wine and dine, mess; satisfy, gratify; regale; bread, meat; board, sustain; pasture, put out to pasture, graze, grass; forage, fodder; provision 659.9.

.17 **nourish, nurture,** nutrify, aliment, foster; **nurse, suckle,** lactate, breast-feed, wet-nurse, dry-nurse; fatten, fatten up, stuff, force-feed.

.18 **eat, feed,** fare, take, partake, partake of, break bread, break one's fast; refresh *or* entertain the inner man, put on the feed bag [slang], fall to, pitch in [informal]; **taste,** relish, savor; hunger 634.19; **diet,** go on a diet, watch one's weight, count calories.

.19 **dine,** dinner; **sup,** breakfast; lunch; picnic, cook out; **eat out, dine out;** board; mess with, break bread with.

.20 **devour, swallow,** ingest, **consume,** take in, tuck in *or* away [informal], down, take down, get down, put away [informal]; **eat up;** dispatch *or* dispose of *or* get away with [all informal]; surround *or* put oneself outside of [both slang].

.21 **gobble, gulp, bolt,** wolf, gobble *or* gulp *or* bolt *or* wolf down.

.22 **feast, banquet,** regale; eat heartily, have a good appetite, eat up, lick the platter *or*

plate, do oneself proud [informal], do one's duty, do justice to, polish the platter, put it away [informal].

.23 **stuff, gorge** 994.4, engorge, glut, guttle, cram, eat one's fill, stuff *or* gorge oneself, gluttonize.

.24 **pick, peck** [informal], **nibble; snack** [informal], nosh [informal]; pick at, peck at [informal], eat like a bird, show no appetite.

.25 **chew,** chew up, chaw [dial]; **masticate,** manducate; ruminate, chew the cud; **bite,** grind, champ, chomp [dial]; **munch;** gnash; nibble, **gnaw;** mouth, mumble; gum.

.26 **feed on** *or* **upon, feast on** *or* **upon,** batten upon, fatten on *or* upon; prey on *or* upon, live on *or* upon, pasture on, browse, graze, crop.

.27 **drink,** drink in, **imbibe,** wet one's whistle [informal]; **quaff, sip, sup,** bib, swig [informal], swill *or* guzzle [both slang], pull [informal]; **suck,** suckle, suck in *or* up; drink off *or* up, toss off *or* down, drain the cup; wash down; **toast,** drink to, pledge; tipple, **booze** 996.22–24.

.28 **lap up,** sponge *or* soak up, lick, lap, slurp [slang].

.29 ADJS **eating, feeding, gastronomic(al), dining,** mensal, commensal, prandial, postprandial, preprandial; **nourishing, nutritious** 309.19; **dietetic; omnivorous,** pantophagous, **gluttonous** 994.6; **flesh-eating, meat-eating, carnivorous,** omophagous, predacious; **man-eating, cannibal,** cannibalistic; insect-eating, insectivorous; vegetable-eating, **vegetarian,** lactovegetarian, fruitarian; plant-eating, **herbivorous,** phytivorous, phytophagous; grass-eating, graminivorous; grain-eating, granivorous; –phagous, –vorous.

.30 chewing, masticatory, manducatory; ruminant, ruminating, cud-chewing.

.31 **edible, eatable,** comestible, gustable, esculent; kosher; **palatable,** succulent, **delicious,** dainty, savory.

.32 **drinkable,** potable.

.33 INTERJS chow down!, soup's on!, grub's on!, come and get it!; *bon appetit!* [Fr], eat hearty!

308. FOOD

.1 NOUNS **food,** foodstuff, food and drink, sustenance, kitchen stuff, **victuals** *or* vittles [both informal], **comestibles, edibles,** eatables, viands, **cuisine,** tucker [Austral], ingesta [pl]; fast food, junk food; **fare,** cheer, creature comfort; provision, provender; meat [archaic], bread, daily bread, bread and butter; health food 309.26; board, table, feast 307.9, spread [informal].

.2 [slang terms] **grub,** grubbery, **eats, chow,** chuck.

.3 **nutriment, nourishment,** nurture; pabulum, pap; aliment, alimentation; **refreshment,** refection; **sustenance,** support, keep.

.4 **feed, fodder, provender;** forage, pasture, eatage, pasturage; grain, sito–; corn, oats, barley, wheat; meal, bran, chop; **hay,** straw; ensilage, silage; chicken feed, scratch, scratch feed, mash; slops, swill; pet food, dog food, cat food, etc.; bird seed.

.5 **provisions, groceries,** provender, supplies, stores, larder, food supply; fresh foods, canned foods, frozen foods, dehydrated foods; commissariat, commissary, grocery.

.6 **rations,** board, meals, commons, mess, allowance, allotment, tucker [Austral]; short commons; emergency rations; K ration, C ration, garrison *or* field rations.

.7 **dish,** culinary preparation *or* concoction; cover, **course** 307.10; casserole; grill, broil, boil, roast, fry; main dish, entree, *pièce de résistance* [Fr], culinary masterpiece, dish fit for a king; side dish.

.8 **delicacy, dainty, goody** [informal], treat, kickshaw, **tidbit,** titbit; **morsel,** choice morsel, *bonne bouche* [Fr]; savory; dessert; ambrosia, nectar, cate, manna.

.9 **appetizer,** whet, *apéritif* [Fr]; foretaste, antepast, *antipasto* [Ital], *Vorspeise* [Ger]; **hors d'oeuvre;** smorgasbord; canapé.

.10 **soup,** *potage* [Fr]; consommé, gravy soup; purée; **broth,** clear soup, bouillon, stock; vegetable soup, pottage, *petite marmite* [Fr]; *potage aux herbes* [Fr]; potato soup, *vichyssoise* [Fr]; tomato soup, *potage au tomate* [Fr], *gazpacho* [Sp]; julienne, *potage à la julienne* [Fr]; chicken soup, *potage volaille à la reine* [Fr]; turtle soup, *potage à la tortue* [Fr]; oxtail soup; *pot-au-feu* [Fr]; mock turtle soup, *potage à la tête de veau* [Fr]; bisque, borscht; egg drop soup, won ton soup, bird's nest soup [all China]; miso *or* misoshiru soup [Japan]; thin soup, thick soup, gumbo, minestrone, mulligatawny, burgoo; matzo ball soup; fish soup, *bouillabaisse* [Fr], **chowder,** clam chowder.

.11 **stew,** olla, olio, *olla podrida* [Sp]; meat stew, *étuvée* [Fr]; Irish stew, mulligan stew *or* mulligan [slang]; goulash, Hun-

garian goulash; ragout; salmi; *bouillabaisse* [Fr], *paella* [Catalan], oyster stew, chowder; fricassee; curry.

.12 **meat,** flesh, *viande* [Fr]; butcher's meat, *viande de boucherie* [Fr]; game, *menue viande* [Fr]; venison; **roast,** joint, *rôti* [Fr]; pot roast; barbecue, boiled meat, *bouilli* [Fr]; forcemeat; mincemeat, mince; hash, *hachis* [Fr]; jugged hare, *civet* [Fr]; pemmican, jerky; sausage meat, scrapple; aspic.

.13 **beef,** *bœuf* [Fr]; roast beef, *rosbif* [Fr]; hamburger, ground beef; corned beef, bully *or* bully beef; dried beef; chipped beef; salt beef; jerky, charqui; pastrami; beef extract, beef tea, bouillon; suet.

.14 **veal,** *veau* [Fr]; veal cutlet, *côtelette de veau* [Fr]; breast of veal, *poitrine de veau* [Fr]; fricandeau; calf's head, *tête de veau* [Fr]; calf's liver, *foie de veau* [Fr]; sweetbread, *ris de veau* [Fr]; calf's brains.

.15 **mutton,** *mouton* [Fr]; **lamb,** *agneau* [Fr]; breast of lamb, *poitrine d'agneau* [Fr]; leg of lamb, leg of mutton, *gigot* [Fr], *jambe de mouton* [Fr]; saddle of mutton; baked sheep's head.

.16 **pork,** *porc* [Fr], pig; sucking *or* suckling pig, *cochon de lait* [Fr]; **ham,** butt, *jambon* [Fr]; small ham, *jambonneau* [Fr]; ham steak; picnic ham; *prosciutto* [Ital]; **bacon,** *lard* [Fr]; Canadian bacon; rasher of bacon, *barde* [Fr], *tranche de lard* [Fr]; side of bacon, flitch, *flèche de lard* [Fr], gammon; salt pork, fat back, sowbelly [informal]; pork pie; spareribs; hog jowl; pigs' knuckles, pigs' feet, trotters, *pieds de cochon* [Fr]; chitterlings, haslet, cracklings; headcheese; lard.

.17 (cuts of meat) brisket, chuck, chuck roast, rolled roast, flank, flanken, knuckle, round, rump, saddle, shank, ribs, short ribs, shoulder; loin, crown roast, sirloin, tenderloin, *filet mignon* [Fr], Chateaubriand; clod, shoulder clod; plate, plate piece; roast, pot roast, rib roast, rump roast, blade roast; rack, breast; cold cuts.

.18 **steak,** *tranche* [Fr]; **beefsteak,** *bifteck* [Fr], *tranche de bœuf* [Fr]; club steak, fillet steak, flank steak, pinbone steak, planked steak, porterhouse steak, rib steak, round steak, rump steak, sirloin steak, shell steak, London broil, T-bone steak, tenderloin steak; cubed steak; chopped steak, ground beef, ground round, ground chuck, etc., hamburg steak, Salisbury steak, hamburger, hamburg [slang].

.19 **chop, cutlet,** *côtelette* [Fr]; pork chop, *côtelette de porc frais* [Fr]; mutton chop, *côtelette de mouton* [Fr], Saratoga chop; veal cutlet, veal chop, *côtelette de veau* [Fr], *Wiener Schnitzel* [Ger].

.20 (variety meats) kidneys; heart; brains; liver; gizzard; tongue; sweetbread (thymus); beef bread (pancreas); tripe (stomach); marrow; cockscomb; chitterlings *or* chitlins (intestines); prairie *or* mountain oyster (testis); haslet, giblets, *abatis* [Fr].

.21 **sausage,** *saucisse* [Fr], *saucisson* [Fr]; bangers [Brit]; **frankfurter,** frank, **hot dog** [informal], wienerwurst, **wiener,** wienie *or* weenie [both informal]; Vienna sausage; **bologna; salami; liverwurst,** liver sausage, braunschweiger, gooseliver, *pâté de foie gras* [Fr]; *Bratwurst* [Ger], *Knackwurst* [Ger], knockwurst; black pudding *or* blood pudding; headcheese.

.22 **fowl,** *volaille* [Fr]; chicken, *poulet* [Fr]; broiler, fryer, roaster, stewing chicken, capon, *chapon* [Fr]; Cornish hen, Rock Cornish hen; guinea hen; duck, *canard* [Fr]; duckling, *caneton* [Fr]; Long Island duckling; wild duck, *canard sauvage* [Fr]; goose, *oie* [Fr]; turkey, *dindon* [Fr]; pheasant, *faisan* [Fr]; partridge, *perdrix* [Fr]; grouse, *coq de bruyère* [Fr]; quail, *caille* [Fr]; pigeon; squab, *pigeonneau* [Fr].

.23 (parts of fowl) leg, drumstick, thigh, chicken foot, turkey foot, etc., wing, wishbone, breast; white meat, dark meat, giblets 308.20, pope's *or* parson's nose; oyster; neck.

.24 **fish** 414.65, *poisson* [Fr]; seafood; finnan haddie; kipper, kippered salmon *or* herring; smoked herring, red herring; eel, *anguille* [Fr]; fish eggs, roe, caviar.

.25 **shellfish,** *coquillage* [Fr]; clam, quahog, littleneck clam, soft-shell clam *or* steamer, mussel, limpet, periwinkle, scallop, whelk; oyster, *huître* [Fr]; blue point; shrimp, prawn, *crevette* [Fr]; crab, blue crab, soft-shell crab, Alaska king crab *or* Japanese crab, Dungeness crab; crayfish, crawfish, crawdad [dial], *écrevisse* [Fr]; lobster, *homard* [Fr]; rock *or* spiny lobster, *langouste* [Fr]; *écrevisse de mer* [Fr]; snail, *escargot* [Fr].

.26 **eggs,** *œufs* [Fr]; fried eggs, *œufs sur le plat* [Fr]; boiled eggs, *œufs à la coque* [Fr], coddled eggs; poached eggs, *œufs pochés* [Fr]; scrambled eggs, buttered eggs, *œufs brouillés* [Fr]; dropped eggs, shirred eggs, stuffed eggs, deviled eggs; omelet; soufflé.

.27 **stuffing, dressing,** forcemeat *or* farce.

.28 **bread,** *pain* [Fr], staff of life; bread stuff; white bread, French bread, Italian bread; garlic bread; dark bread, whole wheat bread, cracked-wheat bread; rye bread, *Bauernbrot* [Ger], pumpernickel, brown bread, black bread; graham bread; salt-rising bread, sourbread, sourdough bread, Irish soda bread; raisin bread, nut bread; unleavened bread, matzo, *matzoth* [Heb pl]; bread stick; **toast;** challah; pita; loaf of bread, tommy [Brit]; crust.

.29 **corn bread;** pone, ash pone, corn pone, corn tash, ash cake, hoecake, johnnycake; dodger, corn dodger, corn dab, hush puppy; cracklin' bread [dial]; *tortilla* [Sp].

.30 **biscuit,** sinker [slang]; hardtack, sea biscuit, ship biscuit, pilot biscuit *or* bread; **cracker,** soda cracker *or* saltine, graham cracker; wafer; rusk, zwieback, Melba toast, Brussels biscuit; pretzel.

.31 **bun, roll, muffin,** English muffin, crumpet, gem; popover, Yorkshire pudding; scone; cross bun, hot cross bun; Danish pastry, Danish; coffee cake; *croissant, brioche* [both Fr]; hard roll, soft roll, crescent roll, kaiser roll, Parker House roll, clover-leaf roll, pinwheel roll, onion roll, bialy *or* bialystoker; bagel.

.32 **sandwich;** double-decker sandwich, club sandwich; open-face sandwich, *canapé* [Fr], *smörgås* [Swed], *smørrebrød* [Dan]; Dagwood sandwich; –burger, **hamburger,** cheeseburger, tunaburger, etc.; **hot dog;** hot roast beef sandwich, Sloppy Joe, barbecued beef; hero sandwich, poor boy, submarine sandwich, grinder, hoagy; toasted *or* grilled cheese sandwich, tuna salad sandwich, egg salad sandwich, bacon-lettuce-tomato sandwich *or* BLT, peanut butter and jelly sandwich, pastrami sandwich, ham sandwich, corned beef sandwich, Swiss cheese sandwich, etc.

.33 **noodles,** *pasta* [Ital], Italian paste, paste; **spaghetti,** spaghettini, ziti, fedellini, fettuccine, vermicelli, **macaroni,** lasagne; ravioli, *kreplach* [Yid pl], won ton; **dumpling;** spaetzle; matzo balls, *knaydlach* [Yid pl].

.34 **cereal,** breakfast food, dry cereal, hot cereal; porridge, gruel, loblolly; **mush,** hasty pudding; oatmeal, rolled oats; farina, millet, hominy grits; grits; kasha; frumenty; cornflakes, wheatflakes, etc.; puffed wheat, puffed rice, etc.

.35 **vegetables** 308.50, produce, *légumes* [Fr]; potherbs; greens; beans, *frijoles* [Sp], *haricots* [Fr]; **potato,** spud [informal], tater [dial], *pomme de terre* [Fr], Irish potato, pratie [dial], white potato; **tomato,** love apple; eggplant, *aubergine* [Fr], mad apple; rhubarb, pieplant; cabbage, *Kraut* [Ger].

.36 **salad,** *salade* [Fr]; **green salad,** combination salad, tossed salad, potato salad, macaroni salad, Waldorf salad, fruit salad, ambrosia, salad niçoise, crab Louis, salmagundi, chef salad, Caesar salad, herring salad, tuna fish salad, chicken salad, etc.; slaw, cole slaw; aspic, molded salad, Jell-O salad.

.37 **fruit** 308.51, fructi–, produce; stone fruit, drupe; citrus fruit, citr(o)– *or* citri–; fruit compote, fruit soup, fruit cocktail.

.38 **nut** 308.52, *noix* [Fr], *noisette* [Fr]; kernel, meat; **Brazil nut** *or* nigger toe [slang]; **peanut;** goober *or* goober pea *or* ground-pea [all dial], groundnut [Brit]; salted peanuts, peanut butter; **almond,** *amande* [Fr]; burnt almond, *amande pralinée* [Fr]; bitter almond, *amande amère* [Fr]; sweet almond, *amande douce* [Fr]; blanched almonds, *amandes mondées* [Fr]; almond paste, *pâté d'amande* [Fr].

.39 **sweets,** sweet stuff, **confectionery; sweet, sweetmeat; confection; candy** 308.54; comfit, confiture; preserve, conserve; jelly, jam; marmalade; gelatin, Jell-O; compote; mousse; blancmange; tutti-frutti; maraschino cherries; honey; icing, frosting, glaze; meringue; whipped cream.

.40 **pastry,** *patisserie* [Fr]; French pastry, Danish pastry; **tart;** turnover; timbale; **pie,** *tarte* [Fr]; pasty, *pâté* [Fr], *pirog* [Russ]; blintz; *quiche* [Fr]; patty, patty-cake; patty-shell, *vol-au-vent* [Fr]; rosette; dowdy, pandowdy; trifle, tipsy cake; strudel; baklava; puff, cream puff; éclair, chocolate éclair.

.41 **cake,** *gâteau* [Fr], *Torte* [Ger]; cupcake; *petit four* [Fr]; angel cake, angel food cake; chocolate cake, devil's food cake; white cake, yellow cake; spice cake; gingerbread; fruitcake, pound cake; marble cake; honey cake; sponge cake, génoise; shortcake; coffee cake, tea cake; cheesecake; layer cake, jumble; *baba au rhum* [Fr], savarin; Boston cream pie; upside-down cake; jelly roll, *bûche de Noël* [Fr]; baked Alaska.

.42 **cookie,** biscuit [Brit]; brownie; ginger snap; macaroon; ladyfinger; fruit bar, date bar; shortbread; sugar cookie, oat-

meal cookie, chocolate chip *or* Toll House cookie; fortune cookie; gingerbread man; *Pfeffernüsse* [Ger pl].

.43 doughnut, friedcake, sinker [slang], cymbal [archaic], olykoek [dial]; French doughnut, raised doughnut; glazed doughnut; fastnacht; **cruller,** twister; jelly doughnut, bismarck; fritter, *beignet* [Fr]; apple fritter, *beignet aux pommes* [Fr].

.44 pancake, griddlecake, **hot cake,** buttercake, flapcake, **flapjack,** flannel cake; buckwheat cake; chapatty [India]; **waffle;** blintz, cheese blintz, *crêpe, crêpe Suzette* [both Fr], *palacsinta* [Hung], *Pfannkuchen* [Ger].

.45 pudding; plum pudding, carrot pudding, steamed pudding, duff; vanilla pudding, chocolate pudding, tapioca pudding, etc.; trifle, Charlotte *or* Charlotte Russe; brown Betty; custard, flan; rennet, junket; syllabub; mousse, chocolate mousse; zabaglione; Bavarian cream.

.46 ice, *glace* [Fr], frozen dessert; **ice cream,** ice milk, French ice cream; **sherbet,** water ice [Brit], Italian ice; parfait; sundae, ice-cream sundae, banana split; ice-cream soda; frappé; ice-cream cone; frozen pudding; frozen custard, soft ice cream.

.47 dairy products, milk products; **milk,** pasteurized milk, certified milk, raw milk, homogenized milk, half-and-half, powdered milk, nonfat dry milk, evaporated milk, condensed milk, skim milk, buttermilk; **cream,** sour cream, whipping cream, heavy cream, light cream; **butter,** clarified butter, ghee; **margarine,** oleomargarine, oleo; **cheese** 308.53, tyr(o)–; curds, whey, yogurt.

.48 beverage 308.49, drink, thirst quencher, potation, potable, drinkable [informal], **liquor,** liquid; **soft drink,** nonalcoholic beverage, –ade; cold drink; carbonated water, soda water, **soda,** pop, soda pop, tonic; milk shake, frosted shake, thick shake, shake *or* frosted [both informal]; malted milk, malt [informal]; hard drink, alcoholic drink 996.38–42.

.49 beverages, drinks

ade
alcoholic beverage 996.38–42
ambrosia
beef tea
birch beer
bouillon
buttermilk
café au lait [Fr]
chicory
chocolate milk
cider
cocktail
cocoa
coffee
cola
egg cream
eggnog
espresso [Ital]
frappé
frosted shake
fruit juice
ginger ale
ginger beer
ginger pop
ginger punch
grapefruit juice
grape juice
hot chocolate
hydromel
ice-cream soda
iced coffee
iced tea
ice water
juice
koumiss
lemonade
limeade
malted milk
maté
milk
milk shake
mineral water
mocha
nectar
orangeade
orange juice
phosphate
pineapple juice
punch
root beer
root beer float
sarsaparilla
seltzer
soda
spring water
sweet cider
tea
tisane
tomato juice
Turkish coffee
vichy water
water

.50 vegetables

acorn squash
artichoke
asparagus
bamboo shoot
bean
bean sprout
beet, beetroot
beet greens
bell pepper
Bermuda onion
Bibb lettuce
black-eyed pea
Boston lettuce
broccoli
Brussels sprouts
butter bean
butternut squash
cabbage
cardoon
carrot
cauliflower
celery
celery cabbage
celery root, celeriac
celtuce
chard, Swiss chard
chick-pea
chicory
chili pepper
Chinese cabbage
chive
chive garlic
collards, collard greens
corn
cos, cos lettuce
cowpea
cress
cucumber
dandelion greens
eggplant
endive, Belgian endive
escarole
French bean
garbanzos [Sp]
garlic
green bean
green onion
green pea
green pepper
gumbo
hominy
horseradish
Hubbard squash
iceberg lettuce
kale
kidney beans
kohlrabi
leaf lettuce
leek
lentil
lettuce
lima bean
maize
mushroom
mustard greens
navy bean
okra
onion
oyster plant
parsley
parsnip
pea
pea bean
pepper
pimento, pimiento
pinto bean
popcorn
pumpkin
radish
red cabbage
red pepper
rhubarb
romaine, romaine lettuce
rutabaga
salsify
scallion
scarlet runners
shallot
snap bean
snow pea
sorrel
soy, soya
soybean, soya bean
spinach
squash
string bean

succory
sugar beet
summer squash
swede, swede turnip
sweet corn
sweet potato
taro
tomato
truffle
turnip
water chestnut
water cress
wax bean
white turnip
winter squash
yam
zucchini

.51 fruits

akee
alligator pear
ananas
apple
apricot
avocado
banana
barberry
bearberry
berry
bilberry
blackberry
blueberry
boysenberry
breadfruit
cacao
candleberry
canistel
cantaloupe
caprifig
capulin
casaba, casaba melon
Catawba
checkerberry
cherimoya
cherry
citrange
citron
citrus, citrus fruit
civet fruit
crab apple
cranberry
currant
custard apple
damson
date
dewberry
durian
elderberry
feijoa
fig
gooseberry
granadilla
grape
grapefruit
guanabana
guava
hagberry
honeydew, honeydew melon
huckleberry
icaco
ilama
imbu
jaboticaba
jackfruit
Jaffa orange
jujube
kumquat
lemon
lime
lingonberry
litchi
loganberry
loquat
mammee apple
mandarin orange
mango
mangosteen
manzanilla
marang
mayapple
medlar
melon
mombin
mulberry
muscadine
muscat, muscatel
muskmelon
navel orange
nectarine
nutmeg melon
olive
orange
papaw
papaya
passion fruit
peach
pear
Persian melon
persimmon
pineapple
pippin
pitanga
plantain, *plátano* [Sp]
plum
plumcot
pomegranate
pond apple
prickly pear
prune
pulasan
quince
raisin
rambutan
raspberry
red currant
rose apple
sapodilla
sapote
Seville orange
soursop
strawberry
sugar apple
sugarplum
sweetsop
tamarind
tangelo
tangerine
ugli fruit
Valencia orange
water lemon
watermelon
whortleberry

.52 nuts

acorn
almond
beechnut
ben nut
betel nut
black walnut
bonduc nut
Brazil nut
butternut
candlenut
cashew, cashew nut
chestnut
chinquapin
cobnut
coconut
corozo nut
cumara nut
dika nut
English walnut
filbert
groundnut
grugru nut
hazelnut
hickory nut
horse chestnut
kola, kola nut
litchi nut
Macadamia nut
palm nut
peanut
pecan
physic nut
pine nut
piñon
pistachio, pistachio nut
sassafras nut
souari nut
walnut

.53 cheeses

aettekees
Alentejo
Alise Sainte Reine
Allgäuer Bergkäse
Allgäuer Rahmkäse
American cheese
Amou
appetitost
Arrigny
Asco
Asio
Augelot
Aurore
Autun
Azeitão
Backstein
Bagnes
baker's cheese
Banon
Battelmatt
Beaufort
Beaumont
Beaupré de Roybon
Bellelay
Bel Paese
Bitto
bleu, blue cheese
Bleu d'Auvergne
Bleu de Bassilac
Bleu de Salers
Blue Dorset *or* Blue Vinny
Bondes
Bossons Macères
Boule de Lille
Boulette d'Avesnes *or* de Cambrai
Boursin
Bra
brick cheese
Brie
Brie de Coulommiers
Brie de Meaux
Brillat-Savarin
Broccio
Bruxelles
Cacciocavallo
Cachat d'Entrechaux
Caerphilly
Camembert
Canestrato
Cantal
Cardiga
Castelo Branco
Cendré Champenois *or* des Riceys
Cendré d'Aizy
Cendré de La Brie
Chabichou
Chaingy
Champenois
Chaource
Chaumont
Chavignol
Cheddar
Cheshire
Chevret
Chevrotin
Ciclo
Cierp de Luchon
clabber
Cotherstone
cottage cheese
Cottenham
Coulommiers
cream cheese
Crema Danica
Crème des Vosges
Crèmet Nantais
Cremini
croissant demi-sel
Crottin de Chavignol
Danish blue
Dansk Schweizerost
Dauphin
Decize
demi-sel
Domaci Beli Sir
Dorset Vinney
double-crème
Dunlop
Edam
Emmental *or* Emmentaler

Epoisses
Ercé
Ervy
étuvé
Evarglice
Excelsior
farmer cheese
Feuille de Dreux
Fin de siécle
Fleur de Decauville
Fondue aux raisins
Fontainebleau
Fontina
Fourme d'Ambert
Fourme de Montbrison
Fourme de Salers
Friesche Kaas
fromage à la pie *or* fromage blanc
Gammelost
Gaperon
Géromé
getmesost
getmjölkost
Gex
gjetost
Gloucester
Glux
goat cheese
Gorgonzola
Gouda
Gournay
Grana
Grana Lombardo
Grana Reggiano
gras
grated cheese
Gruyère
Guéret *or* Creusois
hand cheese
Harzé
Harzer-Käse
herrgårdsost
Hervé
hushållsost
Ilha
jack cheese
Kackavalj
Kasseri
Kaunas
Kefalotir
kumminost
La Bouillé
Laguiole
Lamothe Bougon *or* La Mothe St. Héraye
Lancashire
Langres
Leicester
Les Aydes
Les Laumes
Levroux
Leyden *or* Leidsche Kaas *or* Kummel
Liederkranz
Limburger
Lipski
Liptauer
Livarot
Mainauer
Manicamp
Manuri
Margherita
Maroilles *or* Marolles
Mascherone
mesost
Metton
Mizitra
Monceau
Montasio
Mont-Cenis
Mont Dore
Morbier
mozzarella
Muenster
Murols
mysost
Nantais
Neufchâtel
New York cheese
Niolo
Nøkkelost
oka cheese
Olivet
Oloron
Óvár
Oxfordshire
Paladru
Pálpuszta
Parmesan
Paski
Pavé de Moyaux
Pecorino
Pélardon de Rioms
Persille de Savoie
Petit Gervais
Petit Gruyère
Petit-Moule
Petit Suisse
Picodon de Dieulefit
Pithiviers au Foin
Pivski
Pommel
Pont l'Évêque
Poona
Port-Salut, Port du Salut
pot cheese
Pouligny-St. Pierre
primost
process *or* processed cheese
Promessi
Provature
Provolone
Puant Macéré
pultost
Pusztadör
Rabaçal
Rahmatour
Ramadoux
Reblochon
Récollet de Gérardmer
Reggiano
Remoudou
ricotta
Rigotte de Condrieu
Robbiole
Rocamadur
Rokadur
Rollot
Roma
Romadur
Romano
Roquefort
Rouennais
Saint-Agathon
Saint-Florentin
Saint-Marcellin
Saint-Maure
Saint-Nectaire
Salame
sapsago
Sardo
Sassenage
Sbrinz
Schabzieger
Schmierkäse
Septmoncel
Serra da Estrella
Sjenicki
Slipcote
smaltost
smearcase
Somborski
Sorbais
Soumaintrin
Sposi
Steinbuscher-Käse
Steppe
Stilton
store cheese
Stracchino
Suffolk
Sveciaost
Swiss cheese
Székely
Taffel
Tête de Maure
Tête de Moine
Tilsiter
Tomme
Trappe *or* Trappistes
Travnicki
Triple Aurore
Trôo
Troyes
Truckles
Vacherin
Valençay
Västerbottensost
Västgötaost
Velveeta
Vermont cheese
Vic-en-Bigorre
Vize
Volvet
Weisslacker Käse
Wensleydale
Wilstermarsch Käse
Wisconsin cheese

.54 candies

bonbon
brittle
bubble gum
butterscotch
candied apple
candy corn
caramel
chewing gum
chocolate
chocolate bar
chocolate drop
cotton candy
cough drop 687.16
cream
divinity
fondant
fudge
glacé
gum
gumdrop
hard candy
honey crisp
horehound
jelly bean, jelly egg
jujube
kiss
licorice
Life Saver
lollipop
lozenge
marshmallow
marzipan, marchpane
mint
nougat
peanut bar
peanut brittle
penuche *or* panocha
peppermint
popcorn balls
praline
rock candy
saltwater taffy
Scotch kisses
sugar candy
sugarplum
taffy
toffee
torrone [Ital]
tutti-frutti

.55 condiments, spices

allspice
amandine
anchovies
angelica
anise
applesauce
basil
bay leaf
bell pepper
black pepper
borage
burnet
caper
capsicum
caraway seeds
cardamom
catsup
cayenne, cayenne pepper
celery salt
chervil
chili
chili pepper
chili sauce
chili vinegar
chive garlic

chives
chutney
cinnamon
cloves
coriander
cranberry sauce
cubeb
cumin
curry
dahl sauce
dill
dillseed
duck sauce
fagara
fennel, *finnochio* [Ital]
filé
five spice powder
garlic
garlic butter
garlic powder
garlic salt
ginger
green pepper
hedge garlic
hoisin sauce
horseradish
hyssop
juniper berries
leek
mace
marinade
marjoram
mayonnaise
mint
monosodium glutamate, MSG
mustard
nutmeg
onion
onion salt
oregano
paprika
parsley
pepper
peppercorn
peppermint
piccalilli
pickle 432.2
pimento, pimiento
pimpernel
potherb
radish
red pepper
relish
saffron
sage
salad dressing
salt
sauce-alone
savory
seasoned salt
sesame oil
sesame seeds
shallot
soy, soy sauce
spice
star anise
Tabasco, Tabasco sauce
tarragon
tartar sauce
thyme
tomato paste
turmeric
vanilla
vinegar
white pepper
Worcestershire sauce

.56 cold sauces

aïoli sauce
bleu cheese dressing
duck sauce
French dressing
green sauce
Italian dressing
Lorenzo dressing
mayonnaise
Mona Lisa dressing
oil and vinegar
ravigote sauce
rémoulade sauce
Ritz sauce
Russian dressing
salad dressing
sweet-and-sour sauce
tartar sauce
Thousand Island dressing
vinaigrette
Vincent sauce

.57 hot sauces

allemande
barbecue sauce
béarnaise
Bercy
bordelaise
bourguignonne
brown gravy
brown sauce
Colbert
cream sauce
curry sauce
demiglace
egg sauce
espagnole
gravy
hollandaise
marinara
molé
Mornay
mushroom sauce
mustard sauce
Nantua
onion sauce
pan gravy
paprika sauce
pepper sauce
poulette
roux
shallot sauce
Smitane
Soubise
velouté
white sauce

.58 dishes

arroz con pollo
atole
bacon and eggs
barbecued spareribs
beef Bourguignonne
beef Wellington
boiled dinner
Boston baked beans
bubble and squeak
cannelloni
carbonnade
cheese soufflé
chicken and dumplings
chicken Cacciatore
chicken Marengo
chicken paprikás
chicken Tetrazzini
chili *or* chili con carne
chili and beans
cholent [Yid]
chop suey
chow mein
codfish balls, codfish cakes
compote
coquilles Saint-Jacques
corned beef and cabbage
corned beef hash
Cornish pasty
croquettes
egg foo yong
egg roll
eggs Benedict
enchilada
felafel
fish and chips
fondue
French toast
fried rice
frittata
frog legs
galantine
gefilte fish
goulash
haggis
ham and eggs
hash
jambalaya
kabob
kidney pie
knish
lasagna
liver and onions
lobster Newburg
lobster Thermidor
macaroni and cheese
meatballs
meat loaf
meat pie
mostaccioli
moussaka
osso buco
oysters on *or* in the half shell
pasty
pheasant under glass
pigs in blankets
pilaf, pilau
piroshki
pizza, pizza pie
poi
porcupine balls
pork and beans
porkolt
pork pie
potpie
risotto
salmon loaf
sashimi
sauerbraten
sauerkraut
scallopini
scampi
Scotch woodcock
shepherd's pie
shish kebab
souvlaki
spaghetti and meat balls
Spanish rice
steak and kidney pie
Stroganoff
stuffed cabbage
stuffed derma
stuffed grape leaves
stuffed peppers
stuffed tomatoes
succotash
sukiyaki
sushi
Swedish meatballs
Swiss steak
taco
tamale
tamale pie
tempura
teriyaki
terrine
tostada
tsimmes [Yid]
veal Parmigiana
veal scallopini
Welsh rabbit, Welsh rarebit
Wiener schnitzel

309. NUTRITION

.1 NOUNS **nutrition, nourishment,** nutriture, –trophy; alimentation; **food** *or* **nutritive value;** food chain *or* cycle.

.2 **nutritiousness,** nutritiveness, **digestibility,** assimilability.

.3 **nutrient,** nutritive, **nutriment** 308.3; nutrilite, growth factor, growth regulator.

.4 **vitamin,** vitamin complex; provitamin; vi-

tamer; **vitamin A:** vitamin A_1 *or* antiophthalmic factor *or* axerophthol, vitamin A_2, cryptoxanthin, carotene; **vitamin B,** vitamin B complex: vitamin B_1 *or* thiamine *or* aneurin *or* antiberi-beri factor, vitamin B_2 *or* vitamin G *or* riboflavin *or* lactoflavin *or* ovoflavin *or* hepatoflavin, niacin *or* nicotinic acid, vitamin B_6 *or* pyridoxine *or* adermin, pantothenic acid *or* pantothen, inositol, choline, biotin *or* vitamin H, folic acid *or* pteroylglutamic acid *or* vitamin M *or* vitamin B_c, vitamin B_{12} *or* cobalamin *or* cyanocobalamin, para-aminobenzoic acid *or* PABA; **vitamin C** *or* ascorbic acid; **vitamin D** *or* calciferol, ergocalciferol, cholecalciferol; **vitamin E** *or* tocopherol; **vitamin K** *or* naphthoquinone, menadione; **vitamin P** *or* bioflavinoid.

.5 **carbohydrate** 309.22, hydroxy aldehyde, hydroxy ketone, saccharide, sacchar(o)– *or* sacchari–, monosaccharide, disaccharide, trisaccharide, polysaccharide *or* polysaccharose; **starch,** amyl(o)–; **sugar,** glyc(o)–, sucr(o)–.

.6 **protein,** prote(o)–, proteid *or* protide, simple protein, conjugated protein, chromoprotein, glycoprotein, lipoprotein, nucleoprotein, phosphoprotein, scleroprotein, albuminoid; protide; **amino acid,** essential amino acid; peptide, dipeptide, polypeptide, etc.

.7 **fat,** glyceride, **lipid,** lipin, lipoid; fatty acid; steroid, sterol; cholesterol; polyunsaturated fat.

.8 **digestion,** ingestion, assimilation, absorption, –pepsia *or* –pepsy; primary digestion, secondary digestion; predigestion; salivary digestion, gastric *or* peptic digestion, pancreatic digestion, intestinal digestion; digestive system, alimentary canal, gastrointestinal tract; salivary glands, gastric glands, liver, pancreas; digestive secretions, saliva, gastric juice, pancreatic juice, intestinal juice, bile.

.9 **digestant,** digester, digestive; pepsin, pepsino–; **enzyme** 309.25, proteolytic enzyme; –ase, –in(e), –zyme, zym(o)–.

.10 **metabolism,** basal metabolism, acid-base metabolism, energy metabolism; **anabolism,** assimilation; **catabolism,** disassimilation.

.11 **diet, dieting,** dietary; dietetics; **regimen,** regime; bland diet; soft diet, pap, spoon food *or* meat, spoon victuals [dial]; balanced diet; diabetic diet, allergy diet, reducing diet, obesity diet; high-calorie diet, low-calorie diet; high-protein diet, low-carbohydrate diet; high-vitamin diet, vitamin-deficiency diet; acid-ash diet, alkaline-ash diet; low-salt diet, low sodium diet, salt-free diet; ulcer diet; vegetarianism, macrobiotic diet; diet book, vitamin chart, calorie chart, calorie counter.

.12 vitaminization, **fortification, enrichment,** restoration.

.13 **nutritionist, dietitian,** vitaminologist, enzymologist.

.14 (science of nutrition) **dietetics,** dietotherapeutics, dietotherapy; vitaminology; enzymology.

.15 VERBS **nourish,** nutrify [archaic]; **sustain,** strengthen.

.16 **digest,** appropriate, **assimilate,** absorb; metabolize; predigest.

.17 **diet,** go on a diet; watch one's weight, count calories.

.18 vitaminize, **fortify, enrich,** restore.

.19 ADJS **nutritious,** nutritive, nutrient, **nourishing;** alimentary, alimental; digestible, assimilable; –trophic, troph(o)–.

.20 **digestive,** assimilative; peptic.

.21 **dietary,** dietetic, dietic [archaic]; regiminal.

.22 **carbohydrates**

aldose
altrose
arbinose
bamboo sugar
barley sugar
beet sugar
British gum
cane sugar
cellobiose
cellulose
clinical dextran
corn sugar
date sugar
deoxyribose
dextran
dextrin
dextro-glucose
dextrose
erythrose
fructose, fruit sugar
galactose
glucose
glycogen
grape sugar
gulose
hexose sugar
idose
inulin
lactose
levulose
lyxose
maltose
malt sugar
mannose
maple sugar
melibiose
milk sugar
molasses
native dextran
nipa sugar
palm sugar
pentosan
pentose sugar
raffinose
ribose
saccharose
sorbose
starch
sucrose
tabasheer
tagatose
talose
tree molasses
tree sugar
trehalose
wood sugar
xylose

.23 **proteins**

albumin
albuminoid
amandin
bynin
casein
caseinogen
chlorophyll
chromoprotein
clupeine
coagulated protein
collagen
cytoglobulin

edestin
elastin
fibroin
gliadin
globin
globulin
glutelin
glutenin
glycoprotein
helicoprotein
hemoglobin
histone
ichthulin
interferon
keratin
lactalbumin
lecithin
lecithoprotein
lipid
lipoprotein
lysozyme
metaprotein
mucin
nucleohistone
nucleoprotein
oryzenin
osseomucoid
ovalbumin
ovoglobulin
ovovitellin
peptide
peptone
phosphoaminolipide
phospholipide
phosphoprotein
prolamine
protamine
proteolipide
proteose
salmine
serum albumin
serum globulin
sturine
tendomucin
thymus histone
vegetable albumin
vitellin
zein

.24 amino acids

alanine
arginine
aspartic acid
cystine
glutamic acid
glycine
histidine
isoleucine
leucine
lysine
methionine
phenylalanine
proline
sarcosine
serine
threonine
tryptophan
tyrosine
valine

.25 enzymes

alpha-amylase
amidase
aminopeptidase
aminopolypeptidase
amylase
apoenzyme
arginase
beta-amylase
carbohydrase
carboxypeptidase
chymotrypsin
coenzyme
deoxyribonuclease
dextrinogenic enzyme
endopeptidase
esterase
glutaminase
holoenzyme
insulinase
lactase
lecithinase
lipase
lipoxidase
nuclease
nucleotidase
papain
pepsin
peptidase
phosphoglucomutase
phosphorylase
polynucleotidase
protease
proteinase
rennin
ribonuclease
saccharase
saccharifying enzyme
trypsin

.26 health foods

acidophilus milk
blackstrap molasses
brewer's yeast
buckwheat flour
caudle
cottonseed flour
fortified flour
fortified milk
fruits
liver
middlings
nonfat milk
nuts
peanut flour
powdered milk
raw vegetables
rice polish
royal jelly
soybeans
soy flour
tiger's milk
unrefined flour
wheat germ
whole wheat
whole wheat flour
yogurt

310. EJECTION

.1 NOUNS **ejection,** ejectment, throwing out, **expulsion, discharge,** extrusion, obtrusion, detrusion, **ousting, ouster,** removal, kicking *or* booting out [informal]; throwing *or* kicking downstairs; the bounce, the chuck [Brit slang]; the boot *or* the bum's rush *or* the old heave-ho [all slang]; defenestration; rejection; jettison.

.2 **eviction,** ousting, dislodgment, dispossession; ouster.

.3 **depopulation,** dispeoplement, unpeopling; devastation, desolation.

.4 **banishment,** relegation, exclusion 77; **excommunication,** disfellowship; **disbarment,** unfrocking, defrocking; **expatriation, exile,** exilement; outlawing *or* outlawry, fugitation [Scot law]; **ostracism,** ostracization, blackballing, sending to Coventry; **deportation,** transportation, **extradition;** rustication; degradation, **demotion** 783, stripping, depluming, displuming; deprivation.

.5 **dismissal, discharge,** forced separation, *congé* [Fr]; **firing** [informal], **cashiering,** drumming out, dishonorable discharge, rogue's march; disemployment, **layoff,** removal, surplusing, displacing, furloughing; suspension; **retirement;** the bounce, the sack [Brit informal], the chuck [Brit slang]; the boot *or* the gate *or* the ax [all slang]; walking papers *or* ticket [both informal], pink slip [informal]; deposal 783.

.6 **evacuation, voidance,** voiding; **elimination,** removal; **clearance, clearing,** clearage; unfouling, scouring *or* cleaning out; exhaustion, exhausting, venting, emptying, depletion; **unloading,** off-loading, discharging cargo *or* freight; draining, drainage; egress 303; **excretion,** defecation 311.2,4.

.7 **disgorgement,** disemboguement, **expulsion,** ejaculation, **discharge,** emission; **eruption,** eructation, extravasation, **blowout, outburst;** outpour, jet, spout, squirt, spurt.

.8 **vomiting,** vomition, **disgorgement, regurgitation,** egestion, emesis, pukes *or* heaves [both slang]; **retching,** heaving, gagging; nausea 686.29; **vomit,** puke *or* barf [both slang], spew, egesta.

.9 **belch, burp** [informal], wind, gas, ructation, eructation; **hiccup.**

.10 **fart** [slang], **flatulence** *or* flatulency, flatuosity, flatus, gas, wind.

.11 **ejector,** expeller, –fuge; **ouster,** evictor;

bouncer *or* chucker [both informal], chucker-out [Brit informal].

.12 **dischargee,** expellee; ejectee; evictee.

.13 VERBS **eject, expel, discharge,** extrude, obtrude, detrude, exclude, reject, cast, remove; **oust, bounce** [informal], give the hook [informal], **put out, turn out,** thrust out; **throw out,** cast out, chuck out, give the chuck to [Brit slang], toss out, heave out, throw *or* kick downstairs; kick *or* boot out [informal]; give the bum's rush *or* give the old heave-ho *or* throw out on one's ear [all slang]; defenestrate; jettison, throw overboard, discard, junk, throw away.

.14 **drive out, run out,** chase out, **rout out;** drum out; freeze out [informal], push out, force out; **hunt out,** harry out; **smoke out,** drive into the open; run out of town, ride on a rail.

.15 **evict, oust,** dislodge, dispossess, put out, turn out, **turn out of doors,** turn out of house and home, turn *or* put out bag and baggage; unhouse, unkennel.

.16 **depopulate,** dispeople, unpeople; devastate, desolate.

.17 **banish, expel, cast out,** thrust out, relegate, **ostracize,** disfellowship, exclude, send down, blackball, spurn, snub, cut, give the cold shoulder, send to Coventry, give the silent treatment; **excommunicate; exile, expatriate, deport,** transport, send away, **extradite; outlaw,** fugitate [Scot law], ban, proscribe; rusticate.

.18 **dismiss, send off** *or* **away, turn off** *or* **away,** bundle, bundle off *or* out, hustle out, pack off, **send packing,** send about one's business, send to the showers [slang]; bow out, **show the door,** show the gate; **give the gate,** give the air [both slang].

.19 **dismiss, discharge, expel, cashier,** drum out, disemploy, separate forcibly *or* involuntarily, **lay off,** suspend, surplus, furlough, turn off, make redundant, turn out, release, let go, let out, remove, displace, replace, strike off the rolls, give the pink slip; give one his walking papers [informal]; **fire** *or* **can** [both informal]; **sack** *or* give the sack to [both Brit informal]; **bump,** bounce, kick, boot, give the ax, give the gate [all slang]; unfrock, defrock; degrade, demote, strip, deplume, displume, deprive; depose, disbar 783.4; break, bust [slang]; **retire,** put on the retired list; pension off, superannuate; read out of; kick upstairs.

.20 **do away with, exterminate,** purge, liquidate; **shake off,** shoo, dispel; **throw off,** fling off, cast off; **eliminate,** get rid of 77.5; throw away 668.7.

.21 **evacuate, void; eliminate,** remove; **empty,** empty out, deplete, **exhaust,** vent, drain; **clear, purge,** clean *or* scour out, clear off *or* out *or* away, unfoul, unclog, blow, blow out, sweep out, make a clean sweep, clear the decks; defecate 311.13.

.22 **unload,** off-load, unlade, unpack, disburden, unburden, **discharge, dump;** unship, break bulk.

.23 **let out, give vent to,** give out *or* off, throw off, **emit, exhaust,** evacuate; **exhale,** expire, breathe out, let one's breath out, blow, puff; fume, steam, vapor, smoke, reek; open the sluices *or* floodgates, turn on the tap.

.24 **disgorge,** debouch, disembogue, **discharge, exhaust, expel,** ejaculate, throw out, **cast forth,** send out *or* forth; **erupt,** eruct, **blow out,** extravasate; **pour out** *or* **forth,** pour, outpour, decant; **spew,** jet, spout, squirt, **spurt.**

.25 **vomit,** spew, **disgorge, regurgitate,** egest, puke [slang], **throw up,** bring up, barf [slang], be sick, sick up [Brit informal], cast *or* heave the gorge; upchuck *or* chuck up *or* urp [all informal], shoot *or* toss one's cookies [slang]; **retch,** keck, **heave, gag;** reject; be seasick, feed the fish.

.26 **belch, burp** [informal], eruct, eructate; **hiccup.**

.27 **fart** [slang], let *or* lay a fart [slang], let *or* break wind.

.28 ADJS **ejective, expulsive,** ejaculative, emissive, extrusive, ex(o)–; eliminant; vomitive, vomitory; eructative; flatulent, flatuous.

.29 INTERJS **go away!,** begone!, get you gone!, go along!, get along!, **run along!, get along with you!,** away!, away with you!, **off with you!,** off you go!, on your way!, go about your business!, be off!, **get out of here!,** get out!, clear out!, leave!, *allez!* [Fr], *allez-vous-en!* [Fr], *va-t'-en!* [Fr], *raus mit dir!* [Ger], *heraus!* [Ger], *¡váyase!* [Sp], *via! or va' via!* [Ital], shoo!, scat!, git! [dial], "stand not on the order of your going, but go at once" [Shakespeare], "go and hang yourself" [Plautus].

.30 [slang terms] **beat it!, scram!,** buzz off!, bug off!, skiddoo!, skedaddle!, vamoose!, cheese it!, make yourself scarce!, **get lost!,** take a walk!, go chase yourself!, get the hell out!, push off!, shove off!, take a powder!, blow!

311. EXCRETION

(bodily discharge)

.1 NOUNS **excretion,** egestion, extrusion, **elimination, discharge; emission;** eccrisis; **exudation,** transudation; extravasation, effusion, flux, flow, –rrhea *or* –rrhoea; ejaculation, ejection 310; **secretion** 312.

.2 **defecation,** dejection, **evacuation,** voidance; movement, **bowel movement,** BM, **stool,** shit *or* crap [both slang]; **diarrhea,** loose bowels, flux; trots *or* runs *or* shits *or* GI's *or* GI shits [all slang]; turistas, Montezuma's revenge [both slang]; lientery; **dysentery,** bloody flux; catharsis, purgation, purge.

.3 **excrement,** dejection, dejecture, discharge, ejection; **waste,** waste matter; **excreta,** excretes, egesta, ejecta, ejectamenta, dejecta; exudation, exudate; transudation, transudate; extravasation, extravasate; effluent.

.4 **feces,** feculence, copr(o)–, scat(o)–; defecation, movement, bowel movement *or* BM; **stool, shit** [slang], **ordure,** night soil, jakes [Brit dial], crap [slang], ca-ca [informal]; turd [slang]; dingleberry [slang]; **manure, dung, droppings;** cow pats, cow flops [slang]; cow chips, buffalo chips; guano; coprolite, coprolith; sewage, sewerage.

.5 **urine,** ur(o)–, urin(o)–; water, **piss** [slang], *pish* [Yid], pee, pee-pee *or* wee-wee [both informal], piddle, stale; **urination,** micturition; urea.

.6 **pus,** py(o)–; **matter,** purulence, peccant humor [archaic], ichor, sanies; pussiness; **suppuration, festering,** rankling, mattering, running; gleet, leukorrhea.

.7 **sweat, perspiration,** water, –idrosis; exudation, exudate; diaphoresis, sudor; honest sweat, the sweat of one's brow; beads of sweat, beaded brow; cold sweat; **lather,** swelter, streams of sweat; sudoresis; body odor, **BO,** perspiration odor.

.8 **hemorrhage,** hemorrhea, **bleeding;** nosebleed; ecchymosis, petechia.

.9 **menstruation,** men(o)–, menstrual discharge *or* flow *or* flux, catamenia, catamenial discharge, flowers [archaic], **the curse,** the curse of Eve; **menses, monthlies,** courses, period *or* periods, that time.

.10 **latrine,** convenience, **toilet,** toilet room, water closet, WC [informal]; **john** *or* johnny *or* **can** *or* crapper [all slang]; loo [Brit slang]; **lavatory,** washroom; **bathroom,** basement; **rest room,** comfort station *or* room; ladies' *or* women's *or* girls' *or* little girls' *or* powder room [informal]; men's *or* boys' *or* little boys' room [informal]; head; privy, outhouse, backhouse, shithouse [slang], johnny house [dial], earth closet [Brit], closet *or* necessary [both dial]; urinal.

.11 **toilet,** stool, **water closet; john** *or* johnny *or* **can** *or* crapper [all slang]; latrine; commode, closestool, potty-chair [informal]; **chamber pot,** chamber, potty [informal], jerry [Brit informal], jordan [Brit dial], thunder mug [slang]; throne [slang]; chemical toilet, chemical closet; urinal; piss pot [slang]; bedpan.

.12 VERBS **excrete,** egest, **eliminate, discharge,** emit, give off, pass; ease *or* relieve oneself, go to the bathroom [informal]; **exude,** exudate, transude; weep; effuse, extravasate; **secrete** 312.5.

.13 **defecate, shit,** crap [both slang], **evacuate,** void, **stool,** dung, have a bowel movement *or* BM, take a shit *or* crap [slang], ca-ca *or* number two [both informal].

.14 **urinate, pass** *or* **make water, wet,** stale, **piss** [slang], piddle, pee; pee-pee *or* wee-wee *or* number one [all informal], spend a penny, pump bilge.

.15 **fester,** suppurate, matter, rankle, run, weep; ripen, come *or* draw to a head.

.16 **sweat, perspire,** exude; break out in a sweat, **get all in a lather** [informal]; sweat like a trooper *or* horse, swelter, wilt.

.17 **bleed,** hemorrhage, lose blood, **shed blood,** spill blood; bloody; ecchymose.

.18 **menstruate,** come sick, come around, have one's period.

.19 ADJS **excretory,** excretive, excretionary; eliminative, egestive; exudative, transudative; **secretory** 312.7.

.20 **excremental,** excrementary; **fecal,** feculent, shitty *or* crappy [both slang], scatologic *or* scatological, stercoral, stercorous, stercoraceous, dungy; **urinary,** urinative, uric, –uronic.

.21 **festering,** suppurative, rankling, mattering; pussy, purulent.

.22 **sweaty,** perspiry [informal]; sweating, perspiring; wet with sweat, beaded with sweat, **sticky** [informal], **clammy;** bathed in sweat, drenched with sweat, wilted; in a sweat; sudatory, sudoric, sudorific, diaphoretic.

.23 **bleeding, bloody,** hemorrhaging; ecchymosed.

.24 **menstrual,** catamenial.

312. SECRETION

.1 NOUNS **secretion,** secreta [pl], secernment, secret(o)–; **excretion** 311; external secretion, internal secretion; lactation; weeping, lacrimation.

.2 digestive secretion *or* juice, salivary secretion, gastric juice, pancreatic juice, intestinal juice; bile, gall, chol(e)– *or* cholo–; endocrine; prostatic fluid, semen, sperm; thyroxin; autacoid, hormone, chalone; mucus; tears; rheum.

.3 **saliva, spittle, sputum, spit, expectoration,** ptyal(o)–, –ptysis; salivation, ptyalism, sialorrhea, sialagogue, **slobber,** slabber, slaver, **drivel,** dribble, **drool;** froth, foam; mouth-watering.

.4 endocrinology, eccrinology, hormonology.

.5 VERBS **secrete,** secern, produce, give out; **excrete** 311.12; water; lactate; weep, tear.

.6 **salivate,** ptyalize; **slobber,** slabber, slaver, **drool, drivel,** dribble; **expectorate, spit,** spew; hawk, clear the throat.

.7 ADJS **secretory,** secretive, secretional, secretionary; **excretory** 311.19; lymphatic, serous; seminal, spermatic; watery, watering; lactational; lacteal, lacteous; lachrymal, lacrimatory, lachrymose; rheumy; salivary, salivant, salivous, sialoid, sialagogic.

.8 **glandular,** glandulous, aden(o)–; **endocrine,** humoral, exocrine, eccrine, apocrine, holocrine, merocrine; **hormonal** *or* hormonic; adrenal, pancreatic, gonadal; ovarian, ovar(i)– *or* ovaro–; luteal, luteo–; prostatic, prostat(o)–; splenetic, splen(o)–; thymic, thym(o)–; thyroidal, thyro– *or* thyreo–; etc.

.9 **glands**

adrenal gland, adrenal
apocrine gland
breast 256.6
corpus luteum
ductless gland
eccrine gland
endocrine gland
gonad
holocrine gland
lacrimal gland
lacteal gland
liver
lymph gland
mamma
mammary gland
merocrine gland
ovary
ovotestis
pancreas
parathyroid gland, parathyroid
pineal body
pituitary gland, pituitary
prostate gland, prostate
salivary gland
sebaceous gland
spermary
suprarenal gland, suprarenal
sweat gland
tear gland
testicle, testis
thymus
thyroid gland, thyroid

.10 **hormones**

ACTH (adrenocorticotrophic hormone)
adrenosterone
adrenotrophin
Allen-Doisy hormone
amniotin
androgen
androsterone
cardiac hormone
cholecystokinin
chondrotrophic hormone
corticosterone
cortisone
dehydrocorticosterone
desoxycorticosterone
dexamethasone
diiodotyrosine
enterocrinin
enterogastrone
epinephrine
erythropoietin
estradiol
estrin
estriol
estrogen
estrone
gonadotrophin
growth hormone
hydroxycorticosterone
hydroxydehydrocorticosterone
hydroxydesoxycorticosterone
insulin
intermedin
kinin
lactogenic hormone
lipocaic
mammin
oxytocin
parathyrin
pitocin
pitressin
progesterone
progestin
prolactin
secretin
somatrophin
stilbestrol
testosterone
thyroglobulin
thyrotrophin
thyroxin
vasopressin

313. OVERRUNNING

.1 NOUNS **overrunning, overgoing, overpassing;** overrun, overpass; **overspreading,** overgrowth; inundation, overflowing 395.6; exaggeration 617; surplus, excess 663; superiority 36.

.2 **infestation,** infestment; invasion, swarming, swarm, teeming, ravage, plague; **overrunning, overswarming,** overspreading; lousiness, pediculosis.

.3 **overstepping, transgression, trespass,** inroad, usurpation, incursion, intrusion, **encroachment,** infraction, **infringement.**

.4 VERBS **overrun, overgo, overpass,** overreach, go beyond; overstep, overstride; overleap, overjump; **overshoot,** overshoot the mark, overshoot the field; exaggerate 617.3; superabound, exceed, **overdo** 663.8–10.

.5 **overspread,** bespread, spread over; **overgrow,** grow over, run riot, cover, swarm over, teem over.

.6 **infest, beset,** invade, swarm, ravage, plague; **overrun, overswarm,** overspread; **creep with, crawl with,** swarm with.

.7 **run over,** overrun; **ride over,** override, **run down,** ride down; **trample, trample on** *or* **upon,** tread upon, trample underfoot, **ride roughshod over;** hit and run; inundate, overflow 395.17.

.8 **pass, go** *or* **pass by,** get *or* shoot ahead of; bypass; **pass over, cross,** go across, ford; step over, overstride, bestride, straddle.

.9 **overstep, transgress, trespass,** intrude, break bounds, overstep the bounds, go too far, know no bounds, **encroach, in-**

fringe, invade, irrupt, make an inroad *or* incursion *or* intrusion, advance upon; usurp.

.10 ADJS **overrun, overspread,** overgrown.

.11 **infested,** beset, ravaged, teeming, plagued; lousy, pediculous, pedicular; wormy, grubby; ratty.

314. SHORTCOMING

(motion short of)

.1 NOUNS **shortcoming,** falling short, not measuring up, shortfall, **shortage,** short measure, underage, deficit; **inadequacy** 57.1; insufficiency 662; delinquency; **default,** defalcation; arrear, **arrears,** arrearage; decline, slump; defectiveness, imperfection 678; **inferiority** 37; **failure** 725.

.2 VERBS **fall short, come short, run short,** stop short, not make the course, not reach, not measure up, not hack it [informal], not make it, not make out, not make the grade [informal]; want, lack, **be found wanting,** not answer, not fill the bill, not suffice; not reach to, not stretch; decline, lag, lose ground, slump, collapse, fall away; **fail** 725.8.

.3 **fall through,** fall down, **fall to the ground,** fall flat, **collapse,** break down; get bogged down, get mired, get mired down, get hung up, come to nothing, come to naught, end up *or* go up in smoke; **fizzle out** *or* peter out *or* poop out [all informal]; fall by the wayside, end "not with a bang but a whimper" [T. S. Eliot].

.4 **miss, miscarry, go amiss,** go astray, **miss the mark,** misfire; miss out, miss the boat *or* bus; miss stays, miss one's mooring.

.5 ADJS **short of,** short; **deficient, inadequate** 57.4; **insufficient** 662.9; **inferior** 37.6; **lacking,** wanting, minus; unreached.

.6 ADVS **behind, behindhand, in arrears** *or* arrear.

.7 **amiss, astray, beside the mark,** below the mark, beside the point, far from it, to no purpose, in vain, vainly, fruitlessly, bootlessly.

315. ASCENT

(motion upwards)

.1 NOUNS **ascent,** ascension, levitation, **rise, rising,** uprising, **uprise,** uprisal; **upgoing,** upgo, uphill, upslope, upping, upgang [Scot]; upcoming; **taking off,** leaving the ground, takeoff; **soaring,** zooming, gaining altitude, leaving the earth behind; spiraling *or* gyring up; shooting *or* rocketing up; jump, vault, spring, saltation, leap 319; mount, **mounting; climb, climbing,** upclimb, anabasis, clamber, escalade; surge, upsurge, upsurgence, upleap, upshoot, uprush; **gush, jet,** spurt, spout, fountain; updraft; upswing, upsweep; upgrowth; upgrade 219.6; **uplift,** elevation 317; increase 38.

.2 **upturn, uptrend,** upcast, upsweep, upbend, upcurve.

.3 **stairs, stairway, staircase,** *escalier* [Fr], **steps,** treads and risers; flight of steps, stepping-stones; spiral staircase, winding staircase; companionway, companion; stile; back stairs; perron; fire escape; landing, landing stage; ramp, incline.

.4 **ladder,** scale; stepladder, folding ladder, extension ladder; Jacob's ladder, companion ladder, accommodation ladder, side ladder, gangway ladder, quarter ladder, stern ladder.

.5 **step, stair, footstep,** rest, footrest, stepping-stone; **rung, round,** rundle, spoke, stave, scale; doorstep; tread; riser; bridgeboard, string; step stool.

.6 **climber,** ascender, upclimber; mountain climber, **mountaineer,** alpinist, rock climber, cragsman.

.7 (comparisons) rocket, skyrocket; lark, skylark, eagle.

.8 VERBS **ascend, rise, mount,** arise, up, uprise, levitate, upgo, **go up,** rise up, come up; go onwards and upwards, go up and up; upsurge, **surge,** upstream, upheave; swarm up, upswarm, sweep up; upwind, upspin, spiral, spire, curl upwards; stand up, **rear,** rear up, **tower,** loom; upgrow, grow up.

.9 **shoot up, spring up,** jump up, **leap up,** vault up, start up, fly up, pop up, bob up; float up, surface, break water; **gush, jet,** spurt, fountain; upshoot, upstart, upspring, upleap, upspear, rocket, **skyrocket.**

.10 **take off,** leave the ground, leave the earth behind, gain altitude, claw skyward; become airborne; **soar,** zoom, fly, plane, kite, fly aloft; aspire; spire, spiral *or* gyre upward; **hover,** hang, poise, float, float in the air.

.11 **climb,** climb up, upclimb, **mount,** clamber, **clamber up,** scramble *or* scrabble up, claw one's way up, struggle up, shin, shinny *or* shin up [both informal], ramp [dial], work *or* inch one's way up; **scale,** escalade, scale the heights; climb over, surmount.

.12 **mount, get on,** climb on, back; **bestride,**

bestraddle; **board,** go aboard, go on board; **get in,** jump in, hop in, pile in [informal].

.13 **upturn, turn up,** cock up; trend upwards, slope up; upcast, upsweep, upbend, upcurve.

.14 ADJS **ascending,** in the ascendant, **mounting, rising,** uprising, upgoing, upcoming; ascendant, ascensional, ascensive, anabatic; **leaping,** springing, saltatory; spiraling, skyrocketing; **upward,** upwith [Scot]; uphill, uphillward, upgrade, upsloping; uparching, rearing, rampant; climbing, scandent, scansorial.

.15 **upturned, upcast,** uplifted, **turned-up,** retroussé.

.16 ADVS **up, upward, upwards,** upwith [Scot]; skyward, heavenward; uplong, upalong; upstream, upstreamward; uphill; uphillward; upstairs; up attic *or* up steps [both dial]; uptown; up north; an(a)–, ano–, sur–, sursum–.

.17 INTERJS **alley-oop!, upsy-daisy!;** excelsior!, onward and upward!

316. DESCENT

(motion downward)

.1 NOUNS **descent, descending,** descension *or* downcome [both archaic], **comedown,** down; **dropping, falling,** plummeting, **drop, fall,** *chute* [Fr], **downfall,** debacle, **collapse,** crash; **swoop,** stoop, pounce, downrush, downflow, cascade, waterfall, rapids, cataract, **downpour,** defluxion; downturn, downcurve, downbend, downward trend, downtrend; declension, declination, inclination; gravitation; downgrade 219.5.

.2 **sinkage,** lowering, **decline, slump,** subsidence, submergence, lapse, decurrence; cadence; **droop, sag,** swag; catenary.

.3 **tumble, fall,** *culbute* [Fr], cropper [informal], **flop** [slang], **spill** [informal], forced landing; **header** [informal]; **sprawl; pratfall** [informal]; **stumble,** trip; **dive, plunge** 320.

.4 **slide; slip,** slippage; **glide,** coast, glissade; glissando; slither; **skid,** sideslip; **landslide,** landslip, subsidence; **snowslide,** snowslip [Brit]; **avalanche.**

.5 VERBS **descend, go** *or* **come down,** down, dip down, lose altitude; gravitate; **fall, drop,** precipitate, rain, rain *or* pour down, fall *or* drop down; **collapse,** crash; **swoop,** stoop, pounce; **pitch, plunge** 320.6, **plummet;** cascade, cataract; parachute; come down a peg [informal]; **fall off,** drop off; trend downward, go downhill.

.6 **sink, go down,** sink down, submerge; **set, settle,** settle down; **decline,** lower, **subside,** give way, lapse, cave, cave in; **droop,** slouch, **sag,** swag; **slump,** slump down; flump, flump down; flop *or* flop down [both slang]; plump, plop, plump *or* plop down; founder 320.8.

.7 **get down, alight,** touch down, **light; land,** settle, perch; **dismount, get off,** unhorse; climb down.

.8 **tumble, fall, fall down,** come *or* fall *or* get a cropper [informal], take a fall *or* tumble, take a flop [slang], take a spill [informal], precipitate oneself; **sprawl,** take a pratfall [informal], spread-eagle [informal], measure one's length; fall headlong, **take a header** [informal]; fall prostrate, fall flat, fall on one's face; **fall over,** topple down *or* over; capsize, turn turtle; **topple,** lurch, pitch, **stumble,** stagger, totter, careen, list, tilt, trip, flounder.

.9 **slide, slip,** slidder [dial], slip *or* slide down; **glide,** skim, coast, glissade; **slither; skid,** sideslip; avalanche.

.10 **light upon,** alight upon, settle on; **descend upon, come down on, fall on,** drop on, hit *or* strike upon.

.11 ADJS **descending,** descendant, on the descendant; **down,** downward, decurrent, declivitous, deciduous; **downgoing,** downcoming; down-reaching; **dropping, falling, plunging, plummeting,** downfalling; **sinking,** downsinking, foundering, submerging, setting; declining, **subsiding;** collapsing, tumbledown, tottering; drooping, sagging; on the downgrade, downhill 219.16.

.12 **downcast, downturned;** hanging, downhanging.

.13 ADVS **down, downward, downwards,** cat(a)– *or* cath– *or* kat(a)–, cato–; downwith [Scot], adown, below; downright; downhill, downgrade; downstreet; downline; downstream; downstairs; downtown; down south.

317. ELEVATION

(act of raising)

.1 NOUNS **elevation, raising, lifting,** upping, **rearing,** escalation, **erection;** uprearing, uplifting; upbuoying; **uplift,** upheaval, upthrow, upcast, upthrust; **exaltation,** apotheosis, deification, beatification, canonization, enshrinement, assumption; *sursum corda* [L]; height 207; ascent 315.

.2 **lift, boost** [informal], hoist, heave; a leg up.

.3 **lifter, erector;** crane, derrick, gantry crane, crab; **jack,** jackscrew; **hoist,** lift, hydraulic lift; forklift; hydraulic tailgate; lever 287.4; windlass 287.7; tackle 287.10.

.4 **elevator,** *ascenseur* [Fr], **lift** [Brit]; escalator, moving staircase *or* stairway; dumbwaiter.

.5 VERBS **elevate, raise,** rise, **rear,** escalate, up, **erect, heighten, lift,** levitate, boost [informal], **hoist,** heist [dial], heft, heave; raise up, rear up, lift up, hold up, set up, stick up, perk up; buoy up, upbuoy; **upraise, uplift,** uphold, uprear, uphoist; upheave, upthrow, upcast; throw up, cast up; jerk up, hike, hoick; knock up, lob, loft; sky [informal].

.6 **exalt,** apotheosize, deify, beatify, canonize, enshrine; put on a pedestal.

.7 **give a lift,** give a boost, give a leg up [informal], **help up,** put on; mount, horse.

.8 **pick up,** take up, pluck up, **gather up;** draw up, fish up, haul up, drag up; dredge, dredge up.

.9 ADJS **raised, lifted, elevated;** upraised, **uplifted,** upcast; upreared, rampant; upthrown, upflung; **exalted, lofty** 207.19, sublime; stilted, on stilts; erect, upright 213.11; high 207.19.

.10 **elevating,** elevatory; lifting, **uplifting;** erective, erectile.

318. DEPRESSION

(act of lowering)

.1 NOUNS **depression, lowering, sinking;** ducking, submergence, pushing *or* thrusting under; detrusion; pushing *or* pulling *or* hauling down; reduction, de-escalation, diminution; demotion, debasement, degradation; concavity, hollowness 257.1; descent 316.

.2 **downthrow,** downcast; **overthrow,** overturn 220.2; **precipitation.**

.3 **crouch, stoop,** bend, squat; **bow,** genuflection, kneeling, kowtow, salaam, reverence, obeisance, **curtsy;** bob, duck, nod; prostration, supination.

.4 VERBS **depress, lower,** let *or* take down, debase, **sink,** bring low, reduce, couch; pull *or* haul down, take down a peg [informal]; bear down, downbear; thrust *or* press *or* push down, detrude; indent 257.14.

.5 **fell, drop, precipitate, bring down,** fetch down, down [informal], take down, lay low; **raze,** rase, raze to the ground; **level,** lay level; pull down, pull about one's ears; **cut down,** chop down, hew down, whack down [informal], mow down; **knock down,** dash down, send headlong, **floor,** deck [slang], ground, **bowl down** *or* **over** [informal], lay out [slang]; trip, topple, tumble; **prostrate,** supinate; **throw,** throw *or* fling *or* cast down; bulldog; spread-eagle [informal]; blow over *or* down.

.6 **overthrow,** overturn 220.6.

.7 **drop,** let drop *or* fall.

.8 **crouch,** cringe, **cower; stoop, bend, squat,** get down; hunch, hunch down; scrooch *or* scrouch down [dial]; grovel, wallow, welter.

.9 **bow, bend, kneel,** genuflect, bend the knee, **curtsy,** make a low bow, make a reverence *or* obeisance, salaam, bob, duck; **kowtow,** prostrate oneself.

.10 **sit down,** seat oneself, **be seated** 268.10; squat, get down on one's hunkers [dial].

.11 **lie down,** couch, drape oneself, **recline** 214.5; prostrate, supinate, prone [dial]; flatten oneself, prostrate oneself.

.12 ADJS **depressed, lowered,** debased, reduced, **fallen;** sunk, **sunken,** submerged; downcast, downthrown; prostrate 214.8; low, at a low ebb.

319. LEAP

.1 NOUNS **leap, jump, hop, spring, skip, bound,** bounce; **pounce;** upleap, upspring, jump-off; **hurdle; vault,** pole vault; demivolt, curvet, capriole; jeté, grand jeté, tour jeté, saut de basque; jig, galliard, lavolta, Highland fling, morris; standing *or* running *or* flying jump; long jump, broad jump, standing *or* running broad jump; high jump, standing *or* running high jump; leapfrog; jump shot; handspring; buck, buckjump; ski jump, jump turn, geländesprung, gelände jump; steeplechase; hippety-hop [informal]; jump-hop; hop, skip, and jump.

.2 **caper,** dido [informal], **gambol, frisk,** curvet, cavort, capriole; **prance,** caracole; *gambade* [Fr], gambado; falcade.

.3 **leaping, jumping,** bouncing, bounding, hopping, capering, prancing, skipping, **springing,** saltation; **vaulting,** pole vaulting; **hurdling,** the hurdles, hurdle race, timber topping [slang], steeplechase; leapfrogging.

.4 **jumper,** leaper, hopper; broad jumper, high jumper; **vaulter,** pole vaulter; **hurdler,** hurdle racer, timber topper [informal]; jumping jack; bucking bronco,

buckjumper, sunfisher [slang]; jumping bean; kangaroo, gazelle, stag, jackrabbit, goat, frog, grasshopper, flea; salmon.

.5 VERBS **leap, jump, vault, spring, skip, hop, bound,** bounce; upleap, upspring, updive; leap over, jump over, etc.; overleap, overjump, overskip, leapfrog; **hurdle,** clear, negotiate; curvet, capriole; buck, buckjump; ski jump; steeplechase; start, start up, start aside; **pounce,** pounce on *or* upon; hippety-hop [informal].

.6 **caper, cut capers,** cut a dido [informal], curvet, cavort, capriole, **gambol,** gambado, **frisk,** flounce, **trip, skip,** bob, bounce, jump about; **romp,** ramp [dial]; **prance;** caracole.

.7 ADJS **leaping, jumping,** springing, hopping, skipping, prancing, bouncing, bounding; saltant, saltatory, saltatorial.

320. PLUNGE

.1 NOUNS **plunge, dive, pitch, drop, fall;** header [informal]; **swoop, pounce,** stoop; swan dive, gainer, jackknife, cannonball; belly flop, belly buster, belly whopper [all informal]; nose dive, power dive; parachute jump, sky dive; crash dive, stationary dive, running dive.

.2 **submergence, submersion, immersion,** immergence, engulfment, **inundation,** burial; **dipping, ducking,** dousing, sousing, dunking [informal], sinking; **dip, duck, souse;** baptism.

.3 **diving,** plunging; sky diving; fancy diving, high diving, skin diving, pearl diving, deep-sea diving.

.4 **diver,** plunger; high diver; parachute jumper, jumper, sky diver; skin diver, snorkel diver, scuba diver, free diver, pearl diver, deep-sea diver, frogman; –dytes.

.5 (diving equipment) diving bell, diving chamber, bathysphere, bathyscaphe, benthoscope, aquascope; submarine 277.9; diving boat; scuba, self-contained underwater breathing apparatus, Aqua-Lung; diving goggles, diving mask, swim fins; wet suit; air cylinder; diving suit; diving helmet, diving hood; snorkel, periscope.

.6 VERBS **plunge, dive, pitch, plummet, drop, fall;** plump, plunk, plop; swoop, swoop down, stoop, **pounce,** pounce on *or* upon; nose-dive, make a nose dive; parachute, sky-dive; skin-dive; sound; take a header [informal].

.7 **submerge,** submerse, **immerse,** immerge, merge, **sink,** bury, engulf, **inundate,** deluge, drown, overwhelm, whelm; **dip, duck, dunk** [informal], douse, souse, plunge in water; baptize.

.8 **sink, scuttle,** send to the bottom, send to Davy Jones's locker; **founder, go down,** go to the bottom, sink like lead, go down like a stone; get out of one's depth.

.9 ADJS **submersible,** submergible, immersible, sinkable.

321. CIRCUITOUSNESS

.1 NOUNS **circuitousness,** circuitry, circuition [archaic], circulation; **roundaboutness,** indirection, meandering, deviance *or* deviancy, **deviation** 291; deviousness, **digression,** circumlocution 593.5; **excursion,** excursus; **circling, wheeling,** rounding, orbit, **orbiting; spiraling,** spiral, gyring, gyre; circumambulation, circumambience *or* circumambiency, circumflexion, circumnavigation, circummigration; turning, **turn** 291.1; circularity 253.

.2 **circuit, round,** revolution, **circle,** full circle, **cycle,** orbit, ambit; round trip, *aller-retour* [Fr]; **beat,** rounds, **walk,** tour, turn, lap, loop.

.3 **detour, bypass, roundabout way,** roundabout, circuit, circumbendibus [informal], digression, deviation, excursion, ambages.

.4 VERBS **circuit,** make a circuit, **circle,** describe a circle, move in a circle, **circulate;** go **round** *or* **around,** go about; **wheel,** orbit, round; come full circle, close the circle, make a round trip, return to the starting point; cycle; spiral, gyre; go around in circles, chase one's tail; revolve 322.9; **compass,** encompass, encircle, surround; skirt, flank; go the round, make the round of, make one's rounds, circuiteer [archaic]; lap; circumvent, circumambulate, circummigrate; circumnavigate, girdle, girdle the globe, "put a girdle round about the earth" [Shakespeare].

.5 **turn, go around, round,** turn *or* round a corner, corner, round a bend, double *or* round a point.

.6 **detour,** make a detour, **go around,** go round about, go the long way around, go out of one's way, **bypass;** deviate 291.3; digress 593.9.

.7 ADJS **circuitous, roundabout, out-of-the-way, devious, oblique, indirect,** meandering, backhanded, ambagious; **deviative** 291.7, **deviating,** digressive, discursive, excursive; **circular** 253.11, **round,** wheel-shaped, O-shaped; spiral, helical; orbital; rotary 322.15.

.8 circumambient, circumambulatory, circumforaneous, circumfluent, circumvolant, circumnavigatory, circumnavigable.

.9 ADVS **circuitously, deviously, obliquely, indirectly, round about,** about it and about, in a roundabout way, by a side door, by a side wind; circlewise, wheelwise.

322. ROTATION

.1 NOUNS **rotation, revolution,** volution, roll, **gyration, spin,** circulation, turbination; axial motion, rotational motion, angular motion, angular momentum, angular velocity; circumrotation, circumgyration, full circle; **turning, whirling,** swirling, **spinning,** wheeling, reeling, whir; centrifugation; swiveling, pivoting, swinging; **rolling,** volutation, trolling, trundling, bowling.

.2 **whirl,** wheel, reel, **spin, turn,** round, gyre; pirouette; **swirl,** twirl, **eddy,** gurge, surge; vortex, **whirlpool,** maelstrom, Charybdis; dizzy round, rat race; **whirlwind** 403.14.

.3 revolutions, **revs** [informal]; revolutions per minute, rpm.

.4 **rotator, rotor; roller,** rundle; **whirler,** whirligig, **top,** whirlabout; **merry-go-round,** carousel, roundabout; **wheel,** disk; Ixion's wheel; rolling stone.

.5 **axle, axis,** ax(o)–, axono–; **pivot,** gudgeon, trunnion, **swivel, spindle,** arbor, pole, radiant; fulcrum 216.2; pin, pintle; **hub,** nave; axle shaft, axle spindle, axle bar, axle-tree; distaff; mandrel; gimbal; **hinge,** hingle [dial]; rowlock, oarlock.

.6 **axle box,** journal, journal box; hotbox.

.7 **bearing,** ball bearing, needle bearing, roller bearing, thrust bearing, bevel bearing, bushing; jewel; headstock.

.8 (science of rotation) trochilics, gyrostatics.

.9 VERBS **rotate, revolve, spin, turn,** round, **go round** *or* **around,** turn round *or* around; **gyrate,** gyre; circumrotate, circumvolute; circle, circulate; **swivel, pivot, wheel,** swing; pirouette, turn a pirouette; wind, twist, screw, crank; wamble.

.10 **roll, trundle,** troll, **bowl;** roll up, **furl.**

.11 **whirl,** whirligig, twirl, **wheel, reel, spin,** spin like a top *or* teetotum, whirl like a dervish; centrifuge, centrifugate; **swirl,** gurge, surge, **eddy,** whirlpool.

.12 (move around in confusion) **seethe, mill,** mill around, stir, roil, moil, be turbulent.

.13 (roll about in) **wallow, welter,** grovel, roll, flounder, tumble.

.14 ADJS **rotating, revolving, turning,** gyrating; **whirling, swirling,** twirling, **spinning,** wheeling, **reeling; rolling,** trolling, bowling; circum–.

.15 **rotary, rotational,** rotatory, rotative, roto–, trocho–; trochilic, vertiginous; circumrotatory, circumvolutory, circumgyratory; gyral, gyratory, gyrational, gyroscopic, gyrostatic, gyr(o)–; whirly, swirly, gulfy; whirlabout, whirligig; vortical, cyclonic, tornadic, whirlwindy, whirlwindish.

.16 ADVS **round, around,** round about, **in a circle; round and round,** in circles, like a horse in a mill; in a whirl, in a spin; head over heels, heels over head; clockwise, counterclockwise, anticlockwise, widdershins.

.17 **rotators**

bobbin
centrifuge
chuck
drill 348.18
extractor
fan
governor
gyro
gyroplane
gyroscope
gyrostabilizer
gyrostat
impeller
jack
propeller
reel
revolving door
revolving lever
roller
rolling pin
rotary drill
rotor
screw
spindle
spin-drier
spinner
spit
spool
teetotum
top
treadmill
turbine
turntable
ultracentrifuge
whirl drill
whirling table
whorl
windmill

.18 **wheels**

balance wheel
bevel gear
buffing wheel
cartwheel
caster
Catherine wheel
circular saw
cog
cogwheel
contrate wheel
crown wheel
cycloidal gear
drive wheel
escape wheel
Ferris wheel
flywheel
gear
gearwheel
gyrowheel
idler wheel
mill wheel
paddle wheel
pinion
pinwheel
potter's wheel
prayer wheel
pulley
ratchet wheel
roulette wheel
spinning wheel
sprocket wheel
spur gear
spur pinion
spur wheel
steering wheel
truck
truckle
vortex wheel
wagon wheel
water wheel
wheel of fortune
worm wheel *or* gear

323. OSCILLATION

(motion to and fro)

.1 NOUNS **oscillation, vibration,** vibrancy, vibro–, seismo–; harmonic motion, simple

harmonic motion; libration, nutation; pendulation; **fluctuation,** vacillation, wavering; libration of the moon, libration in latitude *or* longitude; vibratility; **frequency,** frequency band *or* spectrum; resonance, resonant *or* resonance frequency; **periodicity** 137.2.

.2 **waving,** wave motion, **undulation,** undulancy; **brandishing, flourishing,** flaunting, shaking; brandish, flaunt, flourish; wave 395.14.

.3 **pulsation, pulse, beat, throb;** beating, throbbing; rat-a-tat, staccato, rataplan, drumming 455.1; **rhythm, tempo** 463.22–24; **palpitation,** flutter, arrhythmia, pitter-patter, pitapat; **heartbeat,** heartthrob, –crotism.

.4 **wave,** wave motion, **ray;** transverse wave, longitudinal wave; electromagnetic wave, electromagnetic radiation; **light** 335; **radio wave** 344.11; mechanical wave; acoustic wave, **sound wave** 450.1; seismic wave, **shock wave;** de Broglie wave; diffracted wave, guided wave; one- *or* two- *or* three-dimensional wave; periodic wave; standing wave, node, antinode; surface wave, **tidal wave;** amplitude, crest, trough; wavelength; frequency, frequency band *or* spectrum; resonance, resonant *or* resonance frequency; period; wave number; diffraction; reinforcement, interference; in phase, out of phase; wave equation, Schrödinger equation; Huygens' principle.

.5 **alternation, reciprocation;** regular *or* rhythmic play, **coming and going,** to-and-fro, back-and-forth, ebb and flow, *va-et-vien* [Fr], flux and reflux, systole and diastole, ups and downs; sine wave, Lissajous figure *or* curve; **seesawing,** teetering, tottering, **teeter-tottering;** seesaw, teeter, teeter-totter, wigwag.

.6 **swing,** swinging, **sway,** swag; **rock, lurch, roll, reel,** careen; wag, waggle; wave, waver.

.7 seismicity, seismism; seismology, seismography, seismometry.

.8 (instruments) oscilloscope, oscillograph, oscillometer; harmonograph; vibroscope, vibrograph; kymograph; seismoscope, seismograph, seismometer.

.9 **oscillator, vibrator;** pendulum, pendulum wheel; metronome; swing; seesaw, teeter, teeter-totter, teeterboard, teetery-bender; rocker, rocking chair; rocking stone, logan stone, shuttle; shuttlecock.

.10 VERBS **oscillate, vibrate,** librate, nutate; pendulate; **fluctuate,** vacillate, waver, wave; resonate; **swing, sway,** swag, dangle, **reel, rock, lurch, roll,** careen, toss, pitch; **wag,** waggle; **wobble,** coggle [Brit dial]; **bob,** bobble; shake, flutter 324.10–12.

.11 **wave, undulate; brandish, flourish,** flaunt, shake, swing, wield; float, fly; **flap, flutter;** wag, wigwag.

.12 **pulsate, pulse, beat, throb,** pant, **palpitate,** go pitapat; tick, ticktock; drum 455.4.

.13 **alternate,** reciprocate, swing, **go to and fro,** to-and-fro, **come and go,** pass and repass, ebb and flow, wax and wane, ride and tie, hitch and hike, back and fill; **seesaw,** teeter, **teeter-totter;** shuttle, shuttlecock, battledore and shuttlecock; **wigwag,** wibble-wabble; zigzag.

.14 (move up and down) **pump, shake.**

.15 ADJS **oscillating,** oscillatory; **vibrating,** vibratory, vibratile, harmonic; libratory, nutational; periodic, pendular, pendulous; **fluctuating,** fluctuational, fluctuant; wavering; vacillating, vacillatory; resonant.

.16 **waving, undulating,** undulatory, undulant.

.17 **swinging, swaying,** dangling, **reeling, rocking, lurching,** careening, **rolling,** tossing, pitching.

.18 pulsative, pulsatory, pulsatile; **pulsating, pulsing, beating, throbbing, palpitating,** palpitant, pitapat, staccato; rhythmic 463.28; –crotic.

.19 **alternate, reciprocal,** reciprocative; sine-wave; **back-and-forth, to-and-fro,** up-and-down, seesaw.

.20 seismatical, seismological, seismographic, seismometric; succussive, succussatory, sussultatory.

.21 ADVS **to and fro, back and forth,** backward and forward, backwards and forwards, **in and out, up and down,** seesaw, shuttlewise, from side to side, from pillar to post, off and on, ride and tie, hitch and hike, round and round, like buckets in a well.

324. AGITATION

(irregular motion)

.1 NOUNS **agitation, perturbation,** conturbation [archaic], **trepidation,** trepidity, fidgets *or* jitters [both informal], jumpiness, nervousness, nerviness [Brit], nervosity, twitter, upset, **unrest,** malaise, unease, fever, feverishness, restlessness, **disquiet,** disquietude, inquietude, discomposure; **stir, churn, ferment,** fermentation, foment; seethe, seething, ebullition, boil,

boiling; embroilment, roil, turbidity, fume, **disturbance, commotion,** moil, **turmoil, turbulence** 162.2, **swirl, tumult,** tumultuation, hubbub, rout, fuss, row, to-do, bluster, fluster, flurry, flutteration, flap, bustle, brouhaha, bobbery, hurly-burly; maelstrom; **excitement** 857; **disorder** 62.

.2 **shaking, quaking,** palsy, **quivering, quavering, shivering, trembling,** tremulousness, **shuddering, vibration;** succussion; jerkiness, fits and starts, spasms; jactation, jactitation; joltiness, bumpiness, shakes [informal], shivers *or* cold shivers [both informal], ague, chattering; chorea, St. Vitus's dance.

.3 **shake, quake, quiver, quaver,** falter, **tremor, tremble, shiver, shudder,** twitter, didder, dither; **wobble; bob,** bobble; **jog,** joggle; **shock, jolt,** jar, jostle; **bounce,** bump; **jerk, twitch,** tic, grimace, rictus; jig, jiggle, jigget [informal].

.4 **flutter,** flitter, flit, **flicker, waver,** dance; shake, quiver 324.3; **sputter, splutter; flap,** flop [informal]; **beat,** beating; **palpitation,** throb, pitapat, pitter-patter.

.5 **twitching, jerking,** vellication; **fidgets,** fidgetiness; itchiness, formication, pruritus.

.6 **spasm, convulsion,** cramp, **paroxysm,** throes; **orgasm,** sexual climax; epitasis, eclampsia; **seizure,** grip, attack, **fit,** access, ictus; epilepsy, falling sickness; stroke, apoplexy.

.7 **wiggle, wriggle;** wag, waggle; writhe, **squirm.**

.8 **flounder,** flounce, stagger, totter, stumble, falter; wallow, welter, volutation; **roll, rock, reel, lurch,** careen, **swing, sway; toss, tumble,** pitch, plunge.

.9 (instruments) **agitator,** shaker, jiggler, vibrator; beater, paddle, whisk, eggbeater; churn.

.10 VERBS **agitate, shake, disturb, perturb,** perturbate, **disquiet, discompose, upset, trouble, stir,** swirl, flurry, fret, roughen, ruffle, rumple, ripple, ferment, convulse; **churn,** whip, whisk, beat, paddle; **stir up,** work up, shake up, churn up, whip up, beat up; roil, rile [dial]; disarrange 63.2; **excite** 857.11.

.11 **shake, quake, vibrate,** jactitate; **tremble, quiver, quaver,** falter, **shudder, shiver,** twitter, didder, chatter; shake in one's boots *or* shoes, quake *or* shake *or* tremble like an aspen leaf; have an ague; **wobble; bob,** bobble; **jog,** joggle; **shock, jolt,** jar, jostle, hustle, jounce, **bounce,** jump, bump.

.12 **flutter,** flitter, flit, flick, **flicker,** gutter, bicker, wave, **waver,** dance; **sputter, splutter; flap,** flop [informal], flip, beat, slat; **palpitate,** pulse, throb, pitter-patter, go pitapat.

.13 **twitch, jerk,** vellicate; itch; **jig, jiggle,** jigger *or* jigget [both informal]; **fidget,** have the fidgets.

.14 **wiggle, wriggle;** wag, waggle; **writhe, squirm,** twist and turn; have ants in one's pants [informal].

.15 **flounder,** flounce, **stagger,** totter, stumble, falter, blunder, wallop; **struggle,** labor; **wallow, welter; roll, rock, reel, lurch,** careen, career, **swing, sway; toss, tumble,** thrash about, **pitch, plunge,** pitch and plunge, toss and tumble, toss and turn, be the sport of winds and waves; **seethe** 162.11.

.16 ADJS **agitated, disturbed, perturbed, disquieted, discomposed, troubled, upset, ruffled,** flurried, flustered; stirred up, shaken, shaken up; troublous, feverish, fidgety *or* jittery [both informal], jumpy, nervous, nervy [Brit], restless, **uneasy,** unquiet, unpeaceful; all of a twitter [informal], all of a flutter; **turbulent** 162.17; excited 857.18–25.

.17 **shaking, vibrating,** chattering; **quivering, quavering, quaking, shivering, shuddering, trembling, tremulous,** palsied, aspen; succussive, succussatory; **shaky,** quivery, quavery, shivery, trembly; wobbly.

.18 **fluttering, flickering, wavering,** guttering, dancing; sputtering, spluttering, sputtery; fluttery, flickery, flicky, wavery, unsteady, desultory.

.19 **jerky,** twitchy *or* twitchety, jerking, **twitching, fidgety, jumpy,** jiggety [informal], vellicative; spastic, spasmodic, eclamptic, orgasmic, convulsive; fitful, saltatory.

.20 **jolting,** jolty, **joggling,** joggly, jogglety, **bouncy, bumpy,** choppy, rough; **jarring,** bone-bruising.

.21 **wriggly,** wriggling; **wiggly,** wiggling; squirmy, squirming; writhy, writhing, antsy [slang].

.22 ADVS **agitatedly, troublously, restlessly,** uneasily, unquietly, unpeacefully, nervously, feverishly.

.23 **shakily,** quiveringly, quaveringly, quakingly, **tremblingly,** shudderingly, tremulously; flutteringly, waveringly, unsteadily, desultorily; **jerkily,** spasmodically, fitfully, by jerks, by snatches, saltatorily, by fits and starts, "with many a flirt and flutter" [Pope].

325. PHYSICS

.1 NOUNS **physics;** natural *or* physical science; philosophy *or* second philosophy *or* natural philosophy *or* physic [all archaic]; acoustics, applied physics, aerophysics, astrophysics, basic conductor physics, biophysics, classical physics, chemical physics *or* chemicophysics, cryogenics, crystallography, cytophysics, geophysics, macrophysics, mathematical physics, mechanics 347, medicophysics, microphysics, molecular physics, Newtonian physics, nuclear physics 326.1, optics, physicomathematics, psychophysics, radiation physics 327.7, solar physics, solid-state physics, statics, stereophysics, theoretical physics, thermodynamics, zoophysics; physical chemistry, physicochemistry; electron physics, electrophysics, radionics, electronics 343.

.2 **physicist,** aerophysicist, astrophysicist, biophysicist, etc.

.3 ADJS **physical,** physi(o)–, physic(o)–; aerophysical, astrophysical, biophysical, etc.

326. ATOMICS

.1 NOUNS **atomics,** atomistics, atomology, atomic science; **nucleonics, nuclear physics;** atomic *or* nuclear chemistry; quantum mechanics, wave mechanics; molecular physics; thermionics; mass spectrometry, mass spectrography; radiology 327.7.

.2 (atomic theory) quantum theory, Bohr theory, Dirac theory, Rutherford theory, Schrödinger theory, Lewis-Langmuir *or* octet theory, Thomson's hypothesis; law of conservation of mass, law of definite proportions, law of multiple proportions, law of Dulong and Petit, law of parity, correspondence principle; atomism.

.3 **atomic scientist, nuclear physicist;** radiologist 327.8.

.4 **atom;** tracer, tracer atom, tagged atom; atomic model, nuclear atom; nuclide; **ion; shell,** subshell, planetary shell, valence shell.

.5 **isotope;** protium, deuterium *or* heavy hydrogen, tritium (isotopes of hydrogen); radioactive isotope, **radioisotope;** carbon 14, strontium 90, uranium 235, etc.; artificial isotope; isotone; isobar, isomer, nuclear isomer.

.6 **elementary particle,** atomic particle, **subatomic particle** 326.24, –on; lepton, meson, baryon, antilepton, antimeson, antibaryon; **atomic nucleus, nucleus,** nucle(o)– *or* nuclei–, *Kern* [Ger]; nuclear particle, nucleon; proton, neutron 326.25; deuteron (deuterium nucleus), triton (tritium nucleus), alpha particle (helium nucleus); nuclear force, strong interaction; nucleosynthesis; nuclear resonance, Mössbauer effect, nuclear magnetic resonance *or* NMR; strangeness; electron, beta particle, valence electron 343.3; photon, phot(o)–.

.7 atomic cluster, molecule; radical, simple radical, compound radical, chain, straight chain, branched chain, side chain; ring, closed chain, cycle; homocycle, heterocycle; benzene ring *or* nucleus, Kekulé formula; lattice, space-lattice.

.8 **fission, nuclear fission,** fission reaction, fissi–; **atom-smashing,** atom-chipping, **splitting the atom;** atomic reaction; atomic disintegration *or* decay, alpha decay, beta decay, gamma decay; stimulation, dissociation, photodisintegration, ionization, nucleization, cleavage; neutron reaction, proton reaction, etc.; reversible reaction, nonreversible reaction; thermonuclear reaction; **chain reaction;** exchange reaction; breeding; disintegration series; bombardment, atomization; bullet, target; proton gun.

.9 **fusion, nuclear fusion,** fusion reaction, thermonuclear reaction, thermonuclear fusion.

.10 **fissionable material,** nuclear fuel; fertile material; **critical mass,** noncritical mass; parent element, daughter element; end product.

.11 **accelerator** 326.27, **particle accelerator,** atomic accelerator, atom smasher, atomic cannon.

.12 mass spectrometer, mass spectrograph.

.13 **reactor, nuclear reactor, pile,** atomic pile, reactor pile, chain-reacting pile, chain reactor, **furnace,** atomic *or* nuclear furnace, neutron factory; stellarator; power reactor, breeder reactor, power-breeder reactor; homogeneous reactor, heterogeneous reactor; plutonium reactor, uranium reactor, etc.; fast pile, intermediate pile, slow pile; lattice; bricks; rods; radioactive waste.

.14 atomic engine, **atomic** *or* **nuclear power plant,** reactor engine.

.15 **atomic energy, nuclear energy** *or* **power,** thermonuclear power; activation energy, binding energy, mass energy; energy level; atomic research, atomic project; Atomic Energy Commission, AEC.

.16 **atomic explosion, atom blast, A-blast; thermonuclear explosion,** hydrogen blast, **H-blast;** ground zero; blast wave, Mach

stem; Mach front; mushroom cloud; **fallout,** airborne radioactivity, fission particles, dust cloud, radioactive dust; flash burn; A-bomb shelter, fallout shelter.

.17 VERBS **atomize,** nucleize; activate, accelerate; bombard, cross-bombard; cleave, fission, **split** *or* **smash the atom.**

.18 ADJS **atomic,** atomatic, atomistic; atomiferous; monatomic, diatomic, triatomic, tetratomic, pentatomic, hexatomic, heptatomic; heteratomic, heteroatomic; subatomic; dibasic, tribasic; cyclic, isocyclic, homocyclic, heterocyclic; isotopic, isobaric, isoteric.

.19 **nuclear, thermonuclear,** isonuclear, homonuclear, heteronuclear, extranuclear.

.20 **fissionable,** fissile, scissile.

.21 **atoms**

acceptor atom
asymmetric carbon atom
discrete atom
excited atom
hot atom
impurity atom
isobar
isotere
isotopic isobar
labeled atom
neutral atom
normal atom
nuclear isomer
radiation atom
recoil atom
stripped atom

.22 **theoretic atoms**

Bohr atom
cubical atom
Dirac atom
Lewis-Langmuir atom
Rutherford atom
Schrödinger atom
Thomson atom

.23 **valent atoms and radicals**

monad
dyad
triad
tetrad
pentad
hexad
heptad
octad

.24 **subatomic particles**

antielectron
antineutrino
antineutron
antiparticle
antiproton
beta particle
electron
graviton
hadron
hyperon
kaon, K-meson *or* K-particle
lambda particle
meson, mesotron
muon, mu-meson
neutrino
neutron
omega particle
phi-meson
photon
pion, pi-meson
positron, positive electron
proton
quark
rho particle
sigma particle
strange particle
tau-meson
xi-particle

.25 **neutrons**

fast neutron
monoenergetic neutron
photoneutron
resonance neutron
slow neutron
thermal neutron

.26 **atomic units and constants**

atom
atomic mass
atomic number
atomic weight
Avogadro number
Boltzmann's constant
crystal-lattice constant
Dulong's constant
elementary quantum of action
gram atom
gram-atomic weight
magnetic quantum number
magneton
mass number
Petit's constant
Planck's constant
quantum
quantum number
Rydberg number *or* constant
valence
valence number

.27 **accelerators**

betatron
bevatron
cascade transformer
charge-exchange accelerator
Cockcroft-Walton voltage multiplier
cosmotron
cyclotron
electron accelerator
electrostatic generator
induction accelerator
linear accelerator
microwave linear accelerator
positive-ion accelerator
synchrocyclotron
synchrotron
Van de Graaff generator

327. RADIATION AND RADIOACTIVITY

.1 NOUNS **radiation,** radiant energy; **radioactivity,** activity, radioactive radiation *or* emanation, atomic *or* nuclear radiation; natural radioactivity, artificial radioactivity; curiage; specific activity, high specific activity; actinic radiation, actin(o)– *or* actini–; radiotransparency, radiolucency; radiopacity; radiosensitivity, radiosensibility; half-life; radiocarbon dating; contamination, decontamination; saturation point; radiac *or* radioactivity detection identification and computation; fallout 326.16.

.2 **radioluminescence, autoluminescence;** cathode luminescence; Cerenkov radiation, synchrotron radiation.

.3 **radiorays,** nuclear rays; alpha ray, beta ray, gamma ray; alpha radiation, beta radiation, gamma radiation; X ray, Roentgen ray, X radiation; Grenz ray, infraroentgen ray; cathode ray, anode ray; Lenard ray; actinic ray; Becquerel ray; positive ray, canal ray; cosmic ray, cosmic radiation; cosmic ray bombardment, electron shower; electron emission 343.5.

.4 **radioactive particle,** radion; alpha particle, beta particle; heavy particle; high-energy particle; meson, mesotron; cosmic particle, solar particle, aurora particle, V-particle.

.5 (radioactive substance) **radiator;** alpha radiator, beta radiator, gamma radiator; fluorescent paint, radium paint; radium dial; fission products; radiocarbon, radiocopper, radioiodine, radiothorium, etc.; mesothorium; **radioelement** 327.12; radioisotope; tracer, tracer element, tracer atom, radioactive waste.

.6 **counter** 327.13, **radioscope,** radiodetector, **atom-tagger;** ionization chamber; ionizing event; X-ray spectrograph, X-ray spectrometer.

.7 **radiation physics,** radiology, radiological physics; radiobiology, radiochemistry, radiometallography, radiography, roentgenography, roentgenology, radiometry, spectroradiometry, radiotechnology, radiopathology; radiotherapy 689.7; radioscopy, curiescopy, roentgenoscopy, radiostereoscopy, fluoroscopy, photofluorography, orthodiagraphy; X-ray photometry, X-ray spectrometry; tracer investigation, atom-tagging.

.8 **radiation physicist,** radiologist, atom-tagger; radiobiologist, radiochemist.

.9 VERBS **radioactivate,** activate, **irradiate,** charge; radiumize; **contaminate,** poison, infect.

.10 ADJS **radioactive,** radio–, activated, radioactivated, irradiated, charged, **hot; contaminated,** infected, poisoned; radiferous; radioluminescent, autoluminescent.

.11 **radiable;** radiotransparent, radioparent, radiolucent; radiopaque, radium-proof; radiosensitive.

.12 **radioactive elements**

actinium
americium
astatine
berkelium
californium
curium
einsteinium
fermium
francium
hahnium
mendelevium
neptunium
nobelium
plutonium
polonium
promethium
protactinium
radium
radon, radium emanation
technetium
thorium
uranium

.13 **radiation counters and chambers**

air-wall ionization chamber
alpha pulse analyzer
atom counter
atom-tracing spectrometer
aurora particle counter
beta-ray spectrograph *or* spectrometer
boron counter
Cerenkov counter
cloud chamber
coincidence counter
compensated ionization chamber
cosmic ray counter
counting tube
crystal counter
differential ionization chamber
diffusion chamber
electronic counter
expansion chamber
externally-quenched counter
extrapolation ionization chamber
free-air ionization chamber
gamma ray counter
gas counter
Geiger counter
Geiger-counter telescope
Geiger-Klemperer counter
Geiger-Müller counter
heavy particle counter
integrating ionization chamber
ion counter
ionization chamber
kicksorter
minometer
particle counter
proportional counter
proportional ionization chamber
pulse analyzer
pulse ionization chamber
radiation pyrometer
radiometer
radiomicrometer
Rutherford-Geiger counter
scintillation counter
scintillator
scintillometer
screen-wall counter
self-quenched counter
solar gamma ray counter
solar X-ray counter
spark chamber
spectroradiometer
spinthariscope
tube counter
Wilson chamber

.14 **radioactive units**

curie
half-life
megacurie
microcurie
millicurie
multicurie
roentgen

328. HEAT

.1 NOUNS **heat, hotness,** heatedness, –thermia *or* –thermy; superheat, superheatedness; calidity *or* caloric [both archaic]; **warmth,** warmness; incalescence; radiant heat, thermal radiation, induction heat, convector *or* convected heat, coal heat, gas heat, oil heat, hot-air heat, steam heat, electric heat, solar heat, dielectric heat, ultraviolet heat, atomic heat, molecular heat; animal heat, body heat, blood heat, hypothermia; fever heat, fever 686.6; heating, burning 329.5.

.2 (metaphors) **ardor,** ardency, **fervor,** fervency, fervidness, fervidity; eagerness 635; excitement 857; **anger** 952.5–10; **sexual desire** 419.5,6; love 931.

.3 **temperature;** boiling point, cocto–; melting point, freezing point; dew point; recalescence point; zero, absolute zero.

.4 **lukewarmness,** tepidness, tepidity; tepidarium.

.5 **torridness,** torridity; extreme heat, intense heat, torrid heat, red heat, white heat, tropical heat, sweltering heat, Afric heat, Indian heat, Bengal heat, summer heat; "where the sun beats, and the dead tree gives no shelter, the cricket no relief" [T. S. Eliot]; **hot wind** 403.7.

.6 **sultriness, stuffiness, closeness,** oppressiveness; humidity; **humidness, mugginess,** stickiness [informal], swelter, temperature-humidity index, THI.

.7 **hot weather,** sunny *or* sunshiny weather; sultry weather, stuffy weather, humid weather, muggy weather, sticky weather [informal]; summer, midsummer, high summer; dog days, canicular days, canicule; **heat wave,** hot wave; broiling sun, midday sun; vertical rays; warm weather, fair weather.

.8 **hot day,** summer day; **scorcher** *or* **roaster** *or* broiler *or* sizzler *or* swelterer [all informal].

.9 **hot air,** superheated air; thermal; fire storm.

.10 **hot water,** boiling water; **steam,** vapor; volcanic water; hot *or* warm *or* thermal spring, thermae; geyser, Old Faithful.

.11 (hot place) **oven, furnace,** fiery furnace, inferno, hell; steam bath; **tropics,** subtropics, Torrid Zone; equator.

.12 **glow,** incandescence, fieriness; **flush, blush, bloom,** redness 368, rubicundity, rosiness; whiteness 364; thermochromism; hectic, hectic flush 686.6.

.13 **fire,** igni–, pyr(o)–; **blaze, flame,** ingle, devouring element; **combustion, ignition,** ignition temperature *or* point, flash *or* flashing point; **conflagration;** flicker 335.8, wavering *or* flickering flame, "lambent flame" [Dryden]; smoldering fire, sleeping fire; marshfire, fen fire, ignis fatuus, will-o'-the-wisp; fox fire; witch fire, St. Elmo's fire, corposant; **cheerful fire,** cozy fire, crackling fire, "bright-flaming, heat-full fire" [Du Bartas]; **roaring fire,** blazing fire; **raging fire,** sheet of fire, sea of flames, "whirlwinds of tempestuous fire" [Milton]; bonfire, balefire; beacon fire, beacon, signal beacon, watch fire; alarm fire, two-alarm fire, three-alarm fire, etc.; wildfire, prairie fire, forest fire; backfire; open fire; campfire; smudge fire; death fire, pyre, funeral pyre, crematory; burning ghat.

.14 **flare,** flare-up, **flash,** flash fire, **blaze,** burst, outburst; deflagration.

.15 **spark,** sparkle; **scintillation,** scintilla; ignescence.

.16 **coal,** live coal, brand, firebrand, **ember,** burning ember; **cinder.**

.17 **fireworks** *or* firework, **pyrotechnics** *or* pyrotechnic *or* pyrotechny.

.18 (perviousness to heat) transcalency; adiathermancy, athermancy.

.19 **thermal unit;** British thermal unit, BTU; Board of Trade unit, BOT; centigrade thermal unit; centigrade *or* Celsius scale, Fahrenheit scale; **calorie,** mean calorie, centuple *or* rational calorie, small calorie, large *or* great calorie, kilocalorie, kilogram-calorie; therm.

.20 **thermometer,** mercury, glass; thermostat; thermal detector.

.21 (science of heat) thermochemistry, thermology, thermotics, thermodynamics; volcanology; pyrology, pyrognostics; pyrotechnics *or* pyrotechnic *or* pyrotechny, ebulliometry; calorimetry.

.22 VERBS (be hot) **burn, scorch,** parch, scald, **swelter, roast,** toast, cook, bake, fry, broil, boil, seethe, simmer, stew; **be in heat** 419.22; shimmer with heat, give off waves of heat, radiate heat; **blaze,** combust, **flame,** flame up, **flare,** flare up; **flicker** 335.25; **glow,** incandesce, spark, flush, bloom; smolder; steam; sweat 311.16; gasp, pant; **suffocate, stifle,** smother, choke.

.23 **smoke, fume,** reek; smudge.

.24 ADJS **warm,** calid [archaic], **thermal,** thermic, therm(o)–, –thermous, mild, genial; **toasty** [informal], warm as toast; **sunny,** sunshiny; summery, aestival; **temperate,** warmish; **tropical,** equatorial, subtropical; **tepid, lukewarm,** luke; room-temperature; blood-warm, blood-hot; unfrozen.

.25 **hot, heated, torrid; sweltering,** sweltry, canicular; **burning,** parching, scorching, searing, scalding, blistering, baking, roasting, toasting, broiling, grilling, simmering; **boiling,** seething, ebullient; **piping hot,** scalding hot, burning hot, roasting hot, scorching hot, sizzling hot, smoking hot; **red-hot,** white-hot; ardent; flushed, sweating, sweaty, sudorific; overwarm, overhot, overheated; hot as fire, hot as hell *or* blazes, hot as the hinges of hell, hot enough to roast an ox, so hot you can fry eggs on the sidewalk [informal], like a furnace *or* oven; feverish 686.54.

.26 **fiery,** igneous, firelike, pyric; combustive, conflagrative.

.27 **burning, ignited,** kindled, enkindled, **blazing,** ablaze, ardent, flaring, flaming, aflame, inflamed, alight, **afire, on fire,** in flames, in a blaze, flagrant [archaic]; conflagrant, comburent; live, living; **glowing,** aglow, in a glow, incandescent, candescent, candent; sparking, scintillating, scintillant, ignescent; **flickering,** aflicker, guttering; unquenched, unextinguished; slow-burning; **smoldering; smoking,** fuming, reeking.

.28 **sultry, stifling, suffocating, stuffy, close,** oppressive; **humid, sticky** [informal], **muggy.**

.29 warm-blooded, hot-blooded.

.30 isothermal, isothermic; centigrade, Fahrenheit.

.31 diathermic, diathermal, transcalent; adiathermic, adiathermal, athermanous.

.32 pyrological, pyrognostic, pyrotechnic(al); pyrogenic *or* pyrogenous *or* pyrogenetic;

thermochemical; thermodynamic(al).

.33 **fireworks**

bomb
candlebomb
cannon cracker
cap
Catherine wheel
cherry bomb
cracker
cracker bonbon
firecracker
fizgig
flare
flowerpot
girandole
ladyfinger
pinwheel
rocket
Roman candle
serpent
skyrocket
snake
sparkler
squib
torpedo
whiz-bang

.34 **thermometers, thermal detectors**

barretter
black-bulb thermometer
calorimeter
candy thermometer
centigrade thermometer
clinical thermometer
cryometer
cryoscope
cryostat
dry-bulb thermometer
electric thermometer
Fahrenheit thermometer
galvanothermometer
gas thermometer
meat thermometer
metallic thermometer
optical pyrometer
oven thermometer
platinum thermometer
pyrometer
pyrometric cone
pyroscope
pyrostat
radiation pyrometer
radiomicrometer
register *or* self-registering thermometer
resistance pyrometer
resistance thermometer
reversing thermometer
telethermometer
thermel
thermistor
thermocouple
thermoelectrometer
thermometrograph
thermopile
thermoregulator
thermostat
wet-bulb thermometer

329. HEATING

.1 NOUNS **heating, warming,** calefaction, torrefaction, increase *or* raising of temperature; superheating; tepefaction; pyrogenesis; decalescence, recalescence; preheating; stove heating, furnace heating; radiant heating, panel heating; central heating; induction heating, gas heating, steam heating, oil heating, hot-water heating, hot-air heating, electric heating, electronic heating, dielectric heating; solar heating, insolation; heat exchange; cooking 330.

.2 **boiling,** seething, **stewing,** ebullition, ebullience *or* ebulliency, coction; decoction; **simmering;** boil; simmer; ebullioscope, ebulliometer.

.3 **melting, fusion,** running; **thawing,** thaw; liquation, fusibility; thermoplasticity.

.4 **ignition, lighting,** lighting up *or* off, **kindling,** firing; flammation, inflammation.

.5 **burning, combustion,** blazing, flaming; **scorching,** parching, singeing; **searing,** branding; **blistering,** vesication; **cauterization,** cautery; **incineration,** cineration; **cremation,** concremation; suttee, self-cremation, self-immolation; the stake, burning at the stake, *auto-da-fé* [Pg]; scorification; carbonization; oxidation, oxidization; calcination; cupellation; deflagration; distilling, distillation; refining, smelting; pyrolysis; cracking, thermal cracking, destructive distillation; **spontaneous combustion,** thermogenesis.

.6 **burn,** scald, scorch, singe; sear; brand; sunburn, sunscald; windburn; mat burn; first- *or* second- *or* third-degree burn.

.7 **incendiarism, arson,** fire-raising [Brit]; **pyromania;** pyrophilia; pyrolatry, fire worship.

.8 **incendiary, arsonist; pyromaniac, firebug** [informal]; pyrophile, fire buff [informal]; pyrolater, fire worshiper.

.9 **flammability, inflammability,** combustibility.

.10 **heater, warmer; stove, furnace** 329.33; **cooker,** cookery; firebox; tuyere, tewel [archaic]; burner, jet, gas jet, pilot light *or* burner, element, heating element; heating pipe, steam pipe, hot-water pipe; heating duct, caliduct.

.11 **fireplace, hearth,** ingle; **fireside,** ingleside, inglenook, ingle cheek [Scot], chimney corner; hearthstone; hob, hub; fireguard, fireboard, fire screen, fender; chimney, flue; smokehole.

.12 **fire iron; andiron,** firedog; tongs, pair of tongs, fire tongs, coal tongs; poker, stove poker, salamander, fire hook; lifter, stove lifter; pothook, crook, crane, chain; trivet, tripod; spit, turnspit; grate, grating; gridiron, grid, griddle, grill, griller; damper.

.13 **incinerator,** cinerator, burner; **crematory,** cremator, crematorium, burning ghat; calcinatory.

.14 **blowtorch,** blast lamp, torch, alcohol torch, butane torch; soldering torch; blowpipe; **burner; welder** 348.24; acetylene torch *or* welder, cutting torch *or* blowpipe, oxyacetylene blowpipe *or* torch, welding blowpipe *or* torch.

.15 cauterant, cauterizer, cauter, cautery, thermocautery, actual cautery; **hot iron, branding iron,** brand iron, brand; moxa; electrocautery; **caustic, corrosive,** mordant, escharotic, potential cautery; acid 379.12; lunar caustic; radium.

.16 (products of combustion) scoria, sullage, slag, dross; **ashes,** ash; **cinder,** clinker, coal; coke, charcoal, brand, lava, carbon,

calx; **soot,** smut, coom [Brit dial]; **smoke,** smudge, fume, reek.

.17 VERBS **heat,** raise *or* increase the temperature, hot *or* hot up [both Brit], **warm,** warm up, fire, fire up, stoke up; chafe; take the chill off; tepefy; gas-heat, oil-heat, hot-air-heat, hot-water-heat, steam-heat, electric-heat; superheat; overheat; preheat; **reheat,** recook, warm over; mull; steam; foment; cook 330.4.

.18 (metaphors) **excite, inflame** 857.11; incite, **kindle, arouse** 648.17–19; anger, **enrage** 952.21–23.

.19 insolate, sun-dry; **sun,** bask, bask in the sun, sun oneself, sunbathe.

.20 **boil, stew, simmer, seethe;** distill.

.21 **melt,** melt down, **run,** colliquate, **fuse,** flux; refine, smelt; render; **thaw,** thaw out, unfreeze; defrost, deice.

.22 **ignite, set fire to, fire, set on fire,** build a fire, **kindle,** enkindle, inflame, **light,** light up, strike a light, apply the match *or* torch to, torch, touch off, **burn,** conflagrate; rekindle, relight, relume; **feed,** feed the fire, **stoke,** stoke the fire, add fuel to the flame; bank; poke *or* stir the fire, blow up the fire, fan the flame; open the draft.

.23 **catch on fire,** catch fire, catch, take, **burn, flame,** combust, blaze, **blaze up, burst into flame.**

.24 **burn,** torrefy, **scorch, parch, sear; singe,** swinge; **blister,** vesicate; **cauterize,** brand, burn in; **char,** coal, carbonize; scorify; calcine; pyrolyze, crack; solder, weld; vulcanize; cast, found; oxidize, oxidate; deflagrate; cupel; burn off; blaze, flame 328.22.

.25 **burn up,** incendiarize, **incinerate, cremate,** consume, burn *or* reduce to ashes, burn to a cinder; **burn down,** burn to the ground, **go up in smoke.**

.26 ADJS **heating, warming,** chafing, calorific; calefactory, calefactive, calefacient, calorifacient, calorigenic; burning 328.25–27; cauterant, cauterizing; calcinatory.

.27 **inflammatory,** inflammative, **inflaming, kindling,** enkindling, lighting; **incendiary.**

.28 **flammable, inflammable, combustible,** burnable, accendible, fiery.

.29 **heated,** het *or* het up [both dial], hotted up [Brit], **warmed,** warmed up, centrally heated, gas-heated, oil-heated, hot-water-heated, hot-air-heated, steam-heated, electric-heated; superheated; overheated; **reheated,** recooked, **warmed-over,** *réchauffé* [Fr]; hot 328.25.

.30 **burned, burnt,** burned to the ground, incendiarized, burned-out *or* -down, gutted; **scorched, blistered, parched, singed, seared, charred,** pyrographic, adust; sunburned; **burnt-up,** incinerated, cremated, consumed, consumed by fire; ashen, ashy, carbonized, pyrolyzed, pyrolytic.

.31 **molten, melted,** fused; meltable, fusible; thermoplastic.

.32 **heaters**

Baltimore heater
bedpan
bloom heater
brazier
brick oven
Bunsen burner
calefactory
car heater
defroster
deicer
dielectric heater
dielectric preheater
Dutch oven
electric blanket
electric heater
electric pad
electronic heater
feed-water heater
fireless heater
foot warmer
forge
gas heater
gas log
geyser [Brit]
heating pad
heat lamp
high-frequency heater
hot-water bag, hot-water bottle
hot-water heater
induction heater
induction heating machine
infrared heater
infrared lamp
ingot heater
iron heater
kerosene heater
kiln 576.5
orchard heater
oven
plate heater
preheater
radiant heater
radiator
radio-frequency heater
register
rivet heater
sidearm heater
solar heater
space heater
steam heater
steam radiator
sun lamp
superheater
tire heater
warming house
warming pad
warming pan
water heater
water oven

.33 **stoves, furnaces**

arc furnace
assay furnace
athanor
Bessemer furnace
blast furnace
boiler
bottle-gas stove
box stove
butane stove
calefactor
coal furnace
coal stove
coke oven
cook stove
crucible furnace
cupola furnace
Dutch stove
electric-arc furnace
electric furnace
electric range
electric stove
foot stove
Franklin stove
gas furnace
gas range
gas stove
gasoline stove
induction furnace
kerosene stove
kitchener [Brit]
kitchen range
Norwegian stove
oil furnace
oil stove
open-hearth furnace
potbellied stove
Primus stove
range
resistance furnace
reverberatory, reverbatory furnace
salamander, salamander stove
scorifier
smelter

330. COOKING

.1 NOUNS **cooking, cookery, cuisine, culinary art;** home economics, domestic sci-

ence, culinary science, catering, nutrition 309; baking, toasting, roasting, frying, searing, sautéing, boiling, simmering, stewing, basting, braising, poaching, shirring, barbecuing, steeping, brewing, grilling, broiling, pan-broiling; broil.

.2 **cook,** kitchener, culinarian, culinary artist; **chef,** *chef de cuisine* [Fr], chief cook; fry cook, short-order cook; **baker,** *boulanger* [Fr], pastrycook, pastry chef, *patissier* [Fr].

.3 **kitchen, cookroom,** cookery, **scullery,** cuisine; kitchenette; **galley,** caboose *or* camboose; cookhouse; **bakery,** bakehouse.

.4 VERBS **cook,** prepare food, prepare, do; boil, heat, stew, simmer, parboil, blanch; brew; poach, coddle; bake, fire, oven-bake; scallop; shirr; roast; toast; fry, griddle, pan; sauté, stir-fry; frizz, frizzle; sear, braise, brown; broil, grill, pan-broil; barbecue; fricassee; steam; devil; curry; baste; **do to a turn,** do to perfection.

.5 ADJS **cooking, culinary,** kitchen.

.6 **cooked,** heated, stewed, fried, barbecued, curried, fricasseed, deviled, sautéed, shirred, toasted; roasted, roast; broiled, grilled, pan-broiled; seared, braised, browned; boiled, simmered, parboiled; steamed; poached, coddled; baked, fired, oven-baked; scalloped.

.7 **done, well-done,** well-cooked, *bien cuit* [Fr], done to a turn *or* to perfection; overcooked, **overdone;** medium, medium-rare; doneness.

.8 **underdone,** undercooked, not done, **rare,** *saignant* [Fr]; sodden, fallen.

.9 **manners of cooking**

à blanc [Fr]
à la béarnaise [Fr]
à la bonne femme [Fr]
à la bordelaise [Fr]
à la bourgeoise [Fr]
à la casserole
à la Chateaubriand [Fr]
à la cocotte [Fr]
à la coque [Fr]
à la Crécy [Fr]
à la créole [Fr]
à la Croissy [Fr]
à la dauphine [Fr]
à la dauphinoise [Fr]
à la diable [Fr]
à la française [Fr]
à la godiveau [Fr]
à la grecque [Fr]
à la jardinière [Fr]
à la julienne [Fr]
à la king
à l'allemande [Fr]
à la lyonnaise [Fr]
à la macédoine [Fr]
à la Maintenon [Fr]
à la maître d'hôtel [Fr]
à la Marengo
à la Maryland
à la matelote [Fr]
à l'américaine [Fr]
à la mode
à la mode de Caen [Fr]
à la napolitaine [Fr]
à la Newburg
à l'anglaise [Fr]
à la normande [Fr]
à la parisienne [Fr]
à la Périgord [Fr]
à la polonaise [Fr]
à la printanière [Fr]
à la ravigote [Fr]
à la reine [Fr]
à la russe [Fr]
à la serviette [Fr]
à la Soubise [Fr]
à la suisse [Fr]
à la tartare [Fr]
à l'aurore [Fr]
à la vinaigrette [Fr]
al burro [Ital]
al dente [Ital]
à l'espagnole [Fr]
à l'estragon [Fr]
à l'etouffée [Fr]
à l'italienne [Fr]
alla bolognese [Ital]
alla cacciatore [Ital]
alla diavola [Ital]
alla fiorentina [Ital]
alla marinara [Ital]
alla milanese [Ital]
alla parmigiana [Ital]
alla pizzaiola [Ital]
alla romana [Ital]
alla siciliana [Ital]
alla veneziana [Ital]
al limone [Ital]
all'italiana [Ital]
al Marsala [Ital]
a piacere [Ital]
au beurre fondu [Fr]
au beurre noire [Fr]
au beurre roux [Fr]
au fromage [Fr]
au gras [Fr]
au gratin
au jus [Fr]
au kirsch [Fr]
au maigre [Fr]
au naturel [Fr]
au vert pré [Fr]
au vin blanc [Fr]
aux fines herbes [Fr]
en casserole
flambé
fra diavolo [Ital]
in brodo [Ital]
maître d'hôtel
paprikás [Hung]
piccante [Ital]
piccata [Ital]
stroganoff
thermidor

.10 **cookers**

alcohol stove
baker
barbecue
boiler
broiler
camp stove
chafer
chafing dish *or* pan
coffee maker
cook stove
corn popper
Dutch oven
electric cooker
electric frying pan
electric roaster
electric toaster
field range
fireless cooker
fry-cooker
galley stove
grill
hibachi
infrared broiler
infrared cooker
microwave oven
percolator
pots, pans 193.8,9
pressure cooker
roaster
samovar
stove 329.33
toaster
waffle iron
waterless cooker

331. FUEL

.1 NOUNS **fuel,** firing, combustible *or* inflammable *or* flammable material, burnable, combustible, inflammable, flammable; coal 331.10; coke, charcoal, briquette, fireball; peat, turf; carbon, gas carbon; gasoline, kerosene 380.4; paraffin; natural gas; methane, ethane, propane, butane, pentane, hexane, heptane, octane, etc., isooctane; benzine; alcohol, ethanol, methanol; fuel additive, dope, fuel dope; jet fuel, rocket fuel, propellant; **oil** 380; gas 401.

.2 slack, coal dust, coom *or* comb [both Brit dial], culm.

.3 **firewood,** stovewood, wood; **kindling,** kindlings, kindling wood; brush, brushwood; fagot, bavin [Brit]; log, backlog, yule log *or* yule clog [archaic].

.4 **lighter,** light, igniter, sparker; pocket lighter, cigar *or* cigarette lighter, butane lighter; **torch,** flambeau, taper, spill;

brand, **firebrand**; portfire; **flint**, flint and steel.

.5 **match**, lucifer; friction match, locofoco, safety match, vesuvian, vesta, fusee; Congreve, Congreve match.

.6 **tinder**, touchwood; **punk**, spunk, German tinder, amadou; tinder fungus; pyrotechnic sponge; tinderbox.

.7 **detonator**, exploder; **cap**, blasting cap, percussion cap, mercury fulminate, fulminating mercury; electric detonator *or* exploder; detonating powder; **primer**, priming; primacord; **fuse**, squib.

.8 VERBS **fuel**, fuel up, fill up, top off; refuel; coal, oil; **stoke, feed**, add fuel to the flame; detonate, explode, fulminate.

.9 ADJS **coaly**, carbonaceous, carboniferous, anthrac(o)–; anthracite, bituminous; lignitic, lign(o)– *or* ligni–.

.10 **coal**

anthracite, hard coal
bituminous *or* soft coal
blind coal
broken coal
buckwheat coal
cannel, cannel coal
chestnut coal
egg coal
flaxseed coal
glance coal
grate coal
lignite, brown coal
lump coal
mustard-seed coal
nut coal
pea coal
peat
sea coal
steamboat coal
stove coal

.11 **fuses**

base fuse
chemical fuse
concussion *or* percussion fuse
detonating fuse
electric fuse
friction fuse
point fuse
proximity fuse
time fuse
variable-time *or* VT fuse

332. INCOMBUSTIBILITY

.1 NOUNS **incombustibility, uninflammability**, noninflammability, **nonflammability**; unburnableness.

.2 **extinguishing**, extinguishment, extinction, **quenching**, dousing [informal], **snuffing**, putting out; **choking, damping, stifling, smothering**, smotheration; controlling; fire fighting; going out, dying, burning out, flame-out, burnout.

.3 **extinguisher, fire extinguisher**; fire apparatus, fire engine, hook-and-ladder, ladder truck; ladder pipe, snorkel, deluge set, deck gun, water cannon [Brit], pumper, super-pumper; **foam**, carbon-dioxide foam, Foamite, foam extinguisher; dry-powder extinguisher; carbon tetrachloride, carbon tet; water, soda, acid, wet blanket; sprinkler, automatic sprinkler, sprinkler system, sprinkler head; hydrant, fire hydrant, fireplug; fire hose.

.4 **fire fighter, fireman**, fire-eater [informal]; forest fire fighter, fire warden, fire-chaser, smokechaser, smokejumper; volunteer fireman, vamp [informal]; fire department, fire brigade.

.5 **fireproofing**, fire resistance; fireproof *or* fire-resistant *or* fire-resisting *or* fire-resistive *or* fire-retardant material, fire retardant; asbestos; amianthus, earth flax, mountain flax; asbestos curtain, fire wall; fire break, fire line.

.6 VERBS **fireproof**, flameproof.

.7 **extinguish, put out, quench**, out, douse [informal], **snuff**, snuff out, blow out, stamp out; **choke, damp, smother, stifle**, slack.

.8 **burn out, go out, die**, die out *or* away; fizzle *or* **fizzle out** [both informal]; flame out.

.9 ADJS **incombustible, uninflammable**, noninflammable, **nonflammable**, unburnable; asbestine, asbestic; amianthine.

.10 **fireproof, flameproof**, fireproofed, fire-retarded, fire-resisting *or* -resistant *or* -resistive, fire-retardant.

.11 **extinguished**, quenched, snuffed, **out**.

333. COLD

.1 NOUNS **cold, coldness; coolness**, coolth, freshness; low temperature, drop *or* decrease in temperature; **chilliness; chill, nip**, sharp air; **crispness**, briskness, nippiness; **frigidity, iciness**, frostiness, extreme *or* intense cold, gelidity, algidity; **rawness**, bleakness, keenness, sharpness, bitterness, severity, inclemency, rigor, "a hard, dull bitterness of cold" [Whittier]; cool; freezing point; cryology; cryogenics; absolute zero.

.2 (sensation of cold) **chill**, chilliness, chilling; shivering, **shivers, cold shivers**, didders [Brit dial], dithers, chattering of the teeth; creeps, **cold creeps** [informal]; **gooseflesh, goose pimples**, goose *or* duck bumps [informal], horripilation; **frostbite, chilblains**, kibe, cryopathy; ache, aching.

.3 **cold weather**, bleak weather, raw weather, bitter weather, wintry weather, **freezing weather**, zero weather, subzero weather; **cold wave**, snap, **cold snap; freeze**, frost; winter, depth of winter, hard winter; "The ways deep and the weather sharp, / The very dead of winter" [T. S. Eliot]; "When icicles hang by the wall" [Shakespeare]; wintry wind 403.8.

.4 (cold place) Siberia, Novaya Zemlya, Alaska, Iceland, the Hebrides, Green-

land, "Greenland's icy mountains" [Reginald Heber], the Yukon, Tierra del Fuego, Lower Slobbovia [Al Capp]; North Pole, South Pole; Frigid Zones; the Arctic, Arctic Circle *or* Zone; Antarctica, the Antarctic; Antarctic Circle *or* Zone; tundra.

.5 **ice,** frozen water; ice needle *or* crystal; **icicle,** iceshockle [Brit dial]; cryosphere; ice sheet, ice field, ice barrier, ice front; **floe, ice floe,** ice island, ice raft, ice pack; ice foot, ice belt; shelf ice, pack ice; **iceberg,** berg, growler; calf; snowberg; **icecap,** jokul [Iceland]; ice pinnacle, serac, nieve penitente; **glacier,** glacieret, glaciation, glacio–, ice dike, "motionless torrents, silent cataracts" [Coleridge]; piedmont glacier; icefall; ice banner; ice cave; **sleet,** glaze, glazed frost; snow ice; névé, granular snow, firn; ground ice, anchor ice, frazil; lolly; sludge, slob; ice cubes; Dry Ice; icequake; ice storm, freezing rain.

.6 **hail,** hailstone; soft hail, graupel; **hailstorm.**

.7 **frost,** Jack Frost; **hoarfrost,** hoar, rime, rime frost, white frost; black frost; hard frost, sharp frost; killing frost; frost smoke; frost line.

.8 **snow,** chio– *or* chion(o)–; granular snow, corn snow, spring corn, spring snow, powder snow, wet snow; "the frolic architecture of the snow" [Emerson]; "a pure and grandfather moss" [Dylan Thomas]; **snowfall,** "feather'd rain" [William Strode], "the whitening shower" [James Thomson]; **snowstorm,** snow blast, snow squall, snow flurry, flurry, blizzard; **snowflake,** snow-crystal, flake, crystal; snow dust; **snowdrift,** snowbank, snow wreath [Brit dial], snow roller, driven snow; snowcap; snow banner; snow blanket; snow bed, snowfield, mantle of snow; snowscape; snowland; snowshed; snow line; snowball, snowman; snowslide, snowslip, avalanche; snow slush, **slush,** slosh; snowbridge; snow fence; snowhouse, igloo; mogul.

.9 VERBS be cold, grow cold, lose heat; **shiver, quiver,** quake, shake, tremble, shudder, didder [Brit dial], dither; **chatter; chill,** have a chill, have the cold shivers; **freeze,** freeze to death, freeze one's balls off [informal], perish with cold, horripilate, have goose pimples, have goose *or* duck bumps [informal]; have chilblains.

.10 (make cold) **chill,** chill to the bone *or* marrow, make one shiver, make one's teeth chatter; **nip,** bite, cut, **pierce,** penetrate, go through *or* right through; **freeze** 334.11; frost, frostbite; numb, benumb; **refrigerate** 334.10.

.11 **hail, sleet, snow;** snow in; snow under; **frost,** ice, ice up, ice over.

.12 ADJS **cool,** coolish, temperate; chill, **chilly,** parky [Brit slang]; **fresh,** bracing, **invigorating,** stimulating; cool as a cucumber.

.13 **unheated,** unwarmed; unmelted, unthawed.

.14 **cold,** cry(o)– *or* kryo–, frigo–, psychro–; **crisp, brisk,** nipping, **nippy, snappy** [informal], **raw, bleak, keen, sharp,** bitter, biting, pinching, cutting, **piercing,** penetrating, inclement, severe, rigorous; snow-cold; sleety; slushy; **icy,** icelike, **ice-cold,** glacial, ice-encrusted; cryospheric; supercooled; **frigid,** bitter *or* bitterly cold, gelid, algid; below zero, subzero; **freezing,** freezing cold, numbing; **wintry,** wintery, winterlike, winterbound, hiemal, brumal, hibernal; **arctic,** Siberian, boreal, hyperborean; stone-cold, cold as death, cold as ice, cold as marble, cold as charity, cold as a welldigger's ass, cold as a witch's tit *or* kiss, cold enough to freeze the tail *or* balls off a brass monkey, "cold as the north side of a gravestone in winter" [anon], cold as a bastard *or* bitch, colder than hell *or* the deuce *or* the devil.

.15 (feeling cold) **cold, cool, chilly; shivering,** shivery, shaky, dithery; algid, aguish, aguey; chattering, with chattering teeth; **frozen** 334.14, half-frozen, frozen to death, chilled to the bone, blue with cold, *figé de froid* [Fr], so cold one could spit ice cubes.

.16 **frosty,** frostlike; **frosted,** frost-beaded, frost-covered, frost-chequered, rimed, **hoary,** hoar-frosted, rime-frosted; frost-riven, frost-rent; frosty-faced, frosty-whiskered; frostbound, frost-fettered.

.17 **snowy,** snowlike, niveous, nival; snow-blown, snow-drifted, snow-driven; **snow-covered,** snow-clad, snow-mantled, snow-robed, snow-blanketed, snow-sprinkled, snow-lined, snow-encircled, snow-laden, snow-loaded, snow-hung; **snow-capped,** snow-crested, snow-crowned, snow-tipped, snow-topped; snow-bearded; snow-feathered; snow-still.

.18 frozen out *or* in, **snowbound,** snowed-in, **icebound.**

.19 **cold-blooded,** heterothermic, poikilothermic; cryogenic; cryological.

334. REFRIGERATION

(reduction of temperature)

.1 NOUNS **refrigeration,** infrigidation, reduction of temperature; **cooling, chilling; freezing,** glacification, glaciation, congelation, congealment; refreezing, regelation; mechanical refrigeration, electric refrigeration, electronic refrigeration, gas refrigeration; food freezing, quick freezing, deep freezing, sharp freezing, blast freezing, dehydrofreezing; adiabatic expansion, adiabatic absorption, adiabatic demagnetization; cryogenics; super-cooling; **air conditioning,** air cooling.

.2 refrigeration anesthesia, crymoanesthesia, hypothermia *or* hypothermy; crymotherapy, cryo-aerotherapy; cold cautery, cryocautery; cryopathy.

.3 **cooler,** chiller; water cooler, air cooler; ventilator 402.10; fan 403.21; surface cooler; ice cube, ice pail *or* bucket, wine cooler; ice bag, ice pack, cold pack.

.4 **refrigerator,** refrigeratory, **icebox,** ice chest; Frigidaire, fridge [informal], electric refrigerator, electronic refrigerator, gas refrigerator; refrigerator car, refrigerator truck, reefer [informal]; freezer ship.

.5 **freezer, deep freeze,** deep-freezer, quick-freezer, sharp-freezer; ice-cream freezer; ice machine, ice-cube machine, freezing machine, refrigerating machine *or* engine; **ice plant,** icehouse, refrigerating plant.

.6 **cold storage; frozen-food locker,** locker, freezer locker, locker plant; frigidarium; coolhouse; coolerman.

.7 (cooling agent) **coolant; refrigerant;** cryogen; ice, Dry Ice, ice cubes; freezing mixture, liquid air, ammonia, carbon dioxide, Freon, ether; ethyl chloride; liquid air, liquid oxygen *or* lox, liquid nitrogen, liquid helium, etc.

.8 antifreeze, alcohol, ethylene glycol.

.9 refrigerating engineering, refrigerating engineer.

.10 VERBS **refrigerate,** infrigidate; **cool, chill;** refresh, freshen; ice, ice-cool; water-cool, air-cool; **air-condition;** ventilate 402.11.

.11 **freeze** 333.9,10, ice, glacify, glaciate, congeal; **deep-freeze,** quick-freeze, sharp-freeze, blast-freeze; freeze solid; **nip,** blight, blast; refreeze, regelate.

.12 ADJS **refrigerative,** refrigeratory, refrigerant, frigorific(al), algific; **cooling, chilling; freezing,** congealing; quick-freezing, deep-freezing, sharp-freezing, blast-freezing; freezable, glaciable.

.13 **cooled, chilled; air-conditioned;** iced, ice-cooled; air-cooled, water-cooled; supercooled.

.14 **frozen,** frozen solid, glacial, gelid, congealed; **icy,** ice-cold, icy-cold, ice, icelike; deep-frozen, quick-frozen, sharp-frozen, blast-frozen; frostbitten, frostnipped.

.15 antifreeze, antifreezing.

335. LIGHT

.1 NOUNS **light,** phot(o)–, lumin(o)– *or* lumini–; radiant *or* luminous energy, visible radiation, radiation in the visible spectrum, **illumination, radiation, radiance** *or* radiancy, irradiance *or* irradiancy, irradiation, emanation; "God's first creature" [Francis Bacon], "God's eldest daughter" [Thomas Fuller, D.D.], "offspring of Heav'n firstborn" [Milton], "the first of painters" [Emerson], "the prime work of God" [Milton], "the white radiance of eternity" [Shelley]; highlight; sidelight; photosensitivity; light source 336.

.2 **shine,** shininess, **luster, sheen, gloss,** glint; **glow, gleam,** flush, sunset glow; **incandescence,** candescence; shining light; afterglow; skylight, air glow.

.3 **lightness, luminousness,** luminosity; **lucidity,** lucence *or* lucency, translucence *or* translucency.

.4 **brightness, brilliance** *or* brilliancy, **splendor,** radiant splendor, **glory, radiance** *or* radiancy, resplendence *or* resplendency, **vividness,** flamboyance; effulgence, refulgence *or* refulgency, fulgor; **glare,** blare, blaze; bright light, brilliant light, blazing light, glaring light, dazzling light, blinding light; "the blaze of noon" [Milton]; streaming light, flood of light, burst of light.

.5 **ray,** radiation, **beam, gleam,** leam [Scot], **stream, streak, pencil, patch,** ray of light, beam of light, etc.; ribbon, ribbon of light, streamer, stream of light; violet ray, ultraviolet ray, infrared ray, X ray, gamma ray, invisible radiation; actinic ray *or* light, actinism; atomic beam, atomic ray; solar rays; radiorays 327.3; photon.

.6 **flash, blaze, flare, flame, gleam, glint, glance;** blaze *or* flash *or* gleam of light; solar flare, solar prominence, facula; Bailey's beads.

.7 **glitter, glimmer, shimmer, twinkle, blink; sparkle,** spark; **scintillation,** scintilla; coruscation; **glisten,** glister, spangle, tinsel, glittering, glimmering, shimmering, twinkling; "shining from shook foil" [G. M. Hopkins]; stroboscopic light, blinking; firefly, glowworm.

.8 **flicker, flutter, dance, quiver;** flickering, fluttering, dancing, quivering, lambency; wavering *or* flickering light, play, play of light, dancing *or* glancing light; light show; "the lambent easy light" [Dryden].

.9 **reflection,** reflectance; reflected *or* incident light, albedo; blink, iceblink, ice sky, snowblink, waterblink, water sky.

.10 **daylight,** dayshine, day glow, light of day; day, daytime, daytide; **sunlight, sunshine,** shine; noonlight, midday sun, noonday *or* noontide light; broad day *or* daylight, full sun; dusk, twilight 134.3; dawn 133.3,4; sunburst, sunbreak; **sunbeam,** sun spark, ray of sunshine; green flash.

.11 **moonlight, moonshine,** moonglow; **moonbeam.**

.12 **starlight,** starshine; earthshine.

.13 **luminescence,** autoluminescence, cathode luminescence, chemiluminescence *or* chemicoluminescence, crystalloluminescence, electroluminescence, photoluminescence, radioluminescence, thermoluminescence, triboluminescence; bioluminescence, noctiluscence; **fluorescence,** fluor(o)– *or* fluori–, tribofluorescence; **phosphorescence,** tribophosphorescence; luciferin, luciferase; phosphor, luminophor; ignis fatuus, will-o'-the-wisp, will-with-the-wisp, wisp, jack-o'-lantern, marshfire; friar's lantern; fata morgana; fox fire; St. Elmo's light *or* fire, witch fire, corposant; double corposant; –escence.

.14 **halo, nimbus,** aura, **aureole,** circle, ring, glory; **rainbow,** irid(o)–; solar halo, lunar halo, ring around the sun *or* moon; **corona,** solar corona, lunar corona; parhelion, parhelic circle *or* ring, mock sun, sun dog; anthelion, antisun, countersun; paraselene, mock moon, moon dog.

.15 (nebulous light) nebula 375.7; zodiacal light, Gegenschein, counterglow.

.16 polar lights, **aurora; northern lights, aurora borealis,** merry dancers; southern lights, **aurora australis;** aurora polaris; aurora glory; streamer *or* curtain *or* arch aurora; polar ray.

.17 **lightning, flash** *or* **stroke of lightning,** fulguration, fulmination, bolt, **bolt of lightning,** bolt from the blue, **thunderbolt,** thunderstroke, thunderball, fireball, firebolt, levin bolt *or* brand; "flying flame" [Tennyson], "the lightning's gleaming rod" [Joaquin Miller], "oak-cleaving thunderbolts" [Shakespeare]; fork *or* forked lightning, chain lightning, globular *or* ball lightning, summer *or* heat lightning, sheet lightning, dark lightning; Jupiter Fulgur *or* Fulminator; Thor.

.18 **iridescence,** opalescence, nacreousness, pearliness; **rainbow;** nacre, mother-of-pearl; nacreous *or* mother-of-pearl cloud.

.19 **lighting, illumination,** enlightenment; radiation, irradiation; tonality; light and shade, black and white, chiaroscuro, clair-obscure, contrast, highlights; gaslighting, electric lighting, incandescent lighting, fluorescent lighting, glow lighting; arc lighting; direct lighting, indirect lighting; floodlighting, overhead lighting, stage lighting, decorative lighting, festoon lighting, strip lighting, spot lighting, diffused lighting, cove lighting.

.20 **illuminant,** luminant; electricity; gas, illuminating gas; oil, petroleum, benzine; gasoline, petrol [Brit]; kerosene, paraffin [Brit], coal oil; light source 336.

.21 (measurement of light) **candle power,** luminous intensity, luminous power, luminous flux, flux, intensity, light; quantum, **light quantum, photon;** unit of light, unit of flux; candle, international candle, British candle, Hefner candle; foot-candle, candle-foot; decimal candle, *bougie décimale* [Fr]; lux, candle-meter, lumen meter, lumeter, lumen, candle lumen; candle-hour, lamp-hour, lumen-hour; **exposure meter,** light meter, ASA scale, Scheiner scale.

.22 (science of light) photics, photology, photometry; **optics,** geometrical optics, physical optics; dioptrics, catoptrics; actinology, actinometry; heliology, heliometry, heliography.

.23 VERBS **shine,** shine forth, **burn, give light,** incandesce; **glow, beam, gleam,** glint, luster, glance; **flash, flare, blaze, flame,** fulgurate; **radiate,** shoot, shoot out rays, send out rays; spread *or* diffuse light; be bright, shine brightly, beacon; **glare;** daze, blind, dazzle, bedazzle.

.24 **glitter, glimmer, shimmer, twinkle, blink,** spangle, tinsel, coruscate; **sparkle,** spark, **scintillate; glisten,** glister, glisk [Scot].

.25 **flicker,** bicker, **flutter, waver, dance,** play, quiver.

.26 **luminesce,** phosphoresce, fluoresce; iridesce, opalesce.

.27 **grow light,** grow bright, light, **lighten,** brighten; dawn, break.

.28 **illuminate,** illumine, illume, luminate, **light, light up, lighten,** enlighten, brighten, brighten up, irradiate; bathe *or* flood with light; relumine, relume; **shed light upon,** cast *or* throw light upon, shed

luster on, shine upon, overshine; spotlight, highlight; floodlight; beacon.

.29 **strike a light,** light, **turn** *or* **switch on the light,** open the light [informal], make a light, shine a light.

.30 ADJS **luminous,** luminant, luminative, luminificent, luminiferous, luciferous *or* lucific [both archaic], luciform, illuminant; **incandescent,** candescent; **lustrous,** orient; **radiant,** irradiative, radio–; **shining,** shiny, burning, lamping, streaming; **beaming,** beamy; **gleaming,** gleamy, glinting; **glowing,** aglow, suffused, blushing, flushing; rutilant, rutilous; **sunny, sunshiny,** bright and sunny, light as day; starry, starlike, starbright.

.31 **light,** lightish, lightsome; **lucid,** lucent, luculent, relucent; translucent, translucid, pellucid, diaphanous, transparent; **clear,** serene; **cloudless,** unclouded, unobscured.

.32 **bright, brilliant, vivid, splendid,** splendorous, splendent, **resplendent,** bright and shining; fulgid [archaic], fulgent, effulgent, refulgent; **flamboyant,** flaming; **glaring,** glary, garish; **dazzling,** bedazzling, blinding.

.33 **shiny,** shining, **lustrous, glossy,** glassy, *glacé* [Fr], **sheeny, polished,** burnished, shined.

.34 **flashing,** flashy, **blazing, flaming, flaring, burning,** fulgurant, fulgurating; aflame, ablaze; meteoric.

.35 **glittering, glimmering, shimmering, twinkling, blinking, glistening,** glistering; glittery, glimmery, glimmerous, shimmery, twinkly, blinky, spangly, tinselly; **sparkling, scintillating,** scintillant, scintillescent, coruscating, coruscant.

.36 **flickering,** bickering, **fluttering, wavering, dancing,** playing, quivering, lambent; flickery, flicky [informal], aflicker, fluttery, wavery, quivery; blinking, flashing, stroboscopic.

.37 **iridescent,** opalescent, nacreous, pearly, pearl-like; rainbowlike.

.38 **luminescent,** photogenic; electroluminescent, photoluminescent, radioluminescent, thermoluminescent, triboluminescent; chemiluminescent, chemicoluminescent; **phosphorescent,** tribophosphorescent; **fluorescent,** tribofluorescent; autoluminescent, self-luminous, self-luminescent; bioluminescent, noctilucent; luminal; –escent.

.39 **illuminated,** luminous, **lightened,** enlightened, brightened, **lighted,** lit, **lit up,** flooded *or* bathed with light; irradiated, irradiate; **alight,** aglow, suffused with light, ablaze, in a blaze; lamplit, lanternlit, candlelit, torchlit, gaslit, firelit; sunlit, moonlit, starlit; spangled, bespangled, tinseled, studded; star-spangled, star-studded.

.40 **illuminating,** illumining, **lighting, lightening,** enlightening, brightening.

.41 **luminary,** lumi–, photic; photologic(al), photometric(al); heliological, heliographic; actinic, photoactinic, actin(o)– *or* actini–; catoptric(al); luminal.

.42 photosensitive; photophobic; phototropic.

336. LIGHT SOURCE

.1 NOUNS **light source,** source of light, **luminary,** illuminator, luminant, illuminant, incandescent body *or* point, **light,** glim; **lamp,** light bulb, electric light bulb, lantern, candle, taper, torch, flame; match; phos–; "a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path" [Bible]; fire 328.13; sun, moon, stars 375.4.

.2 **candle,** taper; dip, farthing dip, tallow dip; tallow candle; wax candle, bougie; bayberry candle; rush candle, rushlight; corpse candle; votary candle.

.3 **torch,** flaming torch, flambeau, cresset, link [archaic]; **flare,** signal flare, fusee.

.4 **traffic light,** stop-and-go light; stop *or* red light, go *or* green light, caution *or* amber light.

.5 **firefly,** lightning bug, lampyrid, **glowworm,** fireworm; fire beetle; lantern fly, candle fly; luciferin, luciferase; phosphor, luminophor.

.6 **chandelier,** gasolier, electrolier, hanging *or* ceiling fixture, luster; corona, corona lucis, crown, circlet.

.7 **wick,** taper; candlewick, lampwick.

.8 **lamps, lights**

aphlogistic lamp
arc lamp *or* light
Argand lamp
argon lamp
baby spotlight *or* spot
barn lantern
battery lamp
battle lantern
bed lamp
bridge lamp
broadside
bull's-eye, bull's-eye lantern
calcium lamp
candle
candlelight
carbon light *or* lamp
Carcel lamp
carriage lamp
Chinese lantern
Coleman lantern
cresset
dark lantern
Davy lamp
daylight lamp
desk lamp *or* light
discharge lamp
electric-arc lamp
electric candle
electric-discharge lamp *or* tube
electric light *or* lamp
electric torch
filament lamp
Finsen light *or* lamp
flame lamp
flashbulb
flasher
flashgun
flash lamp

flashlight
floodlight, flood lamp
floor lamp
fluorescent light *or* tube
focus lamp
fog light *or* lamp
footlight
gaslight, gas lamp
gasoline lantern
glow light *or* lamp
headlight, head lamp
Hefner lamp
high-intensity lamp
hurricane lamp
incandescent electric lamp
incandescent light *or* lamp
infrared lamp
instrument lamp *or* light
jack-o'-lantern
Japanese lantern
klieg light
lampion [archaic]
lamplet
lantern
light bulb
limelight
magic lantern
magnetite arc lamp
mercury-arc lamp, mercury lamp
mercury-vapor lamp
miner's lamp
moderator lamp
Moore light *or* lamp *or* tube
navigation light
neon light *or* lamp *or* tube
Nernst lamp
night light
oil lamp
osmium lamp
photoflash lamp
photoflood lamp
pilot light *or* lamp
police lantern
projector lamp
quartz lamp
railroad lantern
reading lamp
riding light
running light
rushlight
safety lamp
searchlight, search lamp
searchlight lantern
Sheringham daylight lamp
shunt lamp
side lamp
side light
sodium-vapor lamp, sodium lamp
spotlight, spot
stop light
strobe, strobe light, strobotron
stroboscope
student lamp
sun arc, sun spot
sun burner, sunlight burner
sun lamp
table lamp
taillight, tail lamp
tantalum lamp
torch, torch light
tornado lantern *or* lamp
tungsten lamp
ultraviolet lamp, uviol lamp
vanity lamp
vapor lamp
veilleuse [Fr]
wolfram lamp
zircon light *or* lamp

.9 beacons, signal lights

balefire
beacon fire
flare, flare-up, flare-up light
fusee
lighthouse
lightship
magnesium flare
occulting light
pharos
rocket
signal beacon
signal flare
signal lamp
signal lantern
signal rocket
skyrocket
Very flare
watch fire

.10 aviation beacons

airport beacon
airway beacon
anchor light
approach light
blinker light
boundary light
ceiling light *or* projector
course light
fixed light
flare path
flashing light
high-intensity runway approach light
identification light
landing-direction light
landing light
landmark beacon
Lindbergh light
marker, marker beacon
navigation light
obstruction light
position light
runway light
sequence flasher

.11 light holders

bracket
candelabrum, candelabra
candlestand
candlestick
chandelier
gas fixture
girandole
lamp holder
lamp socket
lampstand
light fixture
light socket
sconce
torch holder
torch staff
wall bracket

.12 burners

Argand burner
fishtail burner
gas burner
gas jet, jet
gas mantle, incandescent mantle, mantle
Welsbach mantle

337. DARKNESS, DIMNESS

.1 NOUNS **darkness, dark, lightlessness; obscurity,** obscure, tenebrosity, tenebrousness; **night** 134.4, dead of night, deep night; sunlessness, moonlessness, starlessness; **pitch-darkness,** pitch-blackness, pitchy darkness, utter *or* thick *or* total darkness, intense darkness, velvet darkness, Cimmerian *or* Stygian *or* Egyptian darkness, Erebus; "obscure darkness" [Bible], "the palpable obscure" [Milton], "darkness visible" [Milton], "a fabulous, formless darkness" [Yeats], "the suit of night" [Shakespeare], "darkness which may be felt" [Bible]; **blackness,** swarthiness 365.2.

.2 **gloom, gloominess, somberness,** sombrousness, somber; lowering, lower.

.3 **shadow, shade, shadiness,** sci(a)– *or* scio– *or* skia–; umbra, umbrage, umbrageousness; "shadows numberless" [Keats]; thick *or* dark shade, gloom; mere shadow, "the shadow of a shade" [Aeschylus]; penumbra; silhouette; skiagram, skiagraph.

.4 **darkishness,** darksomeness, **duskiness,** dusk ness; **murkiness, murk; dimness,** dim; **semidarkness,** semidark, partial darkness, bad light, dim light, half-light, *demi-jour* [Fr]; gloaming, **dusk,** twilight 133.4, 134.3.

.5 **dullness, flatness,** lifelessness, **drabness, deadness,** somberness, **lackluster, lusterlessness,** lack of sparkle *or* sheen; mat, mat finish.

.6 **darkening, dimming; obscuration,** obscurement, obumbration, obfuscation; eclipsing, occulting, blocking the light; **shadowing, shading,** overshadowing, overshading, overshadowment, **clouding,** overclouding, obnubilation, gathering of the clouds, overcast; blackening 365.5; extinguishment 332.2.

.7 **blackout,** dimout, brownout.

.8 **eclipse,** occultation; total eclipse, partial eclipse, central eclipse, annular eclipse; solar eclipse, lunar eclipse.

.9 VERBS **darken,** bedarken; **obscure,** obfuscate, obumbrate; **eclipse,** occult, occultate, block the light; **black out,** brown out; black, brown; blot out; **overcast,** darken over; **shadow, shade,** cast a shadow, spread a shadow *or* shade over, encompass with shadow, overshadow; **cloud,** becloud, encloud, cloud over, overcloud, obnubilate; gloom, begloom, somber, cast a gloom over, murk; **dim,** bedim, dim out; blacken 365.7.

.10 **dull,** mat, deaden; **tone down.**

.11 turn *or* switch off the light, close the light [informal]; extinguish 332.7.

.12 **grow dark, darken,** darkle, lower; gloom [archaic], gloam [Scot]; dusk; **dim, grow dim.**

.13 ADJS **dark, black,** darksome, darkling; **lightless,** beamless, rayless, unlighted, **unilluminated,** unlit; **obscure,** caliginous, obscured, obfuscated, eclipsed, occulted, clothed *or* shrouded *or* veiled *or* cloaked *or* mantled in darkness; tenebrous, tenebrific, tenebrious, tenebrose; **pitch-dark,** pitch-black, pitchy, dark as pitch, "dark as a wolf's mouth" [Sir Walter Scott], dark as the inside of a black cat; ebon, ebony; night-dark, night-black, dark *or* black as night; night-clad, night-cloaked, night-enshrouded, night-mantled, night-veiled, night-hid, night-filled; sunless, moonless, starless; black 365.8.

.14 **gloomy,** gloomful [archaic], glooming, dark and gloomy, Acheronian, Acherontic, **somber,** sombrous; lowering; **funereal;** Cimmerian, Stygian; stormy, cloudy, clouded, overcast; ill-lighted, ill-lit.

.15 **darkish,** darksome, **semidark; dusky,** dusk; subfuscous, subfusc; **murky,** murksome, murk [archaic]; **dim,** dimmish, dimpsy [Brit dial]; dark-colored 365.9.

.16 **shadowy, shady,** shaded, darkling, umbral, umbrageous; overshadowed, overshaded, obumbrate, obumbrated; penumbral.

.17 **lackluster, lusterless; dull, dead,** deadened, **lifeless,** somber, **drab,** wan, **flat,** mat.

.18 obscuring, obscurant.

.19 ADVS **in the dark,** darkling, in darkness; in the night, in the dark of night, in the dead of night, at *or* by night.

338. SHADE

(a thing that shades)

.1 NOUNS **shade,** shader, **screen, light shield, curtain,** drape, drapery, blind, veil; **awning,** sunblind [Brit]; **sunshade,** parasol, **umbrella,** beach umbrella; cover 228.2; shadow 337.3.

.2 **eyeshade,** eyeshield, visor; goggles, colored spectacles, smoked glasses, dark glasses, **sunglasses,** shades [slang].

.3 **lamp shade;** moonshade; globe, light globe.

.4 **light filter,** filter, diffusing screen; smoked glass, frosted glass, ground glass; stained glass; butterfly; gelatin filter, Celluloid filter; frosted lens; lens hood; sunscreen.

.5 VERBS **shade, screen,** veil, curtain, shutter, draw the curtains, put up *or* close the shutters; cover 228.19; overshadow 337.9.

.6 ADJS **shading, screening,** veiling, curtaining; covering 228.34.

.7 **shaded, screened,** veiled, curtained; sunproof; shady 337.16.

.8 **shades**

awning
baldacchino, baldachin
bamboo shade *or* screen
belvedere
blind
brise-soleil [Fr]
canopy
curtain
gazebo
hat 231.25,59
jalousie
lamp shade
occulter, occulting screen
parasol
persienne
pith helmet
portiere
roller blind *or* shade
roof 228.6,39
sash curtain
screen
shade tree
shutter
summerhouse
sunbonnet
sun hat
sun helmet
sunshade
tent 228.8,40
topee
umbrella 228.7
veil
venetian blind
visor
window curtain
window screen
window shade
window shutter

339. TRANSPARENCY

.1 NOUNS **transparency,** transparence, transpicuousness, show-through, transmission *or* admission of light; **lucidity,** pellucidity, **clearness, clarity,** limpidity; nonopacity, uncloudedness; **crystallinity,** crystal-clearness; **glassiness,** glasslikeness, vitreousness, vitrescence; vitreosity, hyalescence; **diaphanousness,** diaphaneity, sheerness, thinness, **gossameriness,** filminess, gauziness.

.2 transparent substance, diaphane; **glass,** glassware, glasswork; vitrics; stemware;

pane, windowpane, light, windowlight, shopwindow; vitrine; showcase, display case; watch crystal *or* glass.

.3 VERBS be transparent, show through.

.4 ADJS **transparent,** transpicuous, light-pervious; see-through, peekaboo, revealing; **lucid,** pellucid, **clear,** limpid; nonopaque, unclouded, **crystalline,** crystal, **crystal-clear,** clear as crystal; **diaphanous,** diaphane [archaic], sheer, thin; **gossamer,** gossamery, filmy, gauzy.

.5 **glass, glassy,** glasslike, clear as glass, vitric, vitreous, vitriform, hyaline, hyalescent; hyalinocrystalline.

.6 **transparent things, translucent things**

aquamarine
beryl
carnelian
cellophane
Celluloid
chalcedony
chiffon
chrysolite
chrysoprase
citrine
clear plastic
Clearsite
clear varnish *or* wax *or* shellac
crystal
Crystalite
diamond
diaphane
emerald
fixative varnish
golden beryl
gossamer
hyaline
hyalite
isinglass
Lucite
mica
moonstone
morganite
onionskin
Perspex
plastic wrap
Plexiglas
quartz
Saran wrap
sheers
tissue
tissue paper
veil
voile
water
window
Vitaglass
vitreous silica
Waterford glass
window glass
wire *or* wired glass

.7 **glass**

agate glass
blown glass
bottle glass
bullet-resisting glass
camphor glass
carnival glass
Cel-o-Glass
CM-glass
coralene
cranberry glass
CR-glass
crown glass
cryolite glass
crystal, crystal glass
custard glass
cut glass
end-of-day glass
etched glass
fiber glass
flashed glass
flat glass
flint glass
float glass
Fostoria
frosted glass
fused quartz
glass bead
glass brick
ground glass
hobnail glass
Lalique glass
laminated glass, laminated safety glass
lead glass
milk glass
opal glass
opaline
optical glass
ornamental glass
Orrefors glass
photosensitive glass
plastic glass
plate glass
porcelain glass
pressed glass
prism glass
Pyrex
quartz glass
rhinestone
safety glass
Sandwich glass
satin glass
sheet glass
stained glass
Steuben glass
Swedish glass
tempered glass, tempered safety glass
uranium glass
Venetian glass

340. SEMITRANSPARENCY

.1 NOUNS **semitransparency,** semipellucidity, semidiaphaneity; semiopacity.

.2 **translucence, translucency,** lucence, lucency, translucidity, pellucidity, lucidity; transmission *or* admission of light.

.3 VERBS **frost,** frost over.

.4 ADJS **semitransparent,** semipellucid, semidiaphanous, semiopaque; frosty, frosted.

.5 **translucent,** lucent, translucid, lucid, pellucid; semitranslucent, semipellucid.

341. OPAQUENESS

.1 NOUNS **opaqueness,** opacity, intransparency, nontranslucency, imperviousness to light, adiaphanousness; roil, roiledness, turbidity, turbidness; cloudiness; **darkness, obscurity, dimness** 337; opaque.

.2 VERBS opaque, **darken, obscure** 337.9; **cloud,** becloud.

.3 ADJS **opaque,** intransparent, nontranslucent, adiaphanous, impervious to light; **dark, obscure** 337.13, **cloudy,** roiled, roily, grumly [Scot], turbid.

342. ELECTRICITY

.1 NOUNS **electricity,** electr(o)–, pyroelectricity, actinoelectricity, photoelectricity, ferroelectricity, piezoelectricity, thermoelectricity, faradic electricity, galvanic electricity, voltaic electricity, animal electricity, bioelectricity, neuroelectricity, organic electricity, atmospheric electricity; static electricity, friction electricity, triboelectricity, dynamic *or* current electricity; voltaism, galvanism; magnetic electricity, magnetoelectricity; positive electricity, negative electricity.

.2 **electric current,** electric stream *or* flow, rheo–, juice [informal]; direct current, DC, pulsating direct current; alternating current, AC; free alternating current, single-phase alternating current, three-phase alternating current; delta current; multiphase current, rotary current; high-frequency current, low-frequency current; galvanic current, voltaic current; magnetizing current, exciting current; induced current, induction current; active current, watt current; reactive current, wattless *or* idle current; absorption current, conduction current, convection current, displacement current, dielectric displacement current, ionization current, oscillat-

ing current, thermoelectric current, thermionic current, emission current; stray current, eddy current; cycle.

.3 **electric field,** static field, electrostatic field; tube of electric force, electrostatic tube of force; **magnetic field,** magnetic field of currents; **electromagnetic field;** variable field.

.4 **circuit,** path; galvanic circuit *or* circle, complete circuit, loop, closed circuit, live circuit, hot circuit; open *or* broken circuit, break, dead circuit; branch *or* lateral circuit, leg; multiple circuit *or* connection, multiple series, series multiple *or* parallel; multiplex circuit; magnetic circuit, circuital field, vector field; printed circuit, microcircuit; **short circuit, short.**

.5 **charge,** electric charge, unit quantity; live wire.

.6 **discharge,** electric discharge; aperiodic discharge, arc discharge, brush discharge, disruptive discharge, electrodeless discharge, glow discharge, oscillatory discharge, silent discharge, stratified discharge; **arc,** AC arc, Poulsen arc, arc column; **spark,** electric spark; spark gap; shock, electric shock, galvanic shock.

.7 **magnetism,** magnet(o)–, magnetic attraction; **electromagnetism;** magnetization; diamagnetism, paramagnetism, ferromagnetism; residual magnetism, magnetic remanence; magnetic memory, magnetic retentiveness; magnetic elements; magnetic dip *or* inclination, magnetic variation *or* declination; hysteresis, magnetic hysteresis, hysteresis curve, magnetic friction, magnetic lag *or* retardation, magnetic creeping; permeability, magnetic permeability, magnetic conductivity; magnetic circuit, magnetic curves, magnetic figures; magnetic flux, gilbert, weber, maxwell; magnetic moment; magnetic potential; magnetic viscosity; magnetics.

.8 **polarity,** polarization; **pole, positive pole, negative pole;** magnetic pole, magnetic axis; north pole, N pole; south pole, S pole.

.9 **magnetic force** *or* **intensity,** magnetic flux density, gauss, oersted; magnetomotive force; magnetomotivity; magnetic tube of force; line of force; **magnetic field, electromagnetic field.**

.10 **electroaffinity,** electric attraction; electric repulsion.

.11 **voltage,** volt, **electromotive force** *or* EMF, electromotivity, potential difference; **potential, electric potential.**

.12 **resistance,** ohm, ohmage, ohmic resistance, electric resistance; surface resistance, skin effect, volume resistance; insulation resistance; **reluctance,** magnetic reluctance *or* resistance; specific reluctance, reluctivity; **reactance,** inductive reactance, capacitive reactance; **impedance.**

.13 **conduction,** electric conduction; **conductance,** conductivity, mho; superconductivity; gas conduction, ionic conduction, metallic conduction, liquid conduction, photoconduction; **conductor,** semiconductor, superconductor; **nonconductor,** dielectric, insulator.

.14 **induction;** electrostatic induction, magnetic induction, electromagnetic induction, electromagnetic induction of currents; self-induction, mutual induction; **inductance,** inductivity, henry.

.15 **capacitance,** capacity, farad; collector junction capacitance, emitter junction capacitance, resistance capacitance.

.16 **gain,** available gain, current gain, operational gain.

.17 **electric power, wattage,** watts; electric horsepower; hydroelectric power, hydroelectricity; power load.

.18 **powerhouse,** power station, power plant, central station; hydroelectric plant; nuclear *or* atomic power plant.

.19 **electrician, electrotechnician;** radio technician 344.24; wireman; **lineman,** linesman; rigger; groundman.

.20 **electrotechnologist,** electrobiologist, electrochemist, electrometallurgist, electrophysicist, electrophysiologist, **electrical engineer.**

.21 **electrification,** supplying electricity.

.22 **electrolysis;** ionization; galvanization, electrogalvanization; electrocoating, electroplating, electrogilding, electrograving, electroetching; ion, cation, anion; electrolyte, ionogen; nonelectrolyte.

.23 VERBS **electrify, galvanize,** energize, **charge;** shock; **generate,** step up, amplify, stiffen; step down; plug in, loop in; switch on *or* off, turn on *or* off, turn on *or* off the juice [informal]; short-circuit, short.

.24 **magnetize; electromagnetize;** demagnetize, degauss.

.25 **electrolyze;** ionize; galvanize, electrogalvanize; electroplate, electrogild.

.26 **insulate,** isolate; **ground.**

.27 ADJS **electric(al), electrifying;** galvanic, voltaic; dynamoelectric, hydroelectric, photoelectric, piezoelectric, etc.; electrothermal, electrochemical, electromechanical, electropneumatic, electrodynamic,

static, electrostatic, stat–; electromotive; electrokinetic; electroscopic, galvanoscopic; electrometric, galvanometric, voltametric; **electrified,** electric-powered, battery-powered, cordless.

.28 **magnetic, electromagnetic;** diamagnetic, paramagnetic, ferromagnetic; **polar.**

.29 **electrolytic;** hydrolytic; ionic, anionic, cationic; ionogenic.

.30 **electrotechnical;** electroballistic, electrobiological, electrochemical, electrometallurgical, electrophysiological.

.31 **charged, electrified, live,** hot; high-tension, low-tension.

.32 **positive,** plus, electropositive; **negative,** minus, electronegative.

.33 **nonconducting,** nonconductive, insulating, dielectric.

.34 **electrical science**

electrical engineering
electroballistics
electrobiology
electrochemistry
electrodynamics
electrokinematics
electrokinetics
electromechanics
electrometallurgy
electrometry
electronics 343
electrooptics
electrophotomicrography
electrophysics
electrophysiology
electrostatics
electrotechnology, electrotechnics
electrothermics
galvanism
magnetics
magnetometry
thermionics

.35 **electric units**

abampere
abcoulomb
abfarad
abhenry
abmho
abohm
abvolt
ampere
ampere-foot
ampere-hour
ampere-minute
ampere-turn
coulomb
farad
henry
kilovolt
kilovolt-ampere
kilowatt
kilowatt-hour
megacoulomb
megampere
megavolt
megawatt
megohm
mho
microampere
microfarad
microhenry
micromho
micromicrofarad
microvolt
microwatt
milliampere
millihenry
millivolt
ohm
ohm-mile
picofarad
statampere
statcoulomb
statfarad
statvolt
volt
volt-coulomb
volt-second
watt
watt-hour

.36 **electrical parts and devices**

alternator
anode
armature
autoconverter
autostarter
autotransformer
battery charger
brush
cap, plug cap
capacitor
cathode
charger
choking coil
circuit breaker
coil
commutator
compensator
condenser
controller
converter
coupling
cutout
distributor
double-pole switch
double-throw switch
dynamo
dynamotor
electric column
electric switch
electrode
electrolytic interrupter
electrophorus
electroscope
electrostatic machine
fuse
galvanoscope
generator
grid
ground
ignition
induction machine
inductor
inductoscope
insulator
interrupter
jumper
knife switch
lightning rod *or* arrester
magnet 288.3
magneto, magneto-electric machine
magnetoscope
mercury switch
motor-generator
oscillator
oscilloscope
outlet
pile
plug
pocket
points
push button
reactor
receptacle
rectifier
relay
resistance box
resistor
rheostat
rotary gap
self-starter
selsyn
shunt
socket
spark coil
spark plug
starter
step-down transformer
step-up transformer
switch
synchronous converter
tap
terminal
thermistor
timer
time switch
toggle switch
transformer
trickle charger
voltage changer
voltage regulator
voltage transformer
voltaic *or* galvanic pile
Wimshurst machine

.37 **batteries**

accumulator
alkaline cell
atomic battery
cell
dry battery
dry cell
electronic battery
fuel cell
hearing-aid battery
lead-acid battery
Leyden battery
Leyden jar
mercury cell
nickel-cadmium battery
primary battery
secondary battery
solar battery
storage battery
storage cell
voltaic battery
wet cell

.38 **electric meters**

ammeter, amperemeter
ampere-hour meter
capillary electrometer
coulometer, coulomb meter
dynameter
dynamometer, electrodynamometer
electrometer
expansion ammeter
faradmeter
galvanometer
hysteresis meter
magnetometer
megohmmeter
mhometer
milliammeter
millivoltmeter
moving-coil meter
ohm-ammeter
ohmmeter
potentiometer
quadrant electrometer
thermal ammeter
thermoammeter
thermocouple, thermocouple meter
thermoelectrometer
thermoelement
vacuum-tube voltmeter, VTVM
variometer
voltameter

volt-ammeter
volt-ampere-hour meter
voltmeter
voltmeter-milliammeter
volt-ohm meter
volt-ohm-milliammeter, VOM
watt-hour meter
wattmeter
Wheatstone bridge

.39 **electric wire**

armored cable
battery cable
bell wire
BX cable
coaxial cable
electric cable
electric cord
highline
hookup wire
ignition cable
lead
line
power line
Romex shielded wire *or* cable
telegraph line
telephone line
three-wire cable
transmission line
triaxial cable
underground cable
way wire
wire line

343. ELECTRONICS

.1 NOUNS **electronics,** electro–, radionics; electron physics, electrophysics, electron dynamics; electron optics; semiconductor physics, transistor physics; photoelectronics, photoelectricity, phot(o)–; microelectronics; electronic engineering; avionics; electron microscopy; radio 344; television 345; radar 346; automation 349.

.2 (electron theory) electron theory of atoms, electron theory of electricity, electron theory of solids, free electron theory of metals, band theory of solids.

.3 **electron,** negatron, cathode-particle, beta particle; photoelectron; thermion; primary electron, secondary electron; nuclear electron; recoil electron; bound electron, surface-bound electron; bonding electron; free electron, conduction electron, wandering electron; electron capture, electron transfer; spinning electrons, extranuclear electrons, planetary electrons, orbital electron; electron spin; electron state, energy level; ground state, excited state; electron pair, lone pair, shared pair, electron-positron pair, duplet, octet; electron cloud; shells, electron layers, electron shells, valence shell, valence electrons, subvalent electrons; electron affinity, relative electron affinity.

.4 **electronic effect;** Edison effect, photoelectric effect.

.5 **electron emission; thermionic emission;** photoelectric emission, photoemission; collision emission, bombardment emission, secondary emission; field emission; grid emission, thermionic grid emission; electron ray, electron beam, cathode ray, anode ray, positive ray, canal ray; glow discharge, cathode glow, cathodoluminescence, cathodofluorescence; electron diffraction.

.6 electron flow, electron stream; electric current; electron gas, electron cloud, space charge; photoelectric current; thermionic current, ionization current; cathode current, plate current; input current, output current; base current, base signal current; collector current, collector signal current; emitter current, emitter signal current; saturation current.

.7 **electron volt;** ionization potential; input voltage, output voltage; base signal voltage, collector signal voltage, emitter signal voltage; battery supply voltage; screen-grid voltage; inverse peak voltage; voltage saturation.

.8 **electronic circuit;** vacuum-tube circuit, thermionic tube circuit, transistor circuit, semiconductor circuit; equivalent circuit, coupling circuit, flip-flop circuit, trigger circuit, back-to-back switching circuit; rectifier circuit, amplifier circuit, etc.; sinusoidal circuit, nonsinusoidal circuit; astable circuit, monostable circuit, bistable circuit; small signal short circuit, small signal hybrid short circuit; small signal open circuit, small signal hybrid open circuit; printed circuit, microcircuit, wireless circuit; **circuitry.**

.9 **conductance,** input conductance, feedback conductance, transfer conductance, output conductance; grid conductance, electrode conductance, leakage conductance, plate conductance; transconductance, inversion transconductance.

.10 **resistance,** base resistance, collector resistance, emitter resistance, electrode resistance; input resistance, output resistance; image-matched input resistance, image-matched output resistance; reverse transfer resistance, forward transfer resistance; load resistance.

.11 **electron tube,** tube, valve [Brit], thermionic tube; **vacuum tube; radio tube;** discharge tube.

.12 **photoelectric tube** *or* **cell, phototube,** photocell; electron-ray tube, **electric eye.**

.13 **transistor,** semiconductor *or* solid-state device; emitter, base, collector; germanium triode, germanium crystal triode, tetrode transistor; conductivity-modulation transistor, filamentary transistor, hook-collector transistor, junction transistor, point-contact transistor, point-junction transistor, unipolar transistor; phototransistor; spacistor.

.14 **electronics engineer,** electronics physicist.

.15 ADJS electronic; photoelectronic, photoelectric; autoelectronic; thermionic; anodic, cathodic.

.16 electron tubes

Audion
beam-power tube
beam tetrode
Braun tube
cathode-ray tube
cavity magnetron
cold cathode tube
Crookes tube
diode
discharge tube
disk-seal tube
duodiode
duodiode-triode
duodynatron
dynatron
electron-beam tube
electron-ray tube
electron-wave tube
excitron
field-emission X-ray tube
gas-filled *or* gas tube
Geissler tube
glow *or* glow discharge tube
grid-glow tube
grid-seal tube
heptagrid
heptode
high-mu tube
hot-cathode tube
ignitron
kenotron
klystron
magnetron
mercury-vapor tube
monoscope
multigrid tube
multiplex tube
oscilloscope tube
pentagrid
pentode
permatron
phanotron
phasitron
pliotron
reflex klystron
resnatron
secondary-emission tube
strobotron
tetragrid
tetrode
thyratron
trigger tube
triode
triode-heptode
twin triode
vacuum tube
vapor tube
variable-mu tube
X-ray diffraction tube
X-ray tube

.17 photoelectric tubes and cells

electron-image tube
gas phototube
high-vacuum phototube
multiplier phototube
photoconductor cell
photoelectric multiplier tube
photomultiplier tube
phototube
photovoltaic cell
Photronic cell
soft phototube
vacuum phototube

.18 special-purpose tubes

amplifier
attenuator
audio-frequency tube
ballast regulator
ballast tube
beam-switching tube
convertor
crystal detector
current regulator
damper
detector
discriminator
doubler
focus tube
full-wave rectifier tube
generator
iconoscope 345.19
indicator tube
intermediate-frequency tube
inverter
limiter
local-oscillator tube
mixer tube
modulator
multiplier
multipurpose tube
multivibrator
oscillator
output tube
phase inverter
picture tube 345.18
power tube
pulse generator
radio-frequency tube
receiving tube
rectifier tube
regulator
repeater
transducer
trigger tube
tripler
TR tube (transmit-receive)
voltage-reference tube
voltage-regulator tube

.19 vacuum tube components

anode
base
bayonet base
cathode
control grid
electrode
electron gun
filament
grid
injection grid
loctal base
octal base
photocathode, photoelectric cathode
plate
screen grid
shield grid
suppressor grid
thermionic cathode
trigatron

.20 electronic devices

airborne controls
amplifier
audio amplifier
automatic *or* robot pilot
battery charger
calutron
cathode-ray oscillograph
cathode-ray oscilloscope
computer
cryotron
cytoanalyzer
depth sounder
diathermy machine
dielectric heater
dielectric preheater
echo sounder
electric eye
electrocardiograph
electroencephalograph
electrograph
electron-diffraction camera
electronic air conditioner
electronic air filter
electronic altimeter
electronic battery
electronic clock
electronic computer 349.16
electronic detector
electronic drum
electronic fuel gauge
electronic heater
electronic nutcracker
electronic organ
electronic oscillator
electronic pilot
electronic precipitator
electronic recorder
electronic refrigerator
electronic stenciling machine
electronic stethoscope
electronic switch
electronic timer
electronic typewriter
electronic watch
electron-image projector
electron lens
electron magnetic spectroscope
electron microscope
Fathometer
Flexowriter typewriter
fluorescent tube *or* lamp
germicidal lamp
hearing aid
high-frequency heater
image dissector
induction heater
infrared cooker
isotron
laser
lie detector
magnetic drum recorder
magnetic recorder
magnetic tape recorder
magnetic wire recorder
maser
mass spectrograph
mass spectrometer
mass spectroscope
microprocessor
microwave diathermy machine
microwave oven
neon tube *or* light
oscillograph
oscilloscope 346.21
pacemaker
photoflash bulb
polarizing microscope
polygraph
preamplifier
public-address system
radar 346
radio 344
radio direction finder
radio-frequency heater
radiosonde
radio telescope
shortwave diathermy machine
sonar
spectroradiometer
stereophonic sound system, stereo
thermal timing relay
time-delay relay
TR box (transmit-receive switch)
trickle charger
ultrasonic electronic machine tools
videotape recorder
X-ray microscope

.21 **electronic meters**

count-rate meter
duodial
electronic chronometer
electronic limit gauge
electronic potentiometer
electronic potentiometer pyrometer
electronic voltmeter
events-per-unit-time meter
illuminometer
interferometer
ionization gauge
pH meter
radiomicrometer
sanguinometer
telemeter
tensiometer
thermionic instrument
time-interval meter
vacuum-tube electrometer

.22 **photosensitive devices**

electrophotometer
Geiger counter
infrared beam projector
infrared telescope
photoelectric colorimeter
photoelectric counter
photoelectric flame-failure detector
photoelectric image converter
photoelectric intrusion detector
photoelectric photometer
photoelectric pinhole detector
photoelectric recorder
photoelectric sorter
photoelectric timer
spectrophotometer

.23 **electronic testing equipment**

ammeter
audio-frequency oscillator
audio-IF oscillator
electric meter 342.38
field-strength meter
frequency meter
grid-dip meter
grid-dip oscillator
high-voltage probe
Lecher wires
low-capacitance probe
milliammeter
modulation monitor
ohmmeter
oscilloscope
output indicator
pulse generator
RC oscillator
regenerative wavemeter
resonance indicator
signal generator
standing-wave indicator
sweep generator
vacuum-tube voltmeter, VTVM
variable-frequency audio-IF oscillator
vertical amplifier
voltmeter
voltmeter-milliammeter
volt-ohm-milliammeter, VOM
wavemeter

344. RADIO

.1 NOUNS **radio, wireless** [Brit]; radiotelephony, radiotelegraphy; communications, telecommunication 560.1–8.

.2 radiotechnology, radio engineering, communication engineering; radio electronics, radioacoustics; radiogoniometry; conelrad (Control of Electromagnetic Radiation for Civil Defense).

.3 **radio, radio receiver;** radio telescope; **radio set, receiver,** receiving set, **wireless** *or* wireless set [both Brit], set; cabinet, console, housing; chassis.

.4 **radio transmitter, transmitter,** radiator; AM transmitter, FM transmitter, shortwave transmitter; continuous-wave transmitter, CW transmitter; radiotelephone transmitter, RT transmitter; transmitter receiver, transceiver [informal]; **beacon,** radio beacon, radio range beacon; radio marker, fan marker; radiosonde, radiometeorograph; amateur transmitter, ham transmitter *or* rig [informal]; radiomicrophone, microphone 450.9.

.5 radiomobile, mobile transmitter, remote-pickup unit.

.6 **radio station,** transmitting station, **studio,** studio plant; AM station, FM station, shortwave station, ultrahigh-frequency station, clear-channel station; direction-finder station, RDF station; relay station, radio relay station, microwave relay station; amateur station, ham station [informal], ham shack [informal].

.7 **control room,** mixing room, monitor room, monitoring booth; **control desk,** console, master control desk, instrument panel, control panel *or* board, jack field, mixer [informal].

.8 **network,** net, radio links, **hookup,** communications net, circuit, network stations, network affiliations, affiliated stations; coaxial network, circuit network, coast-to-coast hookup.

.9 **radio circuit,** radio-frequency circuit, audio-frequency circuit, superheterodyne circuit, amplifying circuit; electronic circuit 343.8.

.10 **radio signal,** radio-frequency signal, RF signal, direct signal, shortwave signal, AM signal, FM signal; reflected signal, bounce; unidirectional signal, beam; signal-noise ratio; **radio-frequency amplifier,** RF amplifier, radio-frequency stage, RF stage.

.11 **radio wave,** electric wave, electromagnetic wave, hertzian wave; shortwave, long wave, microwave, high-frequency wave, low-frequency wave; ground wave, sky wave; carrier, carrier wave; **wavelength.**

.12 **frequency;** radio frequency, RF, intermediate frequency, IF, audio frequency, AF; high frequency, HF; very high frequency, VHF; ultrahigh frequency, UHF; superhigh frequency, SHF; extremely high frequency, EHF; medium frequency, MF; low frequency, LF; very low frequency, VLF; upper frequencies, lower frequencies; **carrier frequency;** spark frequency; spectrum, frequency spectrum; cycles, CPS, hertz, Hz, **kilocycles,** kilohertz, **megacycles,** megahertz.

.13 **band,** frequency band, standard band, broadcast band, amateur band, citizens band, police band, shortwave band, FM

band; **channel,** radio channel, broadcast channel.

.14 **modulation;** amplitude modulation, AM; frequency modulation, FM; phase modulation, PM; sideband, side frequency, single sideband, double sideband.

.15 **amplification,** radio-frequency *or* RF amplification, audio-frequency *or* AF amplification, intermediate-frequency *or* IF amplification, high-frequency amplification.

.16 **radiobroadcasting, broadcasting,** radiocasting, standard broadcasting, AM broadcasting, FM broadcasting, shortwave broadcasting; **transmission, radio transmission;** direction *or* beam transmission, asymmetric *or* vestigial transmission; multipath transmission, multiplex transmission; mixing, volume control, sound *or* tone control, fade-in, fade-out; broadcasting regulation, Federal Communications Commission, FCC.

.17 **pickup,** outside pickup, **remote pickup,** spot pickup.

.18 **radiobroadcast, broadcast,** radiocast, **radio program;** rebroadcast, rerun; newscast, sportscast; radio fare, network show; commercial program, commercial; sustaining program, sustainer; serial, soap opera [informal]; taped program, canned show [informal], electrical transcription; sound effects.

.19 **signature, station identification,** call letters; theme song; **station break,** pause for station identification.

.20 **commercial,** commercial announcement, **spot announcement,** spot *or* plug [both informal].

.21 **reception; fading,** fade-out; **drift,** creeping, crawling; **interference,** noise interference, station interference; **static,** atmospherics, noise; blasting, blaring; blind spot.

.22 **radio listener,** listener-in *or* tuner-inner [both informal]; radio audience, listeners, listenership; hi-fi fan [informal], audiophile.

.23 **broadcaster,** radiobroadcaster, radiocaster; newscaster, sportscaster; commentator, news commentator; anchor man; announcer; disk jockey *or* DJ [both informal]; master of ceremonies, MC *or* emcee [both informal]; program director, programmer; sound-effects man, sound man; American Federation of Radio and Television Artists, AFTRA.

.24 **radioman,** radio technician, radio engineer; radiotrician, radio electrician; **radio operator;** control engineer, volume engineer; mixer; **amateur radio operator, ham** *or* ham operator [both informal], radio amateur; Amateur Radio Relay League, ARRL; monitor; radiotelegrapher 560.16.

.25 VERBS **broadcast,** radiobroadcast, radiocast, **radio, wireless** [Brit], radiate, **transmit,** send; shortwave; beam; newscast, sportscast, put *or* go on the air, sign on; go off the air, sign off.

.26 **monitor,** check.

.27 **listen in, tune in;** tune up, tune down, tune out, tune off.

.28 ADJS **radio, wireless** [Brit]; radiosonic; neutrodyne; heterodyne; superheterodyne; shortwave; radio-frequency, audio-frequency; high-frequency, low-frequency, etc.; radiogenic.

.29 **radios, audio devices**

all-wave receiver
AM-FM receiver
AM receiver
AM-FM tuner
AM tuner
auto radio
aviation radio
battery radio
citizens band *or* CB radio, CB
clock radio
communications receiver
crystal set
FM receiver
FM tuner
mobile radio
multiplex receiver
pocket radio
portable radio
radio direction finder, RDF
radiophone 560.5
radio-phonograph
radio-record player
railroad radio
receiver
rechargeable-battery radio
regenerative receiver
relay receiver
ship-to-shore radio
shortwave receiver
superheterodyne
table radio
three-way *or* three-power receiver
transceiver
transistor radio
transmit-receiver
tuner
two-way radio
walkie-talkie

.30 **receiver parts**

amplifier 450.10
amplitude control
audio-frequency amplifier, audio amplifier, AF amplifier
automatic frequency control, AFC
baffle
beat-frequency oscillator
bypass
capacitor
chassis
coil
condenser
detector
dial
exciter
filter
frequency control
frequency divider
heater
heterodyne
inductor
intermediate-frequency amplifier, IF amplifier
intermediate-frequency oscillator, IF oscillator
intermediate-frequency transformer, IF transformer
knob
lead-in wire
on-off switch
output transformer
parasitic suppressor
phase control
potentiometer
power pack
power plug
power supply
power transformer
preamplifier
preselector
program discriminator
radio-frequency ampli-

fier, RF amplifier
radio tubes 343.16–18
resistor
rheostat
selector
selsyn
speaker 450.8
tone control
transformer
transistor
trimmer
tuning condenser *or* capacitor
variable condenser *or* capacitor
vernier dial
volume control
wave trap

.31 transmitter parts

amplifier chain
broadcast loop
carrier amplifier
coaxial cable
fader
frequency changer
frequency converter
frequency doubler
frequency meter
litz wire
mixer
modulator
monitor
oscillator
power amplifier
program feed
resonance frequency control
signal generator
signal multiplier
transmission line
volume control
volume indicator
wave changer
wave guide

.32 aerials, antennas

antenna array
artificial antenna
auto antenna
beam antenna
bowtie antenna
colinear beam antenna
condenser antenna
dipole
directional antenna
dish
doublet
dummy antenna
eight-ball antenna
flattop antenna
FM antenna
folded dipole
frame aerial
free-space aerial
hank-type antenna
leaky wave-guide antenna
long-wire antenna
loop antenna
mast
mobile antenna
multiband antenna
nondirectional antenna
omnidirectional antenna
open aerial
parabolic antenna
pencil-beam antenna
printed antenna
rabbit ears
radar antenna 346.22
receiving antenna
reflector
resonance wave coil
rhombic antenna
rotary-beam antenna
shortwave antenna
signal squirter
telescope antenna
tower
transmitting antenna
tuned antenna
universal antenna
vertical radiator antenna
wave antenna
whip antenna
yagi

345. TELEVISION

.1 NOUNS **television,** tel(e)–, TV, **video,** telly [Brit informal]; **color television,** dot-sequential *or* field-sequential *or* line-sequential color television; **black-and-white television;** scophony; subscription television, pay TV; cable television; closed-circuit television.

.2 **television broadcast, telecast, TV show;** direct broadcast, live show [informal]; taped show, canned show [informal]; film pickup; colorcast; simulcast; telefilm; videotape.

.3 **televising, telecasting;** facsimile broadcasting; monitoring, mixing, shading, blanking, switching; scanning, parallel-line scanning, interlaced scanning.

.4 (transmission) photoemission, audioemission; television channel, TV band; video *or* picture channel, audio *or* sound channel; picture carrier, sound carrier; beam, scanning beam, return beam; triggering pulse, voltage pulse, output pulse, timing pulse, equalizing pulse; synchronizing pulse, vertical synchronizing pulse, horizontal synchronizing pulse; video signal, audio signal; IF video signal, IF audio signal; synchronizing signal, blanking signal.

.5 (reception) **picture, image;** definition, blacker than black synchronizing; shading, black spot, hard shadow; test pattern, scanning pattern, grid; vertical interference, rain; granulation, scintillation, snow, snowstorm; flare, bloom, woomp; picture shifts, blooping, rolling; double image, multiple image, ghost; video static, noise, picture noise; signal-to-noise ratio; fringe area.

.6 **television studio, TV station.**

.7 **mobile unit, TVmobile;** video truck, audio truck, transmitter truck.

.8 **transmitter,** televisor; audio transmitter, video transmitter.

.9 **relay links, boosters,** booster amplifiers, relay transmitters, **booster** *or* **relay stations;** microwave link; aeronautical relay, stratovision; communication satellite, satellite relay; Telstar, Intelsat, Syncom; Comsat.

.10 **television camera,** telecamera, pickup camera, pickup; mobile camera.

.11 **television receiver, television** *or* **TV set,** TV, telly [Brit informal], televisor, boob tube *or* idiot box [both informal]; portable television *or* TV set; **screen,** telescreen.

.12 televiewer, viewer; television *or* viewing audience.

.13 **television technician,** TV man, television engineer; monitor, sound *or* audio monitor, picture *or* video monitor; pickup unit man, cameraman, sound man.

.14 VERBS **televise, telecast;** colorcast.

.15 **teleview,** watch television.

.16 ADJS **televisional,** televisual, televisionary, **video;** telegenic, videogenic; in synchronization, in sync [informal], locked in.

.17 receiver parts

audio amplifier
audio detector
audio-frequency detector
blanking-amplifier
contrast control

converter
deflection generator
electron tubes 343.16–18
FM detector
horizontal deflector
horizontal synchronizer
limiter
mixer
photocathode
photoelectric cells 343.17
picture control
picture detector
radio units 344.30
screen
shading amplifier
signal separator
sound limiter
synchronizing separator
vertical deflector
vertical synchronizer
video amplifier
video detector

.18 picture tubes

cathode-ray tube
color kinescope
direct-viewing tube
kinescope
monoscope
Oscilight
projection tube
shadow-mask kinescope

.19 camera tubes

dissector tube
iconoscope
image dissector
image iconoscope
image orthicon
orthicon
pickup tube
vidicon

.20 transmitter parts

adder
antenna filter
camera deflection generator
channel filter
encoder
exploring element
monitor screen
reproducing element
signal generator
sound units 344.31
synchronizing generator
Tel-Eye
TV-Eye

346. RADAR AND RADIOLOCATORS

.1 NOUNS **radar,** radio detection and ranging, pulse radar, microwave radar, continuous wave *or* CW radar; radar fence *or* screen; radar astronomy.

.2 airborne radar, aviation radar; **navar,** navigation and ranging, **teleran,** television radar air navigation; radar bombsight, K-1 bombsight; radar dome, radome.

.3 **loran,** long range aid to navigation, **shoran,** short range aid to navigation, GEE navigation, consolan.

.4 **direction finder,** radio direction finder, RDF, radiogoniometer, high-frequency direction finder, HFDF, huff-duff [informal]; radio compass, wireless compass [Brit].

.5 **radar speed meter,** electronic cop [informal]; radar highway patrol.

.6 **radar station,** control station; Combat Information Center, CIC; Air Route Traffic Control Center, ARTCC; beacon station, display station; fixed station, home station; portable field unit, mobile trailer unit; tracking station; direction-finder station, radio compass station; triangulation stations.

.7 **radar beacon, racon;** transponder; radar beacon buoy, marker buoy; radar marked beacon, ramark.

.8 (radar operations) data transmission, scanning, scan conversion, flector tuning, signal modulation, triggering signals; phase adjustment, locking signals; triangulation, three-pointing; mapping; range finding; tracking, automatic tracking, locking on; precision focusing, pinpointing; radar-telephone relay; radar navigation.

.9 (applications) detection, interception, ranging, ground control of aircraft, air-traffic control, blind flying, blind landing, storm tracking, hurricane tracking.

.10 **pulse,** radio-frequency *or* RF pulse, high-frequency *or* HF pulse, intermediate-frequency *or* IF pulse, trigger pulse, echo pulse.

.11 **signal,** radar signal; transmitter signal, output signal; return signal, echo signal, video signal, reflection, picture, target image, display, signal display, trace, reading, return, **echo, bounces, blips, pips;** spot, CRT spot; three-dimensional *or* 3-D display, double-dot display; deflection-modulated *or* DM display, intensity-modulated *or* IM display; radio-frequency *or* RF echoes, intermediate-frequency *or* IF signal; beat signal, Doppler signal, local oscillator signal; beam, beavertail beam.

.12 **radar interference,** deflection, refraction, superrefraction; atmospheric attenuation, signal fades, blind spots, false echoes; clutter, ground clutter, sea clutter.

.13 (radar countermeasure) **jamming;** tinfoil, aluminum foil, chaff, window [Brit].

.14 **radar technician,** radar engineer, radarman; air-traffic controller.

.15 VERBS **transmit, send,** radiate, beam; **jam.**

.16 **reflect,** return, echo, bounce back.

.17 **receive, tune in,** pick up, spot, home on; pinpoint; identify, trigger; lock on; sweep, scan; map.

.18 **radar**

AGCA radar (automatic ground control approach)
AI radar (aircraft interception)
airborne intercept radar
airport surveillance radar
antiaircraft *or* AA radar
antisubmarine radar
ASV radar (air to surface vessel)
CCA radar (close control of aircraft)
DEW Line (distant early warning line)
DME (distance measuring equipment)
Doppler radar
DVOP radar (Doppler velocity and position)
early-warning radar
FC radar (fire control)
GCA radar (ground

control approach)
GCI radar (ground control of interception)
gun-directing radar
H_2S radar (height to surface, Eng.)
H_2X (height to surface, U.S.)
IFF radar (identification, friend or foe)
interception radar
LAW radar (long-range aircraft warning)
long-range radar
MAD radar (magnetic airborne detection)
MADRE radar (magnetic drum receiving equipment)
MEW radar (microwave early warning)
MTI radar (moving target indication)
Navaglobe
Oboe (beacon bombing system)
overlap radar
panoramic radar
PAR radar (precision approach radar)
pulse-modulated radar
radar telescope
RAWIN (radio automatic wind recording)
SARAH (search rescue and homing)
SCR (Signal Corps radar)
search radar
surface *or* ground radar
surveillance radar
taxi radar (airport surface detection)
TRW radar (tornado radar warning)
Volscan

.19 radiolocators

automatic gun director, AGD
automatic range finder, ARF
bombing locator
compensated-loop direction finder
depth sounder
gun director
height finder
microwave height finder, MHF
position finder
radio direction finder, RDF
range finder
spaced-antenna direction finder
spaced-loop direction finder

.20 radar parts

AFC mixer
altimeter
amplifier
analyzer
ATR box (anti-transmit-receive)
ATR switch
automatic frequency control, AFC
cascade screen
cathode-ray tube, CRT
continuous wave *or* CW oscillator
demodulator
detector
discriminator
frequency meter
hard-tube pulser
indicator
limiter
local oscillator
magnetron
microwave mixer
mixer
modulator
network pulser
oscillator
plan position indicator, PPI
position data transmitter
position tracker
potentiometer
pulse generator
pulser
pulse transformer
range-marker generator
range-sweep amplifier
range-sweep generator
receiver
reference-voltage generator
scan converter
screen
second detector
square-wave generator
synchronizer
timing unit
tracker
transmit-receive *or* TR unit
transmitter
TR box (transmit-receive)
TR switch
trigatron

.21 oscilloscopes, radarscopes

A-scope
B-scope
J-scope
PPI-scope (plan position indicator scope)

.22 antennas

bedspring type antenna
directional antenna
feed-and-reflector unit
mattress type
omnidirectional
scanner
sontenna
strike radar scanner (airborne)

.23 reflectors

beavertail reflector
corner reflector
dish reflector
horn reflector
orange peel reflector
parabolic reflector
venetian blind reflector

347. MECHANICS

.1 NOUNS **mechanics;** theoretical *or* analytical mechanics, pure *or* abstract mechanics, rational mechanics; celestial mechanics; quantum mechanics, matrix mechanics, wave mechanics; animal mechanics, zoomechanics, biomechanics; micromechanics; hydromechanics, fluid mechanics; aeromechanics; electromechanics; telemechanics, servomechanics 349.2; practical mechanics, mechanical arts; applied mechanics; statistical mechanics; leverage 287.

.2 **statics,** biostatics, electrostatics, geostatics, gyrostatics, rheostatics, stereostatics, thermostatics, hydrostatics, aerostatics.

.3 **dynamics, kinetics, kinematics,** energetics; astrodynamics, geodynamics, radiodynamics, electrodynamics, photodynamics, thermodynamics, aerodynamics, pneumodynamics, barodynamics, hydrodynamics, fluid dynamics, magnetohydrodynamics, kinesiology, biodynamics, zoodynamics, myodynamics.

.4 **hydraulics,** hydromechanics, hydrokinetics, fluidics, hydrodynamics, hydrostatics; hydrology, hydrography, hydrometry, fluviology.

.5 **pneumatics,** pneumatostatics; aeromechanics, aerophysics, aerology, aerometry, aerography, aerotechnics, aerodynamics, aerostatics.

.6 **engineering,** mechanical engineering, jet engineering, etc., *see* engineers 718.9.

.7 ADJS **mechanical,** mechanistic; locomotive, locomotor; zoomechanical, biomechanical, aeromechanical, hydromechanical, etc.

.8 **static;** biostatic, electrostatic, geostatic, etc.

.9 **dynamic(al), kinetic(al), kinematic(al);** geodynamic, radiodynamic, electrodynamic, etc.

.10 **pneumatic,** pneumatological; aeromechanical, aerophysical, aerologic(al), aerotechnical, aerodynamic, aerostatic, aerographic(al).

.11 hydrologic, hydrometric(al), hydromechanic(al), hydrodynamic, hydrostatic, hydraulic.

348. TOOLS AND MACHINERY

.1 NOUNS **tool, instrument, implement, utensil,** –labe; **apparatus, device,** mechanical device, contrivance, contraption [informal], gadget, gizmo, gimcrack, gimmick [informal], means, mechanical means; **hand tool; power tool;** machine tool; speed tool; precision tool *or* instrument.

.2 **cutlery,** edge tools 348.13; **knife, ax,** dagger, sword, blade, cutter, whittle; steel, cold steel, naked steel; pigsticker *or* toad stabber *or* toad sticker [all slang]; perforator, piercer, puncturer, point 258.18; sharpener 258.19.

.3 **tableware,** dining utensils; **silverware,** silver, silver plate, stainless-steel ware; **flatware,** flat silver; hollow ware; **cutlery,** knives, forks, spoons; tablespoon, teaspoon; chopsticks.

.4 **machinery,** enginery; **machine, mechanism,** mechanical device; **engine,** motor; power plant, power source, drive, motive power; **appliance,** convenience, facility, utility, home appliance, mechanical aid; fixture; labor-saving device.

.5 **mechanism,** machinery, **movement,** movements, **action, motion, works,** workings, inner workings, innards, what makes it tick; drive train, power train; wheelwork, **wheelworks,** wheels 322.18, gear, wheels within wheels, epicyclic train; clockworks, watchworks; servomechanism 349.13,30.

.6 **gear,** gearing, gear train; gearwheel 322.18, cogwheel, rack; **gearshift;** low, intermediate, high, neutral, reverse; differential, differential gear *or* gearing; **transmission,** gearbox; automatic transmission; selective transmission; standard transmission, stick shift; synchromesh; fluid drive, overdrive, freewheel, Hydromatic.

.7 **clutch,** cone clutch, plate clutch, dog clutch, disk clutch, multiple-disk clutch, rim clutch, friction clutch, cone friction clutch, slip friction clutch, spline clutch, rolling-key clutch.

.8 **instrumentation, tooling,** tooling up; **retooling;** industrial instrumentation; servo instrumentation.

.9 **mechanic,** mechanician; artisan, artificer; **machinist,** machiner; auto mechanic, aeromechanic, etc.

.10 VERBS **tool,** instrument; retool; **machine,** mill; **mechanize,** motorize; sharpen 258.9.

.11 ADJS **mechanical,** machinal, machinelike, powered, power-driven, motor-driven; mechanized.

.12 **tools**

awl
bale breaker
bar
battering ram
belt punch
bevel, bevel square
bodkin
bradawl
buffer
calipers
cant hook
caulking iron *or* chisel *or* tool
center punch
crowbar
dibble
dividers
drum sander
edger
electric riveter
electric sander
electric soldering iron
emery wheel
file
flail
forceps
fork
grapnel
grappling iron *or* hook
grease gun
grindstone
hawk
hook
jack
jackscrew
jointer
krenging hook
lathe
level
miter box
nail file
nail puller
needlenose pliers
palette knife
peavey
pincers
pinch bar
pitchfork
planer
pliers
power sander
puller
punch
puncheon
punch pliers
putty knife
ram
rammer
ramrod
ripping bar
screwdriver
shaper
soldering iron, soldering gun
spatula
square
stapler
tackle 287.10
tamp, tamper
tamping bar
tamping pick
tamping stick
tap
T bevel
tire iron
tire tool
tongs
T square
tweezers
vise
wrecking bar

.13 **edge tools**

adz
ax 801.25
bistoury
bread knife
broadax
bushwhacker
butcher knife
carving knife
case knife
celt
chaser
chisel
chopping knife
clasp knife
cleaver
clipper, clippers
cold chisel
colter
cutting pliers
dagger 801.22
drawing knife, draw-knife, drawshave
electric razor
gouge
groover
grub ax
grub hoe
hack
hatchet
hedge trimmer
hoe
hunting knife
jackknife
knife 801.21
lance
lancet
letter-opener
linoleum knife
machete
mattock
nippers
panga

paper cutter
paper knife
paring knife
penknife
pick
pickax
plowshare
pocketknife
pruning hook
razor
razor blade
rigger's knife
ripping chisel
safety razor
saw knife
sax
scalpel
scissors
scoop
scraper
scuffle hoe
scythe
share
shears
sheath knife
sickle
sidecutters
slotter
snips
spear 801.23
spokeshave
surgical knife
sword 801.24
table knife
tin snips
wedge
wirecutters

.14 saws

backsaw
band saw
belt saw
bow saw
bucksaw
butcher's saw
buzz saw, circular saw
chain saw
compass saw
coping saw
cordwood saw
crosscut saw
diamond saw
double-cut saw
dovetail saw
electric saw
frame saw
fretsaw
hacksaw
handsaw
helicoidal saw
jigsaw
keyhole saw
kitchen saw
lightning *or* M saw
lumberman's saw
meat saw
mill saw
panel saw
pit saw
plywood saw
portable saw
power saw
pruning saw
ripsaw
rock saw
saw knife
saw machine
scribe saw
scroll saw
splitsaw
surgeon's saw
table saw
two-handed saw
vertical saw
whipsaw
wire saw
wood saw

.15 shovels

air shovel
air spade
backhoe
bar spade
coal shovel
ditch spade
drain spade
entrenching tool
fire shovel
garden spade
gasoline shovel
gumming spade
irrigating shovel
loy
peat spade
posthole spade
power shovel
salt shovel
scoop, scoop shovel
spade
split shovel
spud
steam shovel
stump spud
trenching spade

.16 trowels

brick trowel
circle *or* cove trowel
corner trowel
curbing trowel
garden trowel
guttering trowel
plastering trowel
pointing trowel
radius trowel
slick

.17 planes

beading plane
bench plane
block plane
bullnose
capping plane
chamfer plane
circular plane
combination plane
core-box plane
dado plane
dovetail plane
edge plane
filletster plane
fore plane
grooving plane
jack plane
jointer, jointer plane
match plane
planer, planing machine
rabbet plane
reed plane
routing plane
sash plane
scraper plane
scrub plane
smooth *or* smoothing plane
thumb plane
tonguing plane
toothing plane
trenching plane
trying plane

.18 drills

accretion borer
air drill
auger
auger bit
automatic drill
bench drill
bit
bore, borer
bore bit
bow drill
brace and bit
breast auger
breast drill
broach
burr
chamfer bit
compressed-air drill
corkscrew
cross bit
diamond drill
disk drill
drill
drilling bit
drill press
electric drill
expansion bit
extension bit
flat drill
gimlet
gimlet bit
hand drill
keyway drill
portable drill
posthole auger
power drill
pump drill
push drill
ratchet drill
reamer
rotary drill
shell drill
spike bit
star drill
strap drill
tap
taper drill
tapping drill
trepan
trephine
twist bit
twist drill
wimble

.19 hammers

air hammer
ball peen hammer
beetle
blacksmith's hammer
boilermaker's hammer
brick hammer, bricklayer's hammer
chipping hammer
claw hammer
cross peen hammer
die hammer
drop hammer
electric hammer
engineer's hammer
jackhammer
machinist's hammer
mallet
peen hammer
pile hammer
pneumatic hammer
raising hammer
riveting hammer
rubber mallet
sledge, sledgehammer
spalling hammer
steam hammer
stone hammer
tack hammer
tile setter's hammer
triphammer

.20 wrenches

adjustable wrench
Allen wrench
alligator wrench
box wrench
carriage wrench
chain wrench
end wrench
lug wrench
monkey wrench
open-end wrench
pin wrench
pipe wrench
screw key
socket wrench
spanner
spark-plug wrench
Stillson wrench
S wrench
tappet wrench
tap wrench
tuning wrench
valve wrench

.21 machinery

adding machine
addressing machine
automatic screw machine
automobile 272.9,24
backhoe
bulldozer
calfdozer
carryall
compressor
crab
crane
crimping machine
cutting machine
cutting press
derrick
dishwasher
dredge, dredger, dredging machine
drop hammer
dryer
dumping machine
edger
elevator dredge
folding machine
gin
grader
hoist, hoisting machine
hydraulic jack
hydraulic press
jackhammer
lawn mower, mower
machine drill
mailing machine
motorcycle 272.8,29
navvy [Brit]
packager
pile driver
planing machine
power mower
power saw
power shovel
press
printing machine
pulp machine
punching machine
pusher
roller
rose engine
ruling machine *or* engine
sander
saw machine
scraper
screwing machine
screw machine
sewing machine, sewer
snowblower
snowmobile
snowplow
snow-thrower
solar machine
steam hammer
steamroller
steam shovel
tractor 272.17,27
triphammer
typing machine, typewriter
washing machine
water wheel
windlass 287.7

.22 farm machinery

all-crop harvester
baler
bean harvester
beet harvester
binder
breaker
cast plow
combine
corn picker
cotton picker
cultivator
disk
disk harrow
disk plow
drag
drill
drill plow
four-bottom plow
gang plow
grain harvester
grub hook
harrow
harvester
haymaker
header
hoe drill
lister
lister cultivator
middlebreaker, middlebuster
moldboard plow
mowing machine
peg-tooth harrow
planter
plow
plow drill
prairie breaker
press drill
rake
rotary plow
scooter
seeder
seed plow
shovel plow
snap machine
sprayer
spring-tooth harrow
stag gang
subsoil plow
sulky lister
sulky plow
swather
swivel plow
tedder
three-bottom plow
thresher, thrasher, threshing machine
trench plow
turnplow
two-bottom plow
vineyard plow
walking plow
windrower

.23 mills

arrastra
ball mill
blooming mill
bone mill
cane mill
cider mill
coffee mill
cotton mill, cotton gin
drag-stone mill
feed mill
flour mill
fulling mill
grinding mill
gristmill
lapidary mill
milling machine
paper mill
pepper mill
planing mill
powder mill
rolling mill
sawmill
sheet mill
silk mill
slab mill
smoothing mill
spice mill
stamp mill
stamps
steel mill
stone mill
sugar mill
treadmill
water mill
windmill
woolen mill

.24 welders

acetylene welder
AC welder
arc welder
blowtorch 329.14
DC welder
electric welder
gas welder
oxyacetylene welder
pipe welder
spot welder
tack welder
three-phase resistance welder
welding blowpipe *or* torch
wire welder

.25 pumps

air lift
air pump
aspirator
beer pump
bicycle pump
bilge pump
booster pump
breast pump
bucket pump
centrifugal pump
cryo-pump
diaphragm pump
displacement pump
donkey pump, donkey
drainage pump
feed pump
float pump
force pump
forcer
hand pump
heat pump
hydraulic ram
jet pump
lift *or* lifting pump
piston pump
pressure pump
pulsometer
pumping engine
rotary pump
sand pump
shell pump
stirrup pump
stomach pump
suction pump
tire pump
turbine centrifugal pump
vacuum pump
water pump
wobble pump

.26 engines, motors

aeromotor 280.17
air engine *or* motor
alternating-current *or* AC motor
beam engine
blowing engine
caloric engine
cam engine
capacitor motor
commutator motor
compensated motor
compound motor
compression-ignition engine
condensing engine
Corliss engine
diagonal engine
diesel engine
direct-acting engine
direct-current *or* DC motor
donkey engine
double-acting *or* double-action engine
double-row radial engine
dynamo
dynamotor
electric motor, electromotor
external-combustion engine
fire engine
four-stroke cycle engine
gas engine

gas turbine engine
generator
heat engine
horizontal engine
hot-air engine
hydraulic engine
hydro-jet
impulse duct engine
inboard-outboard motor
inclined engine
induction motor
in-line engine
intermittent duct engine
internal-combustion engine
inverted engine
ion engine, ion rocket
jet, jet engine
locomotive engine
marine engine
mill-type motor
noncondensing engine
oil engine
oscillation-cylinder engine
oscillation engine
Otto engine
outboard motor
pancake engine
phase-wound rotor motor
piston engine
piston-valve engine
plasma engine
polyphase induction motor
portable engine
pulse-jet engine
pumping engine
radial engine
ramjet engine, ramjet
reaction motor *or* engine
reciprocating engine
refrigerating engine
resojet engine
rocket motor *or* engine
rotary engine
rotary-piston engine
rotor motor
series motor
servomotor
shunt motor
single-acting *or* single-action engine
single-phase motor
slide-valve engine
solar engine
split-phase motor
squirrel cage rotor motor
stationary engine
steam engine
supercharged engine
synchronous motor
thermal engine
three-phase motor
traction engine
triple-expansion engine
trunk engine
turbine
turbojet engine, turbojet
two-stroke cycle engine
universal motor
variable-speed motor
vernier engine
vertical engine
Wankel engine

.27 **engine parts**

bearings
boiler
cam
camshaft
connecting rod
crankcase
crankshaft
cylinder
cylinder head
differential
electrical parts 342.36
flywheel
gearbox
gears
piston
piston rod
transmission
universal joint

349. AUTOMATION

.1 NOUNS **automation,** automatic control; cybernation; **self-action,** self-activity; self-movement, self-motion, **self-propulsion;** self-direction, self-determination, self-government, automatism, self-regulation; automaticity, automatization; servo instrumentation.

.2 autonetics, automatic *or* automation technology, automatic electronics, automatic engineering, automatic control engineering, servo engineering, **servomechanics,** system engineering, systems analysis, feedback system engineering; **cybernetics;** telemechanics; radiodynamics, radio control; systems planning, systems design; circuit analysis; bionics; communication *or* communications theory, information theory.

.3 **automatic control,** cybernation, servo control, robot control; cybernetic control; electronic control, electronic-mechanical control; feedback control, digital feedback control, analog feedback control; cascade control, piggyback control [informal]; supervisory control; action, control action; derivative *or* rate action, reset action; control agent; control means.

.4 semiautomatic control; **remote control,** push-button control, remote handling, tele-action; radio control; telemechanics; telemechanism; telemetry, telemeter, telemetering; transponder; bioinstrument, bioinstrumentation.

.5 control system, **automatic control system,** servo system, robot system; closed-loop system; open-sequence system; linear system, nonlinear system; carrier-current system; integrated system, complex control system; data system, data-handling system, data-reduction system, data-input system, data-interpreting system, digital data reducing system; process-control system, annunciator system, flow-control system, motor-speed control system; automanual system; automatic telephone system; electrostatic spraying system; automated factory, automatic *or* robot factory, push-button plant; servo laboratory, servolab.

.6 **feedback,** closed sequence, feedback loop, closed loop; multiple-feed closed loop; process loop, quality loop; feedback circuit, current-control circuit, direct-current circuit, alternating-current circuit, calibrating circuit, switching circuit, flip-flop circuit, peaking circuit; multiplier channels; open sequence, linear operation; positive feedback, negative feedback; reversed feedback, degeneration.

.7 (functions) accounting, analysis, automatic electronic navigation, automatic guidance, braking, comparison of variables, computation, coordination, corrective action, fact distribution, forecasts, impedance matching, inspection, linear *or* nonlinear calibrations, manipulation, measurement of variables, missile guidance, output measurement, processing, rate determination, record keeping, statistical communication, steering, system

stabilization, ultrasonic *or* supersonic flow detection.

.8 **process control,** bit-weight control, color control, density control, dimension control, diverse control, end-point control, flavor control, flow control, fragrance control, hold control, humidity control, light-intensity control, limit control, liquid-level control, load control, pressure control, precision-production control, proportional control, quality control, quantity control, revolution control, temperature control, time control, weight control.

.9 variable, process variable; simple variable, complex variable; manipulated variable; steady state, transient state.

.10 values, target values; set point; differential gap; proportional band; dead band, dead zone; neutral zone.

.11 time constants; time lead, gain; time delay, dead time; lag, process lag, hysteresis, holdup, output lag; throughput.

.12 automatic device 349.29, automatic; semiautomatic; self-actor, self-mover; **robot, automaton,** mechanical man; cyborg.

.13 **servomechanism,** servo; cybernion, automatic machine; **servomotor;** synchro, selsyn, autosyn; synchronous motor, synchronous machine.

.14 **regulator, control,** controller, **governor;** servo control, servo regulator; control element.

.15 control panel, console; coordinated panel, graphic panel; panelboard, set-up board.

.16 **computer,** electronic computer 349.31, electronic brain; information machine, thinking machine; computer unit, hardware, computer hardware 349.32.

.17 **storage,** storage system *or* unit, **memory,** high-speed memory; random access memory, RAM; memory tubes; tape *or* drum *or* disk memory.

.18 input-output *or* IO device; summing register, relay register; reader, tape reader; magnetic tape, punched tape; punched cards, punch cards; microcards, microfilm, microfiche, recorder, magnetic recorder; alphabetical printer; teletypewriter, Flexowriter typewriter; oscilloscope, oscillograph recorder; digital graph plotter, Teleplotter; **printout,** hard copy, readout.

.19 **data,** information, message, instructions, commands; **computer program,** computer software; computer routine, compiler, assembler; computer *or* machine language, ALGOL, COBOL, FORTRAN; ruly English; computer code, alphanumeric code; single messages, multiple messages; **input data, output data,** random data, unorganized data; numeric data, alphabetic data; film data, punch-card data, oscillograph data; visible-speech data, sound-level data; angular data, rectangular data, polar data; (quantity to be controlled) input quantity, output quantity, reference quantity, controlled quantity; signals, control signals, block signals, checking signals, error signals, correcting signals, feedback signals; command pulses, feedback pulses; error, bug, play, noise; binary scale *or* system; binary digit, bit; octal system, hexadecimal system; byte.

.20 **data processing,** electronic data processing, EDP, high-speed data handling, data reduction, data retrieval, information retrieval, machine computation, telecomputing; computer typesetting; computing, scanning, analyzing, sorting, collating, integrating, classifying, reporting; computer technology.

.21 process, digital process, analog process; behavior pattern; oscillatory behavior, self-excitation; input oscillation, output oscillation; hunting, feeling; correction of error; overcorrection of error, overshoot; offset (difference between value desired and attained).

.22 **control engineer,** servo engineer, system engineer, systems analyst, automatic control system engineer, feedback system engineer, automatic technician, robot specialist; computer engineer, computer technologist, computer technician, **computer programmer;** cybernetic technologist, cyberneticist.

.23 VERBS **automate,** automatize, robotize; robot-control, servo-control; program.

.24 **self-govern,** self-control, **self-regulate,** self-direct.

.25 ADJS **automated,** cybernated, aut(o)–, automat(o)–, self–; **automatic,** automatous, **spontaneous; self-acting,** self-active; **self-operating,** self-operative, self-working; **self-regulating,** self-regulative, self-governing, self-directing; **self-regulated, self-controlled,** self-governed, self-directed, self-steered; self-adjusting, self-closing, self-cocking, self-cooking, self-dumping, self-emptying, self-lighting, self-loading, self-opening, self-priming, self-rising, self-sealing, self-starting, self-winding, automanual; semiautomatic.

.26 **self-propelled,** self-moved, horseless; **self-**

propelling, self-moving, self-propellent; self-driven, self-drive; **automotive,** automobile, automechanical; **locomotive,** locomobile.

.27 **servomechanical,** servo-controlled; **cybernetic;** isotronic.

.28 **remote-control,** remote-controlled, telemechanic; telemetered, telemetric; by remote control.

.29 **automatic devices**

airborne controls
antiaircraft gun positioner
artificial feedback kidney
automatic block signal
automatic gun
automatic gun director
automatic heater
automatic iron
automatic piano
automatic pilot
automatic pinspotter
automatic pistol
automatic printer
automatic rifle
automatic sight
automatic sprinkler
automatic stop
automatic telegraph
automatic telephone
automatic telephone exchange
automaton
autopilot
chess-playing machine
guided missile
gyroscopic pilot
lever pilot
mechanical heart
Multiple-Stylus Electronic Printer
radar controls
robot pilot
robot plane
robot submarine
self-starter
speedometer
televox
watcher

.30 **servomechanisms**

alternating-current servo
automatic feed mechanism
direct-current servo
electronic servo
Flettner control
hemostat
hydraulic servo
instrument servo
motor-generator servo
pneumatic servo
power brake
power servo
selsyn
servo brake
servomotor
servotab
sine mechanism
synchro
synchro receiver
synchro transmitter
telemechanism

.31 **electronic computers**

analog computer
Audrey (Automatic Digit Recognizer)
automatic plotter
BINAC (Binary Automatic Computer)
data processor
decimal digital differential analyzer
decoding servomechanism
differential analyzer
digital computer
digital differential analyzer
digital general purpose computer
digital graph plotter
direct-reading computer
ENIAC (Electronic Numerical Integrator and Computer)
ENIAD (Electronic Numerical Integrating and Analyzing Device)
equation solver
ERMA (Electronic Recording Machine—Accounting)
high-speed digit computer
IBM machine
IDA (Integro-Differential Analyzer)
IDP machine (Integrated Data Processing)
Magnetronic Reservisor
OARAC (Office of Air Research Automatic Computer)
printing calculator
Production-Control Quantometer
RAYDAC (Raytheon Data Calculator)
selective calculator
Selective Sequence Electronic Calculator
square root planimeter
telecomputer
Teleplotter
Telereader
tristimulus computer
UNIVAC (Universal Automatic Computer)
versatile digit computer

.32 **computer parts**

adder
analytical control unit
analyzer
coder
coefficient component
collator
compiler
decoder
detector
differential
divider
electrostatic storage unit
FOSDIC (Film Optical Sensing Device for Input to Computers)
integrator
memory tubes
multiplier
phase discriminator
position code converter
position coder
printer
receptor
relay
selector
storage unit
transmitter

.33 **system components**

actuator
amplifier
amplifying generator
calibrating unit
capacitator
clock
control relay
control resistor
converter
discriminating relay
effector
electropneumatic transducer
feedback amplifier
generator
inductor
load-indicating resistor
magnetic amplifier
magnetic relay
meter relay
modulator
oscillator
oscillator relay actuator
phase-discriminating amplifier
pressure transducer
reactor
records-pulse generator
regenerator
relay
reluctance amplifier
resistor
servo amplifier
thermal timing relay
transducer
transmitter
uncommitted amplifier

.34 **control mechanisms**

automatic switch
automatic trip
channel selector
check valve
contour follower
control transformer
control valve
diaphragm motor valve
electrical governor
electromechanical controller
electronic control
electropneumatic valve positioner
emergency control
finder switch
flowmanostat
flow valve
indicating control switch
internal selector
limit switch
line breaker
line switch
manostat
manual control
oscillator relay control
overload breaker
overload circuit
overload switch
phase advancer
positioning mechanism
pressure transmitter
proportioning lever

rectifier
register regulator
safety control
safety fuse
safety stop
safety switch
safety valve
selector switch
sequence switch
servo valve
speed regulator
thermoswitch
timer
voltage regulator
voltage stabilizer

.35 automatic detectors

chemical detector
electronic counter
electronic detector
error corrector
error detector
liquid-level sensor
mercury-vapor detector
metal detector
photoelectric detector
photoelectric inspection machine
photoelectric pinhole detector
photoelectric sorter
sensor
temperature sensor
ultrasonic detector
ultrasonic flow detector
ultrasonic inspector

.36 automatic analyzers

analytical spectrometer
color gauge *or* checker
comparator
CO_2 recorder
data analyzer
dew-point hygrometer
direct-reading spectrometer
electronic comparator
gas analyzer
infrared gas and liquid analyzer
mass spectrograph
mass spectrometer
oxygen recorder
recording analyzer
scanner
stigmatic grating spectrograph
surface analyzer
vibration and stress analyzer

.37 automatic indicators

control indicator
count-rate meter
current indicator
density indicator
detonation indicator
differential pressure gauge
events-per-unit-time meter
fault lamp
filled-system thermometer
flowmeter
galvanometer
humidity indicator
hygrometer
integrating flowmeter
interferometer
ionization gauge
light-intensity indicator
liquid-level indicator
load indicator
logger
moisture meter
pH meter
potentiometer
pressure indicator
proximity meter
psychometer
pyrometer
radiation pyrometer
resistance thermometer
square-root flowmeter
strain gauge
tensiometer
thermistor
thermocouple
thermocouple pyrometer
time-interval meter
turn indicator
vibration meter
voltage indicator

350. FRICTION

.1 NOUNS **friction, rubbing,** rub, frottage; frication *or* confrication *or* perfrication [all archaic]; tribo–, –tribe.

.2 **abrasion, attrition, erosion, wearing away, wear,** detrition, ablation; erasure, rubbing away *or* off *or* out; **grinding, filing,** rasping, limation; fretting; galling; chafing, chafe; **scraping,** grazing, scratching, scuffing; **scrape,** scratch, **scuff;** scrubbing, scouring; scrub; **polishing,** burnishing, sanding, smoothing, dressing, buffing, shining; sandblasting; abrasive 260.14.

.3 **massage,** massaging, stroking, kneading; **rubdown;** massotherapy; whirlpool bath, vibrator; facial massage, facial.

.4 massager, **masseur, masseuse;** massotherapist.

.5 (mechanics) force of friction, internal friction, starting friction, static friction, rolling friction, sliding friction, fluid friction, slip friction; force of viscosity; coefficient of friction, resistance, frictional resistance, drag; skin friction; friction loss, friction head.

.6 VERBS **rub,** frictionize; **massage,** knead, rub down; caress, pet, stroke 425.8.

.7 **abrade,** abrase, gnaw, gnaw away; **erode,** ablate, wear, wear away; erase, rub away *or* off *or* out; **grind, rasp, file, grate; chafe,** fret, gall; **scrape, graze,** raze [archaic], **scuff,** bark, skin; **fray,** frazzle; **scrub,** scour.

.8 **buff, burnish, polish,** rub up, sandpaper, **sand,** smooth, dress, shine, furbish, sandblast.

.9 ADJS **frictional,** friction; fricative; **rubbing.**

.10 **abrasive,** abradant, attritive, gnawing, erosive, ablative; **grinding, rasping;** chafing, fretting, galling.

351. TEXTURE

(surface quality)

.1 NOUNS **texture,** surface texture; **surface; finish,** feel; **grain,** granular texture, fineness *or* coarseness of grain; **weave,** woof 222.3, wale; **nap,** pile, shag, nub, knub, protuberance 256; **pit,** pock, indentation 257.6; structure 245.

.2 **roughness** 261; **coarseness, grossness, unrefinement,** coarse-grainedness; cross-grainedness; **graininess,** granularity, granulation, grittiness; hardness 356.

.3 **smoothness** 260, **fineness, refinement,** fine-grainedness; **delicacy, daintiness;** filminess, gossameriness 339.1; down, **downiness,** fluff, fluffiness, velvet, velvetiness, fuzz, fuzziness, peach fuzz, pubescence; satin, satininess; silk, silkiness; softness 357.

.4 VERBS **coarsen; grain,** granulate; tooth, **roughen** 261.4; smooth 260.5.

.5 ADJS **textural, textured.**

.6 **rough** 261.6, **coarse, gross, unrefined,**

coarse-grained; cross-grained; grained, **grainy,** granular, granulated, gritty.

.7 **nappy,** pily, **shaggy,** nubby *or* nubbly, studded, knobbed 256.16; pitted 257.17.

.8 **smooth** 260.9; **fine, refined,** attenuate, attenuated, **fine-grained; delicate, dainty; finespun,** thin-spun, fine-drawn, wire-drawn; gauzy, filmy, gossamer, gossamery 339.4, **downy,** fluffy, velvety, velutinous, fuzzy, pubescent; satin, satiny, silky.

352. WEIGHT

.1 NOUNS **weight, heaviness, weightiness, ponderousness,** ponderosity, gravity, heftiness *or* heft [both informal]; body weight, avoirdupois [informal], fatness 195.8, beef *or* beefiness [both informal]; poundage, tonnage; ponderability; deadweight, liveweight; gross weight, gr. wt.; **net weight,** neat weight, nt. wt., net, nett [Brit]; underweight; overweight; overbalance, overweightage.

.2 onerousness, **burdensomeness, oppressiveness, cumbersomeness,** cumbrousness; massiveness, massiness [archaic], bulkiness 195.9, lumpishness, unwieldiness.

.3 (sports) bantamweight, featherweight, flyweight, heavyweight, light heavyweight, lightweight, middleweight, welterweight; catchweight.

.4 **counterbalance** 33.2; makeweight; **ballast,** ballasting.

.5 [phys terms] **gravity, gravitation,** G; specific gravity; gravitational field, gravisphere; graviton; geotropism, positive geotropism, apogeotropism, negative geotropism; G suit, anti-G suit; **mass.**

.6 **weight,** paperweight, letterweight; sinker, lead, plumb, plummet, bob; sandbag.

.7 **burden,** burthen [archaic], pressure, **oppression, deadweight;** burdening, saddling, charging, taxing; overburdening, overtaxing, overweighting, weighing *or* weighting down; charge, **load,** loading, lading, freight, cargo, bale; cumber, cumbrance, **encumbrance;** incubus; incumbency *or* superincumbency [archaic]; handicap, drag, millstone; surcharge, overload.

.8 (systems of weight) avoirdupois weight, troy weight, apothecaries' weight; atomic weight, molecular weight.

.9 **weighing,** hefting [informal], balancing; weighing-in, weigh-in, weighing-out, weigh-out.

.10 VERBS **weigh,** weight; **heft** [informal], **balance,** weigh in the balance, strike a balance, hold the scales, put on the scales, lay in the scales; **counterbalance** 33.5; weigh in, weigh out; be heavy, weigh heavy, lie heavy, have weight, carry weight; **tip the scales,** turn *or* depress the scales.

.11 **weigh on** *or* **upon,** rest on *or* upon, bear on *or* upon, lie on, press, press down, press to the ground.

.12 **weight, weigh** *or* **weight down;** hang like a millstone; **ballast;** lead, sandbag.

.13 **burden,** burthen [archaic], **load,** lade, cumber, **encumber, charge, freight,** tax, handicap, hamper, saddle; **oppress, weigh one down, weigh on** *or* **upon, weigh heavy on,** bear *or* rest hard upon, lie hard *or* heavy upon, press hard upon, be an incubus to; **overburden,** overweight, overtax, **overload** 663.15.

.14 **outweigh,** overweigh, overweight, overbalance, **outbalance,** outpoise, overpoise.

.15 **gravitate, descend** 316.5,6, drop, plunge 320.6, precipitate, sink, settle, subside; tend, tend to go, **incline,** point, head, lead, lean.

.16 ADJS **heavy,** bar(o)–, gravi–, hadr(o)–; **ponderous, massive,** massy, weighty, hefty [informal], fat 195.18; **leaden,** heavy as lead; heavyweight; overweight.

.17 **onerous, oppressive, burdensome,** incumbent *or* superincumbent, **cumbersome,** cumbrous; massive; lumpish, **unwieldy.**

.18 **weighted, weighed** *or* **weighted down; burdened, oppressed, laden,** cumbered, **encumbered,** charged, loaded, fraught, freighted, taxed, saddled, hampered; **overburdened,** overloaded, overladen, overcharged, overfreighted, overfraught, overweighted, overtaxed.

.19 **weighable,** ponderable; **appreciable,** palpable, sensible.

.20 **gravitational,** mass.

.21 ADVS **heavily,** heavy, weightily, leadenly; burdensomely, onerously, oppressively; **ponderously,** cumbersomely, cumbrously.

.22 **weighing instruments**

alloy balance
analytical balance
assay balance
automatic indicating scale
balance
balance of precision
barrel scale
beam
bullion balance
counter scale
cylinder scale
Danish balance
drum scale
fan scale
flexure plate scale
lever scales
long-arm balance
Nicholson's hydrometer
pair of scales
plate fulcrum scale
platform scale *or* balance
precision scale *or* balance
Roman balance
scale, scales
short-arm balance
spiral balance

spring balance
spring scale
steelyard
torsion scale
trone [Scot]
weighbeam
weighbridge
weighing machine
weigh scales
Weightometer
weight voltameter

.23 **units of weight** *or* **force** *or* **mass**

assay ton
carat, c.
carat grain
centigram, cg.
decagram, dkg.
decigram, dg.
dram, dram avoirdupois, dr.
dram apothecaries', dr. ap.
dyne
grain, gr.
gram, g.
gram equivalent, gram equivalent weight
gram molecule, gram-molecular weight
gross ton
hectogram, hg.
hundredweight, cwt.
international carat
kilogram, kilo, kg.
kiloton
long hundredweight
long ton, l.
megaton
metric carat
metric ton, MT *or* t.
microgram, mcg.
milligram, mg.
mole, mol.
myriagram, myg.
net ton
newton
ounce, ounce avoirdupois, oz., oz. av.
ounce apothecaries', oz. ap.
ounce troy, oz. t.
pearl grain
pennyweight, dwt. *or* pwt.
pound, pound avoirdupois, lb., lb. av.
poundal
pound apothecaries', lb. ap.
pound troy, lb. t.
quintal, q.
scruple, s. ap.
short hundredweight
short ton, s.t.
slug
sthene
stone, st.
ton, tn.

353. LIGHTNESS

.1 NOUNS **lightness, levity,** unheaviness, lack of weight; **weightlessness; buoyancy,** floatability; levitation, ascent 315; **volatility; airiness,** ethereality; foaminess, frothiness, bubbliness, yeastiness; downiness, fluffiness, gossameriness 339.1; softness, gentleness, delicacy, daintiness, tenderness.

.2 (comparisons) air, ether, feather, down, thistledown, flue, fluff, fuzz, sponge, gossamer, cobweb, fairy, straw, chaff, dust, mote, cork, chip, bubble, froth, foam, spume.

.3 **lightening,** easing, **easement, alleviation, relief;** disburdening, **disencumberment,** unburdening, **unloading,** unlading, unsaddling, untaxing, unfreighting; unballasting.

.4 **leavening, fermentation; leaven, ferment;** zym(o)–.

.5 (indeterminacy of weight) **imponderableness** *or* imponderability, unweighableness *or* unweighability; imponderables, imponderabilia.

.6 VERBS **lighten,** make light *or* lighter, reduce weight; unballast; **ease, alleviate, relieve; disburden, disencumber,** unburden, unload, unlade, off-load; **be light,** weigh lightly, have little weight, kick the beam.

.7 **leaven,** raise, **ferment.**

.8 **buoy,** buoy up; float, float high, ride high, waft; **sustain, hold up,** bear up, uphold, upbear, uplift, upraise.

.9 **levitate** (opposed to gravitate), **rise,** ascend 315.8; hover, **float.**

.10 ADJS **light,** unheavy, imponderous; **weightless; airy, ethereal; volatile;** frothy, foamy, bubbly, yeasty; downy, feathery, fluffy, gossamery 339.4; *soufflé, mousse, léger* [all Fr]; "lighter than vanity" [Bible], "light as any wind that blows" [Tennyson]; light as air *or* a feather *or* gossamer, etc. 353.2.

.11 **gentle, soft, delicate,** dainty, tender, **easy.**

.12 **lightweight,** bantamweight, featherweight; underweight.

.13 **buoyant,** floaty, floatable; floating, supernatant.

.14 levitative, levitational.

.15 **lightening, easing,** alleviating, alleviative, relieving, disburdening, unburdening, disencumbering.

.16 **leavening,** raising, **fermenting,** fermentative, working; yeasty, barmy; enzymic, diastatic.

.17 **imponderable,** unweighable.

.18 **leavens, ferments**

bacteria
baking powder
baking soda
barm
beaten egg
brewer's yeast
buttermilk
carbon dioxide
cream of tartar
diastase
enzyme
egg whites
invertase
maltase
mother, mother of vinegar
pepsin
soda
sour milk
vinegar
yeast
zymase
zyme

354. DENSITY

.1 NOUNS **density,** denseness, **solidity, solidness,** firmness, **compactness, closeness,** dasy–, spissitude [archaic]; crowdedness, jammedness, congestedness, congestion; impenetrability, impermeability, imporosity; hardness 356; incompressibility; specific gravity, relative density; **consistency,** consistence; viscidity, viscosity, viscousness, **thickness,** gluiness.

.2 **indivisibility, inseparability,** impartibility, infrangibility, indiscerptibility; indissolubility; cohesion, coherence 50.1; unity 89; insolubility, infusibility.

.3 **densification, condensation, compression, concentration,** concretion, consolidation;

hardening, **solidification** 356.5; agglutination, clumping, clustering.

.4 **thickening,** inspissation; congelation, **congealment, coagulation,** clotting, **setting,** concretion; gelatinization, gelatination, jellification, jellying, **jelling,** gelling; **curdling,** clabbering.

.5 **precipitation,** deposit, sedimentation; precipitate 43.2.

.6 **solid,** solid body, body, mass; lump, clump, cluster; block, cake; node, knot; concrete, concretion; conglomerate, conglomeration.

.7 **clot,** coagulum, coagulate; blood clot, grume, thrombus, thromb(o)–, embolus, crassamentum; casein, caseinogen, paracasein, legumin; **curd,** clabber, loppered milk *or* bonnyclabber [both dial], clotted cream, Devonshire cream.

.8 (instruments) densimeter, densitometer; aerometer, hydrometer, lactometer, urinometer, pycnometer.

.9 VERBS **densify,** densen; **condense, compress,** compact, **consolidate, concentrate,** congest, squeeze, **press, crowd,** cram, jam, ram down; **solidify** 356.8.

.10 **thicken,** thick [archaic]; inspissate, incrassate; **congeal, coagulate, clot,** set, concrete; gelatinize, gelatinate, jelly, jellify, **jell,** gel; **curdle,** curd, clabber, lopper [dial]; cake, lump, clump, cluster, knot.

.11 **precipitate,** deposit, sediment, sedimentate.

.12 ADJS **dense, compact, close,** pycn(o)–; close-textured, close-knit, close-woven; serried, **thick, heavy,** thickset, thick-packed, thick-growing, thick-spread, thick-spreading; **condensed, compressed,** compacted, concrete, consolidated, concentrated; **crowded, jammed,** packed, jam-packed, **congested,** crammed, crammed full; **solid,** firm, substantial, massive; impenetrable, impermeable, imporous, nonporous; hard 356.10; incompressible; viscid, viscous *or* viscose, gluey.

.13 **indivisible,** nondivisible, undividable, **inseparable,** impartible, infrangible, indiscerptible, indissoluble; cohesive, coherent 50.10; unified 89.10; insoluble, indissolvable, infusible.

.14 **thickened,** inspissate *or* inspissated, incrassate; **congealed, coagulated, clotted,** grumous; **curdled,** curded, clabbered; **jellied,** jelled, gelatinized; lumpy, lumpish; caked, cakey.

.15 ADVS **densely,** compactly, **close,** closely, **thick,** thickly, heavily; solidly, firmly.

355. RARITY

.1 NOUNS **rarity,** rareness; **thinness, tenuousness,** tenuity; **subtlety,** subtility, subtilty; **fineness,** slightness, flimsiness, **unsubstantiality** *or* **insubstantiality** 4; **ethereality,** airiness, immateriality, incorporeality, bodilessness, insolidity; "airy nothing", "such stuff as dreams are made on" [both Shakespeare].

.2 **rarefaction,** attenuation, subtilization, etherealization; **thinning,** dilution, adulteration.

.3 VERBS **rarefy, attenuate,** thin, thin out; dilute, adulterate, water, water down, cut; subtilize, **etherealize;** expand 197.4.

.4 ADJS **rare,** rarefied; **subtle,** subtile; **thin,** thinned, dilute, attenuated, attenuate; thinned-out, diluted, adulterated, watered, watered-down, cut; **tenuous, fine,** flimsy, slight, **unsubstantial** *or* **insubstantial** 4.5; **airy, ethereal,** vaporous, gaseous, windy; uncompact, uncompressed.

.5 rarefactive, rarefactional.

356. HARDNESS, RIGIDITY

.1 NOUNS **hardness,** durity [archaic], induration; **callousness,** callosity; stoniness, flintiness, steeliness; **toughness** 359; solidity, impenetrability, density 354; restiveness, resistance 792; obduracy 626.1; hardness of heart 856.3.

.2 **rigidity, rigidness,** rigor [archaic]; **firmness,** renitence, renitency, **stiffness,** starchiness; **tension,** tensity, **tenseness,** tautness, tightness.

.3 **inflexibility,** unpliability, unmalleability, intractability, unbendingness, unlimberness, **stubbornness,** unyieldingness 626.2; **unalterability,** immutability; immovability 142.3; inelasticity, irresilience *or* irresiliency; inextensibility *or* unextensibility, unextendibility, inductility.

.4 **temper,** tempering; chisel temper, die temper, razor temper, saw file temper, set temper, spindle temper, tool temper; precipitation hardening, heat treating; hardness scale; indenter.

.5 **hardening, toughening,** induration, firming; **tempering,** case hardening, steeling; **solidification, setting,** concretion; crystallization, granulation; callusing; sclerosis, arteriosclerosis, atherosclerosis; lithification; lapidification [archaic]; **petrification,** petrifaction; fossilization, ossification, –ostosis; cornification, hornification; calcification; vitrification, vitrifaction; **stiffening,** rigidification.

.6 (comparisons) stone, rock 384, adamant, granite, flint, marble, diamond; steel, iron, nails; concrete, cement; brick; oak, heart of oak; bone 245.6,12.

.7 VERBS **harden,** indurate, firm, **toughen; callous; temper,** anneal, **case harden,** steel; **petrify,** lapidify [archaic], fossilize; lithify; vitrify; calcify; ossify; cornify, hornify.

.8 **solidify,** concrete, **set,** take a set, cake; condense, thicken 354.10; **crystallize,** granulate, candy.

.9 **stiffen,** rigidify, **strengthen,** back, reinforce, shore up; **tense, tighten,** brace, trice up, screw up.

.10 ADJS **hard, solid,** dure [archaic], **tough** 359.4, scler(a)– *or* sclero–; resistive, resistant, steely, steellike, iron-hard, ironlike; **stony,** rocky, stonelike, rocklike, lapideous, lithoid *or* lithoidal, lith(o)–, –lith, –lite *or* – lyte; diamondlike; flinty, flintlike; marble, marblelike; granitic, granitelike; concrete, cement, cemental; horny, cerat(o)– *or* kerat(o)–, corneous, –corn; bony, osseous; hard-boiled; hard as nails *or* a rock, etc. 356.6, "as firm as a stone; yea, as hard as a piece of the nether millstone" [Bible]; dense 354.12; obdurate 626.10; hardhearted 856.12.

.11 **rigid, stiff, firm,** renitent; **tense, taut, tight, unrelaxed;** virgate, rodlike; ramrod-stiff, ramrodlike, pokerlike; stiff as a poker, stiff as buckram; starched, starchy.

.12 **inflexible,** unflexible, **unpliable, unpliant, unmalleable, intractable,** untractable, intractile, **unbending,** unlimber, **unyielding** 626.9, ungiving, **stubborn, unalterable,** immutable; **immovable** 142.15; **adamant,** adamantine; **inelastic,** nonelastic, irresilient; inextensile, inextensible, unextensible, inextensional, unextendible, nonstretchable, inductile.

.13 **hardened, toughened,** steeled, indurate, indurated; **case-hardened; callous,** caloused; **solidified,** set; crystallized, granulated; petrified, lapidified [archaic], fossilized; vitrified; sclerotic; ossified; cornified, hornified; calcified; crusted, crusty, incrusted; **stiffened, strengthened,** rigidified, backed, reinforced.

.14 **hardening, toughening,** indurative; petrifying, petrifactive.

.15 **tempered,** heat-treated, **annealed,** oil-tempered.

357. SOFTNESS, PLIANCY

.1 NOUNS **softness,** nonresistiveness, insolidity, unsolidity, nonrigidity; **gentleness,** easiness, delicacy, morbidezza, tenderness, leniency 759; mellowness; fluffiness, flossiness, downiness, featheriness; velvetiness, plushiness, satininess, silkiness; sponginess, pulpiness.

.2 **pliancy, pliability, plasticity, flexibility,** flexility, flexuousness, ductility, ductibility [archaic], tensileness, tensility, tractility, **tractability,** amenability, adaptability, facility, **elasticity,** give, bendability; **suppleness,** willowiness, springiness, **litheness, limberness; malleability,** moldability, fictility, sequacity [archaic]; **impressionability,** susceptibility, responsiveness, receptiveness, sensibility, sensitiveness; formability, formativeness; extensibility, extendibility; agreeability 622.1; submissiveness 765.3.

.3 **flaccidity,** flaccidness, **flabbiness, limpness,** rubberiness, floppiness; **looseness,** laxness, laxity, laxation.

.4 (comparisons) putty, clay, dough, blubber, rubber, wax, butter, pudding; velvet, plush, satin, silk; wool, fleece; pillow, cushion; kapok; puff; fluff, floss, flue; down, feathers, feather bed, eiderdown, swansdown, thistledown; breeze, zephyr; foam.

.5 **softening,** softening-up; **easing,** padding, cushioning; mollifying, mollification; **relaxation,** laxation; mellowing.

.6 VERBS **soften,** soften up; **ease,** cushion; gentle, mollify, milden; **subdue,** tone *or* tune down; mellow; tenderize; **relax,** laxate, loosen; **limber,** limber up, supple; massage, knead, plump, fluff, shake up; **mash, smash,** squash, pulp.

.7 **yield, give,** relent, relax, bend, unbend, give way; submit 765.6–11.

.8 ADJS **soft,** malac(o)–; nonresistive, nonrigid; mild, **gentle, easy, delicate, tender;** complaisant 759.8; mellow, mellowy [archaic]; **softened,** mollified; whisper-soft, soft as putty *or* clay *or* dough, etc. 357.4, soft as a kiss, soft as a sigh, "soft as sinews of the new-born babe" [Shakespeare].

.9 **pliant, pliable, flexible,** flexile, flexuous, **plastic, elastic, ductile,** sequacious *or* facile [both archaic], tractile, **tractable, yielding,** giving, bending; adaptable, **malleable,** moldable, shapable, fabricable, fictile; compliant 622.5, submissive 765.12; **impressionable,** impressible, susceptible, responsive, receptive, sensitive; **formable,** formative; **bendable; supple,** willowy, **limber; lithe,** lithesome, lissome, "as lissome as a hazel wand" [Tennyson], springy,

whippy; extensile, extensible, extendible; like putty *or* wax *or* dough, etc. 357.4.

.10 **flaccid, flabby, limp,** rubbery, flimsy, floppy; **loose,** lax, relaxed.

.11 **spongy,** pulpy, pithy, medullary; edematous.

.12 **pasty, doughy;** loamy, clayey, argillaceous.

.13 **squashy,** squishy, squushy, squelchy.

.14 **fluffy,** flossy, **downy,** pubescent, feathery; fleecy, woolly, lanate; furry.

.15 **velvety,** velvetlike, velutinous; plushy, plush; **satiny,** satinlike; cottony; **silky,** silken, silklike, sericeous, soft as silk.

.16 **softening, easing;** subduing, mollifying, emollient; demulcent; **relaxing,** loosening.

.17 ADVS **softly, gently,** easily, delicately, tenderly; compliantly 622.9, submissively 765.17.

358. ELASTICITY

.1 NOUNS **elasticity, resilience** *or* resiliency, **give;** snap, **bounce,** bounciness; **stretch, stretchiness,** stretchability; extensibility; tone, tonus, tonicity, –tonia *or* –tony; **spring, springiness;** rebound 284.2; **flexibility** 357.2; **adaptability,** responsiveness; **buoyancy** *or* buoyance; **liveliness** 707.2.

.2 **stretching;** extension 202.5; distension 197.2; **stretch, tension, strain.**

.3 **elastic;** elastomer; **rubber,** gum elastic; stretch fabric, Lastex, spandex; gum, chewing gum 389.6; whalebone, baleen; rubber band, rubber ball, handball, tennis ball; spring; springboard; trampoline; racket, battledore; jumping jack.

.4 VERBS **stretch;** extend 202.7; distend 197.4.

.5 **give,** yield 357.7; bounce, spring, spring back 284.6.

.6 **elasticize;** rubberize, rubber; vulcanize.

.7 ADJS **elastic, resilient, springy,** bouncy; **stretchable, stretchy,** stretch; extensile; **flexible** 357.9; flexile; **adaptable,** adaptive, responsive; buoyant; lively 707.17.

.8 rubber, **rubbery,** rubberlike; rubberized.

.9 **rubber**

Buna
Buna N
Buna S
Butyl rubber
caoutchouc
caucho
Ceará rubber
cis-polyisoprene rubber
cold rubber
crepe, crepe rubber
crude rubber
ebonite
elastomer
foam rubber
hard rubber
India rubber
Koroseal
latex
methyl rubber
natural rubber
neoprene rubber
nitrile rubber
Pará rubber
Perbunan
plantation rubber
polysulfide rubber
polyurethane rubber
reclaimed rubber
rubber tissue
silicone rubber
sponge rubber
synthetic rubber
Thiokol
vulcanite
vulcanized rubber

.10 **springs**

balance spring
bedspring
box spring
coil spring
elliptic spring
hairspring
leaf spring
mainspring
shock absorber
spiral spring
volute spring

359. TOUGHNESS

.1 NOUNS **toughness, resistance; strength, hardiness, vitality, stamina** 159.1; stubbornness, **stiffness; unbreakableness** *or* **unbreakability,** infrangibility; cohesiveness, **tenacity,** viscidity 50.3; **durability,** lastingness 110.1; **hardness** 356; **leatheriness,** leatherlikeness; stringiness, ropiness.

.2 (comparisons) leather; gristle, cartilage.

.3 VERBS **toughen,** harden, stiffen, **temper,** strengthen; be tough; endure, hang tough [slang].

.4 ADJS **tough, resistant,** stubborn, stiff; **strong, hardy,** vigorous 159.13; cohesive, **tenacious,** viscid 50.12; **durable,** lasting 110.10; untiring; **hard** 356.10; chewy [informal]; leathery, leatherlike, coriaceous, tough as leather; sinewy, wiry; gristly, cartilaginous; stringy, ropy, fibrous.

.5 **unbreakable,** nonbreakable, infrangible, unshatterable, shatterproof, chip-proof, fractureproof.

.6 **toughened,** hardened, tempered, annealed.

360. BRITTLENESS, FRAGILITY

.1 NOUNS **brittleness, crispness,** crispiness; **fragility, frailty,** delicacy 160.2, flimsiness, **breakability,** breakableness, frangibility, fracturableness, crackability, crackableness, crushability, crushableness; lacerability; fissility; friability, crumbliness 361; vulnerability 697.4.

.2 (comparisons) eggshell, matchwood, old paper, piecrust, glass, china, parchment, ice, bubble, glass house, house of cards.

.3 VERBS break, shard, shatter 49.12,13, fall to pieces, disintegrate 53.3.

.4 ADJS **brittle, crisp,** crispy; **fragile, frail,** delicate 160.14, flimsy, **breakable,** frangible, crushable, crackable, fracturable; lacerable; **shatterable,** shattery, shivery, splintery; friable, crumbly 361.13; fissile, scissile; brittle as glass; vulnerable 697.16.

361. POWDERINESS, CRUMBLINESS

.1 NOUNS **powderiness,** pulverulence, **dustiness;** chalkiness; **mealiness,** flouriness, branniness; efflorescence.

.2 **granularity, graininess,** granulation; **sandiness, grittiness,** gravelliness, sabulosity.

.3 **friability,** pulverableness, crispness, crumbliness; brittleness 360.

.4 **pulverization,** comminution, trituration, attrition, detrition; levigation; reduction to powder *or* dust; fragmentation, sharding; brecciation; atomization, micronization; **powdering, crumbling;** abrasion 350.2; **grinding,** grating, shredding; granulation, granulization; **beating, pounding, mashing, smashing, crushing;** disintegration 53.

.5 **powder, dust,** attritus, coni(o)– *or* koni(o)–; dust ball, pussies, kittens, slut's wool, lint; efflorescence; **crumb,** crumble; **meal,** bran, flour, farina, aleuro–; grits, groats; filings, raspings, sawdust; soot, smut; airborne particles, air pollution, fallout; cosmic dust.

.6 **grain,** granule, granulet, granul(o)– *or* granuli–, chondr(o)–; **grit, sand,** amm(o)–, psamm(o)–; **gravel,** shingle; detritus, debris; breccia, collapse breccia.

.7 **pulverizer,** comminutor, kominuter, triturator, levigator; crusher, rock crusher; **mill** 348.23; **grinder;** granulator; **grater,** nutmeg grater, cheese grater; shredder; pestle, mortar and pestle; **masher;** millstone, quern, quernstone; roller, steamroller.

.8 koniology; konimeter.

.9 VERBS **pulverize, powder,** comminute, triturate, contriturate, levigate, bray, pestle, disintegrate, reduce to powder *or* dust, grind to powder *or* dust; fragment, shard; brecciate; atomize, micronize; **crumble,** crumb; **granulate,** granulize, grain; **grind, grate, shred,** abrade 350.7; **mill,** flour; **beat, pound, mash, smash, crush,** squash, scrunch [informal].

.10 (be reduced to powder) **powder,** come *or* fall to dust, **crumble,** crumble to *or* into dust, **disintegrate** 53.3, fall to pieces, break up; effloresce; granulate, grain.

.11 ADJS **powdery, dusty,** pulverulent, pulverous; **pulverized,** pulverant, powdered, disintegrated, comminute, gone to dust, reduced to powder; **ground, grated,** pestled, milled, comminuted, triturated, levigated; sharded, **crushed; shredded; fine,** impalpable; **chalky,** chalklike; **mealy,** floury, farinaceous; branny; furfuraceous, scaly, scurfy; flaky 227.7; detrited, detrital; scobiform, scobicular; efflorescent.

.12 **granular, grainy,** granulate, **granulated; sandy, gritty,** sabulous, arenarious, arenaceous; shingly, shingled, pebbled, pebbly; **gravelly;** breccial, brecciated.

.13 **pulverable, pulverizable,** pulverulent, triturable; **friable,** crimp [archaic], crisp, **crumbly.**

362. COLOR

.1 NOUNS **color, hue; tint,** tinct, tincture, **tinge, shade, tone,** cast; key; **coloring, coloration;** color harmony, color balance, color scheme; decorator color; **complexion,** skin color *or* coloring *or* tone; chromatism, chromism; achromatism 363.1; natural color; undercolor; pallor 363.2; –chroia, –chromasia, chrom(o)–, chromat(o)–, –chrome, –chromia, –chromy.

.2 **warmth,** warmth of color, warm color; **blush, flush, glow,** healthy glow *or* hue.

.3 **softness,** soft color, subtle color, pale color, pastel, pastel color.

.4 **colorfulness,** color, bright color, pure color, **brightness, brilliance, vividness,** intensity, saturation; **richness,** gorgeousness, gaiety; riot of color; Technicolor.

.5 **garishness,** loudness, luridness, gaudiness 904.3; loud *or* screaming color [informal]; shocking pink, jaundiced yellow, arsenic green; clashing colors, color clash.

.6 **color quality;** chroma, Munsell chroma, brightness, purity, saturation; **hue,** value, lightness; colorimetric quality, chromaticity, chromaticness; tint, **tone;** chromatic color, achromatic *or* neutral color; warm color; cool color.

.7 **color system,** chromaticity diagram, color triangle, Maxwell triangle; hue cycle, color circle, chromatic circle, color cycle *or* gamut; Munsell scale; color solid; fundamental colors; **primary color,** primary pigment, primary; secondary color, secondary; tertiary color, tertiary; complementary color; chromaticity coordinate; color mixture curve *or* function; spectral color, spectrum color, pure *or* full color; metamer; **spectrum,** solar spectrum, color spectrum, chromatic spectrum, color index; monochrome; demitint, half tint, halftone.

.8 (coloring matter) **color, coloring, colorant,** –phyll, tinction, tincture, **pigment,** pigmento–, **stain;** chromogen; **dye,** dyestuff, color filter, color gelatin; paint, distemper, tempera; coat, coating, **coat of paint; undercoat,** undercoating, **primer,**

priming, prime coat, **ground, flat coat,** dead-color; interior paint, exterior paint, floor enamel; wash, wash coat, flat wash; opaque color, transparent color; medium, vehicle; drier; thinner; turpentine, turps [informal].

.9 (persons according to hair color) **brunet; blond,** goldilocks; bleached blond, peroxide blond; ash blond, platinum blond, strawberry blond, honey blond; **towhead; redhead,** carrottop.

.10 (science of colors) chromatology; chromatics, chromatography, chromatoscopy, colorimetry; spectrum analysis, spectroscopy, spectrometry.

.11 (applying color) **coloring,** coloration; **staining, dyeing; tinting,** tinging, tinction; pigmentation; illumination, emblazonry; color printing; lithography.

.12 **painting,** coating, covering; **enameling,** glossing, glazing; **varnishing,** japanning, lacquering, shellacking; staining; **calcimining, whitewashing;** gilding; stippling; frescoing, fresco; undercoating, priming.

.13 VERBS **color,** hue, lay on color; **tinge, tint,** tinct, **tincture,** tone, complexion; pigment; bedizen; **stain, dye,** dip; imbue; deep-dye, fast-dye, double-dye, dye in the wool; ingrain, grain; shade, shadow; illuminate, emblazon; **paint,** apply paint, **coat,** cover, face; dab, **daub,** bedaub, smear, besmear, brush on paint, slap *or* slop on paint; **enamel,** gloss, glaze; **varnish,** japan, **lacquer, shellac; calcimine, whitewash,** parget; wash; **gild,** begild, engild; stipple; fresco; distemper; undercoat, prime.

.14 (be inharmonious) **clash,** conflict, collide, fight.

.15 ADJS **chromatic,** colorational; **coloring,** colorific, colorative, tinctorial, tingent; pigmentary; –chroic, –chroous, monochrome, monochromic, monochromatic; dichromatic; many-colored, parti-colored, medley *or* motley [both archaic], rainbow, **variegated** 374.9, polychromatic; prismatic, spectral; matching, toning, harmonious; warm, glowing; cool, cold.

.16 **colored,** hued, in color, in Technicolor; **tinged, tinted,** tinctured, tinct, toned; **stained, dyed;** imbued; complexioned, complected [informal]; full-colored, full; deep, deep-colored; wash-colored.

.17 **deep-dyed, fast-dyed,** double-dyed, **dyed-in-the-wool;** ingrained, ingrain; colorfast, fast, fadeless, unfading, indelible, constant.

.18 **colorful,** colory; **bright, vivid,** intense, **rich,** exotic, **brilliant,** burning, **gorgeous, gay,** bright-hued, bright-colored, rich-colored, gay-colored, high-colored, deep-colored.

.19 garish, lurid, loud, screaming, shrieking, glaring, flaring, flashy, flaunting, crude, blinding, overbright, raw, gaudy 904.20.

.20 **off-color,** off-tone; **inharmonious, discordant,** incongruous, **harsh,** clashing, conflicting, colliding.

.21 soft-colored, soft-hued, **soft,** softened, **subdued,** light, creamy, pastel, **pale,** subtle, mellow, delicate, quiet, tender, sweet; pearly, nacreous, mother-of-pearl, iridescent, opalescent; patinaed; somber, simple, sober, sad; flat, eggshell, semigloss, gloss.

.22 **dyes**

acid color *or* dye
acridine dye
alizarin, alizarin dye *or* color
amino azobenzene
aniline, aniline dye
anthracene
artificial *or* synthetic dye
azo dye
basic dye
biological stain
chromotrope
coal-tar dye
crocein
developing dye
direct cotton dye
disazo dye
eosin
fast dye
food color
fuchsine
garancine
hydroxyazobenzene
lake
madder
madder bloom
madder extract
methylene
mineral pigment
mordant dye
naphthol
natural dye *or* dyestuff
phthalein
phthalocyanine
pincoffin
rhodamine
trinitroaniline
trinitrophenol
triphenylmethane dye
vat dye
vegetable dye
woad
wool fast dye
xanthene dye

.23 **paints**

acrylic paint
alkyd paint
aluminum paint
animé
antifouling paint
calcimine
casein paint
Chinese lacquer
copal
copalite, copaline
cosmetics 900.11
deck enamel
elemi
emulsion paint
enamel
engobe
finger paint
fluorescent paint
gilt, gilding
glaze
gouache
greasepaint
japan
lac
lacquer
latex paint
Lucite paint
luminous paint
megilp
oil-base paint
oils, oil paints *or* colors
plastic paint
polyurethane
poster color
radium paint
rubber-base paint
shellac
silicate paint
stain
synthetic lacquer
varnish
washable paint
water-base paint
watercolors
water glass
whitewash
Zanzibar copal

.24 color instruments

chromatograph	kaleidoscope
chromatometer	monochronometer
chromatoscope	prism
chromatrope	spectrograph
chromometer	spectrohelioscope
chromoscope	spectrometer
colorimeter	spectroscope 443.15

363. COLORLESSNESS

.1 NOUNS **colorlessness,** lack *or* absence of color, huelessness, tonelessness, achromatism, achromaticity; dullness, lackluster 337.5.

.2 **paleness, dimness,** weakness, **faintness,** fadedness; lightness, fairness; **pallor,** pallidity, pallidness, pallidi–, prison pallor, **wanness, sallowness,** pastiness, ashiness; muddiness, dullness; **anemia,** hypochromic anemia, hypochromia, chloranemia; bloodlessness, exsanguination; **ghastliness, haggardness,** lividness, sickly hue, sickliness, deadly *or* deathly pallor, deathly hue, cadaverousness.

.3 **decoloration,** decolorizing, decolorization, discoloration, achromatization, lightening; **fading, paling; whitening,** blanching, etiolation; **bleaching,** bleach; market bleach, madder bleach.

.4 **bleach,** bleacher, bleaching agent *or* substance; decolorant, decolorizer.

.5 VERBS decolor, decolorize, discolor, achromatize, etiolate; **fade, wash out; dim, dull, tarnish,** tone down; **pale, whiten,** blanch, drain, drain of color; **bleach,** peroxide, fume.

.6 **lose color, fade,** fade out; **bleach,** bleach out; **pale, turn pale,** grow pale, **change color,** turn white, **whiten, blanch,** wan.

.7 ADJS **colorless, hueless,** toneless, uncolored, achromic, achromatic, achromat(o)–, achro–, achroö–; neutral; dull, flat, mat, dead, dingy, muddy, leaden, lusterless, lackluster 337.17; **faded, washed-out,** dimmed, discolored, etiolated; **pale, dim,** weak, **faint; pallid, wan, sallow,** fallow; **white,** white as a sheet; **pasty,** mealy, waxen; **ashen,** ashy, ashen-hued, gray; **anemic,** hypochromic, chloranemic; bloodless, exsanguine, exsanguinated, exsanguineous, bled white; **ghastly,** livid, lurid, **haggard,** cadaverous, sickly, deadly *or* deathly pale; pale as death *or* a ghost *or* a corpse, "pale as a forpined ghost" [Chaucer], "pale as his shirt" [Shakespeare]; pale-faced, tallow-faced, whey-faced.

.8 **bleached,** decolored, decolorized, whitened, blanched, lightened, bleached out, bleached white; drained, drained of color.

.9 **light, fair,** light-colored, light-hued; pastel; whitish 364.8.

.10 bleaches

benzoyl peroxide	gray sour
bleaching clay *or* earth	hydrochloric acid
bleaching powder	hydrogen peroxide
bleach liquor	Javelle water
bluing	lime
bone charcoal	lye boil
calcium hypochlorite	nitrogen tetroxide
chlorine	oxalic acid
chlorine dioxide	peroxide
chlorine water	sodium hypochlorite
Clorox	sour
dilute acid	sulfur dioxide
eau de Javelle [Fr]	sulfuric acid
	white sour

364. WHITENESS

.1 NOUNS **whiteness, whitishness;** albescence; **lightness, fairness;** paleness 363.2; silveriness; snowiness, frostiness; chalkiness; pearliness; **creaminess;** blondness; hoariness, grizzliness, canescence; milkiness, lactescence; glaucousness; glaucescence; **white,** silver; albinism, albinoism, achroma, achromasia, achromatosis; albino; leukoderma, vitiligo; white race 418.2,3.

.2 (comparisons) alabaster, chalk, lily, milk, pearl, sheet, swan, fleece, foam, silver, snow, driven snow, paper, flour, ivory, maggot.

.3 **whitening,** albification, blanching; etiolation; **whitewashing; bleaching** 363.3; silvering, frosting, grizzling.

.4 **whiting,** whitening, **whitewash,** calcimine; pipe clay, Blanco [Brit].

.5 VERBS **whiten,** white [archaic], etiolate, **blanch; bleach** 363.5; silver, grizzle, frost, besnow; chalk.

.6 **whitewash,** white [archaic], calcimine; pipe-clay, Blanco [Brit]; chalk.

.7 ADJS **white,** alb(o)–, leuc(o)– *or* leuk(o)–; pure white, **snow-white,** snowy, niveous, white as snow, "whiter than new snow on a raven's back" [Shakespeare], frosty, frosted; **hoary,** hoar, **grizzled,** grizzly, canescent; silver, **silvery,** silvered, argent [her], argentine; platinum; chalky, cretaceous; fleece- *or* fleecy-white; swan-white; foam-white; **milk-white,** milky, lactescent; marble, marmoreal; lily-white, white as a lily, "white as the whitest lily on a stream" [Longfellow]; white as a sheet.

.8 **whitish,** whity, albescent; **light, fair;** pale 363.7; off-white; eggshell; glaucous, glau-

cescent; pearl, pearly, pearly-white, pearl-white; alabaster, alabastrine; cream, **creamy;** ivory, ivory-white; gray-white; dun-white; lint-white.

.9 **blond;** flaxen-haired, fair-haired; artificial blond, bleached-blond, peroxide-blond; ash-blond, platinum-blond, strawberry-blond, honey-blond, blond-headed, blond-haired; **towheaded,** tow-haired; golden-haired 370.5.

.10 **albino,** albinic, albinistic, albinal.

.11 **white colors and pigments**

alabaster
antimony white
bismuth white
blanc d'argent [Fr]
blanc de fard [Fr]
blanc d'Espagne [Fr]
blanc fixe [Fr], barium sulfate, baryta white
blond
bone white
Chinese white
Dutch white
eggshell
flake white
ivory
Kremnitz *or* Krems *or* Kremser white
lead carbonate
off white
oyster white
Paris white
pearl
pearl white
permanent white
platinum
silver
snow white
strontium white
titanium white
white lead
zinc oxide, zinc white
zinc sulfide

365. BLACKNESS

.1 NOUNS **blackness,** nigritude, nigrescence; inkiness; **black, sable, ebony;** melanism; black race 418.2,3; darkness (absence of light) 337; –melane.

.2 **darkness, darkishness,** darksomeness, blackishness; **swarthiness,** swartness, swarth; **duskiness,** duskness; soberness, sobriety, **somberness,** graveness, sadness, funereality.

.3 **dinginess, griminess, smokiness,** sootiness, smudginess, smuttiness, blotchiness, dirtiness, **muddiness,** murkiness, fuliginousness, fuliginosity.

.4 (comparisons) ebony *or* ebon [archaic], jet, ink, sloe, pitch, tar, coal, charcoal, smoke, soot, smut, raven, crow, night.

.5 **blackening, darkening,** nigrification, melanization, denigration; shading; **smudging,** smutching, **smirching;** smudge, smutch, smirch, smut.

.6 **blacking,** blackening, blackwash; charcoal, burnt cork, black ink; lampblack, carbon black, stove black, gas black, soot.

.7 VERBS **blacken,** black, nigrify, melanize, denigrate; **darken,** bedarken; shade, shadow; blackwash, ink, charcoal, cork; **smudge,** smutch, **smirch,** besmirch, murk, blotch, blot, dinge; smut, soot; smoke, oversmoke; ebonize.

.8 ADJS **black,** atro–, mel(a)– *or* melo–, melan(o)– *or* melam–; **sable** [her], nigrous; **ebony,** "black as ebony" [Shakespeare]; deep black, of the deepest dye; **pitch-black, pitch-dark,** pitchy, black *or* dark as pitch, tar-black, tarry; night-black, night-dark, black *or* dark as night; midnight, black as midnight; **inky,** inky-black, atramentous, ink-black, black as ink; **jet-black,** jetty; **coal-black,** coaly, black as coal; sloe, sloe-black, sloe-colored; raven, **raven-black,** black as a crow, "cyprus black as e'er was crow" [Shakespeare]; **dark** 337.13–16.

.9 **dark,** dark-colored, **darkish,** darksome, blackish; nigrescent; **swarthy,** swart; **dusky,** dusk; **somber,** sombrous, **sober, grave,** sad, funereal.

.10 **dark-skinned,** black-skinned, **dark-complexioned; black, colored;** melanian, melanic, melanotic, melanistic, melanous, melano.

.11 **dingy, grimy, smoky,** sooty, **smudgy,** smutty, blotchy, dirty, **muddy,** murky, fuliginous, smirched, besmirched.

.12 **livid, black and blue.**

.13 **black-haired, raven-haired,** raven-tressed, black-locked; brunet.

.14 **black colors and pigments**

aniline black
blue black
bone black
Brunswick black
carbon black
chrome black
corbeau
direct black
drop black, Frankfort black
ink black
ivory black
japan
lampblack
naphthol blue black
naphthylamine black
nigrosine
raven black
slate black
soot black, sooty black
sulfur black

366. GRAYNESS

.1 NOUNS **grayness,** grayishness, canescence; glaucousness, glaucescence; silveriness; smokiness; mousiness; slatiness; leadenness; **gray,** neutral tint; lividness, lividity; dullness, drabness, soberness, somberness.

.2 **gray-haired** *or* **gray-headed person,** gray-hair, graybeard, grisard.

.3 VERBS **gray, grizzle,** silver, dapple.

.4 ADJS **gray, grayish,** gray-colored, gray-hued, gray-toned, grayed, poli(o)–; canescent; iron-gray, steely, steel-gray; Quaker-gray, Quaker-colored, acier, gray-drab; dove-gray, dove-colored; pearl-gray, pearl, pearly; silver-gray, silver, silvery, silvered; **grizzly,** grizzled, grizzle, griseous; ash-gray, ashen, ashy, cinerous, cinereous, cineritious [archaic], cinereal; dusty, dust-

gray; smoky, smoke-gray; charcoal-gray; slaty, slate-colored; stone-colored; leaden, livid, lead-gray; glaucous, glaucescent; mousy, mouse-gray, mouse-colored; taupe; dapple-gray, dappled-gray, dappled, dapple; gray-spotted, gray-speckled, salt-and-pepper; gray-white, gray-black, gray-blue, gray-brown, gray-green, etc.; **dull, dingy,** dismal, **somber, sober, sad, dreary.**

.5 **gray-haired,** gray-headed, silver-headed; hoary, hoary-haired, hoaryheaded; gray-bearded, silver-bearded.

.6 **gray colors and pigments**

acier
ash
ash gray
bat
battleship gray
cadet gray
charcoal gray
cinder gray
cloud gray
crystal gray
dove gray
field gray
French gray
glaucous gray
granite gray
grege
gun metal
iron gray
lead gray
light gunmetal
lilac gray
mole gray
moleskin
mouse gray
neutral tint
olive gray
opal gray
Oxford gray
oyster gray
Payne's gray
pearl
pearl gray
pelican
pepper-and-salt
pigeon's-neck
plumbago gray
powder gray
Quaker gray
salt-and-pepper
shell gray
silver gray
smoke gray
steel gray
taupe
zinc gray

367. BROWNNESS

.1 NOUNS **brownness, brownishness, brown;** browning, infuscation; brown race 418.2.

.2 VERBS **brown,** embrown, infuscate; rust; **tan, bronze,** suntan; sunburn, burn.

.3 ADJS **brown, brownish,** fusco–, pheo– *or* phaeo–, pyrr(o)– *or* pyrrh(o)–, tann(o)–; cinnamon, hazel; fuscous; **brunet,** brune; tawny, fulvous; tan, tan-colored; tan-faced, tan-skinned, tanned, sun-tanned; khaki, khaki-colored; drab, olive-drab; **dun,** dun-brown, dun-drab, dun-olive; beige, grege, ecru; **chocolate,** chocolate-colored, chocolate-brown; cocoa, cocoa-colored, cocoa-brown; coffee, coffee-colored, coffee-brown; toast, toast-brown; nut-brown; walnut, walnut-brown; seal, seal-brown; fawn, fawn-colored; grayish-brown, taupe; snuff-colored, mummy-brown; umber, umber-colored, umber-brown; olive-brown; **sepia;** sorrel; yellowish-brown, brownish-yellow; lurid [archaic]; brown as a berry, berry-brown.

.4 **reddish-brown,** brownish-red; roan; henna; terra-cotta; rufous, foxy; livid-brown; **mahogany,** mahogany-brown; auburn, Titian; **russet,** russety; rust, rust-colored, rusty, ferruginous, rubiginous; liver-colored, liver-brown; **bronze,** bronze-colored, bronzed, brazen; copper, coppery, copperish, cupreous, copper-colored; **chestnut,** chestnut-brown, castaneous; bay, bay-colored; bayard [archaic]; sunburned, adust [archaic].

.5 **brunet;** brown-haired; auburn-haired; xanthous.

.6 **brown colors and pigments**

acorn
alesan
alizarin brown
anthracene brown
anthragallol
antique bronze
antique brown
antique drab
antique gold
Argos brown
autumn leaf
biscuit
Bismarck brown
bister
bone brown
Bordeaux
bracken
brown madder
bunny brown
burnt almond
burnt umber
cachou de Laval [Fr]
café au lait
café noir
coconut
Cologne brown
Cyprus earth *or* umber
dead leaf
doeskin
drab
Dresden brown
dun
feuille-morte [Fr]
foliage brown
fox
French nude
Havana brown
hazel
Italian earth
Italian ocher
ivory brown
leather
Manchester brown
manganese brown
maple sugar
Mars brown
meadow lark
Merida
Mexican red
mineral brown
mummy
negro
olive brown
oriole
otter brown
partridge
philamot
raw sienna
raw umber
resorcin dark brown
Roman umber
Saint Benoit
seal
Sicilian umber
suntan
taupe brown
tawny
tenné
terra sienna
terra umbra
toast
topaz
Turkey umber
umber
Vandyke brown, Verona brown

.7 **reddish brown colors and pigments**

Arabian red
beef's blood
burgundy
burnt ocher
burnt sienna
Castilian brown
chestnut
Columbian red
coptic
cordovan
henna
India red
Kazak
liver brown
madder brown
Malaga red
oxblood
oxide brown, oxide purple
piccolopasso red
red robin
roan
russet
sang de bœuf [Fr]
sienna
Tanagra
terra cotta
Titian

368. REDNESS

.1 NOUNS **redness, reddishness,** rufosity, rubricity; **red,** *rouge* [Fr], gules; rubicundity, **ruddiness,** color, high color, floridness, floridity; rubor, erythema, erythroderma, "a fire-red cherubim's face" [Chaucer]; erythrism; reddish brown 367.7; red race 418.3; "any color, so long as it's red" [Eugene Field].

.2 **pinkness, pinkishness; rosiness; pink,** rose.

.3 **reddening,** rubefaction, rubification, rubescence, erubescence, rufescence; **coloring,** mantling, crimsoning, **blushing, flushing; blush,** flush, glow, bloom; hectic, hectic flush; rubefacient.

.4 VERBS (make red) **redden, rouge,** ruddle, rubify, rubric; warm, inflame; crimson, encrimson; vermilion, madder, miniate, henna, rust, carmine; incarnadine, pinkify; red-ink, lipstick.

.5 **redden,** turn *or* grow red, **color,** color up, **mantle, blush, flush, crimson;** flame, glow.

.6 ADJS **red, reddish,** gules [her], red-colored, red-hued, red-dyed, red-looking; **ruddy,** ruddied, rubicund; rubric(al), rubricate, rubricose; rufescent, rufous, rufulous; warm, hot, glowing; fiery, flaming, flame-colored, flame-red, fire-red, red as fire, lurid, red as a hot *or* live coal; reddened, inflamed; **scarlet, vermilion; crimson;** rubiate; maroon; damask; puce; stammel; cerise; iron-red; cardinal, cardinal-red; cherry, cherry-colored, cherry-red; carmine, incarmined; **ruby,** ruby-colored, ruby-red; wine, port-wine, wine-colored, wine-red, vinaceous; carnation, carnation-red; brick-red, brick-colored, bricky, tile-red, lateritious; rust, rust-red, rusty, ferruginous, rubiginous; lake-colored, laky; beet-red, red as a beet; lobster-red, red as a lobster; red as a turkey-cock; copper-red, carnelian; Titian, Titian-red; infrared; reddish-amber, reddish-gray, etc.; reddish-brown 367.4.

.7 **sanguine,** sanguineous, **blood-red,** blood-colored, bloody-red, bloody, gory, red as blood.

.8 **pink, pinkish,** pinky; **rose, rosy,** rose-colored, rose-hued, rose-red, roseate; primrose; flesh-color, flesh-colored, flesh-pink, incarnadine; coral, coral-colored, coral-red, coralline; salmon, salmon-colored, salmon-pink.

.9 **red-complexioned,** ruddy-complexioned, warm-complexioned, red-fleshed, red-faced, ruddy-faced, **ruddy,** rubicund, **florid,** sanguine, full-blooded; blowzy, blowzed; rosy, **rosy-cheeked;** glowing, blooming; hectic, flushed, flush; burnt, sunburned; erythematous.

.10 **redheaded,** red-haired, red-polled, red-bearded; erythristic; red-crested, red-crowned, red-tufted; carroty, chestnut, auburn, Titian, xanthous.

.11 reddening, blushing, flushing, coloring; rubescent, erubescent; rubificative, rubrific; rubefacient.

.12 **red colors and pigments**

Adrianople red
alizarin
amidonaphthol red
annatto
azogrenadine
azolitmin
bright rose
Burgundy
burnt carmine, burnt crimson lake, burnt lake
burnt ocher
cardinal
carmine
carmine lake
carminette
carnation
carnelian
casino pink
Chinese red
chrome red
chrome scarlet
cinnabar
claret, claret red, claret brown
cochineal
Congo rubine
copper red
coquelicot
cordovan
cresol red
cramoisie
crimson
crimson madder
damask
English red
faded rose
fire red
flame red
fuchsia red
fuchsine
Goya
gridelin, gris-de-lin
Harvard crimson
hellebore red
Indian red
infrared
iron red
Japanese red
jockey
lake
light red
livid brown
lobster
madder
madder carmine
madder crimson
madder lake
madder pink
madder purple
madder red
madder rose
Majolica earth
maroon
minium
murrey
Naples red
old red
palladium red
peach red
Persian earth
Persian red
phenosafranine
Pompeian red
ponceau
poppy
Prussian red
puce
purple lake
raisin
realgar
red lead
red ocher
roccellin
royal red
rubiate
rubine
ruby
ruddle
scarlet ocher
siena
solferino
stammel
strawberry
terra rosa
tile red
toluidine red
Turkey red
Vandyke red
Venetian red
vermilionette
wine

.13 **pink colors and pigments**

amaranth pink
annatto
begonia
burnt rose
cameo pink
carnation rose
chrome primrose
fiesta

flesh, flesh color
flesh red *or* pink
incarnadine
India pink
livid pink
madder scarlet
mallow pink
melon
moonlight
opera pink
orchid pink
orchid rose
peach
peachblossom pink
peach red
petal pink
Pompeii
primrose
red pink
rose
rose bengale
rose pink
royal pink
salmon
scarlet madder
shell pink
shocking pink
tea rose

369. ORANGENESS

.1 NOUNS **orangeness,** oranginess; **orange.**

.2 ADJS **orange, orangeish,** orangey *or* orangy, orange-hued, reddish-yellow; ocherous *or* ochery, ochrous *or* ochry, ochreous, ochroid, ocherish; old gold; pumpkin, pumpkin-colored; tangerine, tangerine-colored; apricot, peach; carroty, carrot-colored; orange-red, orange-yellow, red-orange, reddish-orange, yellow-orange, yellowish-orange.

.3 **orange colors and pigments**

apricot
azo-orange
burnt Italian earth
burnt ocher
burnt orange
burnt Roman ocher
burnt sienna
cadmium orange
cadmium yellow
carnelian
carotene
chrome orange
copper
copper red
Dutch orange
Florida gold
helianthin
hyacinth red
madder orange
mandarin
marigold
marigold yellow
Mars orange
methyl orange
ocher brown
ocher orange
ocher red
old gold
orange chrome yellow
orange lead
orange madder
orange mineral
orange ocher
orange vermilion
orpiment
orpiment red
pumpkin
raw sienna
realgar orange
Rubens' madder
Spanish ocher
tangerine
Tangier ocher
terra cotta
Titian
yellow carmine
zinc orange

370. YELLOWNESS

.1 NOUNS **yellowness, yellowishness;** goldenness, aureateness; yellow; gold, **or;** gildedness; fallowness.

.2 yellow skin, yellow complexion, sallowness; xanthochroism; **jaundice,** yellow jaundice, icterus, xanthoderma, xanthism; yellow race 418.2,3.

.3 VERBS **yellow,** turn yellow; **gild,** begild, engild; aurify; sallow; **jaundice.**

.4 ADJS **yellow, yellowish,** chrys(o)–, flav(o)–, luteo–, xanth(o)–; lutescent, luteous, luteolous; xanthic, xanthous; **gold, golden,** or [her], gold-colored, golden-yellow, gilt, gilded, auric, aureate; **canary,** canary-yellow; citron, citron-yellow, citreous; **lemon,** lemon-colored, lemon-yellow; sulfur-colored, sulfur-yellow; pale-yellow, **sallow,** fallow; cream, creamy, cream-colored; straw, straw-colored; flaxen, flaxen-colored, flax-colored; sandy, sand-colored; ocherous *or* ochery, ochrous *or* ochry, ochreous, ochroid, ocherish; buff, buff-colored, buff-yellow; beige, ecru; saffron, saffron-colored, saffron-yellow; primrose, primrose-colored, primrose-yellow; topaz-yellow.

.5 **yellow-haired, golden-haired,** auricomous, xanthous; blond 364.9.

.6 yellow-faced, yellow-complexioned, sallow, yellow-cheeked; **jaundiced,** xanthodermatous, icterous, icteroid.

.7 **yellow colors and pigments**

acid yellow
amber
apricot yellow
arsenic yellow
auramine
aureolin
azo flavine
azo yellow
barium chrome *or* chromate
barium yellow, baryta yellow
brilliant sulpho
buff
butter
cadmium yellow
California green
canarin
canary
Cassel yellow
chamois
champagne
chartreuse yellow
chrome
chrome lemon
chrome yellow
chrysophenin
Claude tint
crash
cream
crocus
curcumin
dandelion
Dutch pink
English pink
euxanthin
flax
gamboge
golden pheasant
goldenrod
golden yellow
grege
honey, honey yellow
Indian yellow
Italian pink
jonquil
king's yellow
lemon chrome
lemon yellow
madder yellow
maize
marigold yellow
massicot
metanil yellow
methyl yellow
middle stone
mikado yellow
milling yellow
naphthol yellow
oil yellow
old gold
old ivory
olivesheen
orpiment
Paris yellow
peach
pebble
permanent yellow
phosphine
primrose
primuline yellow
purree
pyrethrum yellow
quince yellow
quinoline yellow
saffron
sand
snapdragon
stil-de-grain yellow
straw
sulfur
sunflower yellow
tartrazine
yellow madder
yellow ocher
yellowstone
yolk yellow
xanthene
xanthin
xanthophyll
zinc yellow

371. GREENNESS

.1 NOUNS **greenness, greenishness; verdantness,** verdancy, **verdure,** virescence, viridescence, viridity; glaucousness, glaucescence; **green;** greensickness, chlorosis, chloremia, chloranemia; chlorophyll.

.2 **verdigris, patina;** patination.

.3 VERBS **green;** verdigris, patinate, patinize.

.4 ADJS **green,** chlor(o)–, verd(o)–; **verdant,** verdurous, vert [her]; grassy, leafy, leaved, foliaged; springlike, summerlike, summery, vernal, vernant, aestival; **greenish,** virescent; **grass-green,** chlorine, green as grass; citrine, citrinous; **olive,** olive-green, olivaceous; beryl-green, berylline; leek-green, porraceous [archaic]; holly, holly-green; ivy, ivy-green; emerald, emerald-green, smaragdine; chartreuse, yellow-green, yellowish-green, greenish-yellow; glaucous, glaucescent, glaucous-green; blue-green, bluish-green, green-blue, greenish-blue; greensick, chlorotic, chloremic, chloranemic.

.5 verdigrisy, verdigrised; patinous, patinaed, patinated *or* patinized.

.6 **green colors and pigments**

absinthe
apple green
aqua green
aquamarine
avocado green
beryl green
bice
bottle green
Brunswick green
celadon
chartreuse
chartreuse green
chartreuse tint
chrome *or* chromium green
chrome oxide green
chrysolite green
chrysoprase green
citron green
civette green
cobalt green
corbeau
cucumber green
cypress green
duck green
Egyptian green
emerald
emeraude
fir, fir green
gallein
glauconite
glaucous
glaucous green
grass green
green ocher
Guignet's green
Guinea green
holly green
Irish green
jade
Janus green
Kelly green
Kendal green
Kildare green
leaf green
leek green
Lincoln green
malachite green
marine green
meadow brook
methyl green
mignonette
milori green
Mitis green
Mittler's green
Montpellier green
moss green
myrtle
Nile green
olive
Paris green
parrot green
patina green
pea green
pistachio green
Quaker green
reseda
Rinnemann's green
sap green
Saxony green
Schweinfurt green
sea *or* sea-water green
serpentine green
shamrock
smalt green
Spanish green
terre-verte
turquoise
verdant green
Vienna green
verdet
viridian
verd gay
viridine green
verdigris
Wedgwood green
verditer
yew green
Veronese green
zinc green

372. BLUENESS

.1 NOUNS **blueness, bluishness;** azureness; **blue, azure;** lividness, lividity; cyanosis, –cyan.

.2 VERBS **blue,** azure.

.3 ADJS **blue, bluish,** cyan(o)–, ind(i)– *or* indo–, cerulescent; cyanic *or* cyaneous *or* cyanean; cerulean *or* ceruleous; **azure** [her], azurine, azurean *or* azureous, azured, azure-blue, azure-colored, azure-tinted; sky-blue, sky-colored, sky-dyed; light-blue, lightish-blue, light-bluish, pale-blue; dark-blue, deep-blue; peacock-blue, pavonine, pavonian; beryl-blue, berylline; turquoise, turquoise-blue; sapphire, sapphire-blue, sapphirine; livid; cyanotic.

.4 **blue colors and pigments**

Alice blue
aniline blue
aquamarine
azo blue
azulene
azure
azurite blue
baby blue
benzoazurine
beryl
bice
bleu céleste [Fr]
blue turquoise
bluing
Brunswick blue
cadet blue
calamine blue
Capri blue
cerulean
Chinese blue
ciba blue
cobalt
Copenhagen blue
cornflower
cyan
cyanine blue
daylight blue
delft blue
Dresden blue
electric blue
émail [Fr]
Empire blue
French blue
garter blue
gentian blue
glaucous blue
Gobelin blue
hyacinth
indanthrene blue
indigo
indigo white
isamine blue
Italian blue
jouvence blue
lacmoid
lapis lazuli blue
lavender blue
Leitch's blue
madder blue
marine blue
methylene azure
methylene blue
midnight blue
milori blue
national blue
navy, navy blue
new blue
old blue
peacock blue
Persian blue
pompadour green
Pompeian blue
powder blue
Prussian blue
robin's-egg blue
Saxe blue
sea blue
sky blue
smalt
smoke blue
steel blue
trypan blue
Turnbull's blue
turquoise
ultramarine
water blue
Wedgwood blue
wisteria blue
woad
zaffer

373. PURPLENESS

.1 NOUNS **purpleness, purplishness,** purpliness; **purple;** lividness, lividity.

.2 VERBS **purple,** empurple, purpurate [archaic].

.3 ADJS **purple,** purpure [her], purpureal *or* purpureous *or* purpurean, purpurate [archaic], purpureo–, purpuri–; **purplish,** purply, purplescent; **violet,** violaceous; plum-colored, plum-purple; amethystine; **lavender,** lavender-blue; lilac; magenta; mauve; mulberry; orchid; pansy-purple, pansy-violet; raisin-colored; livid.

.4 **purple colors and pigments**

amethyst
aniline purple
Argyle purple
bishop's purple
Burgundy violet
clematis
dahlia
damson
fluorite violet
fuchsia, fuchsia purple
fuchsia red
grape
grape wine
gridelin
heliotrope
Hortense violet
hyacinth
hyacinth violet
imperial purple
king's purple
lavender
lilac
livid purple
livid violet
madder violet
magenta
mallow
Mars violet
mauve, mauveine
methyl violet
monsignor
mulberry
orchid
pansy
pansy purple
pansy violet
Perkin's purple, Perkin's violet
plum
pontiff purple
prune purple
raisin black
raisin purple
regal purple, royal purple
solferino
Tyrian purple
violet
wine purple

374. VARIEGATION

(diversity of colors)

.1 NOUNS **variegation, multicolor,** particolor; medley *or* riot of colors; polychrome, polychromatism; dichromatism, trichromatism, etc.; dichroism, trichroism, etc.

.2 **iridescence,** iridization, irisation, **opalescence,** nacreousness, pearliness, **play of colors** *or* **light;** light show; moiré pattern, burelage.

.3 **spottiness,** maculation, freckliness, speckliness, mottledness, dappleness, dappledness, stippledness, spottedness, dottedness; **fleck, speck, speckle;** freckle; **spot,** dot, polka dot, macula, macule, blotch, splotch, patch, splash; **mottle, dapple;** **stipple,** stippling, pointillism, pointillage.

.4 **check, checker; plaid,** tartan; checkerwork, variegated pattern, harlequin, colors in patches, crazy-work, patchwork; parquet, parquetry, marquetry, mosaic, tesserae, tessellation; chessboard, checkerboard; crazy-paving [Brit].

.5 **stripe, striping, streak, streaking;** striation, striature, stria; striola, striga; crack, craze; bar, band, belt, list.

.6 (comparisons) spectrum, rainbow, iris, chameleon, leopard, jaguar, cheetah, ocelot, zebra, barber's pole, candy cane, Dalmatian, firedog, peacock, butterfly, mother-of-pearl, nacre, tortoise shell, opal, serpentine, chrysotile, antigorite, serpentine marble, marble, ophite, mackerel, mackerel sky, confetti, crazy quilt, patchwork quilt, shot silk, moiré, watered silk, marbled paper, Joseph's coat, harlequin.

.7 VERBS **variegate,** motley; polychrome, polychromize; harlequin; **mottle, dapple,** stipple, **fleck,** flake, **speck, speckle,** bespeckle, freckle, **spot,** bespot, dot, sprinkle, spangle, bespangle, pepper, stud, maculate; blotch, splotch; tattoo, stigmatize [archaic]; **check, checker;** tessellate; **stripe, streak,** striate, band, bar, vein; marble, marbleize; rainbow, iris.

.8 **iridesce,** iridize, iris; **opalesce,** opalize; moiré.

.9 ADJS **variegated, many-colored,** many-hued, divers-colored, **multicolored,** multicolor, multicolorous, **varicolored,** varicolorous, polychrome, polychromic, polychromatic, poecil(o)– *or* poikil(o)–, parti– *or* party–; parti-colored, parti-color; of all manner of colors, of all the colors of the rainbow; versicolor, versicolored, versicolorate, versicolorous; motley, medley [archaic], harlequin; colorful, colory; daedal; crazy; thunder and lightning; kaleidoscopic(al); prismatic(al), prismal, spectral; shot, shot through; bicolored, bicolor, dichromic, dichromatic; tricolored, tricolor, trichromic, trichromatic; two-color *or* -colored, three-color *or* -colored, two-tone *or* -toned, etc.

.10 **iridescent,** iridal, iridial, iridian, irid(o)–; irised, irisated, **rainbowy,** rainbowlike; **opalescent,** opaline, opaloid; nacreous, nacry, *nacré* [Fr], nacred, **pearly,** pearlish, mother-of-pearl; tortoise-shell; peacocklike, pavonine, pavonian; chatoyant; moiré, burelé.

.11 **chameleonlike,** chameleonic.

.12 **mottled, motley; pied, piebald,** skewbald, pinto; **dappled,** dapple; calico; marbled; clouded; pepper-and-salt.

.13 **spotted, dotted,** polka-dot, sprinkled, peppered, studded, pocked, pockmarked;

spotty, dotty, patchy, pocky; **speckled, specked,** speckledy, speckly, specky; **stippled,** pointillé, pointillistic; **flecked,** fleckered; spangled, bespangled; maculate, maculated, macular, macul(o)– *or* maculi–; punctate, punctated; freckled, frecked, freckly; blotched, blotchy, splotched, splotchy; flea-bitten.

.14 **checked, checkered,** check; **plaid,** plaided; tessellated, tessellate, mosaic.

.15 **striped,** stripy, **streaked,** streaky; **striated,** striate, striatal, striolate, strigate *or* strigose; barred, banded, listed; veined; **brindle,** brindled, brinded; tabby; marbled, marbleized; watered.

375. UNIVERSE

.1 NOUNS **universe, world, cosmos,** –cosm, cosm(o)–; creation, created universe, created nature, all, **all creation,** all *or* everything that is, all being, totality, totality of being, sum of things; omneity, allness; nature, system; wide world, whole wide world, "world without end" [Bible]; plenum; macrocosm, macrocosmos, megacosm; metagalaxy; steady-state universe, expanding universe, pulsating universe; Einsteinian universe, Newtonian universe; Ptolemaic universe, Copernican universe; sidereal universe.

.2 **heavens,** heaven, **sky, firmament,** uran(o)–; empyrean, welkin, *caelum* [L], lift *or* lifts [both dial]; **the blue,** blue sky, azure, cerulean, the blue serene; **ether, air,** hyaline, "the clear hyaline, the glassy sea" [Milton]; vault, cope, canopy, vault *or* canopy of heaven, "the arch of heaven" [Vergil], "that inverted bowl they call the sky" [Omar Khayyám], "heaven's ebon vault" [Shelley], starry heaven *or* heavens, "this majestical roof fretted with golden fire" [Shakespeare]; Caelus [Rom myth].

.3 **space, outer space,** cosmic space, empty space, ether space, pressureless space, celestial spaces, interplanetary *or* interstellar *or* intergalactic *or* intercosmic space, metagalactic space, **the void,** the void above, ocean of emptiness; chaos; outermost reaches of space; astronomical unit, light-year, parsec.

.4 **stars,** fixed stars, starry host, "living sapphires" [Milton], "all the fire-folk sitting in the air" [G. M. Hopkins], "the burning tapers of the sky" [Shakespeare], "the mystical jewels of God" [Robert Buchanan], "golden fruit upon a tree all out of reach" [George Eliot], "bright sentinels of the sky" [William Habington], "the pale populace of Heaven" [R. Browning]; music *or* harmony of the spheres; orb, sphere; **heavenly body,** celestial body *or* sphere; **comet; morning star,** daystar, Lucifer, Phosphor, Phosphorus; **evening star,** Vesper, Hesper, Hesperus, Venus; **North Star,** polestar, polar star, lodestar, Polaris; Dog Star, Sirius, Canicula; Bull's Eye, Aldebaran.

.5 **constellation** 375.28, **configuration,** asterism.

.6 **galaxy, island universe,** galactic nebula, galact(o)–; spiral galaxy *or* nebula, spiral; barred spiral galaxy *or* nebula, barred spiral; elliptical *or* spheroidal galaxy; **Milky Way,** galactic circle, *Via Lactea* [L]; galactic cluster, supergalaxy; galactic coordinates, galactic pole, galactic latitude, galactic longitude; galactic noise, cosmic noise.

.7 **nebula,** nebulosity; gaseous nebula; dust cloud; planetary nebula; ring nebula; diffuse nebula; bright diffuse nebula; dark nebula, dark cloud, coalsack; Nebula of Lyra *or* Orion, Crab Nebula, the Coalsack, Black Magellanic Cloud; nebulous stars; nebular hypothesis.

.8 **star,** aster(o)–, astr(o)–, sidero–; fixed star; giant star, red giant star; main sequence star; dwarf star, white dwarf star; binary star, double star; nova, supernova; variable star, Cepheid variable; radio star, quasar, quasi-stellar radio source; pulsar; neutron star; gravity star; black hole; magnitude, stellar magnitude, relative magnitude, absolute magnitude; populations; mass-luminosity law; spectrum-luminosity diagram, Hertzsprung-Russell diagram; star catalog, star chart, sky atlas, Messier catalog, Dreyer's New General Catalog *or* NGC; star cloud, star cluster, globular cluster, open cluster; Pleiades *or* Seven Sisters, Hyades, Beehive.

.9 **planet,** wanderer, terrestrial planet, inferior planet, superior planet, secondary planet, major planet; minor planet, planetoid, asteroid; Earth; Jupiter; Mars, areo–; Mercury; Neptune; Pluto; Saturn; Uranus; Venus; solar system.

.10 **Earth, world,** *terra* [L], tellur(o)– *or* telluri–; **globe,** terrestrial globe, the blue planet; geosphere, biosphere; vale, vale of tears; "this pendent world", "the little O, the earth", "this goodly frame, the earth", "a stage where every man must play a part" [all Shakespeare], "a seat where gods might dwell" [Milton];

mother earth, Ge *or* Gaea, Tellus *or* Terra; whole wide world, four corners of the earth, "the round earth's imagined corners" [Donne], the length and breadth of the land; geography 385.4.

.11 **moon, satellite,** selen(o)– *or* seleni–; orb of night, queen of heaven, queen of night, "that orbèd maiden" [Shelley], "the wat'ry star" [Shakespeare], "the governess of floods" [Shakespeare], "a ghostly galleon tossed upon cloudy seas" [Alfred Noyes], "Maker of sweet poets" [Keats], "the wandering Moon" [Milton], "bright wanderer, fair coquette of Heaven" [Shelley], "Queen and huntress, chaste and fair" [Ben Jonson], "sovereign mistress of the true melancholy" [Shakespeare], "a ruined world, a globe burnt out, a corpse upon the road of night" [Robert Burton]; silvery moon; **new moon,** wet moon; **crescent moon,** crescent, increscent moon, increscent, waxing moon, waxing crescent moon; decrescent moon, decrescent, waning moon, waning crescent moon; gibbous moon; **half-moon,** demilune; **full moon, harvest moon,** hunter's moon; artificial satellite 282.6,14.

.12 (moon goddess, the moon personified) Diana, Phoebe, Cynthia, Artemis, Hecate *or* Hekate, Selene, Luna, Astarte, Ashtoreth; man in the moon.

.13 **sun,** heli(o)–; orb of day, daystar; "the glorious lamp of Heav'n, the radiant sun" [Dryden], "that orbed continent, the fire that severs day from night" [Shakespeare], "of this great world both eye and soul" [Milton], "the God of life and poesy and light" [Byron]; photosphere, chromosphere, corona; sunspot; solar flare, solar prominence; solar wind.

.14 (sun god, the sun personified) Sol, Helios, Hyperion, Titan, Phaëthon, Phoebus, Phoebus Apollo, Apollo, Ra *or* Amen-Ra, Shamash, Surya, Savitar.

.15 **meteor,** meteor(o)–; falling *or* shooting star, meteoroid, fireball, bolide; **meteorite,** meteorolite; micrometeoroid, micrometeorite; aerolite; chondrite; siderite; siderolite; tektite; meteor dust, cosmic dust; meteor trail, meteor train; meteor swarm; meteor *or* meteoric shower; radiant, radiant point; meteor crater.

.16 **orbit, circle, trajectory;** circle of the sphere, great circle, small circle; **ecliptic; zodiac;** zone; meridian, celestial meridian; colures, equinoctial colure, solstitial colure; equator, celestial equator, equinoctial, equinoctial circle *or* line; equinox, vernal equinox, autumnal equinox; longitude, celestial longitude, geocentric longitude, heliocentric longitude, galactic longitude, astronomical longitude, geographic *or* geodetic longitude; apogee, perigee; aphelion, perihelion; period.

.17 **observatory,** astronomical observatory; radio observatory, orbiting astronomical observatory *or* OAO, orbiting solar observatory *or* OSO; **planetarium;** orrery; **telescope,** astronomical telescope; reflector, refractor, Newtonian telescope, Cassegrainian telescope; **radio telescope,** radar telescope; **spectroscope,** spectrograph; spectrohelioscope, spectroheliograph; coronagraph *or* coronograph; heliostat, coelostat.

.18 **cosmology,** cosmography, **cosmogony;** stellar cosmogony, astrogony; cosmism, cosmic philosophy, cosmic evolution; nebular hypothesis; big bang *or* expanding universe theory, oscillating *or* pulsating universe theory, steady state *or* continuous creation theory.

.19 **astronomy, stargazing,** uranology, astrognosy, astrography, uranography, uranometry; astrophotography, stellar photometry; spectrography, spectroscopy, radio astronomy, radar astronomy; **astrophysics,** solar physics; celestial mechanics, gravitational astronomy; astrolithology; meteoritics; astrogeology.

.20 **astrology,** stargazing, astromancy, **horoscopy;** astrodiagnosis; natural astrology; judicial *or* mundane astrology; genethliacism, genethlialogy, genethliacs, genethliac astrology; **horoscope,** nativity; zodiac, **signs of the zodiac; house,** mansion; house of life, mundane house, planetary house *or* mansion; aspect.

.21 **cosmologist;** cosmogonist, cosmogoner; cosmographer, cosmographist; cosmic philosopher, cosmist.

.22 **astronomer,** stargazer, uranologist, uranometrist, uranographer, uranographist, astrographer, astrophotographer; radio astronomer, radar astronomer; **astrophysicist,** solar physicist; astrogeologist.

.23 **astrologer,** astrologian, astromancer, stargazer, Chaldean, astroalchemist, horoscoper, horoscopist, genethliac [archaic].

.24 ADJS **cosmic,** cosmical, **universal;** cosmologic(al), cosmogonal, cosmogonic(al); cosmographic(al).

.25 **celestial, heavenly, empyrean,** empyreal; uranic; **astral, starry, stellar,** stellary, sphery; star-spangled, star-studded; side-

real; zodiacal; equinoctial; **astronomic(al), astrophysical, astrologic(al),** astrologistic, astrologous; **planetary,** planetarian, planetal, circumplanetary; planetoidal, planetesimal, asteroidal; **solar,** heliacal; terrestrial 385.6; **lunar,** lunular, lunate, lunulate, lunary, cislunar, translunar, Cynthian; semilunar; meteoric, meteoritic; extragalactic, anagalactic; galactic; nebular, nebulous, nebulose; interstellar, intersidereal; interplanetary; intercosmic.

.26 **extraterrestrial,** exterrestrial, extraterrene, extramundane, alien, space; **transmundane, otherworldly,** transcendental; extrasolar.

.27 ADVS **universally,** everywhere 179.11.

.28 **constellations**

Andromeda, the Chained Lady
Antlia *or* Antlia Pneumatica, the Air Pump
Apus, the Bird of Paradise
Aquarius, the Water Bearer
Aquila, the Eagle
Ara, the Altar
Argo *or* Argo Navis, the Ship Argo
Aries, the Ram
Auriga, the Charioteer
Big Dipper, Charles' Wain
Boötes, the Herdsman
Caelum *or* Caela Sculptoris, the Sculptor's Tool
Camelopardalis *or* Camelopardus, the Giraffe
Cancer, the Crab
Canes Venatici, the Hunting Dogs
Canis Major, the Larger Dog, Orion's Hound
Canis Minor, the Lesser Dog
Capricorn, the Horned Goat
Carina, the Keel
Cassiopeia, the Lady in the Chair
Centaurus, the Centaur
Cepheus, the Monarch
Cetus, the Whale
Chamaeleon, the Chameleon
Circinus, the Compasses
Columba *or* Columba Noae, Noah's Dove
Coma Berenices, Berenice's Hair
Corona Australis, the Wreath, the Southern Crown
Corona Borealis, the Northern Crown
Corvus, the Crow
Crater, the Cup
Crux, the Cross,
Cygnus, the Swan
Delphinus, the Dolphin
Dorado, the Dorado Fish
Draco, the Dragon
Equuleus, the Foal
Eridanus, the River Po
Fornax, the Furnace
Gemini, the Twins
Grus, the Crane
Hercules
Horologium, the Clock
Hydra, the Sea Serpent
Hydrus, the Water Snake
Indus, the Indian
Lacerta, the Lizard
Leo, the Lion
Leo Minor, the Lesser Lion
Lepus, the Hare
Libra, the Balance
Little Dipper
Lupus, the Wolf
Lynx, the Lynx
Lyra, the Lyre
Malus, the Mast
Mensa, the Table
Microscopium, the Microscope
Monoceros, the Unicorn
Musca, the Fly
Norma, the Rule
Northern Cross
Octans, the Octant
Ophiuchus, the Serpent Bearer
Orion, the Giant Hunter
Orion's Belt
Orion's Sword
Pavo, the Peacock
Pegasus, the Winged Horse
Perseus
Phoenix, the Phoenix
Pictor, the Painter
Pisces, the Fishes
Piscis Australis, the Southern Fish
Puppis, the Stern
Reticulum, the Net
Sagitta, the Arrow
Sagittarius, the Archer
Scorpio *or* Scorpius, the Scorpion
Sculptor, the Sculptor
Scutum, the Shield
Serpens, the Serpent
Sextans, the Sextant
Southern Cross
Taurus, the Bull
Telescopium, the Telescope
Triangulum, the Triangle
Triangulum Australe, the Southern Triangle
Tucana, the Toucan
Ursa Major, the Great Bear
Ursa Minor, the Lesser Bear
Vela, the Sails
Virgo, the Virgin
Volans *or* Piscis Volans, the Flying Fish
Vulpecula, the Little Fox

376. MATERIALITY

.1 NOUNS **materiality,** materialness; **corporeity,** corporality, corporeality, corporealness, bodiliness, embodiment, –somia; **substantiality,** concreteness 3.1; **physicalness,** physicality, physi(o)–, physic(o)–; flesh, flesh and blood, sarc(o)–, –sarc.

.2 **matter, material,** materiality, **substance** 3.2, **stuff,** hyle, hyl(o)–; brute matter; **element;** chemical element 379.1,10; the four elements; earth, air, fire, water; elementary particle, fundamental particle; elementary unit, building block, unit of being, monad; constituent, component; **atom** 326.4,21; atomic particles 326.6; **molecule;** material world, physical world, nature, natural world; hypostasis, substratum; plenum.

.3 **body,** physical body, material body, corpus [informal], anatomy [informal], person, **figure, form,** frame, **physique,** carcass [informal], bones, flesh, clay, clod, hulk; soma, somat(o)–, –some, –somus; **torso, trunk.**

.4 **object, article, thing,** material thing, affair, something; what's-its-name 584.2; something or other, *etwas* [Ger], *eppes* [Yid], *quelque chose* [Fr]; artifact; gadget 348.1; thingum, **thingumabob,** thingumadad, thingumadoodle, **thingumajig,** thingumajigger, thingumaree, thingummy, **doodad,** dofunny, **dojigger,** dojiggy, domajig, domajigger, **dohickey,** dowhacky, flumadiddle, gigamaree, **gimmick, gizmo,** dingus, hickey, jigger, hootmalalie, hootenanny, whatchy, widget [all slang *or* informal].

.5 **materialism,** physicism, epiphenomenalism, identity theory of mind, atomism,

mechanism; physicalism, behaviorism, instrumentalism, pragmatism, pragmaticism; historical materialism, dialectical materialism, Marxism; **positivism,** logical positivism, positive philosophy, empiricism, **naturalism;** realism, natural realism, commonsense realism, commonsense philosophy, naïve realism, new realism, critical realism, representative realism, epistemological realism; substantialism; hylomorphism; hylotheism; hylozoism; worldliness, earthliness, animalism, secularism, temporality.

.6 **materialist,** physicist, atomist; historical *or* dialectical materialist, Marxist; **naturalist;** realist, natural realist, commonsense realist, commonsense philosopher, epistemological realist.

.7 **materialization,** corporealization; substantialization, substantiation; **embodiment, incorporation,** personification, **incarnation; reincarnation,** reembodiment, transmigration, metempsychosis.

.8 VERBS **materialize,** corporealize; substantialize, substantify, substantiate; **embody** 3.5, body, **incorporate,** corporify, personify, **incarnate; reincarnate,** reembody, transmigrate.

.9 ADJS **material,** materiate, hylic, **substantial** 3.6; **corporeal,** corporeous, corporal, **bodily; physical,** somatic(al), –somatous; **fleshly;** worldly, earthly, **secular,** temporal, **unspiritual,** nonspiritual.

.10 **embodied,** bodied, **incorporated, incarnate.**

.11 **materialist** *or* **materialistic,** atomistic, mechanist, mechanistic; Marxian, Marxist; **naturalist, naturalistic, positivist, positivistic;** commonsense, **realist,** realistic; hylotheistic; hylomorphous; hylozoic, hylozoistic.

377. IMMATERIALITY

.1 NOUNS **immateriality,** immaterialness; incorporeity, incorporeality, incorporealness, **bodilessness; unsubstantiality** 4, unsubstantialness; **intangibility,** impalpability, imponderability; inextension, nonextension; nonexteriority, nonexternality; **unearthliness, unworldliness; supernaturalism** 85.7; **spirituality,** spiritualness, spirituousness [archaic], otherworldliness, ghostliness, shadowiness; occultism 1034, the occult, occult phenomena; psychism, psychics, psychic *or* psychical research, psychicism; spirit world, astral plane.

.2 incorporeal, incorporeity, immateriality, unsubstantiality 4.

.3 **immaterialism, idealism,** philosophical idealism, metaphysical idealism; objective idealism; absolute idealism; epistemological idealism; monistic idealism, pluralistic idealism; critical idealism; transcendental idealism; subjectivism; solipsism; subjective idealism; **spiritualism;** personalism; panpsychism, psychism, animism, hylozoism, animatism; Platonism, Platonic realism, Berkeleianism, Cambridge Platonism, Kantianism, Hegelianism, New England Transcendentalism; Neoplatonism; Platonic idea *or* ideal *or* form, pure form, form, universal; transcendental object; transcendental.

.4 immaterialist, **idealist;** Berkeleian, Platonist, Hegelian, Kantian; Neoplatonist; **spiritualist;** psychist, panpsychist, animist.

.5 dematerialization; **disembodiment,** disincarnation; **spiritualization.**

.6 VERBS dematerialize, immaterialize, unsubstantialize, insubstantialize, desubstantialize, **disembody,** disincarnate; **spiritualize,** spiritize.

.7 ADJS **immaterial,** nonmaterial; **unsubstantial** 4.5, insubstantial, **intangible,** impalpable, imponderable; unextended, extensionless; **incorporeal,** incorporate, incorporeous; **bodiless,** unembodied, without body, asomatous; **disembodied,** disbodied, discarnate, decarnate, decarnated; **unphysical,** nonphysical; **unfleshly;** airy, ghostly, phantom, shadowy, ethereal; **spiritual,** astral, psychic(al); **unearthly, unworldly, otherworldly,** extramundane, transmundane; supernatural 85.15; **occult** 1034.22.

.8 **idealist, idealistic,** immaterialist, immaterialistic; solipsistic; spiritualist, spiritualistic; panpsychist, panpsychistic; animist, animistic; Platonic, Platonistic, Berkeleian, Hegelian, Kantian; Neoplatonic, Neoplatonistic.

378. MATERIALS

.1 NOUNS **materials,** substances, stuff; **raw material, staple, stock;** material resources *or* means; store, supply 660; strategic materials; matériel; –ing.

.2 (building materials) sticks and stones, lath and plaster, bricks and mortar; roofing, roofage; walling, siding; flooring, pavement 657.7, paving material, paving; masonry, flag, flagstone, ashlar, stone 384.1,12; covering materials 228.43; mortar, plasters 228.44; cement, concrete, cyclo-

pean concrete, ferroconcrete, prestressed concrete, reinforced concrete; brick, firebrick, clinker, adobe; tile, tiling.

.3 **wood** 378.9, **lumber, timber,** hyl(o)–, lign(o)– *or* ligni–, xyl(o)–; hardwood, softwood; stick, stick of wood, stave; billet; pole, post, beam 217.3, **board,** plank; deal; two-by-four, three-by-four, etc.; slab, puncheon; slat, splat, lath; boarding, timbering, timberwork, planking; lathing, lathwork; sheeting; paneling 378.10, panelboard, panelwork; plywood, plyboard; sheathing, sheathing board; siding, sideboard; weatherboard, clapboard; shingle, shake; log; driftwood; firewood, stovewood; cordwood; cord.

.4 cane, bamboo, rattan.

.5 **fabric** 378.11, **cloth, rag, textile,** textile fabric, texture, tissue, stuff, weave, weft, woof, web, **material, goods,** drapery, *étoffe, tissu* [both Fr]; napery, table linen, felt, pil(o)– *or* pili–; silk, sereiceo–; wool 230.2; lace 378.12.

.6 **paper** 378.13, papyro–; sheet, leaf, page; quire, ream, stationery 602.29; cardboard.

.7 **synthetic;** synthetic fabric *or* textile *or* cloth; synthetic rubber; **plastic** 378.14, –plast, plasto–; thermoplastic; thermosetting plastic; resin plastic; cellulose plastic; protein plastic; cast plastic, molded plastic, extruded plastic; molding compounds; laminate; adhesive 50.13; plasticizer; polymer.

.8 VERBS gather *or* procure materials; **store, stock,** stock up 660.10–13; **process,** utilize.

.9 **woods**

acacia
alder
applewood
ash
balsa
balsam
banyan
bass, basswood
beech, beechwood
birch
brierwood, briarwood
burl
buttonwood
cedar, cedarwood
cherry
chestnut
cork
cottonwood
cypress
dogwood
ebony
elm, elmwood
eucalyptus
fir
fruit wood
gum, gumwood
hazel, hazelwood
hemlock
hickory
incense wood
ironwood
juniper
knotty pine
lancewood
larch
lemonwood
lignum vitae
linden
loblolly pine
locust
logwood
magnolia
mahogany
maple
oak
olive
orangewood
peachwood
pecan
Philippine mahogany
pine
poplar
Port Orford cedar
redwood
rosewood
sandalwood
satinwood
spruce
sumac
sycamore
teak, teakwood
tulipwood
tupelo
walnut
yew
zebrawood

.10 **panelings**

beaver board
Celotex
Coltwood
Compoboard
compreg
fiberboard
firred plywood
Formica
hardboard
impreg
Lamicoid
laminated wood
Masonite
Panelyte
pegboard
plasterboard
plastic plywood
plyboard
plywood
Pregwood
pressed hardboard
Reziwood
Sheetrock
wallboard
Weldwood

.11 **fabrics**

acetate *or* acetate rayon
Acrilan
alpaca
Aralac
arras
astrakhan
Avisco
awning cloth
Axminster
baize
balbriggan
Banlon
batik
batiste
blanketing
bouclé [Fr]
broadcloth
broadloom
brocade
brocatel
buckram
bunting
burlap
byssus
calico
cambric
cambric muslin
camel's hair
Canton flannel
canvas
carpeting
casheen
cashmere
cassimere
castor
Celanese
Celanese acetate
challis
chambray
cheesecloth
chenille
chenille Axminster
cheviot
chiffon
China silk
chinchilla
chino
chintz
coating
cord
corduroy
corseting
cotton
cotton cambric
covert cloth
crash
crepe
crepe de chine
cretonne
crinoline
Dacron
damask
denim
dimity
doeskin
Donegal tweed
double-knit
drap d'or [Fr]
drill
drilling
drugget
duck
duffel
dungaree
duvetyn
Dynel
faille
felt
fine linen
flannel
flannelette
fleece
foulard
frieze
fustian
gabardine
gauze
Georgette, Georgette crepe
gingham
gossamer
grenadine
grogram
grosgrain
gunny

haircloth
Harris Tweed
herringbone
hessian
homespun
hop sacking
horsehair
huck
huckaback
Jacquard
jean
jersey
knitwear
lamé
Lastex
lawn
Leatherette
linen
Linene
linenette
linoleum
linsey-woolsey
lisle
list
loden
longcloth
luster
mackinaw
mackintosh
madras
malines, maline
manta
mantua
marquisette
marseilles
mat
matting
melton
messaline
mohair
moiré
moleskin
monk's cloth
mousseline [Fr]
mousseline de soie [Fr]
murrey
muslin
nainsook
nankeen
near-silk
net
netting
nylon
oilcloth
oil silk
organdy
organza
Orlon
paisley
panne, panne velvet
pepper-and-salt
percale
permanent-press fabric
piqué
plaid
plush
polyester
pongee
poplin
print
Qiana
quilting
radium
rayon
rayon casheen
rep
Revolite
rugging
russet
sackcloth
sacking
sailcloth
samite
sarcenet
Sarelon
sateen
satin
say
scrim
seersucker
serge
shalloon
shantung
sharkskin
sheers
sheeting
shirting
shoddy
shot silk
silk
spun rayon
stamin
stammel
stockinette
stuff
suède, suède cloth
swansdown
tabaret
tabby
taffeta, taffety
tapestry
tarpaulin
tartan
terry, terry cloth
Terylene
tick, ticking
toile [Fr]
toweling
tricot
tricotine
tulle
tussah
tussore
tweed
twill
Ultrasuede
veiling
Velon
velours
velure
velvet
velveteen
Vicara
vicuña
Vinyon
voile
wash-and-wear fabric
watered fabric
webbing
wool
worsted

.12 laces

Alençon lace
bobbinet
bobbin lace
bobbin net
Brussels point
Carrickmacross lace
Chantilly lace
Dieppe lace
duchesse lace
fillet, filet lace
Greek lace *or* point
guipure
Mechlin lace
mignonette lace
Milan point
needlepoint
pillow lace
point, point lace
reticella
Roman lace *or* point
Shetland lace
tambour lace
tatting
Teneriffe lace
Valenciennes
Venetian point

.13 papers

art paper
baryta paper
Bible paper
binder's board
blotting paper
blueprint paper
bond paper
butcher paper
carbon, carbon paper
cardboard
cartridge paper
cellophane
cigarette paper
cloth paper
construction paper
copy *or* copying paper
crepe, crepe paper
crown paper
curlpaper
drawing paper
endpaper
facial tissue
filter paper
flimsy
flypaper
foolscap
gift wrap
graph paper
grass paper
hand paper
hand tissue
ice paper
India paper
kraft paper
lace paper
laid paper
ledger paper
letter paper
litmus paper
manila, Manila paper
matrix paper
millboard
music paper
newspaper
newsprint
note paper
oak tag
onionskin
paperboard
paper toweling
papier-mâché
papyrus
paraffin paper
parchment
pasteboard
plate paper
proof paper
pulpboard
rag paper
rice paper
roofing paper
sepia paper
sheathing paper
shop paper
stipple paper
strawboard
sulfate paper
tar paper
tissue, tissue paper
toilet tissue *or* paper
tracing paper
transfer paper
typewriter paper
vellum
wallpaper
wastepaper
wax *or* waxed paper
wrapping paper
writing paper

.14 plastics

acetate
acetate nitrate
acrylic
alkyd
aminoplast
Bakelite
Buna
casein plastic
cellophane
Celluloid
cellulose acetate
cellulose ether
cellulose nitrate
cellulosic
coumarone-indene
epoxy
fluorocarbon plastic
Formica
furane
lignin
Lucite
melamine
multiresin
Mylar

neoprene
nitrate
nylon
Perspex
phenolic
phenolic urea
Plexiglas
polyester
polyethylene
polymeric amide
polypropylene
polystyrene
polyurethane
polyvinyl chloride, PVC
polyvinyl-formaldehyde
resinoid
silicone resin
Styrofoam
Teflon
terpene
tetrafluoroethylene
urea
urea formaldehyde
vinyl
Vinylite

379. CHEMICALS

.1 NOUNS **chemical,** chem(o)– *or* chemi–, chemic(o)–; organic chemical, biochemical, inorganic chemical; fine chemicals, heavy chemicals; **element,** chemical element; **radical; ion,** anion, cation; atom 326.4,21; **molecule,** macromolecule; **compound;** isomer, pseudoisomer, stereoisomer, diastereoisomer, enantiomer, enantiomorph, alloisomer, chromoisomer, metamer, polymer, copolymer, interpolymer, high polymer, homopolymer, monomer, dimer, trimer, etc., oligomer, –mer(e), –meride; agent, **reagent; acid,** aci–, hydracid, oxyacid, sulfacid; acidity; **base,** basi–, baso–, **alkali,** nonacid; neutralizer, antacid; alkalinity.

.2 **trace element,** microelement, micronutrient, minor element.

.3 **valence,** valency [Brit], positive valence, negative valence; monovalence, univalence, bivalence, trivalence, tervalence, quadrivalence, tetravalence, etc., multivalence, polyvalence; covalence, electrovalence.

.4 **atomic weight,** atomic mass, atomic volume, mass number; **molecular weight,** molecular mass, molecular volume; atomic number, valence number.

.5 **chemicalization;** alkalization, alkalinization; acidification, acidulation, acetification; carbonation, chlorination, hydration, hydrogenation, saturization, hydroxylation, nitration, phosphatization; oxidation, oxidization; reduction; sulfation, sulfatization, sulfonation; isomerization, metamerization, polymerization, copolymerization, homopolymerization; isomerism, geometric isomerism, optical isomerism, position isomerism, tautoisomerism, metamerism, polymerism, copolymerism; fermentation, ferment, working; catalysis 53.2; electrolysis 342.22.

.6 VERBS **chemicalize,** chemical; alkalize, alkalinize, alkalify; acidify, acidulate, acetify; borate, carbonate, chlorinate, hydrate, hydrogenate, hydroxylate, nitrate, oxidize, reduce, pepsinate, peroxidize, phosphatize, sulfate, sulfatize, sulfonate; isomerize, metamerize, polymerize, copolymerize, homopolymerize; ferment, work; catalyze 53.4; electrolyze 342.25.

.7 ADJS **chemical;** biochemical, chemicobiologic; physicochemical, physiochemical, chemicophysical, chemicobiological, chemicophysiologic(al), chemicodynamic, chemicoengineering, chemicomechanical, chemicomineralogical, chemicopharmaceutical, chemurgic, electrochemical, iatrochemical, chemotherapeutic(al), chemophysiologic(al), macrochemical, microchemical, phytochemical, photochemical, radiochemical, thermochemical, zoochemical; elemental, elementary; acid 432.7; alkaline, alkali, nonacid, basic; isomeric, isomerous, metameric, metamerous, heteromerous, polymeric, polymerous, copolymeric, copolymerous, monomeric, monomerous, dimeric, dimerous, etc.

.8 valent; univalent, monovalent, monatomic, bivalent, trivalent, tervalent, quadrivalent, tetravalent, etc., multivalent, polyvalent; covalent, electrovalent.

.9 chemistry

actinochemistry
alchemy
analytical chemistry
applied chemistry
astrochemistry
atomic chemistry
biochemistry
biogeochemistry
business chemistry
chemiatry
chemical dynamics
chemical engineering
chemicobiology
chemicoengineering
chemicophysics
chemophysiology
chemurgy
colloid chemistry
colorimetry, colorimetric analysis
crystallochemistry
cytochemistry
electrochemistry
engineering chemistry
galactochemistry
geological chemistry, geochemistry
hydrochemistry
iatrochemistry
immunochemistry
industrial chemistry
inorganic chemistry
lithochemistry
macrochemistry
magnetochemistry
metallurgical chemistry
microchemistry
mineralogical chemistry
neurochemistry
nuclear chemistry
organic chemistry
pathological chemistry, pathochemistry
petrochemistry
pharmacochemistry
photochemistry
physical chemistry, physicochemistry
physiological chemistry, physiochemistry
phytochemistry
piezochemistry
polymer chemistry
psychobiochemistry, psychochemistry
pure chemistry
radiochemistry
soil chemistry
spectrochemistry
stereochemistry
structural chemistry
synthetic chemistry
theoretical chemistry
thermochemistry

topochemistry
ultramicrochemistry
zoochemistry, zoo-chemy
zymochemistry, zymurgy

.10 chemical elements

actinium, Ac
aluminum, Al
americium, Am
antimony, Sb
argon, Ar *or* A
arsenic, As
astatine, At
barium, Ba
berkelium, Bk
beryllium, Be
bismuth, Bi
boron, B
bromine, Br
cadmium, Cd
calcium, Ca
californium, Cf
carbon, C
cerium, Ce
cesium, Cs
chlorine, Cl
chromium, Cr
cobalt, Co
columbium, Cb
copper, Cu
curium, Cm
dysprosium, Dy
einsteinium, Es *or* E
erbium, Er
europium, Eu
fermium, Fm
fluorine, F
francium, Fr
gadolinium, Gd
gallium, Ga
germanium, Ge
gold, Au
hafnium, Hf
hahnium, Ha
helium, He
holmium, Ho
hydrogen, H
indium, In
iodine, I
iridium, Ir
iron, Fe
krypton, Kr
lanthanum, La
lawrencium, Lw
lead, Pb
lithium, Li
lutetium, Lu
magnesium, Mg
manganese, Mn
mendelevium, Md *or* Mv
mercury, Hg
molybdenum, Mo
neodymium, Nd
neon, Ne
neptunium, Np
nickel, Ni
niobium, Nb
nitrogen, N
nobelium, No
osmium, Os
oxygen, O
palladium, Pd
phosphorus, P
platinum, Pt
plutonium, Pu
polonium, Po
potassium, K
praseodymium, Pr
promethium, Pm
protactinium, Pa
radium, Ra
radon, Rn
rhenium, Re
rhodium, Rh
rubidium, Rb
ruthenium, Ru
rutherfordium, Rf
samarium, Sm
scandium, Sc
selenium, Se
silicon, Si
silver, Ag
sodium, Na
strontium, Sr
sulfur, S
tantalum, Ta
technetium, Tc
tellurium, Te
terbium, Tb
thallium, Tl
thorium, Th
thulium, Tm
tin, Sn
titanium, Ti
tungsten *or* wolfram, W
uranium, U
vanadium, V
xenon, Xe
ytterbium, Yb
yttrium, Y
zinc, Zn
zirconium, Zr

.11 chemicals

absolute alcohol
acetate
acetone
alcohol
aldehyde
amine
ammonia
amyl alcohol
anhydride
arsenate
arsenite
basic anhydride
benzoate
bicarbonate
bicarbonate of soda
bichloride of mercury
bisulfate
borate
borax
bromide
calcium carbonate
calcium hydroxide
carbide
carbohydrate 309.22
carbonate
carbon dioxide
carbon monoxide
Chile saltpeter
chlorate
chloride
chlorite
chromate
citrate
copperas
cyanide
dehydrated alcohol
dichromate
dioxide
disulfide
ester
ether
ethyl, ethyl alcohol, ethanol
fluoride
formaldehyde
fulminate
halide
halogen
hydrate
hydride
hydrocarbon
hydroxide
hypochlorite
iodide
isopropyl alcohol, isopropanol
ketone
lactate
lye
methane
methyl
methyl alcohol, methanol
monoxide
niter
nitrate
nitride
nitrite
oxalate
oxide
permanganate
peroxide
petrochemical
phosphate
phosphide
potash, potassium hydroxide
potassium nitrate
sal ammoniac
salt
saltpeter
silicate
sodium bicarbonate
sodium chloride
sulfate
sulfide
sulfite
tartrate
thiosulfate
trioxide

.12 acids

acetic acid
acetylsalicylic acid, aspirin
acrylic acid
amino acid 309.24
ammono acid
aqua fortis
aqua regia
arsenic acid
ascorbic acid
battery acid
benzoic acid
boric acid
butyric acid
carbolic acid
carbonic acid
chloric acid
chlorous acid
chromic acid
citric acid
cyanic acid
fluoric acid
folic acid
formic acid
fumaric acid
gallic acid
hydrobromic acid
hydrochloric acid
hydrocyanic acid
hydrofluoric acid
hydroiodic acid
hypochlorous acid
iodic acid
lactic acid
lauric acid
lignosulphonic acid
linoleic acid
maleic acid
malic acid
muriatic acid
niacin, nicotinic acid
nitric acid
nucleic acid
oil of vitriol
oleic acid
oxalic acid
palmitic acid
pectic acid
perboric acid
perchloric acid
phenol
phosphoric acid
picric acid
prussic acid
salicylic acid
stearic acid
sulfanilic acid
sulfuric acid
tartaric acid
undecylenic acid
uric acid
vitriol

.13 chemical apparatus

alembic
aspirator
beaker
blowpipe
Büchner funnel
Bunsen burner

burette
capillary tube
centrifuge
condenser
crucible
deflagrating spoon
desiccator
distiller
Erlenmeyer flask
etna
evaporating dish
funnel
graduated cylinder, graduate
Kipp's apparatus, Kipp generator
matrass
pestle and mortar
pipette
precision balance
reagent bottle
receiver
reflex condenser
retort
separatory funnel
still
test tube
volumetric flask

380. OILS, LUBRICANTS

.1 NOUNS **oil,** ole(o)– *or* oli–, *oleum* [L]; **fat,** lipid, lip(o)–, lipar(o)–, **grease;** ester; cerate; sebum, sebo–, sebi–; tallow, steat(o)–; mineral oil, vegetable oil, animal oil; fixed oil, fatty oil, nonvolatile oil, volatile oil, essential oil; saturated fat, hydrogenated fat, unsaturated fat, polyunsaturated fat; drying oil, semidrying oil, nondrying oil.

.2 **lubricant,** lubricator, lubricating oil, lubricating agent, antifriction; graphite, plumbago, black lead; silicone; glycerin; wax 380.15, cer(o)–; mucilage, mucus, synovia.

.3 **ointment, balm, salve, lotion, cream, unguent,** unguentum, inunction, inunctum, unction, chrism; soothing syrup, lenitive, embrocation, demulcent, emollient; spikenard, nard; balsam; **pomade,** pomatum, brilliantine; cold cream, hand lotion, face cream, lanolin; eye-lotion, eyewash, collyrium.

.4 **petroleum,** petr(o)– *or* petri–, rock oil, fossil oil; crude oil, crude; **gasoline,** gas [informal], **petrol** [Brit]; aviation gasoline, avgas; ethyl, ethyl gas, premium gas, high-test, high-octane gas; regular, regular gas; low-lead gas, lead-free gas, white gas; **kerosene,** paraffin 331.1; diesel oil, diesel fuel; motor oil.

.5 **oiliness, greasiness, unctuousness,** unctiousness, unctuosity; **fattiness,** fatness, pinguidity; richness; sebaceousness; adiposis, adiposity; **soapiness,** saponacity *or* saponaceousness; smoothness, slickness, sleekness, **slipperiness,** lubricity.

.6 **lubrication,** lubricating, **oiling, greasing,** lubrification [archaic]; grease job *or* lube [both informal]; **anointment,** unction, inunction; chrismatory, chrismation.

.7 lubritorium, lubritory; grease rack, grease pit.

.8 VERBS **oil,** grease; **lubricate,** lubrify [archaic]; **anoint,** salve, unguent, embrocate, dress, pour oil *or* balm upon; smear, daub; slick, slick on [informal]; pomade; lard; glycerolate, glycerinate, glycerinize; wax, beeswax; smooth the way, soap the ways, grease the wheels.

.9 ADJS **oily, greasy; unctuous,** unctional; unguinous; **oleaginous,** oleic; unguentary, **unguent,** unguentous; chrismal, chrismatory; **fat, fatty,** adipose, adip(o)–; pinguid, pinguedinous, pinguescent; rich; sebaceous; blubbery, tallowy, suety; lardy, lardaceous; buttery, butyraceous; soapy, saponaceous; paraffinic; mucoid; smooth, slick, sleek, **slippery.**

.10 **lubricant,** lubricating, **lubricative,** lubricatory, lubricational; lenitive, emollient, soothing.

.11 **mineral and fuel oils**

absorber oil
anthracene oil
asphalt-base oil
Barbados tar
benzine
carbolic oil
coal oil
creosote
creosote oil
derv [Brit]
fuel oil
furnace oil
gas oil
green oil
hidyne [Brit]
jet fuel
kerosene
lamp oil
light oil
liquid petrolatum
lube oil
medicinal oil
middle oil
mineral oil
mineral seal oil
mineral sperm oil
mineral spirits
naphtha
naphthalene
naphthene-base oil
paraffin *or* paraffine [Brit]
paraffin-base oil
petrolatum
petroleum
petroleum benzine
petroleum jelly
petroleum spirit
road oil
saturating oil
shale naphtha *or* spirit
shale oil
signal oil
stove oil
technical oil
white oil

.12 **vegetable oils**

absinthe
almond oil
anise *or* aniseed oil
avocado oil
bay *or* bayberry oil
beechnut oil
camphor
candlenut oil
carapa oil
castor *or* ricinus oil
cedarwood oil
China wood oil
citronella
clove oil
cocoa butter
coconut oil *or* butter
colza *or* rape oil
copaiba
copra oil
corn oil
cotton *or* cottonseed oil
croton oil
eucalyptus oil
flaxseed oil
fusel oil
grain oil
gum spirit
hempseed oil
kekuna oil
kokum butter
laurel butter *or* oil
lemon oil
linseed oil
Macassar oil
mace butter
maize oil
nut oil
oil of almonds
oil *or* spirits of turpentine
oleoresin
olive oil
palm-kernel oil, palm butter
palm oil
peanut oil
peppermint oil

perilla oil
pine-needle oil
pine oil
pine tar
pine-tar oil
poppyseed oil
rapeseed oil
resin oil
rosin grease
rosin oil
safflower oil
sesame oil
soybean oil
spearmint oil
spikenard
sunflower oil
sweet *or* edible oil
tung oil
turpentine
walnut oil
wintergreen oil
wood oil
wood turpentine

.13 animal oils, fats

adipose tissue
beef tallow
blubber
bone oil
bottlenose oil
butter
butterfat
cod-liver oil
cod oil
doegling oil
dripping, drippings
fat
fish oil
ghee
goose grease
halibut-liver oil
Haliver Oil
hog lard
lanolin
lard
lard oil
lipid
lipoma
margarine
menhaden oil
mutton tallow
neat's-foot oil
oleo
oleomargarine
oleo oil
porpoise oil
salmon oil
sardine oil
seal oil
shark *or* shark-liver oil
shortening
sperm oil
suet
tallow
tallow oil
tuna oil
whale oil
wool fat *or* grease
wool oil

.14 glyceryl esters

glycerin
glycerin jelly
glycerite, glycerole
glycerogel
glycerogelatin
glycerol
margarin
olein
palmitin
stearin
trimargarin
triolein
tripalmitin
tristearin

.15 waxes

ader wax
ambergris
beeswax
candelilla wax
carnauba wax
casting wax
cerate
ceresin
fig wax
floor wax
fossil wax
Ghedda wax
gondang wax
lac wax
mineral wax
ozokerite
paraffin scale
paraffin wax
pisang wax
scale wax
sealing wax
ski wax
vegetable wax

381. RESINS, GUMS

.1 NOUNS **resin,** resina, resino–, retin(a)– *or* retini–; **gums,** gum resins; oleoresins; hard *or* varnish resins; acaroid resins, gum acaroides, coumarone resins, fossil resins, amber, succin(o)–, lac resins, pine resins, vegetable resins; resinoid, synthetic resin, plastic; resene; resinate, rosin, gum rosin, colophony, colophonium.

.2 VERBS resin, resinize, resinate; rosin.

.3 ADJS **resinous,** resinic, resiny; resinoid; rosiny; **gummy,** gummous, gumlike; pitchy.

.4 resins, gums

acacia
agar
algin
amber
ambergris
ammoniac
amyrin
animé
asa dulcis
asafetida
balsam
bassorin
Bengal kino
benjamin
benzoin
British Indian gum
butea gum, butea kino
cachibou
camphor
Canada balsam
carob gum
carrageenin
cherry-tree gum
chewing gum
chicle
colophony, colophonium
Congo copal
conima
copaiba
copal
copaline
dammar
dragon's blood
elemi
euphorbium
fossil copal
frankincense
galbanum
garnet lac
ghatti
guacin
guaiac, guaiacum
guar gum
gum ammoniac
gum animé
gum arabic
gum archipin
gum benjamin *or* benzoin
gum butea
gum copal
gum dammar
gum elemi
gum euphorbium
gum galbanum
gum guaiac *or* guaiacum
gum juniper
gum kauri
gum kino
gum labdanum
gum-lac
gum myrrh
gum olibanum
gum opoponax
gum resin
gum rosin
gum sagapenum
gum sandarac
gum shellac
gum storax
gutta-percha
hard resin
herabol myrrh
incense resin
karaya
kauri, kauri resin *or* gum
kino
Kordofan gum
labdanum
lac
lacquer
liquidambar
locust-kernel gum
mastic
megilp
mesquite gum
myrrh
oleoresin
olibanum
opoponax
pitch
quince-seed gum
rosin
sagapenum
sandarac
seed-lac
Senegal gum
shellac
Sonora lac
sterculia gum
stick lac
storax
tragacanth
wood rosin
Zanzibar copal

382. INORGANIC MATTER

.1 NOUNS **inorganic matter,** nonorganic matter; inanimate *or* lifeless *or* nonliving matter, inorganized *or* unorganized matter, **brute matter;** mineral kingdom *or* world.

.2 **inanimateness,** inanimation, **lifelessness,** inertness; **insensibility,** insentience, insen-

sateness, senselessness, unconsciousness, unfeelingness.

.3 inorganic chemistry; chemicals 379.

.4 ADJS **inorganic,** unorganic, nonorganic; **mineral,** nonbiological; unorganized, inorganized.

.5 **inanimate,** inanimated, unanimated, exanimate, azoic, abio–, abiotic, nonliving, **lifeless,** soulless; inert; insentient, unconscious, nonconscious, **insensible,** insensate, senseless, unfeeling; dumb, mute.

383. MINERALS AND METALS

.1 NOUNS **mineral;** –ine, –ite, –lite *or* –lyte, –lyth; inorganic substance, lifeless matter found in nature, oryct(o)–; extracted matter *or* material; **mineral world** *or* **kingdom;** mineral resources; mineraloid, gel mineral, metamict substance; mineralization.

.2 **ore,** mineral; mineral-bearing material; unrefined *or* untreated mineral; natural *or* native mineral.

.3 **metal;** metallics; native metals, alkali metals, earth metals, alkaline-earth metals, noble metals, precious metals, base metals, rare metals, rare-earth metals *or* elements; metalloid, semimetal, nonmetal; bullion (gold or silver); gold dust; metal leaf, metal foil; metalwork, metalware; metallicity, metalleity.

.4 **alloy,** alloyage, fusion, compound; **amalgam.**

.5 **cast, casting; ingot, bullion;** pig, sow; sheet metal; button, gate, regulus.

.6 **mine,** pit; **quarry; diggings, workings;** open cut, opencast; bank; shaft; coal mine, colliery; strip mine; gold mine, silver mine, etc.

.7 **deposit,** mineral deposit, pay dirt; **vein, lode,** dike, ore bed; shoot *or* chute, ore shoot *or* ore chute; chimney; stock; placer, placer deposit, placer gravel; country rock; lodestuff, gangue, matrix, veinstone.

.8 **mining;** coal mining, gold mining, etc.; strip mining; placer mining; hydraulic mining; prospecting; mining claim, lode claim, placer claim; gold fever; gold rush.

.9 **miner,** mineworker, pitman; coal miner, collier [Brit]; gold miner, gold digger; gold panner; placer miner; quarry miner; **prospector,** desert rat, sourdough; **forty-niner;** hand miner, rockman, powderman, driller, draw man; butty.

.10 **mineralogy;** mineralogical chemistry; crystallography; **petrology,** petrography, micropetrography; **geology** 385.4; mining geology, mining engineering.

.11 **metallurgy;** metallography, metallurgical chemistry, metallurgical engineering, physical metallurgy, powder metallurgy, electrometallurgy, hydrometallurgy, pyrometallurgy.

.12 **mineralogist; metallurgist,** electrometallurgist, metallurgical engineer; **petrologist,** petrographer; **geologist** 385.5; mining engineer.

.13 VERBS mineralize; petrify 356.7.

.14 **mine;** quarry; pan, pan for gold; prospect; hit pay dirt.

.15 ADJS **mineral,** –litic; inorganic 382.4; mineralized, petrified; asbestine, carbonous, graphitic, micaceous, alabastrine, quartzose, silicic; sulfurous, sulfuric; ore-bearing, ore-forming.

.16 **metal, metallic,** metallike, metall(o)– *or* metal(o)–, metalline, metalloid *or* metalloidal, metalliform; semimetallic; nonmetallic; metallo-organic *or* metallorganic, organometallic; bimetallic, trimetallic; metalliferous, metalbearing.

.17 brass, brassy, brazen; bronze, bronzy; copper, coppery, cuprous, cupreous; gold, golden, gilt, aureate; nickel, nickelic, nickelous, nickeline; silver, silvery; iron, ironlike, ferric, ferrous, ferruginous; steel, steely; tin, tinny; lead, leaden; pewter, pewtery; mercurial, mercurous, quicksilver; gold-filled, gold-plated, silver-plated, etc.

.18 **mineralogical, metallurgical,** petrological, crystallographic.

.19 **minerals**

alabaster
amphibole
antimony, stib(o)– *or* stibi(o)–
apatite
aplite
argillite
arsenic, ars–
asbestos
asphalt
azurite
barite
bauxite
bitumen
boron, bor(o)–
brimstone
bromine, brom(o)–
brookite
brucite
calcite
carbon, carb(o)–
celestite
chalcedony
chlorite
chromite
clay
coal 331.10
coke
corundum
cryolite
diatomite
elaterite
emery
epidote
epsomite
feldspar
fluorite
fluorspar
fool's gold
garnet
glauconite
graphite
gypsum
hatchettine
holosiderite
hornblende
ilmenite
iolite
iron pyrites
jet

kaolinite
kyanite
lazurite
lignite
lime
magnesite
malachite
maltha
marcasite
marl
meerschaum
mica
mineral charcoal
mineral coal
mineral oil 380.11
mineral salt
mineral tallow
mineral tar
mineral wax
molybdenite
monazite
obsidian
olivine
orthoclase
ozokerite
peat
perlite
phosphate rock
phosphorus, phosph(o)–, phosphor(o)–
pitchblende
pumice
pumicite
pyrite
pyrites
pyroxene
quartz
realgar
red clay
rhodonite
rock crystal
rocks 384
rutile
salt, hal(o)–
selenite
selenium, selen(o)– *or* seleni–
siderite
silica
silicate
silicon, sil–, silic(o)–
spar
spinel
spodumene
sulfur, sulf(o)–
talc, talcum, talc(o)–
tellurium, tellur(o)–, telluri–
tourmaline
tripoli
vermiculite
wollastonite
wulfenite
zeolite

.20 ores

argentite
arsenopyrite
bauxite
cassiterite
chalcocite
chalcopyrite
cinnabar
galena
göthite
hematite
iron ore
ironstone
limonite
lodestone
magnetite
mispickel
pyrite
siderite
stibnite
tinstone
turgite
zincite

.21 elementary metals

aluminum, aluminium [Brit], alumin(o)–
americium
barium
beryllium
bismuth, bismut(o)–
cadmium
calcium, calcio–
cerium
cesium
chromium *or* chrome, chrom(o)–
cobalt, cobalti– *or* cobalto–
copper, cupr(o)– *or* cupri–, chalc(o)– *or* chalk(o)–
dysprosium
erbium
europium
gadolinium
gallium
germanium, germano–
gold, auro–
hafnium
holmium
indium
iridium, irid(o)–
iron, ferro– *or* ferri–, sider(o)–
lanthanum
lead, plumb(o)–, molybd(o)–
lithium, lithi(o)–
lutetium
magnesium *or* magnesia, magnesio–
manganese, mangan(o)– *or* mangani–
mercury, mercur(o)–
molybdenum, molybd(o)–
neodymium
nickel
niobium
osmium, osm(o)–
palladium
phosphorus
platinum, platin(o)–
polonium
potassium
praseodymium
promethium
protactinium
radium, radio–
rhenium
rubidium
ruthenium, ruthen(o)– *or* ruthenio–
samarium
scandium
silver, argent(o)– *or* argenti–, argyr(o)–
sodium, natr(o)–
strontium
tantalum, tantal(o)– *or* tantali–
technetium
terbium
thallium
thorium
thulium
tin, stann(o)– *or* stanni–
titanium, titan(o)–
tungsten, tungst(o)–, wolfram, wolfram(o)–
uranium, uran(o)–
vanadium, vanad(o)–
ytterbium
yttrium
zinc, zinco–
zirconium

.22 alloys

admiralty metal
air-hardened steel
alloy iron
alloy steel
alnico
aluminum bronze
babbitt *or* babbitt metal
basic iron
bearing steel
bell metal
beryllium bronze
brass, chalc(o)– *or* chalk(o)–
britannia metal
bronze, chalc(o)– *or* chalk(o)–
bush metal
Carboloy
carbon steel
cartridge brass
case-hardened steel
cast iron
cheoplastic metal
chisel steel
chrome *or* chromium steel
chrome-nickel steel
cinder pig
coin nickel
coin silver
constantan
cupronickel
damask *or* Damascus steel
decarbonized iron
dental gold
die steel
drill steel
Duralumin
Duriron
electrum
elinvar
fuse metal
galvanized iron
German silver
gilding metal
graphite steel
green gold
grid metal
gun metal
hard lead
high brass
high-speed steel
hot-work steel
hypernik
inconel
ingot iron
invar
leaded bronze
low brass
manganese bronze
mine pig
misch metal
Monel Metal
Muntz metal
naval brass
nichrome
nickel bronze
nickel silver
ni-hard iron
ni-resist iron
oil-hardened steel
Permalloy
perminvar
pewter
phosphor bronze
pig, pig iron
pig lead
pinchbeck
red brass
rose metal
shot metal
silicon bronze
silicon steel
solder
spiegeleisen
stainless steel
steel
Stellite
sterling silver
structural iron
structural steel
Swedish steel
tin bronze
tombac
tool steel
tula metal
type metal
white gold
white metal
Wood's metal
wrought iron
yellow brass

yellow gold — yellow metal

.23 leaf metals

aluminum foil — lead foil
Dutch foil *or* leaf *or* gold — silver foil
gold — silver leaf
gold foil — tin foil
gold leaf

384. ROCK

.1 NOUNS **rock, stone,** petr(o)– *or* petri–, saxi–, lith(o)–, –lith; living rock; **igneous rock,** plutonic *or* abyssal rock, hypabyssal rock; volcanic rock, extrusive *or* effusive rock, scoria; magma, intrusive rock; granite, grano–, basalt, porphyry, –phyre; **lava,** aa, pahoehoe, ropy lava, corded pahoehoe, elephant-hide pahoehoe, entrail pahoehoe, festooned pahoehoe, sharkskin pahoehoe, shelly pahoehoe, slab pahoehoe, block lava, pillow lava, ellipsoidal lava *or* basalt; **sedimentary rock;** limestone, sandstone; **metamorphic rock,** blast(o)–, –blast, orth(o)–, par(a)–; schist, gneiss; conglomerate, pudding stone, breccia, –clast; rubble, rubblestone, scree, talus, tuff, tufa, brash; sarsen, sarsen stone, druid stone; monolith; crag, craig [Scot]; bedrock; mantlerock, regolith; saprolite, geest, laterite.

.2 **sand,** amm(o)–, psamm(o)–; grain of sand; sands of the sea; sand pile, sand dune, sand hill; sand reef, sandbar.

.3 **gravel,** shingle, chesil [Brit].

.4 **pebble,** pebblestone, gravelstone, chuckie [Scot]; jackstone *or* checkstone [both dial]; fingerstone; slingstone; drakestone; spall.

.5 **boulder,** river boulder, shore boulder, glacial boulder.

.6 **precious stone, gem,** gem stone, crystal, stone; semiprecious stone; gem of the first water; birthstone.

.7 petrification, petrifaction, lithification, crystallization.

.8 geology, petrology, crystallography; petrochemistry.

.9 VERBS petrify, lithify, crystallize, turn to stone; harden 356.7.

.10 ADJS **stone, rock;** lithic, –litic; petrified; petrogenic, petrescent; adamant, adamantine; flinty, flintlike; marbly, marblelike; granitic, granitelike; slaty, slatelike.

.11 **stony, rocky,** lapideous; stonelike, rocklike, lithoid *or* lithoidal; sandy, gritty 361.12; gravelly, shingly, shingled; pebbly, pebbled, –clastic; porphyritic, –phyric; trachytic, trachy–; crystal, crystalline, crystall(o)–; bouldery, rock- or boulder-strewn, rock-studded, rock-ribbed; craggy; monolithic.

.12 stones

anthraconite — lava
aplite — limestone
aventurine — lodestone
basalt — Lydian stone
basanite — marble
beetlestone — milkstone
brimstone — mudstone
brownstone — obsidian
buhr, buhrstone — phonolite
cairngorm — pitchstone
chalk — porphyry
clinkstone — pumice
corundophilite — quarrystone
dendrite — quartz
diabase — quartzite
diorite — rance
dolerite — rottenstone
dolomite — sandstone
dripstone — serpentine
eaglestone — shale
emery rock — slabstone
fieldstone — slate
flag, flagstone — smokestone
flint — snakestone
floatstone — soapstone
freestone — stalactite
geode — stalagmite
gneiss — starstone
goldstone — steatite
granite — stinkstone
granulite — tinstone
greenstone — touchstone
grit — trap, traprock
gritrock, gritstone — tufa
hairstone — wacke
ironstone — whitestone

.13 gem stones

adamant [archaic] — heliotrope
adder stone — hyacinth
agate — jacinth
alexandrite — jade, jadestone
amethyst — jargoon
aquamarine — jasper
beryl — kunzite
black opal — lapis lazuli
bloodstone — moonstone
brilliant — morganite
carbuncle — onyx
carnelian — opal
cat's-eye — peridot
chalcedony — plasma
chrysoberyl — rose quartz
chrysolite — ruby
chrysoprase — sapphire
citrine — sard
coral — sardonyx
demantoid — spinel, spinel ruby
diamond — star sapphire
emerald — sunstone
fire opal — topaz
garnet — tourmaline
girasol — turquoise
harlequin opal — zircon

.14 specialized stones

bakestone — capstone
bondstone — cobble, cobblestone

copestone, coping stone
cornerstone
crowstone
curbstone
dogstone
doorstone
edgestone
footstone
gravestone
grindstone
hagstone
hammerstone
headstone
kerbstone [Brit]
keystone
kneestone
knockstone
lapstone
milestone
millstone
oilstone
pavestone
rubstone
stepstone, stepping-stone
tilestone
tombstone
topstone
whetstone

385. LAND

.1 NOUNS **land, ground,** earth, ge(o)–, **soil,** agro–, ped(o)–, glebe [archaic], **sod,** clod, **dirt,** dust, clay, marl, mold [Brit dial]; *terra* [L], **terra firma;** terrain; **dry land;** arable land; marginal land; grassland 411.8, woodland 411.11; crust, earth's crust, lithosphere; regolith; topsoil, subsoil; alluvium, alluvion; eolian *or* subaerial deposit; **real estate,** real property, landholdings, acres, territory, freehold; region 180; the country 182.

.2 **shore, coast,** *côte* [Fr]; **strand,** *playa* [Sp], **beach,** shingle, plage, lido, riviera, sands, berm; waterside, **waterfront;** shoreline, coastline; foreshore; bank, embankment; riverside; **seashore, seacoast, seaside, seaboard,** seabeach, seacliff, seabank, sea margin, tidewater, coastland, littoral; drowned *or* submerged coast; rockbound coast, ironbound coast; loom of the land.

.3 **landsman,** landman, **landlubber.**

.4 (science of land or the earth) **geography,** geographics; physiography, physical geography; geoscopy; geomorphology; geodesy, geodetics 490.9; geophysics; geodynamics; **geology,** geognosy, dynamic geology, hydrogeology, physical geology, physiographic geology, stratigraphic geology, stratigraphy, paleontological geology, cosmical geology, geomorphogeny, historical geology, structural *or* geotectonic geology, mining geology, geological chemistry, geological engineering; mineralogy 383.10; geodesy, geodetics 490.9; soil science, pedology, soil mechanics.

.5 (scientists) **geographer,** physiographer, geodesist 490.10, **geologist,** geognost, geomorphogenist, geophysicist, geological engineer; mineralogist 383.12; soil scientist, pedologist.

.6 ADJS **terrestrial,** terrene [archaic], **earth, earthly,** telluric, tellurian; earthbound; sublunar, subastral; geophilous; terraqueous; fluvioterrestrial.

.7 **earthy,** soily, loamy, marly, gumbo; clayey, clayish; adobe.

.8 **alluvial,** estuarine, fluviomarine.

.9 **coastal, littoral, seaside, shore,** shoreside; shoreward; riparian *or* riparial *or* riparious; riverain, riverine; riverside.

.10 geographic(al), physiographic(al), geodesic, geodetic; geophysical, geologic(al), geognostic(al).

.11 ADVS **on land,** on dry land, on terra firma; onshore, ashore; alongshore; shoreward; by land, overland.

.12 **on earth,** on the face of the earth *or* globe, in the world, in the wide world, in the whole wide world; **under the sun,** under the stars, beneath the sky, under heaven, below, **here below.**

.13 **soils**

adobe
alluvial soil
argil
bog soil
bole
boulder clay
chernozemic soil
china clay
clay
clunch
desertic soil
dust
fuller's earth
gilgai soil
gumbo, gumbo soil
humus
indurated clay
kaolin
kaolinite
laterite
latosolic soil
leaf mold
lithosol
loam
loess
marl
mold
podosolic soil
porcelain clay
potter's clay
red clay
regosol
regur soil
residual clay
sand
sedimentary clay
silt
till
tundra soil
wiesenboden

386. BODY OF LAND

.1 NOUNS **continent, mainland,** main [archaic], landmass; North America, South America, Africa, Europe, Asia, Eurasia, Eurasian landmass, Australia, Antarctica; subcontinent, peninsula 256.8.

.2 **island, isle,** neso–; **islet,** holm, ait [Brit dial]; continental island; oceanic island; **key,** cay; sandbank, sandbar, bar; **reef,** coral reef, coral head; coral island, atoll; archipelago, island group *or* chain; insularity; islandology.

.3 **continental,** mainlander; continentalist.

.4 **islander,** islandman, island-dweller, islesman, insular; islandologist.

.5 VERBS insulate, isolate, island, enisle; island-hop.

.6 ADJS **continental,** mainland.

.7 **insular,** insulated, isolated; island, islandy *or* islandish, islandlike; islanded, isleted, island-dotted; seagirt; archipelagic *or* archipelagian.

387. PLAIN

(open country)

.1 NOUNS **plain, plains;** peneplain; flat, flat country, flatland, **flats,** level, pedi(o)–; champaign country, champaign, open country, **wide-open spaces; prairie,** grassland 411.8, **steppe, pampas,** *pampa* [Sp], savanna, tundra, vega, campo, llano, sebkha; **veld,** grass veld, bushveld, tree veld; wold, weald; **moor,** moorland, down, **downs,** lande, **heath,** fell [Brit]; lowland, lowlands, bottomland; basin, playa; salt marsh; salt pan; salt flat, alkali flat; **desert** 166.2; **plateau,** upland, tableland, table, **mesa,** mesilla; coastal plain, alluvial plain, delta; mare, lunar mare.

.2 **plainsman,** plainswoman; moorman, moorlander; veldman; plainsfolk, flatlanders, lowlanders.

.3 ADJS champaign, **plain, flat,** open; campestral *or* campestrian.

388. LIQUIDITY

.1 NOUNS **liquidity, fluidity,** fluidness, liquidness, liquefaction 391; **fluency,** flow, flux, fluxion, fluxility [archaic]; wateriness; rheuminess; **juiciness,** sappiness, succulence; milkiness, lactescence; lactation; chylifaction, chylification; serosity; suppuration; moisture 392.

.2 **fluid, liquid;** liquor, drink, beverage; liquid extract, fluid extract; **juice, sap,** opo–; blood; latex, milk, whey 308.47; water 392.3; semiliquid 389.5; fluid mechanics, hydraulics, etc. 347.1–4; hydrogeology.

.3 (body fluids) humor, **lymph,** lymph(o)–; chyle, chyl(o)– *or* chyli–, –chylia; rheum; serous fluid, serum, sero–; **pus, matter,** purulence, peccant humor [archaic]; suppuration; ichor, sanies; discharge; gleet, leukorrhea, the whites; **mucus,** mucor, muc(o)– *or* muci–, mucoso–, myx(o)–; **phlegm,** snot [slang]; **saliva** 312.3; **urine** 311.5; **sweat** 311.7; **tear,** teardrop, lachryma; **milk,** lact(o)– *or* lacti–, galact(o)–, mother's milk, colostrum, lactation.

.4 **blood,** hem(o)– *or* hema– *or* hemi–, hemat(o)–, sangui(ni)–, sanguin(o)–; life-blood, venous blood, arterial blood, **gore,** ichor, humor; grume; **serum,** blood serum; blood substitute; **plasma,** plasm(o)–, plasmato–; synthetic plasma, plasma substitute, dextran, clinical dextran; **blood cell** *or* **corpuscle,** hemocyte; **red corpuscle** *or* **blood cell,** erythrocyte, erythr(o)–; **white corpuscle** *or* **blood cell,** leukocyte, leuk(o)–, leukocyt(o)–, lymphocyte, lymph(o)–, lymphat(o)–, neutrophil, neutro–, phagocyte, phag(o)–; blood platelet; **hemoglobin;** blood pressure; circulation; **blood group** *or* **type,** type O *or* A *or* B *or* AB; Rh-type, Rh-positive, Rh-negative; **Rh factor,** Rhesus factor; antigen, antibody, isoantibody, globulin; opsonin, opson(o)–; blood grouping; blood count, blood picture; hematoscope, hematoscopy, hemometer; bloodstream; hematics, hematology, hematologist; bloodmobile; blood bank, blood donor center; blood donor.

.5 flowmeter, fluidmeter, hydrometer.

.6 ADJS **fluid,** fluidal, fluidic, **fluent, flowing,** fluxible *or* fluxile [both archaic], fluxional, fluxionary [archaic], runny; **liquid,** liquidy; watery 392.16; **juicy,** sappy, succulent.

.7 (physiology) **lymphatic,** rheumy, humoral, phlegmy, ichorous, serous, sanious; chylific, chylifactive, chylifactory; **pussy,** purulent, suppurated *or* suppurating, suppurative; tearlike, **lachrymal,** lacrimatory; bloody 368.7.

.8 **milky,** lacteal, lacteous, **lactic;** lactescent, lactiferous; milk, milch.

389. SEMILIQUIDITY

.1 NOUNS semiliquidity, semifluidity; butteriness, creaminess; pulpiness 390.

.2 **viscosity,** viscidity, viscousness, slabbiness, lentor [archaic]; thickness, spissitude, heaviness, stodginess; **stickiness, tackiness,** glutinousness, glutinosity, toughness, tenaciousness, tenacity, adhesiveness, **gumminess,** gauminess [dial], gumlikeness; **ropiness, stringiness;** clamminess, sliminess, mucilaginousness; gooeyness [informal]; **gluiness,** gluelikeness; syrupiness, treacliness [Brit]; gelatinousness, jellylikeness, gelatinity; colloidality; doughiness, pastiness; **thickening,** curdling, clotting, coagulation, incrassation, inspissation, clabbering *or* loppering [dial], jellification.

.3 **mucosity,** mucidness, mucousness, pituitousness [archaic], snottiness [slang].

.4 **muddiness,** muckiness, **slushiness,** sloshiness, sludginess, **sloppiness,** slobbiness, slabbiness [archaic], squashiness, squelchiness, **ooziness,** miriness; **turbidity,** turbidness, dirtiness.

.5 **semiliquid,** semifluid; **goo** *or* goop *or* gook *or* gunk *or* glop [all informal], sticky mess, gaum [dial]; **paste,** pap, pudding, putty, **butter,** cream; **pulp** 390.2; **jelly,** gelatin, jell, gel, jam; **glue;** size; **gluten;** mu-

cilage; mucus; **dough,** batter; **syrup,** molasses, treacle [Brit], rob; egg white, albumen, glair; starch, cornstarch; **curd,** clabber, bonnyclabber; gruel, porridge, loblolly [dial]; soup, gumbo, purée.

.6 **gum** 381, chewing gum, bubble gum; chicle, chicle gum.

.7 **emulsion,** emulsoid; emulsification; emulsifier; **colloid,** colloider.

.8 **mud, muck, slush, slosh,** sludge, slob [Ir], squash, **slime,** swill, **slop, ooze, mire;** clay, slip; gumbo; pel(o)–.

.9 **mud puddle, puddle,** loblolly [dial], slop; **mudhole,** slough, muckhole, chuckhole, chughole [dial]; hog wallow.

.10 VERBS **emulsify,** emulsionize; colloid, colloidize; cream; churn, whip, beat up; **thicken,** inspissate, incrassate, curdle, clot, coagulate, clabber *or* lopper [both dial]; jell, jelly, jellify.

.11 ADJS **semiliquid,** semifluid, semifluidic; buttery; creamy; emulsive, colloidal; **pulpy** 390.6; half-frozen, half-melted.

.12 **viscous, viscid,** viscose, visc(o)–, slabby; **thick,** heavy, stodgy, thickened, inspissated, incrassated; curdled, clotted, grumous, coagulated, clabbered *or* loppered [both dial]; **sticky, tacky,** tenacious, adhesive, tough; gluey, gluelike, glutinous, glutenous, glutinose, gli(o)–, gloe(o)– *or* gloio–; gumbo, gumbolike; **gummy,** gaumy [dial], gummous, gumlike, **syrupy;** ropy, stringy; mucilaginous, clammy, slimy, slithery; gooey [informal]; **gelatinous,** jellylike, jellied, jelled, tremelloid *or* tremellose; glairy; **doughy, pasty;** starchy, amylaceous.

.13 **mucous,** muculent, mucoid, mucinous, pituitous [archaic], snotty [slang]; mucific, muciferous.

.14 **muddy,** mucky, **slushy, sloshy,** sludgy, **sloppy,** slobby, slabby [archaic], splashy, **squashy,** squishy, **squelchy, oozy,** soft, miry, sloughy, plashy, sposhy [dial]; **turbid, dirty.**

390. PULPINESS

.1 NOUNS **pulpiness,** pulpousness; **softness** 357; flabbiness; **mushiness,** mashiness, squashiness; **pastiness,** doughiness; **sponginess,** pithiness; fleshiness, succulence.

.2 **pulp, paste, mash, mush,** smash, squash, crush; pudding, porridge, sponge; sauce, butter; poultice, cataplasm, plaster; pith; paper pulp, wood pulp, sulfate pulp, sulfite pulp, rag pulp; pulpwood; pulp lead, white lead; dental pulp.

.3 **pulping,** pulpification, pulpefaction; blending; digestion; **maceration,** mastication.

.4 **pulper,** pulpifier, macerator, pulp machine *or* engine, digester; **masher,** smasher, potato masher, beetle.

.5 VERBS **pulp,** pulpify; **macerate,** masticate, chew; **mash,** smash, squash, crush.

.6 ADJS **pulpy,** pulpous, pulpal, pulpar, pulplike, pulped; **pasty,** doughy; pultaceous; **mushy;** macerated, masticated, chewed; **squashy,** squelchy, squishy; soft, flabby; fleshy, succulent; **spongy,** pithy, baccate.

391. LIQUEFACTION

.1 NOUNS liquefaction, liquidization, fluidification, fluidization; liquescence *or* liquescency, deliquescence, deliquium [archaic]; dissolution, solution, dissolving, decoagulation, unclotting, melting, thawing, running, fusing, fusion; solubilization; colliquation; lixiviation, percolation, leaching.

.2 **solubility,** solubleness, dissolvability, dissolvableness, dissolubility, dissolubleness; meltability, fusibility.

.3 **solution,** decoction, infusion, mixture; chemical solution; lixivium, leach, leachate.

.4 **solvent** 391.10, dissolvent, dissolver, dissolving agent, resolvent, resolutive, **thinner,** dilutant *or* diluent; anticoagulant; liquefier, liquefacient; menstruum; universal solvent, alkahest; flux.

.5 VERBS **liquefy,** liquidize, liquesce, fluidify, fluidize; **melt, run,** thaw, colliquate; melt down; fuse, flux; deliquesce; **dissolve,** solve; thin, cut; solubilize; hold in solution; unclot, decoagulate; leach, lixiviate, percolate; decoct, infuse.

.6 ADJS **liquefied, melted, molten,** thawed; unclotted, decoagulated; in solution, in suspension, liquescent, deliquescent.

.7 **liquefying,** liquefactive; colliquative, **melting,** fusing, thawing; **dissolving,** dissolutive, dissolutional.

.8 **solvent,** dissolvent, resolvent, resolutive, thinning, cutting, diluent; alkahestic.

.9 liquefiable; **meltable,** fusible, thawable; **soluble, dissolvable,** dissoluble.

.10 **solvents**

acetone	chloroform
alcohol	ether
aqua regia	ethyl acetate
benzene	furfural
benzine, benzol	gasoline
carbolic acid	kerosene
carbon disulfide	naphtha
carbon tetrachloride, carbon tet	phenol
	toluene

turpentine xylene, xylol
water

392. MOISTURE

.1 NOUNS **moisture,** hygr(o)–, damp, wet; **dampness, moistness,** moistiness, **wetness,** wettishness, **wateriness,** humor *or* humectation [both archaic]; soddenness, soppiness, sogginess; swampiness, bogginess, marshiness; dewiness; mistiness, fogginess 404.3; raininess, pluviosity, showeriness; rainfall; exudation 303.6.

.2 **humidity,** humidness, **dankness,** dankishness, **mugginess,** stickiness; absolute humidity, relative humidity; dew point; humidification.

.3 **water,** *aqua* [L], *agüa* [Sp], *eau* [Fr], hydr(o)–, hydrat(o)–, aqui– *or* aqua–; Adam's ale *or* wine, H_2O; hydrol; hard water, soft water; heavy water; drinking water; rain water, rain 394; ground water, spring water, well water; sea water, salt water; limewater; mineral water *or* waters; steam, water vapor; hydrosphere; hydrometeor; head, hydrostatic head; hydrothermal water; wetting agent, wetting-out agent.

.4 **dew, dewdrops,** dawn dew, night dew, evening damp; fog drip, false dew.

.5 **sprinkle, spray,** sparge, shower; spindrift, spume, froth, foam; **splash,** plash, swash, slosh; **splatter,** spatter.

.6 **wetting, moistening, dampening,** damping; humidification; dewing, bedewing; **watering, irrigation;** hosing, wetting *or* hosing down; **sprinkling, spraying,** sparging, aspersion, aspergation; **splashing,** swashing, splattering, spattering; affusion, baptism; bath, bathing, rinsing, laving; **flooding,** drowning, inundation, deluge; **immersion, submersion** 320.2.

.7 **soaking,** soakage, soaking through, sopping, **drenching,** imbruement, sousing; ducking, dunking [informal]; soak, drench, souse; **saturation,** permeation; **steeping,** maceration, seething, infusion, brewing, imbuement; injection, impregnation; infiltration, percolation, leaching, lixiviation; pulping 390.3.

.8 **sprinkler,** sparger, sparge, sprayer, speed sprayer, concentrate sprayer, mist concentrate sprayer, spray, spray can, atomizer, aerosol; nozzle; aspergil, aspergillum; **shower,** shower bath, shower head, needle bath; syringe, fountain syringe, douche, enema, clyster; sprinkling *or* watering can, watering pot, watercart; sprinkling system, sprinkler head.

.9 (science of humidity) hygrology, hygrometry, psychrometry.

.10 (instruments) hygrometer, hair hygrometer, hygrograph, hygrodeik, hygroscope, hygrothermograph; psychrometer, sling psychrometer; humidor; hygrostat.

.11 VERBS be damp, not have a dry thread; **drip,** weep; **seep, ooze,** percolate; exude 303.15; sweat 311.16.

.12 **moisten, dampen,** damp, **wet,** wet down; humidify, humect *or* humectate [both archaic]; **water, irrigate;** dew, bedew; **sprinkle,** besprinkle, **spray,** sparge, asperge; **splash,** dash, **swash, slosh, splatter, spatter,** bespatter; dabble, paddle; slop, slobber; hose, hose down; syringe, douche; sponge.

.13 **soak, drench,** drouk [Scot], imbrue, **souse, sop,** sodden; **saturate,** permeate; **bathe,** lave, wash, rinse, douche, flush; watersoak, waterlog; **steep,** seethe, macerate, infuse, imbue, brew, impregnate, inject; infiltrate, percolate, leach, lixiviate.

.14 **flood,** float, **inundate, deluge,** turn to a lake *or* sea, swamp, whelm, drown; duck, dip, dunk [informal]; **submerge** 320.7; sluice, pour on, flow on; rain 394.9.

.15 ADJS **moist,** moisty; **damp,** dampish; **wet,** wettish; undried, tacky; **humid, dank, muggy, sticky;** dewy, roric; roriferous; rainy 394.10; marshy, swampy, fenny, boggy.

.16 **watery,** waterish, **aqueous, aquatic;** liquid 388.6; **splashy,** plashy, sloppy, swashy [Brit]; hydrous, hydrated; hydraulic.

.17 **soaked, drenched,** soused, bathed, steeped, macerated; **saturated,** permeated; **watersoaked, waterlogged; soaking, sopping; wringing wet,** soaking wet, sopping wet, wet to the skin, like a drowned rat; **sodden,** soppy, **soggy,** soaky; dripping, **dripping wet;** dribbling, seeping, weeping, oozing; flooded, overflowed, whelmed, swamped, engulfed, inundated, deluged, drowned, submerged, submersed, immersed, dipped, dunked [informal]; awash, weltering.

.18 wetting, dampening, moistening, watering, humectant; **drenching, soaking,** sopping; **irrigational,** irriguous [archaic].

.19 hygric, hygrometric, hygroscopic, hygrophilous, hygrothermal.

393. DRYNESS

.1 NOUNS **dryness, aridness,** aridity, waterlessness; **drought;** juicelessness, saplessness; **thirst,** thirstiness; corkiness; watertightness, watertight integrity.

.2 (comparisons) dust, bone, parchment, stick, mummy, biscuit, cracker.

.3 **drying, desiccation,** drying up; **dehydration,** anhydration; evaporation; air-drying; insolation; drainage; withering, mummification; dehumidification.

.4 **drier,** desiccator, desiccative, siccative, exsiccative, exsiccator, **dehydrator,** dehydrant; dehumidifier; evaporator; hair-drier, clothes-drier.

.5 VERBS thirst; drink up, soak up, sponge up.

.6 **dry, desiccate,** exsiccate, dry up, **dehydrate,** anhydrate; evaporate; dehumidify; air-dry; insolate, sun, sun-dry; smoke, smoke-dry; cure; torrefy, burn, fire, kiln, **bake, parch,** scorch, sear; **wither, shrivel;** wizen, weazen; mummify; sponge, blot, soak up; **wipe,** rub, swab, brush; towel; drain 305.12.

.7 ADJS **dry, arid,** xer(o)–, scler(a)– *or* sclero–; **waterless,** unwatered, undamped, anhydrous, anhydr(o)–, dehydr(o)–; **bone-dry,** dry as dust, dry as a bone; like parchment; droughty; juiceless, sapless; **thirsty,** thirsting, athirst; high and dry; sandy, dusty; desert, Saharan.

.8 rainless, fine, fair, bright and fair, pleasant.

.9 **dried, dehydrated, desiccated,** dried-up, exsiccated; evaporated; **parched, baked,** sunbaked, burnt, scorched, **seared,** sear *or* sere, sun-dried, adust; wind-dried, air-dried; **withered, shriveled,** wizened, weazened; corky; mummified.

.10 **drying, dehydrating, desiccative,** desiccant, exsiccative, exsiccant, siccative, siccant; evaporative.

.11 **watertight, waterproof,** moistureproof, dampproof, leakproof, seepproof, dripproof, stormproof, stormtight, rainproof, raintight, floodproof.

394. RAIN

.1 NOUNS **rain,** ombro–, hyet(o)–; **rainfall,** fall, **precipitation,** moisture, wet; **shower, sprinkle,** flurry, patter, pitter-patter, splatter; streams of rain, sheet of rain, splash *or* spurt *or* gout of rain; **drizzle,** mizzle; **mist,** misty rain, Scotch mist; evening mist; rainwater; blood rain; raindrop, unfrozen hydrometeor.

.2 **rainstorm,** brash *or* scud [both Scot]; **cloudburst,** rainburst, burst of rain, torrent of rain, waterspout, spout, rainspout, **downpour,** downflow, downfall, pour, pouring *or* pelting *or* teeming *or* drowning rain, spate [Scot], plash [dial], **deluge, flood,** heavy rain, driving *or* gushing rain, drenching *or* soaking rain, drencher, soaker.

.3 **thunderstorm,** thundersquall, thundergust, thundershower, thunder [dial]; ceraun(o)– *or* keraun(o)–.

.4 **wet weather, raininess,** rainy weather, stormy *or* dirty weather, cat-and-dog weather [informal], spell of rain, wet; rainy day; **rains,** rainy *or* wet season, spring rains, **monsoon;** predominance of Aquarius, reign of St. Swithin.

.5 **rainmaking,** seeding, cloud-seeding, nucleation, artificial nucleation; **rainmaker,** rain doctor, cloud seeder; Dry Ice, silver iodide.

.6 Jupiter Pluvius, Zeus; Thor.

.7 **rain gauge,** pluviometer, pluvioscope, pluviograph; ombrometer, ombrograph; udometer, udomograph; hyetometer, hyetometrograph, hyetograph.

.8 (science of precipitation) hydrometeorology, hyetology, hyetography; pluviography, pluviometry, ombrology.

.9 VERBS **rain, precipitate,** fall; weep; **shower,** shower down; **sprinkle,** spit [informal], spatter, patter, pitter-patter; **drizzle,** mizzle; **pour,** stream, pour with rain, **pelt,** drum, tattoo, come down in torrents *or* sheets *or* buckets, **rain cats and dogs** [informal], "rain dogs and polecats" [Richard Brome], rain tadpoles *or* bullfrogs *or* pitchforks [informal], "rain daggers with their points downward" [Robert Burton].

.10 ADJS **rainy, showery;** pluvious *or* pluviose *or* pluvial; **drizzly,** drizzling, mizzly, drippy; **misty,** misty-moisty; pouring, streaming, pelting, drumming, driving, blinding, cat-and-doggish [informal].

.11 pluviometric *or* pluvioscopic *or* pluviographic, ombrometric *or* ombrographic, udometric *or* udographic, hyetometric, hyetographic, hyetometrographic; hydrometeorologic(al), hyetologic(al).

395. STREAM

(running water)

.1 NOUNS **stream, waterway, watercourse** 396.2, channel 396; meandering stream, flowing stream, lazy stream, racing stream, braided stream; spill stream; adolescent stream; **river,** fluvi(o)–; navigable river, underground *or* subterranean river, "moving road" [Pascal], "a strong brown god" [T. S. Eliot]; wadi, *arroyo* [Sp]; **brook,** branch; kill, bourn, run [Brit dial],

creek, crick [dial]; **rivulet,** rill, **streamlet,** brooklet, runlet, runnel, rundle [dial], rindle [Brit dial], beck [Brit], gill [Brit], burn [Scot], sike [Brit dial]; **freshet,** fresh; millstream, race; midstream, midchannel; stream action, fluviation.

.2 **headwaters, headstream,** headwater, head, riverhead; source, fountainhead 153.5,6.

.3 **tributary,** feeder, **branch, fork,** prong [dial], confluent, confluent stream, affluent; effluent, anabranch; bayou; billabong [Austral]; dendritic drainage pattern.

.4 **flow,** flowing, **flux,** fluency, profluence, fluid motion *or* movement, rheo–, –rrhea *or* –rrhoea; **stream, current,** set, trend, tide, water flow; drift, driftage; **course,** onward course, **surge, gush, rush,** onrush, spate, run, race; millrace, mill run; undercurrent, undertow; crosscurrent, cross-flow; affluence, afflux, affluxion, confluence, concourse, conflux; **downflow,** downpour, defluxion; inflow 302.2; outflow 303.4.

.5 **torrent, river, flood,** waterflood, **deluge;** spate, **pour,** freshet, fresh; cataract, Niagara.

.6 **overflow,** spillage, spill, spill-over, overflowing, overrunning, alluvion, alluvium, **inundation, flood, deluge,** whelming, engulfment, submersion 320.2, cataclysm; the Flood, the Deluge; washout.

.7 **trickle,** tricklet, **dribble, drip,** dripping, stillicide [archaic], drop, spurtle; percolation, leaching, lixiviation; distillation, condensation, sweating; seeping, seepage.

.8 **lap, swash, wash, slosh, plash, splash;** lapping, washing, etc.

.9 **jet, spout, spurt,** squirt, spit, spew, spray, spritz [dial]; rush, **gush,** flush; **fountain,** fount, font, *jet d'eau* [Fr]; geyser, spouter [informal].

.10 **rapids, rapid;** ripple, **riffle,** riff [dial]; chute, shoot, sault.

.11 **waterfall, cataract,** fall, **falls, Niagara, cascade,** force [Brit], linn [Scot], sault; nappe; watershoot.

.12 **eddy,** back stream, gurge, **swirl,** twirl, whirl; **whirlpool,** vortex, gulf, **maelstrom;** Maelstrom, Charybdis; countercurrent, counterflow, counterflux, backflow, reflux, refluence, regurgitation, backwash, backwater.

.13 **tide,** tidal current *or* stream, tidal flow *or* flood, **tide race; tidewater;** tideway, tide gate; tide rip, **riptide,** rip; direct tide, opposite tide; **spring tide; high tide,** high water, full tide; **low tide,** low water; **neap tide,** neap; lunar tide, solar tide; **flood tide, ebb tide;** rise of the tide, flux, flow, flood; ebb, reflux, refluence; ebb and flow, flux and reflux; tidal amplitude, tidal range; tide chart *or* table, tidal current chart; tide gauge, thalassometer.

.14 **wave,** cym(o)– *or* kym(o)–, **billow,** surge, **swell,** heave, undulation, lift, rise, send, scend; trough, peak; **sea,** heavy swell, ground swell; **roller,** roll; **comber,** comb; **surf, breakers;** wavelet, **ripple,** riffle; **tidal wave,** tsunami; gravity wave, water wave; tide wave; bore, tidal bore, eagre; **whitecaps,** white horses; rough *or* heavy sea, rough water, dirty water *or* sea, choppy *or* chopping sea, popple, lop, chop, choppiness.

.15 water gauge, fluviograph, fluviometer; marigraph; Nilometer.

.16 VERBS **flow, stream, issue, pour, surge, run, course, rush, gush, flush, flood;** set, make, trend; flow in 302.9; flow out 303.13; flow back, surge back, ebb, regurgitate.

.17 **overflow,** flow over, **run over, well over, brim over,** overbrim, overrun, pour out *or* over, **spill, slop, slosh,** spill out *or* over; **cataract, cascade; inundate,** engulf, swamp, sweep, whelm, overwhelm, **flood,** deluge, submerge 320.7.

.18 **trickle, dribble,** dripple, **drip,** drop, spurtle; **filter,** percolate, leach, lixiviate; distill, condense, sweat; seep, weep; **gurgle** 452.11.

.19 **lap, plash, splash, wash, swash, slosh.**

.20 **jet, spout, spurt,** spurtle, **squirt,** spit, spew, spray, spritz [dial], play, **gush,** well, surge; vomit, vomit out *or* forth.

.21 **eddy,** gurge, **swirl,** whirl, purl, reel, spin.

.22 **billow, surge, swell,** heave, lift, rise, send, scend, toss, popple, **roll,** wave, **undulate; peak,** draw to a peak, be poised; comb, **break,** dash, crash, smash; rise and fall, ebb and flow.

.23 ADJS **streamy,** rivery, brooky, creeky; streamlike, riverine; fluvial, fluviatile *or* fluviatic.

.24 **flowing, streaming, running, pouring,** fluxive, fluxional, coursing, racing, gushing, rushing, surging, surgy, **fluent,** profluent, affluent, defluent, decurrent, confluent, diffluent; tidal; gulfy, vortical; meandering, mazy, sluggish, serpentine.

.25 **flooded,** deluged, inundated, engulfed, swamped, swept, whelmed, drowned, overwhelmed, afloat, awash; washed, water-washed; in flood, at flood, in spate.

396. CHANNEL

.1 NOUNS **channel, conduit, duct,** course; **way, passage, passageway;** trough, trough-way, troughing; tunnel; ditch, trench 263.2; adit; ingress, entrance 302; egress, exit 303.1.

.2 **watercourse, waterway, aqueduct,** water channel, water gate, water carrier, culvert; streamway, riverway; **bed,** stream bed, river bed, creek bed, runnel; dry bed; water gap; *arroyo* [Sp], wadi, donga [Africa], nullah [India], **gully,** gullyhole, gulch; **canal;** swash, swash channel; race, headrace, tailrace; flume; sluice; spillway; spillbox; irrigation ditch, water furrow; waterworks.

.3 **gutter, trough,** eave *or* eaves trough; chute, shoot; pentrough, penstock; guide.

.4 (metal founding) gate, ingate, runner, sprue, tedge.

.5 **drain,** sough [Brit], sluice, scupper; **sink,** sump; piscina; **gutter,** kennel; **sewer,** cloaca, headchute; cloaca maxima.

.6 **tube,** tubi–, solen(o)–; **pipe,** aul(o)–; **tubing,** piping, tubulation; tubulure; nipple, pipette, tubulet, tubule, tubuli–; reed, stem, straw; **hose,** hosepipe, garden hose, fire hose; pipeline; standpipe; water pipe, gas pipe, steam pipe; organ pipe, reed pipe, flue pipe; drainpipe, waste pipe, soil pipe; catheter; **siphon,** siphon(o)– *or* siphoni–; tap; efflux tube, adjutage; funnel; snorkel; siamese, siamese connection *or* joint.

.7 **main,** water main, gas main, fire main.

.8 **spout,** beak, waterspout, downspout; gargoyle.

.9 **nozzle,** bib nozzle, pressure nozzle, spray nozzle, nose, snout; rose, rosehead; shower head, sprinkler head.

.10 **valve,** gate; **faucet, spigot, tap;** cock, **petcock,** draw cock, stopcock, sea cock, drain cock, ball cock; ball valve; bunghole; needle valve; valvule, valvula.

.11 **floodgate,** flood-hatch, gate, **head gate,** penstock, water gate, **sluice,** sluice gate; tide gate, aboideau [Can]; weir; **lock,** lock gate, dock gate; air lock.

.12 **hydrant,** fire hydrant, **plug,** water plug, fireplug.

.13 (anatomy) **duct, vessel,** canal, angi(o)–, vasi– *or* vaso–; vas, meatus, meat(o)–; thoracic duct, lymphatic, lymphangio–; emunctory [archaic]; pore; intestines 225.4; urethra, ureter, urethr(o)–, ureter-o–; vagina, vagin(i)–, elytr(o)– *or* elytri–; oviduct, Fallopian tube, fall(o)–; salpinx, salping(o)–; Eustachian tube; ostium; fistula.

.14 **blood vessel; artery,** arteri(o)–, aorta, aort-(o)–, pulmonary artery, carotid; **vein,** ven-(o)– *or* veni–, phleb(o)–, jugular vein, vena cava, pulmonary vein; portal vein, pyl(o)– *or* pyle–; varicose vein; venation; **capillary,** arteriole, veinlet, venule.

.15 **gullet, throat, esophagus,** esophag(o)–, **gorge,** hals [dial], **weasand** [archaic], wizen [Brit dial], goozle *or* guzzle [both dial]; fauces, isthmus of the fauces; pharynx, pharyng(o)–.

.16 **windpipe, trachea,** trache(o)–, **weasand** [archaic], wizen [Brit dial]; bronchus, bronchi, bronchial tube, bronchi(o)–; epiglottis.

.17 air passage, air duct, airway, air shaft, shaft, **air hole,** air tube; **blowhole,** breathing hole, spiracle; nostril, naris 256.7; touchhole; spilehole, **vent, venthole,** ventage, ventiduct; **ventilator,** ventilating shaft; transom, louver, louverwork; wind tunnel.

.18 **chimney, flue,** flue pipe, funnel, **stovepipe, stack, smokestack,** smokeshaft; Charley Noble; fumarole.

.19 VERBS **channel,** channelize, canalize, **conduct, convey,** put through; pipe, funnel, siphon; trench 263.3.

.20 ADJS **tubular,** tubate, tubiform, tubelike, tubulo–, pipelike; tubed, piped; cannular; fistular; bronchial, tracheal.

.21 vascular, vesicular, vascul(o)–; arterial; venous *or* venose, veinous; capillary.

.22 throated, throatlike, jugular.

.23 **valvular,** valval, valvelike.

397. OCEAN

.1 NOUNS **ocean, sea,** ocean sea, mari–, thalass(o)–; great *or* main sea, *thalassa* [Gk], **main** *or* ocean main, the bounding main, tide, salt sea, salt water, blue water, **the brine,** the briny [informal], the briny deep, "the vasty deep" [Shakespeare], **the deep,** the deep sea, the deep blue sea, drink *or* big drink [both slang], **high sea, high seas;** the seven seas; hydrosphere; ocean depths 209.4.

.2 "great Neptune's ocean", "unpath'd waters", "the always wind-obeying deep" [all Shakespeare], "thou deep and dark blue ocean" [Byron], "Uterine Sea of our dreams and Sea haunted by the true dream", "Sea of a thousand creases, like the infinitely pleated tunic of the god in the hands of women of the sanctuary" [both S.-J. Perse], "the great naked sea

shouldering a load of salt" [Sandburg], "the wine-dark sea" [Homer], "the wavy waste" [Thomas Hood], "old ocean's gray and melancholy waste" [William Cullen Bryant], "the world of waters wild" [James Thomson], "the rising world of waters dark and deep" [Milton], "the glad, indomitable sea" [Bliss Carman], "the clear hyaline, the glassy sea" [Milton].

.3 (oceans) Atlantic, Pacific, Arctic, Antarctic, Indian.

.4 spirit of the sea, "the old man of the sea" [Homer], sea devil, Davy, **Davy Jones;** sea god, **Neptune,** Poseidon, Oceanus, Triton, Nereus, Oceanid, Nereid, Thetis; Varuna, Dylan; **mermaid,** siren; merman, seaman.

.5 (ocean zones) pelagic zone, benthic zone, estuarine area, sublittoral, littoral, intertidal zone, splash zone, supralittoral.

.6 oceanography, thalassography, hydrography, bathymetry; marine biology; aquiculture.

.7 oceanographer, thalassographer, hydrographer.

.8 ADJS **oceanic, marine, maritime,** pelagic, thalassic, –alian; nautical 275.57; oceanographic(al), hydrographic(al), bathymetric(al), bathyorographical, thalassographic(al); terriginous; deep-sea 209.14.

.9 ADVS **at sea,** on the high seas; afloat 275.62,63; by water, by sea.

.10 **oversea, overseas,** beyond seas, over the water, transmarine, across the sea.

.11 **oceanward,** oceanwards, **seaward,** seawards, off; offshore, off soundings, out of soundings, in blue water.

398. LAKE, POOL

.1 NOUNS **lake,** landlocked water, loch [Scot], lough [Ir], nyanza [Africa], mere, freshwater lake; oxbow lake, bayou lake, glacial lake; volcanic lake; tarn; inland sea; **pool,** lakelet, **pond,** pondlet, limn(o)– *or* limni–, –limnion, linn [Scot], dike [Brit dial], *étang* [Fr]; standing water, still water, stagnant water, dead water; **water hole,** water pocket; farm pond; fishpond; millpond, millpool; salt pond, salina, tidal pond *or* pool; **puddle,** plash, sump [dial]; **lagoon,** *laguna* [Sp]; **reservoir,** artificial lake; dam; **well, cistern,** tank.

.2 **lake dweller,** lacustrian, lacustrine dweller *or* inhabitant, **pile dweller** *or* builder; laker.

.3 **lake dwelling,** lacustrine dwelling, **pile house** *or* **dwelling,** palafitte; crannog.

.4 limnology, limnologist; limnimeter, limnograph.

.5 ADJS **lakish,** laky, lakelike; lacustrine, lacustral, lacustrian; pondy, pondlike, lacuscular; limnologic(al).

399. INLET, GULF

.1 NOUNS **inlet, cove,** creek [Brit], arm of the sea, arm, armlet, reach, loch [Scot], **bay, fjord,** bight; **gulf; estuary,** firth *or* frith, bayou, mouth, *boca* [Sp]; **harbor,** natural harbor; road *or* roads, roadstead; **strait** *or* straits, kyle [Scot], **narrow** *or* narrows, euripus, belt, gut, narrow seas; **sound.**

.2 ADJS gulfy, gulflike; gulfed, bayed, embayed; estuarine, fluviomarine, tidewater.

400. MARSH

.1 NOUNS **marsh,** marshland, **swamp,** swampland, fen, fenland, **morass,** mere *or* marish [both archaic], *marais* [Fr], **bog, mire, quagmire,** sump [dial], wash, baygall; glade, everglade; slough, swale, wallow, hog wallow, buffalo wallow, sough [Brit]; bottom, **bottoms,** bottomland, slob land, holm [Brit], meadow; **moor,** moorland, moss [Scot], peat bog; salt marsh; quicksand; taiga; mud flat, **mud** 389.8,9; helo–, paludi–.

.2 VERBS **mire,** bemire, sink in, **bog,** mire *or* bog down, stick in the mud; stodge.

.3 ADJS **marshy, swampy,** swampish, **moory,** moorish, fenny, marish [archaic], paludal *or* paludous; **boggy,** boggish, **miry,** mirish, quaggy, quagmiry, spouty, poachy; **muddy** 389.14; swamp-growing, uliginous.

401. VAPOR, GAS

.1 NOUNS **vapor,** volatile, vapo–, vapori–, atm(o)–; **fume, reek,** exhalation, breath, effluvium; fluid; **miasma,** mephitis, malaria [archaic], fetid air; **smoke,** smudge; wisp *or* plume *or* puff of smoke; **damp,** chokedamp, blackdamp, firedamp, afterdamp; flatus; **steam,** water vapor; cloud 404.

.2 **gas,** aer(o)–, mano–, pneum(o)–, pneumat(o)–; rare *or* noble *or* inert gas, –on, halogen gas; fluid; **atmosphere, air** 402; pneumatics, aerodynamics 347.5.

.3 **vaporousness,** vaporiness; vapor pressure *or* tension; **aeriness; ethereality,** etherialism; **gaseousness,** gaseous state, gassiness, gaseity; flatulence, windiness, flatuosity [archaic]; fluidity.

.4 **volatility,** vaporability, vaporizability, evaporability.

.5 **vaporization, evaporation,** volatilization, gasification; sublimation; distillation, fractionation; etherification; aeration, aerification; fluidization; atomization; exhalation; fumigation; smoking; steaming; etherealization.

.6 **vaporizer, evaporator;** atomizer, aerosol, spray; still, retort.

.7 vaporimeter, manometer, pressure gauge; gas meter, gasometer; pneumatometer, spirometer; aerometer, airometer; eudiometer.

.8 VERBS **vaporize, evaporate,** volatilize, **gasify;** sublimate, sublime; distill, fractionate; etherify; **aerate,** aerify; carbonate, oxygenate, hydrogenate, chlorinate, halogenate, etc.; atomize, spray; fluidize; **reek, fume;** exhale, give off, emit, send out; **smoke; steam;** fumigate, perfume; **etherize.**

.9 ADJS **vaporous,** vaporish, vapory, vaporlike; **airy, aery, aerial, ethereal; gaseous,** in the gaseous state, gasified, gassy, gaslike, gasiform; vaporing; **reeking,** reeky; miasmic *or* miasmal *or* miasmatic, mephitic; **fuming,** fumy; smoky, smoking; steamy, steaming; ozonic; oxygenous; oxyacetylene; pneumatic, aerostatic, aerodynamic.

.10 **volatile,** volatilizable; **vaporable,** vaporizable, vaporescent; **evaporative,** evaporable.

.11 **gases**

acetylene	marsh gas
air gas	methane
ammonia	mustard gas
argon	natural gas
asphyxiating gas	neon
butane	nerve gas
carbon dioxide	nitrogen, nitr(o)–
carbon monoxide	oil gas
chlorine, chlor(o)–	oxygen, oxy–
coal gas	ozone, ozon(o)–
ethane	phosgene
ether	poison gas
ethylene	propane
fluorine, fluor(o)–	radon
formaldehyde	sewer gas
helium	sneeze gas
hydrogen, hydr(o)–	tear gas
illuminating gas	vesicatory gas
krypton	war gas
laughing gas	water gas
lewisite	xenon

402. AIR

.1 NOUNS **air,** aero–; ether; ozone [informal]; thin air.

.2 **atmosphere,** atm(o)–; aerosphere, gaseous envelope *or* environment *or* medium, welkin, lift [dial]; biosphere, ecosphere, noosphere.

.3 (atmospheric layers) stratum, layer, belt; lower atmosphere, upper atmosphere, outer atmosphere; troposphere; substratosphere, tropopause; stratosphere, strato–, isothermal region; ionosphere, Heaviside *or* Heaviside-Kennelly layer *or* region; Appleton layer, F layer; Van Allen belt *or* radiation belt; photosphere, chemosphere.

.4 **weather, climate,** clime; **the elements,** forces of nature; microclimate, macroclimate; fair weather, calm weather, halcyon days, good weather; stormy weather 162.4; rainy weather 394.4; windiness 403.15; hot weather 328.7; cold weather 333.3; meteor(o)–.

.5 weather map; isobar, isobaric *or* isopiestic line; isotherm, isothermal line; isometric, isometric line; high, high-pressure area; low, low-pressure area; front, front(o)–, wind-shift line, squall line; cold front, polar front, cold sector; warm front; occluded front, stationary front; air mass; cyclone, anticyclone.

.6 **meteorology,** weather science, aerology, aerography, weatherology, climatology, climatography, microclimatology, forecasting, long-range forecasting; barometry; pneumatics 347.5; anemology 403.16; nephology 404.4.

.7 **meteorologist,** weather scientist, aerologist, aerographer, weatherologist; climatologist, microclimatologist; **weatherman, weather forecaster,** weather prophet; **weather report,** weather forecast; weather bureau; weather ship; weather station; weather-reporting network.

.8 weather instrument, meteorological *or* aerological instrument; **barometer,** aneroid barometer, glass, weatherglass; barograph, barometrograph, recording barometer; aneroidograph; vacuometer; hygrometer; weather balloon, radiosonde; weather satellite; hurricane-hunter aircraft; weather vane 403.17.

.9 **ventilation,** cross-ventilation, **airing,** aerage, perflation, refreshment; **aeration; air conditioning,** air cooling; oxygenation, oxygenization.

.10 **ventilator; aerator; air conditioner,** air filter, air cooler, ventilating *or* cooling system; blower; air passage 396.17; fan 403.21.

.11 VERBS **air,** air out, **ventilate,** cross-ventilate, wind, refresh, freshen; **air-condition,** air-cool; **fan,** winnow; **aerate,** airify; oxygenate, oxygenize.

.12 ADJS **airy,** aery, **aerial,** aeriform, airlike, **pneumatic,** ethereal; exposed, roomy, light; airish, breezy 403.25; open-air, al fresco; **atmospheric,** tropospheric, stratospheric.

.13 **climatal,** climatic(al), climatographic(al), **elemental;** meteorologic(al), aerologic(al), aerographic(al), climatologic(al); macroclimatic, microclimatic, microclimatologic(al); barometric(al), baric, barographic; isobaric, isopiestic, isometric; high-pressure, low-pressure; cyclonic, anticyclonic.

403. WIND

(air flow)

.1 NOUNS **wind,** venti– *or* vento–, current, **air current,** current of air, movement of air, stream, stream of air, flow of air; updraft, downdraft; crosscurrent, undercurrent; monsoon; fall wind, gravity wind, katabatic wind, head wind, tail wind, following wind; jetstream; **draft; inspiration, inhalation, indraft,** inflow, inrush.

.2 "scolding winds" [Shakespeare], "the felon winds" [Milton], "the wings of the wind" [Bible], "O wild West Wind, thou breath of Autumn's being" [Shelley], "the wind that sang of trees uptorn and vessels tost" [Wordsworth].

.3 (wind god; the wind personified) Aeolus, Vayu; Boreas (north wind); Eurus (east wind); Zephyr *or* Zephyrus, Favonius (west wind); Notus (south wind); Caurus (northwest wind); Afer (southwest wind).

.4 **puff,** puff of air *or* wind, breath, breath of air, flatus, waft, capful of wind, whiff, whiffet, stir of air.

.5 **breeze,** light *or* gentle wind *or* breeze, softblowing wind, **zephyr,** gale [archaic], air, light air, moderate breeze; fresh *or* stiff breeze; cool *or* cooling breeze; sea breeze, onshore breeze, ocean breeze, cat's-paw.

.6 **gust,** wind gust, **blast,** blow, flaw, **flurry,** scud [Scot].

.7 **hot wind;** snow eater, thawer; chinook, **chinook wind;** simoom, samiel; foehn; khamsin; harmattan; sirocco; solano; Santa Ana; volcanic wind.

.8 **wintry wind,** winter wind, raw wind, chilling *or* freezing wind, bone-chilling wind, sharp *or* piercing wind, cold *or* icy wind, biting wind, the hawk [slang], nipping *or* nippy wind, "a nipping and an eager air" [Shakespeare], icy blasts; Arctic *or* boreal *or* hyperboreal *or* hyperborean blast.

.9 **north wind, norther,** mistral, bise, tramontane; northeaster, **nor'easter,** Euroclydon, gregale, Tehuantepec wind, Tehuantepecer; northwester, **nor'wester;** southeaster, **sou'easter;** southwester, **sou'wester,** kite-wind; **east wind,** easter, easterly, levanter; **west wind,** wester, westerly; **south wind,** souther, southerly buster [Austral].

.10 prevailing wind; polar easterlies; prevailing westerlies, antitrades; trade wind, trades; doldrums, wind-equator; horse latitudes; roaring forties.

.11 [naut terms] **head wind, beam wind, tail wind,** following wind, fair *or* favorable wind, apparent *or* relative wind, backing wind, veering wind, slant of wind.

.12 **windstorm,** big *or* great *or* fresh *or* strong *or* stiff *or* high *or* howling *or* spanking wind, ill *or* dirty *or* ugly wind; storm, storm wind, stormy winds, **tempest,** tempestuous wind; williwaw; **blow,** violent *or* heavy blow; **squall,** thick squall, black squall, white squall; squall line, wind-shift line, line squall; line storm; equinoctial; **gale,** half a gale, whole gale; tropical cyclone, **hurricane,** typhoon, tropical storm, **blizzard** 333.8; **thundersquall,** thundergust.

.13 **dust storm, sandstorm,** shaitan, peesash, devil, khamsin, sirocco, simoom, samiel, harmattan.

.14 **whirlwind,** whirlblast, wind eddy; **cyclone, tornado, twister,** rotary storm, typhoon, *baguio* [Sp]; sandspout, sand column, dust devil; waterspout, rainspout.

.15 **windiness,** gustiness; airiness, **breeziness;** draftiness.

.16 **anemology,** anemometry; **wind direction; wind force, Beaufort scale,** half-Beaufort scale, International scale; wind rose, barometric wind rose, humidity wind rose, hyetal *or* rain wind rose, temperature wind rose, dynamic wind rose; wind arrow, wind marker.

.17 **weather vane, weathercock,** vane, cock, wind vane, wind indicator, wind cone *or* sleeve *or* sock, anemoscope; anemometer, wind-speed indicator, anemograph, anemometrograph.

.18 **breathing, respiration,** aspiration, spiro–, pneumat(o)–, –pnea *or* –pnoea; **inspiration, inhalation; expiration, exhalation;** insufflation, exsufflation; **breath,** wind, breath of air; pant, puff; wheeze, asthmatic wheeze; broken wind; gasp, gulp; snoring, snore, stertor; sniff, sniffle, snuff, snuffle; sigh, suspiration; sneeze, sternuta-

tion; cough, hack; hiccup; **artificial respiration,** mouth-to-mouth resuscitation; inhalator; iron lung; scuba, self-contained underwater breathing apparatus, Aqua-Lung; oxygen mask, oxygen tent.

.19 **lungs,** pneumon(o)–, bellows, lights; **gills,** branchiae, branchi(o)–; ctenidia.

.20 **blower,** bellows; blowpipe, blowtube, blowgun.

.21 **fan,** flabellum, flabelli–, rhipi– *or* rhipid(o)–; punkah, thermantidote, electric fan, blower, exhaust fan; ventilator 402.10; windsail, windscoop, windcatcher.

.22 VERBS **blow, waft; puff,** huff, whiff; whiffle; **breeze;** breeze up, freshen; **gather, brew,** set in, blow up, pipe up, come up, **blow up a storm;** bluster, squall; **storm,** rage, "blow, winds, and crack your cheeks, rage, blow" [Shakespeare], blast, blow great guns, blow a hurricane; blow over.

.23 **sigh,** sough, whisper, mutter, murmur, **sob, moan,** groan, growl, snarl, **wail, howl,** scream, screech, shriek, **roar,** whistle, pipe, sing, sing in the shrouds.

.24 **breathe, respire; inhale, inspire,** breathe in; **exhale, expire,** breathe out, exhaust, expel; **puff,** huff, **pant,** suck one's breath *or* wind, breathe hard *or* heavily, blow; **gasp,** gulp; snore; wheeze; **sniff,** sniffle, snuff, snuffle, snort; **sigh,** suspire; sneeze; cough, hack; hiccup.

.25 ADJS **windy, blowy; breezy, drafty,** airy, airish; brisk, fresh; **gusty,** blasty, puffy, flawy; **squally;** blustery, blustering, blusterous; aeolian, favonian, boreal.

.26 **stormy, tempestuous,** raging, storming, angry; turbulent 162.17; dirty, foul; cyclonic, tornadic, typhonic, typhoonish; rainy 394.10; cloudy 404.7.

.27 **windblown,** blown; **windswept,** bleak, raw, exposed.

.28 anemological, anemographic, anemometric(al).

.29 **respiratory,** breathing; inspiratory, expiratory; nasal, rhinal; pulmonary, pulmonic, pneumonic; puffing, huffing, snorting, wheezing, wheezy, asthmatic, stertorous, snoring, panting, heaving; sniffy, sniffly, sniffling, snuffy, snuffly, snuffling; sneezy, sternutative, sternutatory, errhine.

404. CLOUD

.1 NOUNS **cloud,** high fog, nepho–, "the clouds—the only birds that never sleep" [Victor Hugo], "the argosies of cloudland" [J. T. Trowbridge], "islands on a dark-blue sea" [Shelley], "fair, frail, palaces" [T. B. Aldrich], "the low'ring element" [Milton]; fleecy cloud, cottony cloud, billowy cloud; cloud bank, cloud mass, cloud drift; cloudling, cloudlet; **nimbus,** nimbus cloud, rain cloud, water carrier; storm cloud, squall cloud; thundercloud, thunderhead; **cumulus,** cumulus cloud, woolpack, cloud street, fracto-cumulus; cumulo-nimbus, anvil cloud; **stratus,** stratus cloud, strato–, cirro-stratus, cumulo-cirro-stratus, cirro-velum; strato-cumulus, cumulo-stratus, snail cloud; mammatocumulus, festoon cloud; cloud funnel; alto-cumulus, alto-stratus; **cirrus,** cirrus cloud, curl cloud, cirr(o)– *or* cirri–; cirro-cumulus, cumulo-cirrus, cirro-macula; mackerel sky; cirro-nebula, cirrus haze; cirro-fillum, cirrus stripe; mare's-tail, colt's-tail, cat's-tail, cocktail; goat's hair; banner cloud, cap cloud, cloudcap; scud; mushroom cloud, cloudscape, cloud band; cloudland, Cloudcuckooland *or* Nephelococcygia [Aristophanes].

.2 **fog,** pea soup [informal], peasouper *or* pea-soup fog [both informal]; London fog, London special [Brit informal]; **smog** (smoke-fog), smaze (smoke-haze); frost smoke; mist, drizzling mist, drisk [dial]; haze, gauze, film; vapor 401.

.3 **cloudiness, haziness, mistiness, fogginess,** nebulosity, nubilation, nimbosity, **overcast,** heavy sky, dirty sky.

.4 nephology, nephelognosy; nephologist.

.5 nephelometer, nepheloscope.

.6 VERBS **cloud,** becloud, encloud, cloud over, overcloud, cloud up, clabber up [dial], **overcast,** overshadow, shadow, shade, **darken** 337.9, darken over, nubilate, obnubilate, obscure; **smoke,** oversmoke; **fog,** befog; smog; **mist,** bemist, enmist; **haze.**

.7 ADJS **cloudy,** nebulous, nubilous, nimbose; **clouded,** overclouded, **overcast;** dirty, heavy; dark 337.13; **gloomy** 337.14; cloud-flecked; cirrous, cirrose; cumulous, cumuliform, stratous, stratiform; lenticularis, mammatus, castellatus; thunderheaded, stormy, squally.

.8 **cloud-covered,** cloud-laden, cloud-curtained, cloud-crammed, cloud-crossed, cloud-hidden, cloud-wrapped, cloud-enveloped, cloud-surrounded, cloud-girt, cloud-flecked, cloud-eclipsed, **cloud-capped,** cloud-topped.

.9 **foggy,** soupy *or* pea-soupy [both informal]; smoggy; hazy, misty.

.10 nephological.

405. BUBBLE

.1 NOUNS **bubble,** bleb, **globule;** vesicle, bulla, **blister,** blood blister, fever blister; balloon, bladder 193.2; air bubble, soap bubble.

.2 **foam, froth,** aphr(o)–; **spume,** sea foam, scud; **spray, surf,** breakers, white water, spoondrift *or* **spindrift,** "stinging, ringing spindrift" [Kipling]; **suds, lather,** soapsuds; **scum,** offscum; head, collar; puff, mousse, soufflé, meringue.

.3 **bubbling,** bubbliness, **effervescence** *or* effervescency, **sparkle,** spumescence, frothiness, frothing, foaming; **fizz,** fizzle, carbonation; ebullience *or* ebulliency; **ebullition,** boiling; **fermentation,** ferment.

.4 VERBS **bubble,** bubble up, burble; **effervesce, fizz, fizzle;** hiss, **sparkle; ferment,** work; **boil,** seethe, simmer; plop, blubber; guggle, gurgle; bubble over, boil over.

.5 **foam, froth,** spume, cream; **lather,** suds, sud; scum, mantle; **aerate,** whip, beat, whisk.

.6 ADJS **bubbly,** burbly, **bubbling,** burbling; **effervescent,** spumescent, **fizzy, sparkling,** *mousseux* [Fr]; carbonated; ebullient; puffed, soufflé *or* soufflééd, beaten, whipped, chiffon; **blistered,** blistery, blebby, vesicated, vesicular; blistering, vesicant, vesicatory.

.7 **foamy,** foam-flecked, **frothy,** spumy, spumous *or* spumose; yeasty, barmy; **sudsy,** suddy, **lathery,** soapy, soapsudsy, soapsuddy; heady, with a head *or* collar on.

406. ORGANIC MATTER

.1 NOUNS **organic matter,** animate *or* living matter, all that lives, living nature, organic nature, organized matter; flesh, tissue, fiber, brawn, plasm, cre(o)– *or* kre(o)–, creat(o)–, hist(o)–, in(o)–, –plasm(a); **flora and fauna,** plant and animal life, animal and vegetable kingdom, biosphere, biota, ecosphere, noosphere.

.2 **organism,** organization, organic being, **living being** *or* **thing,** being, creature, created being, **individual,** genetic individual, physiological individual, morphological individual; zoon, zooid; virus; aerobic organism, anaerobic organism; heterotrophic organism, autotrophic organism; microbe, microorganism 196.18; –ont, –id.

.3 biological classification *or* taxonomy, kingdom, phylum, etc. 61.5.

.4 **cell,** bioplast, cellule, cellul(o)– *or* cellul(i)–, cyt(o)– *or* cyti–, –cyte, –plast; procaryotic cell, eucaryotic cell; plant cell, animal cell; germ cell, somatic cell; corpuscle; unicellularity, multicellularity; **protoplasm,** energid; trophoplasm; chromatoplasm; cytoplasm, cyt(o)–, plasm(o)–, plasmato–, plasto–; ectoplasm, endoplasm; cellular tissue, –enchyma; reticulum; plasmodium, coenocyte, syncytium, plasmod(o)– *or* plasmodi(o)–.

.5 organelle; plastid; chromoplast, plastosome, chloroplast; mitochondrion; Golgi apparatus; ribosome; spherosome, microbody; vacuole; central apparatus, cytocentrum; centroplasm; central body, microcentrum; centrosome; centrosphere; centriole, basal body; pili, cilia, flagella, spindle fibers; aster, astr(o)–; kinoplasm; plasmodesmata; cell membrane.

.6 metaplasm; cell wall, cell plate; structural polysaccharide; bast, phloem, xylem, xyl(o)–, cellulose, chitin.

.7 **nucleus,** nucle(o)– *or* nuclei–, kary(o)– *or* cary(o)–; macronucleus, meganucleus; micronucleus; nucleolus, nucleol(o)–, pyren(o)–; plasmosome; karyosome, chromatin strands; nuclear envelope; chromatin, karyotin, chromat(o)–; basichromatin, heterochromatin, oxychromatin.

.8 **chromosome,** –some; allosome; heterochromosome, sex chromosome, idiochromosome; W chromosome; X chromosome, accessory chromosome, monosome; Y chromosome; Z chromosome; euchromosome, autosome; homologous chromosomes; univalent chromosome, chromatid; centromere; gene-string, chromonema; genome; chromosome complement; chromosome number, diploid number, haploid number; polyploidy.

.9 **gene,** gen(o)–; allele; operon; structural gene, regulator gene, operator gene; deoxyribonucleic acid, **DNA;** DNA double helix; nucleotide, codon; ribonucleic acid, **RNA;** messenger RNA, mRNA; transfer RNA, tRNA; ribosomal RNA; anticodon; gene pool, gene complex, gene flow, genetic drift; genotype, biotype; **hereditary character,** heredity 170.6.

.10 **gamete, germ cell,** reproductive cell; macrogamete, megagamete; microgamete; planogamete; genetoid; gamone; gametangium, gametophore; gametophyte; germ plasm, idioplasm.

.11 **sperm, spermatozoa, seed, semen,** scum *or* protein [both slang], sperm(o)– *or* sperm(a)– *or* sperm(i)–, spermat(o)–; seminal *or* spermatic fluid, milt; **sperm cell,** male gamete; spermatozoon, spermatozoid, antherozoid; antheridium; spermatium,

spermatiophore *or* spermatophore, spermagonium; pollen, pollin(i)–; spermatogonium; androcyte, spermatid, spermatocyte.

.12 **ovum, egg, egg cell,** female gamete, oösphere; oöcyte; oögonium; ovicell, ooecium; ovule; stirp.

.13 **spore,** sporule, spor(o)– *or* spori–, coni(o)–, conidi(o)–; microspore; macrospore, megaspore; swarm spore, zoospore, planospore; spore mother cell, sporocyte; zygospore; sporocarp, cystocarp; basidium, basidi(o)–; sporangium, megasporangium, microsporangium; sporocyst; gonidangium; sporogonium, sporophyte; sporophore; sorus.

.14 **embryo,** embry(o)–, zygote, oösperm, oöspore, blast(o)–, –blast; blastula; *Anlage* [Ger]; **fetus,** fet(o)– *or* feti– *or* foet(o)– *or* foeti–; germ, germen [archaic], rudiment; **larva,** larvi–, nymph.

.15 **egg,** ov(o)– *or* ovi–, o– *or* oö–; ovule; bird's egg; **roe,** fish eggs, caviar, spawn; **yolk,** yellow, vitellus, vitell(o)–, lecith(o)–; white, **egg white,** albumen, albumin(o)– *or* albumini–; glair, eggshell.

.16 **cell division; mitosis,** mit(o)–; amitosis; metamitosis, eumitosis; endomitosis, promitosis; haplomitosis, mesomitosis; karyomitosis; karyokinesis; interphase, prophase, metaphase, anaphase, telophase, diaster, cytokinesis; **meiosis.**

.17 (science of organisms) **biology,** biological science, life science; aerobiology, agrobiology, astrobiology *or* exobiology *or* xenobiology, **bacteriology, biochemistry** *or* biochemy *or* biochemics, bioecology *or* ecology *or* bionomics 233.4, biometry *or* biometrics, bionics, biophysics, cell physiology, cybernetics, cryobiology, cytology, electrobiology, **embryology,** enzymology, ethnobiology, gnotobiotics, microbiology, molecular biology, paleontology, pharmacology, **physiology,** radiobiology, taxonomy, virology; **anatomy** 245.7; **zoology** 415; **botany** 412; **genetics** 170.6.

.18 **biologist,** bacteriologist, biochemist, biophysicist, biometrist, cytologist, ecologist, embryologist, geneticist, physiologist; naturalist, natural scientist; botanist 412.2; zoologist 415.2; anatomist 245.7.

.19 ADJS **organic,** organ(o)–; organized; **animate, living,** vital, zoetic; **biological,** biotic; physiological, physi(o)–.

.20 **protoplasmic,** plasmic, plasmatic, –plastic; **genetic,** genic, hereditary.

.21 **cellular,** cellulous; unicellular, multicellular; corpuscular.

.22 gametic, gamic, sexual; **spermatic,** spermic, **seminal,** spermatozoal, spermatozoan, spermatozoic; sporal, sporous, sporoid, –sporic; sporogenous.

.23 **nuclear,** nucleal, nucleary, nucleate; multinucleate; nucleolar, nucleolate, nucleolated; **chromosomal;** chromatinic; –zygous; –ploid, haploid, hapl(o)– *or* apl(o)–, diploid, dipl(o)–, polyploid; –somic.

.24 **embryonic, germinal,** germinant, germinative, germinational; larval; fetal; in the bud; –blastic; germiparous.

.25 **egglike,** ovicular, eggy; ovular; albuminous, albuminoid; yolked, yolky; oviparous.

407. LIFE

.1 NOUNS **life, living, vitality,** being alive, having life, animation, animate existence; liveliness, animal spirits, vivacity, spriteliness; long life, longevity; viability; lifetime 110.5; immortality 112.3; birth 167; existence 1; bi(o)–, organ(o)–; –biosis.

.2 "one dem'd horrid grind" [Dickens], "a beauty chased by tragic laughter" [John Masefield], "a little gleam of Time between two eternities" [Carlyle], "a tale told by an idiot, full of sound and fury, signifying nothing" [Shakespeare], "a perpetual instruction in cause and effect" [Emerson], "a flame that is always burning itself out" [G. B. Shaw], "a dome of many-colored glass" [Shelley], "a long lesson in humility" [J. M. Barrie], "a fiction made up of contradiction" [William Blake], "a fatal complaint, and an eminently contagious one" [O. W. Holmes, Sr.], "a play of passion" [Sir W. Raleigh], "a comedy to those who think, a tragedy to those who feel" [H. Walpole].

.3 **life force, soul,** spirit, force of life, living force, *vis vitae, vis vitalis* [both L], **vital force** *or* vital energy, animating force *or* power *or* principle, inspiriting force *or* power *or* principle, *élan vital* [Fr], impulse of life, vital principle, **vital spark** *or* **flame,** spark of life, divine spark, life principle, vital spirit, vital fluid, anima; **breath,** life breath, **breath of life,** breath of one's nostrils, divine breath, life essence, essence of life, pneuma; prana, atman, jivatma, jiva; blood, **lifeblood,** heartblood, heart's blood; **heart,** heartbeat, beating heart; seat of life; growth force, bathmism; **life process;** biorhythm, biological clock, life cycle.

.4 **the living,** the living and breathing, all

animate nature, the quick; the quick and the dead.

.5 vivification, vitalization, animation, quickening.

.6 biosphere, ecosphere, noosphere; biochore, biotope, biocycle.

.7 VERBS **live,** be alive *or* animate *or* vital, have life, exist 1.8, breathe, respire, live and breathe, fetch *or* draw breath, draw the breath of life, walk the earth, subsist.

.8 **come to life,** come into existence *or* being, come into the world, see the light, be incarnated, **be born** *or* begotten *or* conceived; quicken; **revive, come to,** come alive, show signs of life; **awake, awaken;** rise again, live again, rise from the grave, resurge, resuscitate, reanimate, return to life.

.9 **vivify, vitalize, energize, animate, quicken,** inspirit, imbue *or* endow with life, give life to, put life *or* new life into, breathe life into, bring to life, bring *or* call into existence *or* being; conceive 167.13; give birth 167.15.

.10 **keep alive,** keep body and soul together, endure, survive, persist, last, hang on, be spared, have nine lives like a cat; support life; cheat death.

.11 ADJS **living, alive,** having life, live, very much alive, alive and kicking [informal], conscious, breathing, quick [archaic], **animate,** animated, **vital,** zoetic, instinct with life, imbued *or* endowed with life, vivified, enlivened, inspirited; in the flesh, among the living, in the land of the living, on this side of the grave, aboveground; existent 1.13; long-lived, tenacious of life; capable of life *or* survival, viable; –biotic, –coline *or* –colous.

.12 **life-giving,** animating, animative, quickening, vivifying, energizing.

408. DEATH

.1 NOUNS **death, dying,** somatic death, clinical death, biological death, **decease, demise,** thanat(o)–, necr(o)–; perishing, release, **passing away,** passing, passing over, "crossing the bar" [Tennyson], leaving life, making an end, departure, parting, going, going off *or* away, exit, ending, end 70, end of life, cessation of life, **loss of life,** ebb of life, expiration, **dissolution, extinction,** bane, annihilation, extinguishment, quietus; doom, summons of death, final summons, sentence of death, death knell, knell; **sleep, rest,** eternal rest *or* sleep, last sleep, last rest; **grave** 410.16; reward, debt of nature, last debt; last muster, last roundup, curtains [slang]; jaws of death, hand *or* finger of death, shadow *or* shades of death.

.2 "the journey's end", "the undiscovered country from whose bourn no traveler returns", "dusty death" [all Shakespeare], "that dreamless sleep" [Byron], "a debt we all must pay" [Euripides], "the tribute due unto nature" [Laurence Sterne], "the sleeping partner of life" [Horace Smith], "a knell that summons thee to heaven or to hell", "that fell arrest without all bail" [both Shakespeare], "kind Nature's signal of retreat" [Samuel Johnson], "the latter end", "a little sleep, a little slumber, a little folding of the hands to sleep" [both Bible], "the seamouth of mortality" [Robinson Jeffers], "that good night" [Dylan Thomas], "the downward path" [Horace], "the gate of life" [St. Bernard], "the crown of life" [Edward Young], "an awfully big adventure" [J. M. Barrie].

.3 (personifications and symbols) **Death,** "Black Death" [Ovid], "Pale Death" [Horace], "the pale priest of the mute people" [R. Browning], "that grim ferryman", "that fell sergeant" [both Shakespeare], "Hell's grim Tyrant" [Pope], "the king of terrors" [Bible], **Grim Reaper,** Reaper; pale horse; pale horse, pale rider; angel of death, death's bright angel, Azrael; scythe *or* sickle of Death; **skull,** death's-head, grinning skull, crossbones, skull and crossbones; *memento mori* [L]; white cross.

.4 river of death, Styx, Stygian shore, Acheron; Jordan, Jordan's bank; "valley of the shadow of death" [Bible]; Heaven 1018; Hell 1019.

.5 early death, early grave, **untimely end;** sudden death; stroke of death, death stroke; deathblow 409.10.

.6 **violent death;** killing 409; suffocation, smothering, smotheration [informal]; asphyxiation; choking, choke, strangulation, strangling; drowning, watery grave; starvation; liver death, serum death; megadeath.

.7 **natural death;** easy *or* quiet *or* peaceful death *or* end, euthanasia, blessed *or* welcome release.

.8 dying day, deathday, "the supreme day and the inevitable hour" [Vergil]; final *or* fatal hour, dying hour, running-out of the sands, deathtime.

.9 moribundity, extremity, last *or* final extremity; **deathbed;** deathwatch; death

struggle, agony, last agony, death agonies, death throes, throes of death; last breath *or* gasp, dying breath; **death rattle,** death groan.

.10 **swan song,** *chant du cygne* [Fr], death song.

.11 **bereavement** 812.1.

.12 **deathliness,** deathlikeness, deadliness; **weirdness, eeriness, uncanniness,** unearthliness; ghostliness, ghostlikeness; **ghastliness, grisliness, gruesomeness,** macabreness; paleness, haggardness, wanness, luridness, pallor; cadaverousness, corpselikeness; *facies Hippocratica* [L], Hippocratic face *or* countenance, mask of death.

.13 **death rate,** death toll; **mortality,** mortalness; transience 111; mutability 141.1.

.14 **obituary,** obit, necrology, necrologue; register of deaths, roll of the dead, death roll, mortuary roll, bill of mortality; casualty list; martyrology; body count.

.15 terminal case; **dying.**

.16 **corpse,** dead body, necr(o)–, dead man *or* woman, dead person, **cadaver, carcass, body;** *corpus delicti* [L]; **stiff** [slang]; **the dead,** the defunct, **the deceased,** the departed, the loved one; **decedent,** late lamented; **remains,** mortal *or* organic remains, bones, skeleton, dry bones, relics, reliquiae; dust, ashes, earth, clay, tenement of clay; **carrion,** crowbait, food for worms; **mummy,** mummification; embalmed corpse.

.17 **dead,** the majority, the great majority; one's fathers, one's ancestors; the choir invisible.

.18 **autopsy, postmortem, inquest,** postmortem examination, ex post facto examination, necropsy, necroscopy, medical examiner, coroner, mortality committee.

.19 VERBS **die, decease, succumb, expire, perish,** be taken by death, up and die [dial], cease to be *or* live, part, depart, quit this world, make one's exit, go, go the way of all flesh, go out, pass, pass on *or* over, **pass away, meet one's death** *or* **end** *or* **fate,** end one's life *or* days, depart this life, "shuffle off this mortal coil" [Shakespeare], put off mortality, **lose one's life,** fall, be lost, relinquish *or* surrender one's life, resign one's life *or* being, **give up the ghost,** yield the ghost *or* spirit, yield one's breath, take one's last breath, breathe one's last, stop breathing, fall asleep, close one's eyes, take one's last sleep, pay the debt of *or* to nature, go out with the ebb, "go the way of all earth" [Bible], return to dust *or* the earth.

.20 [slang terms] **croak, go west, kick the bucket,** kick in, **pop off,** drop off, step off, go to the wall, knock off, pipe off, kick off, shove off, pass out, peg out, go for a burton [Brit], take the last count; check out, check in, cash in, hand *or* pass *or* cash in one's checks *or* chips; turn up one's toes, slip one's cable; have one's time *or* have it *or* buy it [all Brit].

.21 **meet one's Maker,** go to glory, go to kingdom come [informal], go to the happy hunting grounds, go to *or* reach a better place *or* land *or* life *or* world, go to one's rest *or* reward, go home, go home feet first [informal], go to one's last home, go to one's long account, go over to *or* join the majority *or* great majority, **be gathered to one's fathers,** join one's ancestors, join the angels, join the choir invisible, die in the Lord, go to Abraham's bosom, pass over Jordan, "walk through the valley of the shadow of death" [Bible], cross the Stygian ferry, give an obolus to Charon; awake to life immortal, "put on immortality" [Bible].

.22 **drop dead, fall dead,** fall down dead, bite the dust [informal]; come to an untimely end.

.23 die in harness, die with one's boots on, make a good end, die fighting, die in the last ditch, die like a man.

.24 die a natural death; die a violent death, be killed 409.21; OD [slang]; **starve,** famish; smother, **suffocate;** asphyxiate; choke, strangle; **drown,** go to a watery grave, go to Davy Jones's locker [informal]; catch one's death, catch one's death of cold.

.25 **lay down** *or* **give one's life for one's country, die for one's country,** *"pro patria mori"* [Horace], make the supreme sacrifice, do one's bit.

.26 die out 2.5, become extinct.

.27 be dead, be no more, sleep *or* be asleep with the Lord, sleep with one's fathers *or* ancestors; lie in the grave, lie in Abraham's bosom; push up daisies [informal].

.28 **bereave;** leave, leave behind; orphan, widow.

.29 ADJS **deathly, deathlike,** deadly; **weird, eerie, uncanny,** unearthly; ghostly, ghostlike; **ghastly, grisly, gruesome, macabre;** pale, deathly pale, wan, lurid, blue, livid, haggard; **cadaverous,** corpselike; mortuary.

.30 **dead, lifeless,** breathless, without life, in-

animate 382.5, exanimate, without vital functions, sapro–; **deceased, demised, defunct,** croaked [slang], departed, departed this life, destitute of life, **gone, passed on,** gone the way of all flesh, gone west [informal], dead and gone, done for [informal], dead and done for [informal], no more, finished [informal], taken off *or* away, released, fallen, bereft of life, gone for a burton [Brit informal]; **at rest,** resting easy [informal], still, out of one's misery; **asleep,** sleeping, reposing; asleep in Jesus, with the Lord, asleep *or* dead in the Lord; **called home,** out of the world, gone to a better world *or* place *or* land, launched into eternity, gone to glory, gone to kingdom come [informal], "gathered to his fathers" [Bible], with the saints, sainted, numbered with the dead; in the grave six feet under, pushing up daisies [both informal]; carrion, food for worms; martyred; death-struck, death-stricken, smitten with death; stillborn; late, late lamented.

.31 **stone-dead;** dead as a doornail, dead as a herring, dead as mutton [all informal]; cold, stone-cold, "as cold as any stone" [Shakespeare], stiff [slang].

.32 **drowned,** in a watery grave *or* bier, in Davy Jones's locker.

.33 **dying,** expiring, going, slipping, slipping away, sinking, low, despaired of, given up, given up for dead, hopeless, bad, **moribund,** near death, near one's end, at the end of one's rope [informal], done for [informal], at the point of death, **at death's door,** at the portals of death, *in articulo mortis* [L], *in extremis* [L], in the jaws of death, facing *or* in the face of death; **on one's last legs** [informal], with one foot in the grave, tottering on the brink of the grave; on one's deathbed; at the last gasp; terminal; nonviable, incapable of life.

.34 **mortal, perishable,** subject to death, ephemeral, transient 111.7, mutable 141.6.

.35 **bereaved,** bereft, deprived; widowed; orphan, **orphaned,** parentless, fatherless, motherless.

.36 **postmortem,** postmortal, postmortuary, postmundane, post-obit, postobituary, **posthumous.**

.37 ADVS **deathly, deadly;** to the death, *à la mort* [Fr].

.38 PHRS one's hour is come, one's days are numbered, one's race is run, one's doom is sealed, life hangs by a thread, one's number is up, Death knocks at the door, Death stares one in the face, the sands of life are running out.

409. KILLING

.1 NOUNS **killing, slaying, slaughter, dispatch, extermination, destruction,** destruction of life, taking of life, dealing death, bane; kill; **bloodshed,** bloodletting, blood, gore, flow of blood; mercy killing, euthanasia; ritual murder *or* killing, immolation, sacrifice; *auto-da-fé* [Pg], martyrdom, martyrization; lynching; stoning, lapidation; braining; shooting; poisoning; execution 1010.7.

.2 **homicide, manslaughter; murder,** bloody murder [informal]; bumping-off [slang]; foul play; **assassination;** removal, elimination, liquidation, purge, purging; thuggery, thuggism, thuggee.

.3 (killer or killing of) genocide (race), homicide (person), parenticide (parent), patricide (father), matricide (mother), fratricide (brother), sororicide (sister), parricide (kinsman), suicide (self), uxoricide (wife), mariticide (spouse, especially husband), regicide (king), tyrannicide (tyrant), vaticide (prophet), giganticide (giant), infanticide (infant), aborticide *or* feticide (fetus), pesticide (pest), rodenticide (rodent), vermicide *or* filaricide (worms), insecticide (insects), microbicide *or* germicide (germs), fungicide (fungi), herbicide (plants).

.4 **butchery,** butchering, **slaughter,** shambles, occision, slaughtering, hecatomb.

.5 **carnage, massacre, bloodbath, decimation,** saturnalia of blood; **mass murder, mass destruction,** wholesale murder, pogrom, race-murder, genocide, race extermination, **holocaust,** final solution.

.6 **suicide,** self-murder, self-destruction, death by one's own hand, *felo-de-se* [L], self-immolation, self-sacrifice; **disembowelment,** ritual suicide, *hara-kiri, seppuku* [both Jap], suttee, sutteeism; car of Jagannath *or* Juggernaut; mass suicide, race suicide.

.7 **suffocation,** smothering, smotheration, **asphyxiation,** asphyxia; **strangulation,** strangling, burking, throttling, stifling, garrote, garroting; **choking,** choke; **drowning.**

.8 **fatality,** fatal accident, violent death, **casualty,** disaster, calamity.

.9 **deadliness, lethality,** mortality, fatality; **malignance** *or* malignancy, malignity, **virulence, perniciousness,** banefulness.

.10 **deathblow,** death stroke, final stroke, fa-

tal *or* mortal *or* lethal blow, *coup de grâce* [Fr].

.11 **killer, slayer, slaughterer, butcher,** bloodshedder; massacrer; **manslayer, homicide, murderer,** man-killer, bloodletter, Cain; **assassin,** assassinator; **cutthroat,** thug, desperado, bravo, gorilla [slang], apache, gunman; hit man *or* button man *or* gun *or* trigger man *or* torpedo *or* gunsel [all slang]; **hatchet man;** poisoner; strangler, garroter, burker; cannibal, maneater, anthropophagus; head-hunter; mercy killer; thrill killer, homicidal maniac; executioner 1010.8; matador; exterminator, eradicator; –cide 409.3, –ctonus; poison, pesticide 676.3.

.12 (place of slaughter) aceldama, field of blood *or* bloodshed; **slaughterhouse,** butchery [Brit], shambles, abattoir; stockyard; gas chamber, concentration camp; Auschwitz, Belsen, etc.

.13 VERBS **kill, slay, put to death,** deprive of life, bereave of life, **take life,** take the life of, take one's life away, **do away with,** make away with, **put out of the way,** put to sleep, end, **put an end to,** end the life of, **dispatch, do to death,** do for, finish, finish off, take off, **dispose of, exterminate, destroy,** annihilate; liquidate, purge; carry off *or* away, remove from life; put down, put away, put one out of one's misery; launch into eternity, send to glory, send to kingdom come [informal], send to one's last account; martyr, martyrize; immolate, sacrifice; lynch; cut off, cut down, nip in the bud; poison; chloroform; starve; execute 1010.19.

.14 [slang terms] **rub out, croak, bump off,** polish off, blot out, erase, **wipe out,** zap, blast, **do in,** off, hit, ice, waste, gun down, lay out, take care of, take for a ride, give the business *or* works, get, fix, settle.

.15 **shed blood,** spill blood, let blood, bloody one's hands with, dye one's hands in blood, pour out blood like water, wade knee-deep in blood.

.16 **murder,** commit murder; **assassinate;** remove, **purge, liquidate,** eliminate, get rid of.

.17 **slaughter, butcher, massacre, decimate,** commit carnage, depopulate, murder *or* kill *or* slay en masse; commit mass murder *or* destruction, murder wholesale, commit genocide.

.18 **strike dead,** fell, bring down, lay low; drop, drop *or* stop in one's tracks; **shoot,** shoot down, pistol, shotgun, machine-gun, gun down, riddle, shoot to death; cut down, cut to pieces *or* ribbons, **put to the sword,** stab to death, jugulate, cut *or* slash the throat; **deal a deathblow,** give the quietus *or coup de grâce,* silence; knock in *or* on the head; **brain,** blow *or* knock *or* dash one's brains out, poleax; **stone,** lapidate, stone to death; blow up, blow to bits *or* pieces *or* kingdom come, frag; disintegrate, vaporize; burn to death, incinerate, burn at the stake.

.19 **strangle,** garrote, **throttle, choke,** burke; **suffocate, stifle, smother, asphyxiate,** stop the breath; **drown.**

.20 **condemn to death,** sign one's death warrant, strike the death knell of, finger [slang], give the kiss of death to.

.21 **be killed,** get killed, die a violent death, **come to a violent end,** meet with foul play, welter in one's own blood.

.22 **commit suicide, take one's own life, kill oneself,** die by one's own hand, do away with oneself, put an end to oneself; blow one's brains out, take an overdose (of a drug), OD [informal]; commit hara-kiri.

.23 ADJS **deadly, deathly,** deathful, **killing, destructive,** death-dealing, death-bringing, feral [archaic]; savage, brutal; internecine; **fatal, mortal, lethal,** –cidal; **malignant,** malign, **virulent, pernicious,** baneful.

.24 **murderous,** slaughterous; cutthroat; redhanded; **homicidal,** man-killing; genocidal; suicidal, self-destructive; cruel 939.24; **bloodthirsty,** bloody-minded; **bloody,** gory, sanguinary.

410. INTERMENT

.1 NOUNS **interment, burial,** burying, inhumation, sepulture, **entombment;** encoffinment, inurning, inurnment, urn burial; primary burial; secondary burial, reburial; disposal of the dead; burial *or* funeral *or* funerary customs.

.2 **cremation, incineration, burning,** reduction to ashes; pyre, funeral pile.

.3 **embalmment,** embalming; mummification.

.4 **last offices,** last honors, **last rites,** funeral rites, last duty *or* service, funeral service, burial service, exequies, **obsequies;** Office of the Dead, Memento of the Dead, requiem, requiem mass, dirge [archaic]; **extreme unction;** viaticum; funeral oration *or* sermon, eulogy; **wake,** deathwatch.

.5 **funeral, burial,** burying; funeral procession, cortege; dead march, muffled drum,

last post [Brit], taps; dirge 875.5; burial at sea, deep six [slang].

.6 **knell,** passing bell, death bell, funeral ring, tolling, tolling of the knell.

.7 **mourner, griever, lamenter,** keener; mute, professional mourner; **pallbearer,** bearer.

.8 **undertaker, mortician,** funeral director; embalmer; gravedigger; sexton.

.9 **mortuary, morgue,** deadhouse [archaic], charnel house, lichhouse [Brit dial] **funeral home** *or* **parlor,** undertaker's establishment; **crematorium,** crematory, cinerarium, burning ghat.

.10 **hearse,** funeral car *or* coach; catafalque.

.11 **coffin, casket,** burial case, box, kist [Scot]; wooden kimono *or* overcoat [slang]; **sarcophagus;** mummy case.

.12 **urn,** cinerary urn, funerary *or* funeral urn *or* vessel, bone pot, ossuary.

.13 **bier,** litter.

.14 **graveclothes, shroud,** winding sheet, cerecloth, cerements; pall.

.15 **graveyard, cemetery, burial ground** *or* **place,** burying place *or* ground, *campo santo* [Ital], boneyard [slang], burial yard, necropolis, polyandrium, **memorial park,** city *or* village of the dead; **churchyard,** God's acre; **potter's field;** Golgotha, Calvary; lych-gate.

.16 **tomb, sepulcher; grave,** burial, pit, deep six [slang]; resting place, "the lone couch of his everlasting sleep" [Shelley]; last home, long home, narrow house, house of death, low house, low green tent; **crypt, vault,** burial chamber; ossuary, ossuarium; charnel house, bone house; **mausoleum; catacombs;** mastaba; cist grave, box grave, passage grave, shaft grave, beehive tomb; **shrine,** reliquary, monstrance, tope, stupa; cenotaph; dokhma, tower of silence; pyramid, mummy chamber; burial mound, tumulus, barrow, cist, cromlech, dolmen.

.17 monument, gravestone 570.12.

.18 **epitaph,** inscription, *hic jacet* [L], tombstone marking.

.19 VERBS **inter,** inhume, **bury,** sepulture, inearth [archaic], **lay to rest, consign to the grave,** lay in the grave *or* earth, lay under the sod, put six feet under [slang]; tomb, **entomb,** ensepulcher, hearse; enshrine; inurn; encoffin, coffin; hold *or* conduct a funeral.

.20 **cremate, incinerate, burn,** reduce to ashes.

.21 **lay out; embalm;** mummify; lie in state.

.22 ADJS **funereal,** funeral, funerary, funebrial, funebrous *or* funebrious, *funèbre* [Fr], mortuary, exequial, obsequial, feral; sepulchral, tomblike; cinerary; necrological, obituary, epitaphic; **dismal** 872.24; **mournful** 872.26; dirgelike 875.18.

.23 ADVS beneath the sod, underground, six feet under [slang], "in the dark union of insensate dust" [Byron]; at rest, resting in peace.

.24 PHRS RIP, *requiescat in pace* [L sing], *requiescant in pace* [L pl], rest in peace; *hic jacet* [L], *ci-gît* [Fr], here lies; ashes to ashes and dust to dust [Book of Common Prayer].

411. PLANTS

.1 NOUNS **plants, vegetation; flora, plant life,** vegetable life; **vegetable kingdom,** plant kingdom; herbage, flowerage, verdure, greenery, greens; botany 412; vegetation spirit 413.4.

.2 **growth,** stand, crop; plantation, planting; **clump,** tuft, tussock, hassock.

.3 **plant,** phyt(o)–, –phyte; **vegetable; weed;** seedling; cutting; vascular plant; seed plant, spermatophyte; gymnosperm; angiosperm, flowering plant; monocotyledon *or* monocot *or* monocotyl; dicotyledon *or* dicot *or* dicotyl; polycotyledon *or* polycot *or* polycotyl; thallophyte, fungus; gametophyte, sporophyte; exotic, hothouse plant; ephemeral, annual, biennial, triennial, perennial; evergreen, deciduous plant; cosmopolite; aquatic plant, hydrophyte, amphibian.

.4 (varieties) **legume,** pulse, vetch, bean, pea, lentil, phac(o)– *or* phak(o)–; **herb;** succulent; **vine,** viti–, grapevine, ampel(o)–, creeper, ivy, climber, liana; **fern,** –pteris, bracken; **moss,** bry(o)–, musc(o)– *or* musci–; **wort,** liverwort; **algae,** phyc(o)–; brown algae, fucus; green algae, conferva, confervoid; red algae, blue-green algae; planktonic algae, phytoplankton, diatom; **seaweed,** kelp, sea moss, rockweed, gulfweed, sargasso *or* sargassum, sea lentil, wrack, sea wrack; **fungus,** fungi–, myc(o)–, –mycete, mold, rust, smut, puffball, mushroom, toadstool; lichen; parasitic plant, parasite, saprophyte, perthophyte, heterophyte, autophyte; plant families 412.3–6; fruits and vegetables 308.50,51.

.5 **grass,** gramin(i)–, gramineous *or* graminaceous plant, pasture *or* forage grass, lawn grass, ornamental grass; aftergrass, fog [dial]; **cereal,** cereal plant, farinaceous plant, **grain,** grani–, corn [Brit]; sedge, caric(o)–; rush, reed, cane, bamboo.

.6 **turf, sod, sward,** greensward; divot.

.7 **green, lawn;** artificial turf, Astroturf; grassplot, greenyard; grounds; **common, park, village green;** golf course *or* links, fairway; bowling green, putting green.

.8 **grassland,** grass; **meadow,** meadow land, mead [archaic], swale, lea, haugh *or* haughland [Scot], vega; **pasture,** pasturage, pasture land, park [Brit dial]; **range,** grazing; **prairie, savanna, steppe,** steppeland, **pampas,** pampa, campo, llano, **veld,** grass veld.

.9 **shrubbery; shrub, bush,** thamn(o)–; scrub, bramble, brier, brier bush.

.10 **tree,** timber, dry(o)–, dendr(o)–, –dendron; shade tree, fruit tree, timber tree; softwood tree, hardwood tree; sapling, seedling; pollard; conifer, evergreen.

.11 **woodland, wood, woods, timberland,** hyl(o)–; **timber,** stand of timber, **forest,** forest land, forest preserve, state *or* national forest; forestry, dendrology, silviculture; afforestation, reforestation; rain forest, cloud forest; climax forest; sprout forest; selection forest; protection forest; index forest; fringing forest, gallery forest; primeval forest; virgin forest; greenwood; **jungle,** jungles; boondocks [informal]; wildwood, **bush,** scrub; bushveld, tree veld; shrubland, scrubland; pine barrens, palmetto barrens; hanger; **park,** chase [Brit]; park forest; arboretum.

.12 **grove, woodlet;** holt [dial], hurst, spinney [Brit], tope [India], shaw [dial], bosk [archaic]; **orchard;** wood lot; coppice, copse; *bocage* [Fr].

.13 **thicket,** thickset, **copse, coppice,** copsewood, frith [Brit dial]; bosket [archaic], boscage; covert; motte; **brake,** canebrake; chaparral; chamisal; ceja.

.14 **brush, scrub,** bush, **brushwood,** shrubwood, scrubwood.

.15 **undergrowth, underwood, underbrush,** copsewood, undershrubs, boscage, frith [Brit dial].

.16 **foliage, leafage,** leafiness, umbrage, foliation; frondage, frondescence; vernation.

.17 **leaf, frond,** phyll(o)–, –phyllum; leaflet, foliole; ligule, ligul(i)–; lamina, **blade,** spear, spire, pile, flag; **needle,** pine needle; floral leaf, **petal,** sepal; bract, bractlet, bracteole, spathe, involucre, involucrum, glume, lemma; cotyledon, seed leaf, –cotyl; stipule, stipula.

.18 **branch,** fork, **limb, bough;** deadwood; **twig, sprig,** switch; spray; **shoot,** offshoot, spear, frond; scion; **sprout,** sprit, slip, burgeon, thallus, thall(o)– *or* thalli–, clad(o)–; sucker; **runner,** stolon, flagellum, sarmentum, sarment; bine; **tendril;** ramage; branchiness, branchedness, ramification.

.19 **stem, stalk, stock,** axis, *caulis* [L], caul(o)– *or* cauli–, –dendron; **trunk,** bole, corm(o)–; spear, spire; straw; reed; cane; culm, haulm [Brit]; caudex; footstalk, pedicel, peduncle, pod(o)–; leafstalk, petiole, petiolus, petiolule; seedstalk; cauliclе; tigella; funicule, funiculus; stipe, anthrophore, carpophore, gynophore.

.20 **root,** radix, radicle, –rhiza *or* –rrhiza; rootlet; **taproot,** tap; **rhizome,** rootstock; **tuber,** tubercle; **bulb,** bulbil, bulb(o)–, corm, earthnut.

.21 **bud,** burgeon, gemma; gemmule, gemmula; plumule, acrospire; leaf bud, flower bud.

.22 **flower, posy, blossom, bloom,** flori–, anth(o)–, blow [archaic]; floweret, floret, floscule; **wildflower; gardening,** horticulture, floriculture; hortorium.

.23 **bouquet, nosegay, posy,** boughpot, flower arrangement; **boutonniere,** buttonhole [Brit]; **corsage; spray; wreath;** festoon; **garland,** chaplet, lei.

.24 **flowering,** florescence, efflorescence, flowerage, **blossoming, blooming;** inflorescence; **blossom, bloom,** blowing, blow; unfolding, unfoldment; anthesis, full bloom.

.25 (types of inflorescence) raceme, corymb, umbel, umbell(i)–, panicle, cyme, thyrse, spadix, verticillaster; head, capitulum; spike, spikelet; ament, catkin; strobile, cone, pine cone.

.26 (flower parts) petal, perianth; calyx, calyc(o)–, epicalyx; corolla, corolla tube, corona; androecium, anther, stamen, stamin(i)–, microsporophyll; pistil, pistil–, gynoecium; style, styl(o)– *or* styli–; stigma, carpel, megasporophyll; receptacle, torus, –clinium.

.27 **ear,** spike; auricle; ear of corn, mealie; **cob,** corncob.

.28 **seed vessel, seedcase,** seedbox, pericarp, angi(o)–; hull, husk; **capsule, pod,** cod [dial], seed pod; pease cod, legume, legumen, boll, burr, follicle, silique.

.29 **seed,** sperm(o)– *or* sperma– *or* spermi–, spermat(o)–; **stone, pit, nut,** pyren(o)–; acorn, balan(o)–; pip; fruit, carp(o)–, –carp, –carpium; **grain, kernel, berry,** cocc(o)– *or* cocci–; flaxseed, linseed; hayseed; bird seed.

.30 **vegetation, growth;** germination, pullula-

tion; burgeoning, sprouting; budding, luxuriation.

.31 VERBS **vegetate, grow;** germinate, pullulate; root, take root, strike root; sprout up, shoot up, upsprout, upspear; **burgeon,** put forth, burst forth; **sprout,** shoot; **bud,** gemmate, put forth *or* put out buds; **leaf,** leave, leaf out, put out *or* put forth leaves; flourish, luxuriate, riot, grow rank *or* lush; overgrow, overrun.

.32 **flower,** be in flower, **blossom, bloom,** be in bloom, blow, effloresce, floreate, burst into bloom.

.33 ADJS **vegetable,** vegetal, vegetative, vegetational, vegetarian; **plantlike,** –phytic; **herbaceous,** herbal, herbous, herbose, herby; leguminous, leguminose, leguminiform; cereal, farinaceous; weedy; fruity, fruitlike, –carpic, –carpous; tuberous, bulbous; rootlike, rhizoid, radicular, radicated, radiciform; botanic(al) 412.8.

.34 algal, fucoid, confervoid; phytoplanktonic, diatomaceous; fungous, fungoid, fungiform.

.35 **floral; flowery, florid** [archaic]; **flowered,** floreate, floriate, floriated, –florate, –florous, –anthous; **flowering, blossoming, blooming,** bloomy, florescent, inflorescent, efflorescent, in flower, in bloom, in blossom; uniflorous, multiflorous; radiciflorous, rhizanthous; **garden,** horticultural, hortulan, floricultural.

.36 **arboreal,** arborical, arboresque, arboreous, arborary; **treelike,** arboriform, arborescent, dendroid, dendriform, dendritic; deciduous, nondeciduous; evergreen; softwood, hardwood; piny; coniferous; citrous; bushy, shrubby, scrubby, scrubbly; bushlike, shrublike, scrublike.

.37 **sylvan, woodland, forest,** forestal; dendrologic(al), silvicultural, afforestational, reforestational; **wooded,** timbered, forested, arboreous; **woody,** woodsy, bushy, shrubby, scrubby; bosky, copsy, braky.

.38 **leafy,** leavy [archaic], bowery; foliated, foliate, foliose, foliaged, leaved, –phyllous, –folious; **branched,** branchy, branching, ramified, ramate, ramous *or* ramose; twiggy.

.39 **verdant, verdurous,** verdured; **mossy,** moss-covered, moss-grown; **grassy,** grasslike, gramineous, graminaceous; turfy, swardy, turflike, caespitose, tufted; meadowy.

.40 **luxuriant,** flourishing, **rank, lush,** riotous, exuberant; dense, impenetrable, thick, heavy, gross; jungly, jungled; overgrown, overrun; **weedy,** unweeded, weed-choked, weed-ridden; gone to seed.

.41 **perennial,** ephemeral; hardy, half-hardy; **deciduous,** evergreen.

.42 **algae**

brown algae
conferva
dulse
fucoid
fucus, fuc(o)– *or* fuci–
green algae
gulfweed
Iceland moss
Irish moss
kelp
lichen
phytoplankton, plankton
pond scum
red algae
reindeer moss
rockweed
sargasso, sargassum
scum
sea lettuce
sea moss
seaweed
sea wrack
stonewort
wrack

.43 **ferns**

adder's fern
basket fern
beech fern
bladder fern
boulder fern
bracken
chain fern
cliff brake
climbing fern
curly grass
grape fern
hart's tongue
holly fern
lady fern
lip fern
maidenhair
marsh fern
moonwort
oak fern
osmunda
ostrich fern
rattlesnake fern
rock brake
shield fern
snuffbox fern
walking fern
wall fern
wood fern

.44 **flowers**

acacia
African violet
amaryllis
anemone
arbutus
arrowhead
asphodel
aster
azalea
baby-blue-eyes
baby's breath
bachelor button
begonia
bitterroot
black-eyed Susan
bleeding heart
bloodroot
bluebell
bluet
bridal wreath
broom
buttercup
cactus
calendula
camas
camellia
camomile
campanula
candytuft
carnation
cat's-paw
cattail
century plant
Chinese lantern
Christmas rose
chrysanthemum
cineraria
clematis
clethra
cockscomb
columbine
cornel
cornflower
cosmos
cowslip
crocus
cyclamen
daffodil
dahlia
daisy
dandelion
delphinium
dogwood
duckweed
Dutchman's-breeches
edelweiss
eglantine
fireweed
flax
fleur-de-lis [Fr]
forget-me-not
forsythia
foxglove
foxtail
fuchsia
gardenia
gentian
geranium

gladiolus
goldenrod
groundsel
harebell
hawthorn
heather
hepatica
hibiscus
hollyhock
honeysuckle
horehound
hyacinth
hydrangea
impatience
Indian paintbrush
indigo
iris, irid(o)–
jack-in-the-pulpit
japonica
jasmine
jonquil
knotweed
lady's-slipper
larkspur
lavender
lilac
lily
lily of the valley
lobelia
lotus
love-lies-bleeding
lupine
magnolia
mallow
marguerite
marigold
marshmallow
marsh marigold
mayflower
mignonette
mimosa
moccasin flower
mock orange
monkshood
morning-glory
moss rose
motherwort
myrtle
narcissus
nasturtium
oleander
opium poppy, mecon(o)–
orchid
oxalis
pansy, viol–
passion flower
peony
periwinkle
petunia
phlox
pink
poinsettia
poppy
portulaca
primrose
Queen Anne's lace
ranunculus
resurrection plant
rhododendron
rose, rhod(o)–
shooting star
smilax
snapdragon
snowball
snowberry
snowdrop
spiraea
stock
strawflower
sunflower
sweet alyssum
sweet pea
sweet William
trillium
trumpet vine
tulip
umbrella plant
Venus's flytrap
verbena
vetch
viburnum
viola
violet
wallflower
water lily, nymph(o)– *or* nymphi–
wisteria
wolfbane
yarrow
yucca
zinnia

.45 fungi

blight
blue mold
bread mold
ergot, ergo–
green mold
mildew
mold
mushroom
penicillium
puffball
rot
rust
slime mold
smut
tinea
toadstool
truffle
tuckahoe
verticillium, verticilli–
water mold
yeast

.46 grasses, grains

alfilaria
bamboo
barley
beach grass
beard grass
Bengal grass
bent, bent grass
Bermuda grass
black bent
bluegrass
bluejoint
bog grass
bristly foxtail grass
broomcorn
buckwheat
buffalo grass
bulrush
bunch grass
canary grass
cane
China grass
cocksfoot grass
corn
cotton grass
crab grass
durra
eelgrass
English rye grass
feather grass
finger-comb grass
finger grass
flyaway grass
four-leaved grass
gama *or* sesame grass
grama *or* mesquite grass
guinea grass
hairgrass
hassock grass
herd's grass
horsetail
Indian corn
Italian rye grass
Japanese lawn grass
Kentucky bluegrass
little quaking grass
lovegrass
lyme grass
maize
meadow fescue
meadow foxtail
meadow grass
millet
myrtle grass
oats
orchard grass
paddy
palm-leaved grass
pampas grass
papyrus
peppergrass
pin grass
plume grass
pony grass
redtop
reed
ribbon grass
rice, oryz(o)– *or* oryzi–
rush
rye
scutch
sedge
sesame
sheep's fescue
silk grass
sorghum
spear grass
squirrel tail grass
star grass
striped grass
sugar cane
switch grass
sword grass
tear grass
timothy
tufted hair grass
viper's grass
wheat
wild oats
wire grass
wood meadow grass
woolly beard grass
worm grass
yellow-eyed grass
zebra grass
zoysia

.47 herbs

angelica
anise, anis(o)–
balm
basil
belladonna
boneset
borage
burning bush
calendula
camomile
caraway
cardamom
castor-oil plant
catnip, catmint
chervil
chicory
clover
coriander
Cretan dittany
deadly nightshade
death camas
dill
dittany
fennel
feverroot
figwort
fraxinella, gas plant
ginseng
hemp
henbane
horehound
hyssop
licorice
liverwort
mandrake
marijuana
marjoram
mayapple
mint
monkshood
mullein
mustard
oregano, origanum
parsley
peppermint
rosemary
rue
sage
savory
sorrel
spearmint
sweet cicely
sweet woodruff
tansy
tarragon
thyme

tobacco
wild marjoram
wintergreen

.48 mosses

club moss
Florida moss
flowering moss
ground pine
hair cap moss
lycopodium
peat moss
red tipped moss
scale moss
sphagnum moss
staghorn moss
tree moss
white moss

.49 shrubs

alder
azalea
barberry
bayberry
blackberry
blackthorn
blueberry
box
broom
caper
chokeberry
cinchona, quin(o)–
coca
coffee
cranberry
currant
daphne
elder
forsythia
frangipani
fuchsia
furze
gardenia
genista
gooseberry
gorse
greasewood
guava
guayule
haw
heather
hemp tree
henna
hibiscus
holly
huckleberry
hydrangea
indigo
Juneberry
juniper
jute
kalmia
laurel, laur(o)–
leatherleaf
lilac
magnolia
manzanita
mesquite
milkwort
mock orange
mountain lilac
myrica
myrtle
nandin, nandina
ninebark
oleander
Persian berry
photinia
poison sumac
privet
pussy willow
queen of the meadow
rabbit berry
red brush
rhododendron
rosebay
rosemary
rose of Sharon
sage, sagebrush
sand myrtle
sisal
snowberry
snow wreath
spiraea
sumac
symplocos
syringa
tamarisk
turkey berry
veronica
whin
wintercreeper
witch hazel
yellowroot
zenobia

.50 trees

acacia
ailanthus
alder
allspice
almond
apple
apricot
ash
aspen
avocado, alligator pear
bald cypress
balsa
balsam
banyan
basswood
bay
bayberry
beech
betel palm
birch
boxwood
Brazil-nut
breadfruit
buckeye
butternut
buttonwood
cacao
camphor tree
candleberry
cashew
cassia
catalpa
cedar
cherry
chestnut
chinaberry tree, China tree
chinquapin
cinnamon
citron
clove
coconut, coco
cork oak
cottonwood
cypress
date palm
dogwood
ebony
elder
elm
eucalyptus
fig
fir
frankincense
ginkgo
grapefruit
guava
gum
hawthorn
hazel, hazelnut
hemlock
henna
hickory
holly
hop tree
hornbeam
horse chestnut
ironwood
juniper
kumquat
laburnum
lancewood
larch
laurel
lemon
lignum vitae
lime
linden
litchi, litchi nut
locust
logwood
madroña
magnolia
mahogany
mango
mangrove
maple
medlar
mimosa
mountain ash
mulberry
nutmeg
nux vomica
oak
olive
orange
palm, palmi–
papaw
papaya
peach
pear
pecan
persimmon
pine
pistachio
plane
plum
pomegranate
poplar
quince
raffia palm
rain tree
redwood
rosewood
sandalwood
sassafras
satinwood
senna
sequoia
serviceberry
silk oak
spruce
sycamore
tamarack
tamarind
tangerine
teak
thorn tree
tulip oak
tulip tree
upas
walnut
willow
witch hazel
yew

.51 vines

bittersweet
clematis
dewberry
English ivy
grape
greenbrier
honeysuckle
hop
ivy
jasmine
liana
morning glory
poison ivy
trumpet creeper
Virginia creeper
wisteria

.52 weeds

beggar's-ticks
bindweed
brake
burdock
burr
Canada thistle
cat's ear
chickweed
chicory
crab grass
crazyweed
creeping buttercup

dandelion
dock
fireweed
horsetail
jimsonweed
knawel
knotweed
lady's thumb
locoweed
mallow
mayweed
milkweed
mustard
nettle
pigweed
plantain
poison ivy
poke, pokeweed
prickly lettuce
purslane
quack grass
ragweed
sandburr
scarlet pimpernel
sheep's sorrel, sheep sorrel
shepherd's purse
skunk cabbage
smartweed
speedwell
spotted spurge
spurry
stinkweed
tarweed
thistle
tumbleweed

412. BOTANY

.1 NOUNS **botany,** phytology; phytography, phytonomy; algology, phycology, bryology, dendrology, fungology, hydroponics, aquiculture, mycology, paleobotany, physiological botany, phytobiology, phytochemistry, phytoecology, phytogeography, phytomorphology, phytopaleontology, phytopathology, phytotaxonomy, phytoteratology, phytotomy, phytotopography, pomology, structural botany, systematic botany, vegetable *or* plant anatomy, vegetable *or* plant pathology, vegetable *or* plant physiology.

.2 **botanist,** phytologist, herbalist [archaic]; phytographer, phytonomist; algologist, phycologist, bryologist, dendrologist, ecologist, fungologist, herbalist, mycologist, phytobiologist, phytoecologist, phytogeographer, phytopaleontologist, phytopathologist, phytoteratologist, pomologist.

.3 Thallophyta (thallus plants), thallogens, thallophytes: algae; Cyanophyceae (blue-green algae); Chlorophyceae (green algae); Phaeophyceae, Ectocarpales, Fucales (brown algae); Rhodophyceae (red algae); fungi, molds; Schizomycetes (fission fungi, bacteria); Myxomycetes (slime molds); Phycomycetes (algal fungi, water molds); Ascomycetes (sac fungi, lichen, lichen fungi); Penicillium (blue and green molds); Basidiomycetes (basidium fungi, rusts, smuts, puffballs, mushrooms, toadstools).

.4 Bryophyta (moss plants), bryophytes: Hepaticae (liverworts); Musci (mosses).

.5 Pteridophyta (fern plants), pteridophytes: Lycopodiales (ground pines, club mosses, quill worts); Lycopodiaceae (club mosses); Selaginellaceae; Sigillaria, Stigmaria; Equisetaceae, Equisetales (horsetails), equisetum; Calamites, calamite; Filicales, Filices (ferns), filicoids; Cycadofilicales, Cycadofilices (cycad ferns), cycadofilicales; Lepidodendraceae (fossil trees): Lepidodendron, lepidodendroids, lepidodendrids.

.6 Spermatophyta (seed plants), spermatophytes: Gymnospermae (naked-seeded plants), gymnosperms; Cycadales, cycads; Gnetales, gnetums; Ginkgoales, ginkgoes; Pinales *or* Coniferae (cone-bearing evergreens), conifers; Angiospermae (covered-seeded plants), angiosperms; Monocotyledones, Endogenae (cereals, palms, lilies, orchids, bananas, pineapples, etc.); monocotyledons, endogens; Dicotyledones (oaks, apples, sunflowers, peas, etc.), dicotyledons.

.7 VERBS botanize, herbalize.

.8 ADJS **botanic(al),** phytologic(al); phytobiological, phytochemical, pomological, etc. 412.1.

413. AGRICULTURE

.1 NOUNS **agriculture, farming, husbandry;** cultivation, culture, geoponics, tillage, tilth; agrology, agronomy, agronomics; thremmatology; agrogeology, agricultural geology; dry farming, dryland farming, dirt farming [informal], truck farming, contour farming, mixed farming, intensive farming, subsistence farming, tank farming, hydroponics, grain farming, strip farming, fruit farming, sharecropping; rural economy *or* economics, farm economy *or* economics, agrarian economy *or* economics, agrarianism.

.2 **horticulture, gardening;** landscape gardening, landscape architecture, groundskeeping; truck gardening, market gardening, olericulture; flower gardening, flower-growing, floriculture; viniculture, viticulture; orcharding, fruit-growing, pomiculture, citriculture.

.3 **forestry,** arboriculture, tree farming, silviculture, forest management; Christmas tree farming; forestation, afforestation, reforestation; lumbering, logging; woodcraft.

.4 (agricultural deities) vegetation spirit *or* daemon, fertility god *or* spirit, year-daemon, forest god *or* spirit, corn god, Ceres, Demeter, Gaea *or* Gaia; Triptolemus *or* Triptolemos; Dionysus *or* Dionysos; Persephone, Proserpina *or* Proserpine *or* Persephassa, Kore *or* Cora; Flora; Aristaeus; Pomona; Frey.

.5 **agriculturist,** agriculturalist; agrologist,

agronomist; **farmer,** granger, husbandman, **yeoman,** cultivator, tiller, **tiller of the soil;** peasant, *Bauer* [Ger], rustic 919.8,9; **rancher,** ranchman; **grower,** raiser; **planter,** tea-planter, coffee-planter, etc.; gentleman farmer; dirt farmer [informal]; dry farmer; truck farmer; tree farmer; peasant holder *or* propietor, *kulak, muzhik* [both Russ]; tenant farmer, crofter [Brit]; sharecropper, cropper, collective farm worker, *kolkhoznik* [Russ], *kibbutznik* [Yid]; farmhand, farm laborer, migrant *or* migratory worker *or* laborer, picker; plowman, plowboy; planter, sower; reaper, harvester, harvestman; haymaker.

.6 **horticulturist, nurseryman, gardener;** landscape gardener, landscapist, landscape architect; truck gardener, market gardener, olericulturist; **florist,** floriculturist; vinegrower, viniculturist, viticulturist, vintager, *vigneron* [Fr]; orchardist, orchardman, fruit-grower.

.7 **forester;** arboriculturist, silviculturist, tree farmer; conservationist; **ranger,** forest ranger; woodsman, woodman [Brit], woodcraftsman; **logger, lumberman,** timberman, lumberjack; woodcutter, wood chopper.

.8 **farm,** farmplace, farmstead, farmhold [archaic], farmery [Brit], **grange,** location [Austral], pen [Jamaica]; **plantation,** cotton plantation, etc., *hacienda* [Sp]; **ranch,** rancho, rancheria, station [Austral]; dude ranch; croft, homecroft [Brit]; **homestead,** steading; toft [Brit]; mains [Brit dial]; demesne, homefarm, demesne farm, manor farm; **barnyard,** farmyard, barton [Brit dial]; collective farm, *kolkhoz* [Russ], *kibbutz* [Heb]; dry farm, truck farm, stock farm, grain farm, fur farm, fruit farm, orchard, dairy farm, chicken farm *or* ranch, poultry farm, sheep farm *or* ranch, cattle ranch; factory farm; tree farm; farmland, arable land, plowland, fallow; grassland, pasture 411.8.

.9 **field, tract,** plat, **plot, patch,** piece *or* parcel of land; cultivated land; clearing; hayfield, corn field, wheat field, etc.; paddy, rice paddy.

.10 **garden,** *jardin* [Fr]; paradise; garden spot; kitchen garden, vegetable garden, victory garden, market *or* truck garden, flower garden, rock garden, alpine garden, bog garden, tea garden, roof garden, Japanese garden, ornamental garden, sunken garden; botanical garden, *jardin des plantes* [Fr], arboretum; pinetum; shrubbery; vineyard, vinery, grapery, grape ranch; bed, **flower bed,** border; **herbarium,** dry garden, hortus siccus; –arium, –etum, –ery.

.11 **nursery; conservatory, greenhouse,** forcing house, summerhouse, glasshouse, lathhouse, **hothouse,** coolhouse; force *or* forcing bed, forcing pit, **hotbed,** cold frame; seedbed; cloche; pinery, orangery.

.12 **growing, raising,** rearing; **green thumb.**

.13 **cultivation,** cultivating, culture, **tilling,** dressing, working; harrowing, plowing, contour plowing, furrowing, listing, fallowing, weeding, hoeing, pruning, thinning.

.14 **planting,** setting; **sowing, seeding,** semination, insemination; **dissemination,** broadcast, broadcasting; transplantation, resetting; retimbering, reforestation.

.15 **harvest,** harvesting, **reaping, gleaning,** gathering, cutting; nutting; crop 811.5.

.16 VERBS **farm, ranch; grow, raise,** rear; crop; dryfarm; sharecrop; **garden.**

.17 **cultivate,** culture, **dress, work, till,** till the soil, dig, delve, spade; mulch; **plow,** list, fallow, backset [W US]; **harrow,** rake; **weed,** weed out, hoe, cut, prune, thin, thin out; force; fertilize 165.8.

.18 **plant,** implant [archaic], **set,** put in; **sow, seed,** seed down, seminate, inseminate; **disseminate,** broadcast, sow broadcast, scatter seed; drill; bed; dibble; **transplant,** reset, pot; forest; **retimber, reforest.**

.19 **harvest, reap,** crop, **glean, gather,** gather in, bring in, get in the harvest, reap and carry; **pick,** pluck; dig, grabble [S US]; mow, cut; hay; nut; crop herbs.

.20 ADJS **agricultural, agrarian,** agro–, geoponic(al), agronomic(al); farm, **farming;** arable; **rural** 182.6.

.21 **horticultural;** olericultural; vinicultural, viticultural; arboricultural, silvicultural.

414. ANIMALS, INSECTS

.1 NOUNS **animal life, animal kingdom,** brute creation, **fauna,** Animalia [zool], animality, zo(o)–; birds, beasts, and fish; the beasts of the field, the fowl of the air, and the fish of the sea; domestic animals, livestock, stock [informal], cattle; wild animals *or* beasts, beasts of field, wildlife, denizens of the forest *or* jungle *or* wild, furry creatures; beasts of prey; game, big game, small game.

.2 **animal, creature,** –zoon, critter [dial], living being *or* thing, creeping thing; **brute, beast,** varmint [dial], dumb animal *or* creature, dumb friend.

.3 (varieties) **vertebrate** 415.7–8, **invertebrate** 415.3–6; **biped, quadruped; mammal,** mammalian 414.58; **primate** 414.59, –anthropus; **marsupial,** marsupialian; canine; **feline; rodent,** gnawer; **ungulate; ruminant;** insectivore, herbivore, carnivore, omnivore; cannibal; scavenger; reptile 414.30,31,60,61; amphibian 414.32,62; aquatic; cosmopolite; vermin, varmint [dial].

.4 **pachyderm; elephant,** Jumbo, hathi [India]; mammoth, woolly mammoth; mastodon; **rhinoceros,** rhino; **hippopotamus,** hippo, river horse.

.5 (hoofed animals) **deer, buck, doe, fawn;** red deer, **stag,** hart, hind; roe deer, roe, roebuck; musk deer; fallow deer; hog-deer; white-tailed *or* Virginia deer; mule deer; **elk,** wapiti; **moose; reindeer,** caribou; deerlet; **antelope;** gazelle, kaama, gnu, wildebeest, hartebeest, springbok, dik-dik, eland *or* Cape elk, koodoo; **camel,** dromedary, ship of the desert; **giraffe,** camelopard, okapi.

.6 **cattle** 414.69, kine [archaic pl], neat; beef cattle, beef, beeves [pl]; dairy cattle *or* cows; bovine animal, **bovine,** critter [dial]; **cow,** bossy [informal]; milk *or* milch cow, milker, milcher, dairy cow; **bull,** bullock, tauro– *or* tauri(o)–, top cow [dial]; **steer,** stot [Brit dial], **ox,** oxen [pl]; **calf, heifer,** yearling, fatling, stirk [Brit]; **dogie,** leppy [both W US]; maverick [W US]; hornless cow, butthead, muley head [both dial], muley cow; zebu, Brahman; yak; musk-ox; **buffalo,** water buffalo, Indian buffalo, carabao; bison, aurochs, wisent.

.7 **sheep** 414.70, jumbuck [Austral]; **lamb,** lambkin, yeanling; teg [Brit]; **ewe,** ewe lamb; **ram,** tup [Brit], wether; bellwether; mutton.

.8 **goat;** he-goat, buck, **billy goat** *or* billy [both informal]; she-goat, doe, **nanny goat** *or* nanny [both informal]; **kid,** doeling; mountain goat.

.9 **swine** 414.71, **pig, hog,** porker, hyo–, –choerus; **shoat,** piggy, piglet, pigling; sucking *or* suckling pig; gilt; **boar, sow;** barrow; wild boar, tusker, razorback; babirusa.

.10 **horse** 414.68, hipp(o)–, –hippus; horseflesh, hoss [dial], critter [dial]; **equine,** mount, **nag** [informal]; **steed,** prancer, dobbin; charger, courser, war-horse, destrier [archaic]; Houyhnhnm [Swift]; **colt,** foal, filly; **mare,** brood mare; **stallion, studhorse, stud,** top horse [dial], entire horse, entire; gelding, purebred horse, blood horse; wild horse, Przewalsky's horse, tarpan.

.11 **pony,** Shetland pony, Shetland, shelty, Iceland pony, Galloway.

.12 **bronco,** bronc, range horse, Indian pony, cayuse, mustang; bucking bronco, buckjumper, sunfisher, broomtail; cow-cutting horse, stock horse, roping horse, cow pony.

.13 (colored horses) bay, bayard, chestnut, gray, dapple-gray, grizzle, roan, sorrel, dun, buckskin [W US], pinto, paint, piebald, skewbald, calico pony, painted pony.

.14 (inferior horse) **nag, plug,** hack, jade, crock, garron [Scot & Ir], crowbait [slang], scalawag, rosinante; goat *or* stiff *or* dog [all slang]; roarer, whistler; balky horse, balker, jughead; rogue.

.15 (scrawny horse) rackabones, scrag, stack of bones.

.16 **hunter;** stalking-horse; **saddle horse,** saddler, rouncy [archaic], **riding horse,** rider, palfrey, **mount;** remount; polo pony; post-horse; cavalry horse; **driving horse,** road horse, roadster, carriage horse, coach horse, gigster; hack, hackney; **draft horse,** dray horse, cart horse, **workhorse,** plow horse; shaft horse, pole horse, thill horse, thiller, fill horse *or* filler [both dial]; wheelhorse, wheeler, lead, leader; pack horse, jument [archaic], sumpter, sumpter horse, bidet.

.17 **race horse,** racer, **bangtail,** pony [both slang]; steeplechaser; entry, starter, nomination in the race; stake horse, staker; plate horse, plater; mudder; pole horse; favorite; stable, string.

.18 gaited horse; galloper, trotter, pacer, side-wheeler [slang]; stepper, high-stepper, cob, prancer; ambler, padnag, pad; racker; single-footer.

.19 (famous horses) Al Borak (Mohammed's winged horse of ascension), Baiardo (Rinaldo's bay horse), Black Beauty, Black Bess (Dick Turpin's horse), Black Saladin (Warwick's horse), Bucephalus (Alexander the Great's horse), Buttermilk (Dale Evans' horse), Champion (Gene Autrey's horse), Copenhagen (Wellington's horse at Waterloo), Grani (Sigurd's magic horse), Incitatus (the horse of Caligula, the Roman Emperor), Marengo (Napoleon's white horse), Pegasus (winged horse of the Muses), Roan Barbary (favorite horse of Richard II), Rosinante (Don Quixote's bony horse), Silver (the

Lone Ranger's horse), Sleipnir (Odin's eight-legged horse), Trigger (Roy Rogers' horse), Topper (Hopalong Cassidy's horse), Traveller (Robert E. Lee's horse), Vegliantino *or* Veillantif (Orlando's horse), White Surrey (favorite horse of Richard III); (race horses) Assault, Citation, Kelso, Man O'War, Nashua, Native Dancer, Seabiscuit, Secretariat, Swaps, Whirlaway.

.20 **ass, donkey, burro,** neddy *or* cuddy [both Brit dial], moke [Brit slang], Rocky Mountain canary [W US]; **jackass,** jack, dickey [Brit dial]; jenny, jenny ass, jennet.

.21 **mule,** sumpter mule, sumpter; hinny, jennet.

.22 **dog** 414.72, **canine,** cyn(o)–, **pooch** [informal], bowwow [slang]; **pup, puppy,** puppy-dog [informal], **whelp;** bitch, gyp [S US], slut; toy dog, lap dog; working dog; watchdog, bandog; sheep dog, shepherd *or* shepherd's dog; Seeing Eye dog, guide dog; sled dog; show dog, fancy dog; kennel, pack of dogs.

.23 sporting dog, **hunting dog,** hunter, field dog, bird dog, gun dog, water dog.

.24 **cur, mongrel,** lurcher [Brit], **mutt** [informal]; pariah dog.

.25 **fox,** reynard; **wolf,** lyc(o)–, timber wolf, lobo [W US], **coyote,** brush wolf, prairie wolf, medicine wolf [W US]; dingo, jackal, **hyena;** Cape hunting dog, African hunting dog.

.26 **cat** 414.73, **feline,** ailur(o)– *or* aelur(o)–; pussy *or* **puss** *or* **pussycat** [all informal], tabby, grimalkin; house cat; **kitten, kitty** *or* kitty-cat [both informal]; kit, kitling [Brit dial]; **tomcat,** tom; gib *or* gib-cat [both Brit dial]; mouser; Cheshire cat, Chessycat [informal]; silver cat, Chinchilla cat; blue cat, Maltese cat; tiger cat, tabby cat; tortoise-shell cat, calico cat; alley cat.

.27 (wild cats) **lion,** Leo [informal], *simba* [Swah]; **tiger,** Siberian tiger; **leopard,** panther, jaguar, cheetah; cougar, painter [S US], puma, mountain lion, catamount *or* cat-a-mountain; lynx, ocelot; wildcat, bobcat.

.28 (wild animals) **bear,** bar [dial], arct(o)–; guinea pig, cavy; hedgehog, **porcupine,** quill pig [slang]; woodchuck, **groundhog, whistle-pig** [dial]; prairie dog, prairie squirrel; **raccoon,** coon; **opossum,** possum; **weasel,** mousehound [Brit]; **wolverine,** glutton; ferret, monk [informal]; **skunk,** polecat [dial]; zoril, stink cat [S Africa], Cape polecat; foumart; **ape,** pith-ec(o)–, –pithecus; **monkey,** monk [informal], chimpanzee, chimp.

.29 **hare,** lag(o)–, leveret, jackrabbit; **rabbit, bunny** [informal], lapin; cottontail; Belgian hare, leporide; buck, doe.

.30 **reptile** 414.60, reptilian; **lizard,** saur(o)–, –saur(us); saurian, dinosaur; crocodile, crocodilian, alligator, gator [informal]; tortoise, turtle, terrapin.

.31 **serpent, snake** 414.61, ophidian, herpet(o)–, ophi(o)–, –ophis; **viper,** pit viper; sea snake.

.32 **amphibian** 414.62, batrachian, croaker, batrach(o)–, –batrachus, paddock [dial]; **frog,** rani–, tree toad *or* frog, bullfrog; **toad,** hoptoad *or* hoppytoad; newt, salamander; **tadpole, polliwog.**

.33 **bird** 414.66, **fowl,** –ornis; birdy *or* birdie [both informal]; fowls of the air, birdlife, avifauna; baby bird, chick, nestling, fledgling; wildfowl, game bird; waterfowl, water bird, wading bird, diving bird; sea bird; shore bird; migratory bird, migrant, bird of passage; **songbird,** oscine bird, warbler, passerine bird, perching bird; cage bird; flightless bird, ratite; seed-eating bird, insect-eating bird, fruit-eating bird, fish-eating bird, bird of prey; **eagle,** aeto–, –aetus, bird of Jove, eaglet; **owl,** bird of Minerva, bird of night; peafowl, peahen, **peacock,** bird of Juno; **swan,** cygnet; **pigeon, dove,** squab; stormy *or* storm petrel, Mother Carey's chicken; fulmar, Mother Carey's goose.

.34 **poultry, fowl,** domestic fowl, barnyard fowl, barn-door fowl, dunghill fowl; **chicken** 414.67, chick, chicky *or* chicka-biddy [both informal]; **cock, rooster,** chanticleer; **hen,** biddy [informal], partlet; cockerel, pullet; setting hen, brooder, broody hen; capon, poulard; broiler, fryer, spring chicken, roaster, stewing chicken; Bantam, banty [informal]; game fowl; guinea fowl, guinea cock, guinea hen; **goose,** gander, gosling; **duck,** drake, duckling; **turkey,** gobbler, turkey gobbler; turkey-cock, tom, tom turkey; hen turkey; poult.

.35 marine animal 414.63, denizen of the deep; **whale,** cetacean 414.64, cet(o)–; **porpoise, dolphin,** –delphis, sea pig; **sea serpent,** sea snake, Loch Ness monster, sea monster, Leviathan [Bible]; **fish** 414.65, ichthy(o)–, –ichthys, pisci–, game fish, tropical fish, panfish; **shark,** man-eating shark, man-eater; **salmon,** kipper, grilse, smolt, parr, alevin; **minnow** *or* minny

[dial], fry, fingerling; **sponge,** spongi(o)– *or* spong(o)–, –spongia; **plankton,** zooplankton, nekton, benthon, benthos, zoobenthos.

.36 **bug; beetle;** arthropod; hexapod, myriapod; centipede, chilopod; millipede *or* millepede, diplopod; **mite,** acar(o)– *or* acari–; arachnid, **spider,** arachn(o)–; tarantula, black widow spider, daddy longlegs *or* harvestman; **scorpion; tick;** larva, maggot, nymph, **caterpillar,** eruci–, –campa; **insect** 414.74; **fly,** musci–, myi(o)–, –myia.

.37 **ant,** myrmec(o)–, emmet [dial], pismire, pissant [dial], antymire [dial]; red ant, black ant, fire ant, house ant, agricultural ant, carpenter ant, army ant; slave ant, slave-making ant; **termite,** termito–, white ant; queen, worker, soldier.

.38 **bee,** api–; honeybee, bumblebee; queen, queen bee, worker, drone; **wasp; hornet,** yellow jacket.

.39 **locust,** acridian; **grasshopper,** hopper, hoppergrass [dial]; **cricket;** cicada, cicala, dog-day cicada, seventeen-year locust.

.40 **vermin;** parasite; **louse,** head louse, body louse, grayback, cootie [slang]; crab, crab louse; weevil; nit; **flea,** sand flea, dog flea, cat flea, chigoe, chigger, jigger, red bug, mite, harvest mite; **roach, cockroach,** *cucaracha* [Sp].

.41 bloodsucker, parasite; **leech,** bdell(o)–, –bdella; tick, wood tick; **mosquito,** skeeter [dial], culex, culic(i)–; bedbug, housebug [Brit].

.42 **worm** 414.75, vermi–, –scolex; earthworm, angleworm, fishworm, night crawler, nightwalker [N US]; measuring worm, inchworm; tapeworm, helminth, helminth(o)–, ligul(i)–, taen(o)– *or* taeni(o)–.

.43 ADJS **animal,** animalian, animalic, animalistic, zoic, zooidal; zoologic(al); **brutish, brutal,** brute, brutelike; **bestial, beastly,** beastlike; subhuman; dumb, "that wants discourse of reason" [Shakespeare]; instinctual *or* instinctive, mindless, nonrational.

.44 **vertebrate,** chordate, mammalian; marsupial, cetacean.

.45 **canine,** doggish, doggy, doglike; vulpine, foxy, foxlike; lupine, wolfish, wolflike.

.46 **feline,** felid, cattish, catty, catlike; kittenish; leonine, lionlike; tigerish, tigerlike.

.47 ursine, bearish, bearlike.

.48 **rodent,** rodential; verminous; mousy, mouselike; ratty, ratlike.

.49 ungulate, hoofed, hooved; **equine,** hippic, horsy, horselike; **equestrian;** asinine, mulish; bovid, ruminant; **bovine,** cowlike, cowish; bull-like, bullish, taurine; cervine, deerlike; caprine, caprid, hircine, goatish, goatlike; ovine, sheepish, sheeplike; porcine, swinish, piggish, hoggish.

.50 elephantlike, elephantine, pachydermous.

.51 **reptile,** reptilian, **reptilelike,** reptiloid, reptiliform; reptant, repent, creeping, crawling, slithering; **lizardlike,** saurian; crocodilian; **serpentine,** serpentile, serpentoid, serpentiform, **serpentlike;** snakish, **snaky, snakelike,** ophidian, anguine [archaic]; viperish, viperous, vipery, viperine, viperoid, viperiform, viperlike; colubrine, colubriform; amphibian, batrachian, froggy, toadish, salamandrian.

.52 **birdlike,** birdy; avian, avicular; gallinaceous, rasorial; oscine, passerine, perching; columbine, columbaceous, dovelike; psittacine; aquiline, hawklike; anserine, anserous, goosy; nidificant, nesting, nestbuilding; nidicolous, altricial; nidifugous, precocial.

.53 **fishlike,** fishy; piscine, pisciform; piscatorial, piscatory; eellike; selachian, sharklike, sharkish.

.54 **invertebrate,** invertebral; protozoan, protozoal, protozoic; crustaceous, crustacean; molluscan, molluscoid.

.55 **insectile, insectlike,** buggy; verminous; lepidopterous, lepidopteran; weevily.

.56 **wormlike,** vermicular, vermiform; wormy.

.57 planktonic, nektonic, benthonic, zooplanktonic, zoobenthoic.

.58 **mammals**

aardvark
aardwolf
addax
agouti
alpaca
American lion
Angora goat
anoa
ant bear
anteater
antelope
antelope chipmunk *or* squirrel
aoudad
apar
Arctic fox
Arctic hare
argali
armadillo
ass
aurochs
babirusa
Bactrian camel
badger
bandicoot
banteng
baronduki
bassarisk
bat, –nycteris
bear
beaver
Belgian hare
bettong
bezoar goat
bighorn sheep
binturong
bison
black bear
black buck
black cat
black fox
black sheep
blue fox
boar
bobcat
brown bear
brush deer
brush wolf
buffalo
buffalo wolf
burro
burro deer
bush baby
cachalot

Caffre cat
camel
camelopard
Cape buffalo
capybara, carpincho
carabao
caracal
carcajou
caribou
Cashmere goat
cat
catamount *or* cat-a-mountain
cat squirrel
cattalo
cavy
chamois
cheetah
chevrotain
chickaree
chigetai
chinchilla
chipmunk
cinnamon bear
civet cat
coati
coon
coon cat
cotton mouse
cotton rat
cottontail rabbit
cougar
cow
coyote
coypu
deer
deer mouse
deer tiger
dingo
dog
donkey
dormouse
dromedary
duckbill, duckbill platypus
echidna
eland
elephant
elk
ermine
eyra
fallow deer
ferret
field mouse
fisher
fitch
flickertail
flying fox
flying lemur
flying marmot
flying phalanger
flying squirrel
foumart
fox
fox squirrel
gaur
gazelle
gemsbok
genet
gerbil
giant ground sloth
giraffe
glutton
gnu
gnu goat
goat
goat antelope
gopher
grasshopper mouse
gray fox
gray wolf
grison
grizzly bear
groundhog
ground squirrel
guanaco
guib
guinea pig
hackee
hamster
hare
harnessed antelope
hartebeest
harvest mouse
hedgehog
herring hog
hippopotamus
hog
horse
hyena
hyrax
ibex
ice bear
imperial mammoth
Indian buffalo
jabalina
jackal
jackass
jackrabbit
jaguar
jaguarundi
jerboa
jerboa kangaroo
jumping mouse
kaama [Africa]
kangaroo
kangaroo mouse
kangaroo rat
karakul
kiang
kinkajou
kit fox
koala
Kodiak bear
koodoo
lapin
lemming
leopard
leopard cat
lion
llama
loris
lynx
mammoth
manul
mara
Marco Polo's sheep
margay
markhor
marmot
marten
mastodon
mazama
meadow mouse
meerkat
mink
mole, talpi–
mongoose
moose
mouflon
mountain goat
mountain lion
mountain sheep
mouse, my(o)–, –mys
mouse deer
mule
mule deer
muntjac
musk deer
musk hog
musk-ox
muskrat, musquash
nilgai
nutria
ocelot
okapi
onager
oont [India]
opossum
oryx
otter
ounce
ox
pack rat
painter [S US]
Pallas's cat
panda
pangolin
panther
pasang
peba
peccary
peludo
phalanger
pig
pika
pine mouse
platypus
pocket gopher
pocket mouse
pocket rat
polar bear
polar fox
polecat
porcupine
possum
potto
pouched rat
poyou
prairie dog
prairie fox
prairie wolf
pronghorn, pronghorn antelope
puma
rabbit
rabbit bandicoot
raccoon
rat
red deer
red fox
red squirrel
reindeer
rhinoceros
ring-tailed cat
rock squirrel
Rocky Mountain goat
roe, roe deer, roebuck
saber-toothed tiger *or* cat
sable
sable antelope
saiga
sambar
sand cat
serval
sheep
shrew
shrew mole
sika
silver fox
skunk
skunk bear
sloth
snowshoe rabbit
springbok
squirrel
steenbok
stoat
suslik
swamp rabbit
swine
Syrian bear
takin
tamandua
tamarin
tapir
tarpan
tatou
tatouay
tatou peba
tayra
Thian Shan sheep
tiger
tiger cat
timber wolf
tree shrew
tree squirrel
tsine
urial
urus
Virginia deer
vole
wallaby
wapiti
warthog
waterbuck
water buffalo *or* ox
weasel
wharf rat
whistler
white fox
whitetail, whitetailed deer
white wolf
wild ass
wild boar
wildcat
wildebeest
wild goat
wild ox
wild pig
wild sheep
wolf
wolverine
wombat
woodchuck
wood mouse

wood rat
woolly mammoth
yak
zebra
zebu
zoril

.59 primates

angwantibo
anthropoid ape
ape
aye-aye
baboon
Barbary ape
bonnet monkey *or* macaque
capuchin
chacma
chimpanzee
colobus
drill
entellus
gibbon
gorilla
grivet
guenon
guereza
hanuman
langur
lemur
lion-tailed monkey *or* macaque
macaque
man 417
mandrill
marmoset
mountain gorilla
orangutan, orang
proboscis monkey
rhesus
saki
siamang
spider monkey

.60 reptiles

agama
alligator
alligator lizard
alligator snapper *or* turtle *or* terrapin
anole
basilisk
beaded lizard
bearded lizard
blindworm
box turtle
butterfly agama
cayman
chameleon
crocodile
diamondback, diamondback terrapin
dinosaurs 123.26
dragon, flying dragon
false map turtle
gavial
gecko
Gila monster
girdle-tailed lizard
glass snake
green turtle
hawksbill turtle, hawksbill
horned toad *or* lizard, horny-toad [dial]
iguana
leatherback
lizard
loggerhead, loggerhead turtle
matamata
monitor
mugger
sand lizard
sea turtle *or* tortoise
skink
slow-worm
snapping turtle
soft-shelled turtle
stump-tailed lizard, stump tail
teju
terrapin
tortoise
tuatara
turtle

.61 snakes

adder
anaconda
asp
black snake
blind snake
boa
boa constrictor
bull snake
bushmaster
cobra
cobra de capello
constrictor
copperhead
coral snake
cottonmouth
daboia
diamondback, diamondback rattlesnake
fer-de-lance
garter snake
gopher snake
hamadryad
harlequin snake
hog-nose snake
horned rattlesnake
horned viper
king cobra
king snake
krait
mamba
milk snake
moccasin
pine snake
puff adder
python
racer
rat snake
rattlesnake, rattler
Russell's viper
shovel-nose
sidewinder
spectacled cobra
thunder snake
tic-polonga
urutu
viper
water moccasin
water snake
worm snake

.62 amphibians

bullfrog
caecilian
congo snake *or* eel
eft
frog
grass frog
green frog
hellbender
leopard frog
midwife toad
mud puppy
newt
pickerel frog
salamander
siren
spring frog
Surinam toad
toad
tree frog
water dog
wood frog

.63 marine animals

crustacean 415.5
dugong
elephant seal
fur seal
harbor seal
manatee
mollusk 415.5
octopus, octopod
sea calf
sea cow
sea dog
sea elephant
seal
sea lion
sea urchin, echin(o)–
shellfish 308.25
squid
walrus

.64 cetaceans

baleen whale
beluga
blackfish
blue whale
cachalot
dolphin
finback
grampus
humpback
killer, killer whale
narwhal
porpoise
right whale
rorqual
sperm whale
sulfur-bottom whale
whalebone whale
zeuglodon

.65 fish

albacore
alewife
alligator gar
amber jack
anchovy
angel fish
archerfish
argusfish
balloonfish
barbel
barn door skate
barracuda
basking shark
bass
black bass
blackfish
black sea bass
bleak
blind fish
blowfish
blue fish
bluegill
blue shark
bonefish
bonito
bowfin
bream
brook trout
brown trout
buffalo fish
bullhead
burbot
butterfish
candlefish
capelin
carp
catfish
channel bass
char
chimaera
Chinook salmon
chub
cichlid
cisco
cobia
cod, codfish
coelacanth
conger, conger eel
crappie
croaker
cutlass fish
cutthroat trout
dace
darter
devilfish
doctor fish
dogfish
Dolly Varden trout

dorado
dragon fish
drum, drumfish
eel
eelpout
electric eel
electric fish
electric ray, narc(o)–
filefish
flame tetra
flatfish
flounder
fluke
flying fish
flying gurnard
gar, garfish, gar pike
giant bass
globefish
goatfish
goby
golden trout
goldfish
gourami
grayling
grouper
grunion
grunt
gudgeon
guitarfish
gunnel
guppy
haddock
hake
halibut
hammerhead shark
herring
hogfish
horse mackerel
jewfish
kingfish
lake trout
lamprey
lantern fish
ling
loach
lung fish
mackerel
mako shark
manta
marlin
menhaden
miller's-thumb
minnow
moray eel
mudfish
muskellunge
oquassa
paddlefish
papagallo
perch
permit
pickerel
pike
pike perch
pilchard
pilot fish
piranha
plaice
pollack
pompano
porbeagle, porbeagle shark
porgy
puffer
rabbitfish
rainbow trout
ray
redfin
redfish
roach
roosterfish
sailfish
salmon
salmon trout
sardine
sawfish
scup
sea bass
sea bream
sea horse, hippocampus
sea perch
sea trout
sergeant fish
shark
shiner
shovelhead catfish
shovelhead shark
silver salmon
skate
smelt
snapper
snook
sole
speckled trout
sprat
steelhead, steelhead trout
stickleback
sting ray
striped bass
sturgeon
sucker
Sunapee trout
sunfish
swordfish
tarpon
tautog
tench
thornback ray
thresher, thresher shark
toadfish
tope
torpedo fish
triggerfish
trout
tuna, tunny
turbot
veiltail
wahoo
walleye, walleyed pike
weakfish
whitefish
whiting
yellowtail

.66 birds

aberdevine
adjutant bird
albatross
argala
Audubon's warbler, Audubon warbler
auk
auklet
avocet
bald eagle, American eagle
baldpate
bank swallow
barbet
barnacle goose
barn owl
barn swallow
bird of paradise
bittern
blackbird
Blackburnian warbler
blackcap
black game
black grouse
bluebill
bluebird
blue jay
bobolink
bobwhite, bobwhite quail
booby
brant
brown thrasher
brush turkey
budgerigar
bullfinch
bunting
bushtit
bush wren
bustard
butcher bird
buzzard
Canada goose
canary
canvasback, canvasback duck
capercaillie
caracara
carancho
cardinal, cardinal bird
cassowary
catbird
cattle egret
cedarbird
cedar waxwing
chaffinch
chat
chewink
chickadee
chicken hawk
chimney swift
chipping sparrow
cliff swallow
cockatiel
cockatoo
condor
coot
cormorant
cowbird
crake
crane
creeper
crossbill
crow
cuckoo
curlew
cushat [Scot]
dabchick
darter
dipper
dodo
dove
duck
dunlin
eagle
egret
eider, eider duck
emu
English sparrow
erne
falcon
finch
fish hawk
flamingo
flicker
flycatcher
fly-catching warbler
fool duck
frigate bird
fulmar
gallinule
gannet
garganey
gnatcatcher
goatsucker
godwit
golden eagle
goldeneye
goldfinch
goose
goshawk
grackle
grebe
greylag goose
grosbeak
grouse
guillemot
guinea fowl
gull
gyrfalcon
hangbird
harpy eagle
harrier
hawk
hawk owl
hermit thrush
heron
hobby
honker
hoopoe
hoot owl
horned owl
horned screamer
house finch
house martin
hummingbird
ibis
indigo bunting
jackdaw
jay
junco
jungle fowl
kea
kestrel
killdeer, killdee [dial]
kingbird
kingfisher
kinglet

kite
kittiwake
kiwi
kookaburra
lammergeier
lapwing
lark
laughing jackass
linnet
loon
lovebird
lyrebird
macaw
magpie
mallard
man-o'-war bird
marabou, marabou stork
martin
mavis
meadow lark
merganser
merl
mew
mistle *or* missel thrush
moa
mockingbird
moor hen
mourning dove
mud hen
murre
mute swan
myna, myna bird
nighthawk
night-heron
nightingale
nightjar
nutcracker
nuthatch
oriole
ortolan
osprey
ostrich
ouzel
owl
oyster catcher
parakeet
parrot
partridge
passenger pigeon
peafowl
peewee
pelican
penguin
peregrine falcon
petrel
pewit
phalarope
pheasant
phoebe, phoebe bird
pigeon
pigeon hawk
pintail
pipit
plover
pochard
poorwill
ptarmigan
puffin
purple martin
quetzal, quetzal bird
rail
raven
razorbill
redbird
red grouse
redhead
red-headed woodpecker
redpoll
redshank
redstart
redwing
reedbird
rhea
ricebird
ringdove
ring-necked pheasant
ring ouzel
ringtail
roadrunner
robin
rock dove
rook
ruddy duck
ruffed grouse
sage grouse, sage hen
sand martin
sandpiper
sapsucker
scarlet tanager
scaup duck
screech owl
sea duck
sea eagle
sea gull
sea mew
sea swallow
secretary bird
sheldrake
shoebill, shoebird
shoveler
shrike
siskin
snipe
snowbird
snow bunting
snow goose
solan goose
songbird
song sparrow
song thrush
sparrow
sparrow hawk
spoonbill
sprig
starling
stilt, stilt plover
stone curlew
stork
stormy *or* storm petrel
swallow
swan
swan goose
swift
tanager
teal, teal duck
tern
thrasher
thrush
tit
titlark
titmouse
toucan
towhee
tragopan
tree swallow
trumpeter
turkey
turkey buzzard, turkey vulture
turnstone
turtledove
veery
vesper sparrow
vireo
vulture
warbler
waxwing
weaverbird, weaver
wheatear
whippoorwill
whistler
whooper swan
widgeon
wild duck
willet
woodcock
wood duck
wood owl
woodpecker
wood pigeon
wren
wren-tit
wryneck
yellowbird
yellowhammer
yellowlegs
yellowthroat
zebra finch

.67 breeds of chickens

Ancona
Andalusian
Australorp
Bantam
Barred Plymouth Rock
black Minorca
black Orpington
black Spanish
black Sumatra
blue Andalusian
blue Orpington
Brahma
buff Orpington
Campine
Cochin
Cornish
dark Cornish
Dorking
Faverolle
Hamburg
Houdan
Jersey white giant
Langshan
Leghorn
Minorca
New Hampshire
New Hampshire red
Orpington
Plymouth Rock
Rhode Island red
Rhode Island white
Rock Cornish
speckled Sussex
Sumatra
Sussex
white Leghorn
white Orpington
white Plymouth Rock
white Wyandotte
Wyandotte

.68 breeds of horses

American quarter horse
American saddle horse
American trotter
Appaloosa
Arabian
Barbary horse, Barb
Belgian
Cleveland Bay
Clydesdale
French coach horse
Galloway
German coach horse
hackney pony
Hambletonian
jennet *or* genet
Lippizaner
Morgan
Narragansett pacer
palomino
Percheron
Plantation walking horse
quarter horse
saddle horse
Shetland, Shetland pony
Shire, Shire horse
standardbred
Suffolk, Suffolk punch
Tennessee walking horse
thoroughbred
Turk
Waler
Welsh pony

.69 breeds of cattle

Aberdeen Angus, Angus, black Angus
Africander
Alderney
Ayrshire
Belted Galloway
Brahman, Brahmany
Brown Swiss
Charbray
Charolais
Devon
Dexter
Durham
Dutch Belted
French Canadian
Galloway
Guernsey
Hereford

Holstein, Holstein-Friesian
Jersey
Lincoln Red, Lincoln Red Shorthorn
Longhorn
Polled Durham *or* Shorthorn
Polled Hereford
Red Poll, Red Polled
Santa Gertrudis
Shorthorn
Sussex
Welsh, Welsh Black
West Highland

.70 breeds of sheep

black face Highland
blackhead Persian
broadtail
Cheviot
Columbia
Corriedale
Cotswold
Dorset Down
Hampshire, Hampshire Down
Karakul
Kerry Hill
Leicester
Lincoln
Merino
Oxford *or* Oxfordshire
Down
Panama
Rambouillet
Romanov
Romeldale
Romney, Romney Marsh
Ryeland
Scottish blackface
Shropshire
Southdown
Suffolk
Targhee
Welsh Mountain
Wensleydale

.71 breeds of swine

Berkshire
Cheshire
Chester White
Duroc, Duroc-Jersey
Hampshire
Hereford
Landrace
large black
large white
Mangalitza
middle white
Poland China
Spotted Poland China
Tamworth
Wessex saddleback
Yorkshire

.72 breeds of dogs

affenpinscher
Afghan hound
Airedale, Airedale terrier
Alaskan malamute
Alsatian
American foxhound
American water spaniel
Australian terrier
badger dog
barbet
Basenji
basset, basset hound
beagle
Bedlington terrier
Belgian sheep dog *or* shepherd
Bernese mountain dog
Blenheim spaniel
bloodhound, sleuth, sleuthhound
boarhound
Border terrier
borzoi
Boston bull *or* terrier
Bouvier des Flandres
boxer
Briard
Brittany spaniel
Brussels griffon
bulldog, bull
bull mastiff
bull terrier
Cairn terrier
Chesapeake Bay retriever
Chihuahua
chow, chow chow
clumber spaniel
Clydesdale terrier
cocker spaniel
collie
coonhound
dachshund
Dalmatian, coach dog
Dandie Dinmont terrier
deerhound
Doberman pinscher
elkhound
English bulldog
English cocker spaniel
English foxhound
English setter
English springer spaniel
English toy spaniel
Eskimo dog
field spaniel
flat-coated retriever
foxhound
fox terrier
French bulldog
gazelle hound
German shepherd, police dog
German short-haired pointer
German wire-haired pointer
giant schnauzer
golden retriever
Gordon setter
Great Dane
Great Pyrénees
greyhound
griffon
Groenendael
harrier
hound, hound-dog [S US]
husky
Irish setter
Irish terrier
Irish water spaniel
Irish wolfhound
Italian greyhound
Japanese spaniel
keeshond
Kerry blue terrier
King Charles spaniel
komondor
kuvasz
Labrador retriever
lakeland terrier
Lhasa apso
malamute
Malinois
Maltese
Manchester terrier
mastiff
Mexican hairless
miniature poodle
miniature pinscher
miniature schnauzer
Newfoundland
Norfolk spaniel
Norwegian elkhound
Norwich terrier
Old English sheep dog
otterhound
papillon
Pekingese
pointer
Pomeranian
poodle
pug
puli
rat terrier
retriever
Rhodesian ridgeback
Rottweiler
Russian owtchar
Russian wolfhound
Saluki
St. Bernard
Samoyed
schipperke
schnauzer
Scottish deerhound
Scottish terrier
Sealyham terrier
setter
shepherd dog
Shetland sheep dog
Shih Tzu
Siberian husky
silky terrier
Skye terrier
spaniel
spitz
springer spaniel
staghound
Sussex spaniel
terrier
toy poodle
toy spaniel
toy terrier
turnspit
Vizsla
water spaniel
Weimaraner
Welsh collie
Welsh corgi
Welsh springer spaniel
Welsh terrier
West Highland white terrier
whippet
wire-haired terrier
wolfhound
Yorkshire terrier

.73 breeds of cats

Abyssinian cat
Angora cat
Archangel cat
Burmese cat
coon cat [dial]
domestic shorthair cat
Egyptian cat
Havana brown cat
Himalayan cat
Manx cat
Persian cat
Rex cat
Russian blue cat
Siamese cat
Turkish cat

.74 insects

ant
ant lion
aphid, aphis
assassin bug
bedbug
bee
bee fly
beetle
billbug, billbeetle
blowfly
bluebottle
boll weevil
borer, peachtree borer, appletree borer, etc.
botfly
bristletail
buffalo bug
buffalo carpet beetle
buprestid beetle
butterfly
caddis fly

Cecropia moth
chafer
chigoe, chigger
chinch, chinch bug
cicada
cicala
cockchafer
cockroach
codling moth
Colorado beetle, Colorado potato beetle
cone-nose
crane fly
cricket
Croton bug
cucumber flea beetle
curculio
damselfly
deer fly
dobson fly
dragonfly
drosophila
dung beetle
earwig
elm leaf beetle
ephemerid
firebrat
firefly
flea
flea beetle
flour moth
fly
fruit fly
fruit-tree bark beetle
gadfly
gallfly
glowworm
gnat
grain beetle
grasshopper
greenbottle fly
harlequin cabbage bug
hawkmoth
hornet
horn fly
horntail
horsefly
housefly
Japanese beetle
jigger, jigger flea
June bug *or* beetle
katydid
kissing bug
lacewing
ladybug, ladybird, lady beetle
lantern fly
leafhopper
Lepisma
locust
louse
mantis, praying mantis
mayfly
mealworm
mealybug
midge
miller
mole cricket
mosquito
mosquito hawk
moth
pill bug
podura
potato bug *or* beetle
punkie
roach
robber fly
rose beetle
rove beetle
St. Mark's fly
sawfly
scarab, scarab beetle
scorpion fly
shad fly
silverfish
snout beetle
sow bug
springtail
squash bug
stag beetle
stinkbug
stone fly
syrphus fly
termite
thrips
tiger moth
tsetse fly
tumblebug
walkingstick
wasp
water bug
weevil, grain weevil, rice weevil, etc.
wood tick
wood wasp
yellow jacket

.75 worms

angleworm
armyworm
bollworm
bookworm
cankerworm
cotton worm
cutworm
earthworm
earworm
fireworm
hellgrammite
inchworm, measuring worm, looper
leech
nematode
pinworm
planarian
roundworm
shipworm, spileworm
silkworm
tapeworm
teredo
tobacco worm
tomato worm
trematode
tussah
webworm
wireworm
woodworm

415. ZOOLOGY

.1 NOUNS **zoology,** anthropology 417.7, biology 406.17, anatomy 245.7, comparative anatomy *or* zootomy, animal physiology *or* zoonomy, conchology, ecology, zoo-ecology, entomology, ethology, helminthology, herpetology, ichthyology, malacology, mammalogy, ophiology, ornithology, protozoology, taxonomy *or* zootaxy, zoogeography *or* zoography, zoopathology, zoophysics; taxidermy.

.2 **zoologist,** anthropologist 417.7, biologist 406.18, animal physiologist *or* zoonomist, conchologist, ecologist, zoo-ecologist, entomologist *or* bugologist [informal], ethologist, helminthologist, herpetologist, ichthyologist, malacologist, mammalogist, ophiologist, ornithologist, protozoologist, zoographer, zoopathologist, zoophysicist, zootaxonomist; taxidermist.

.3 Subkingdom Protozoa (one-celled animals): Protozoa: Mastigophora, Sarcodina, Sporozoa, Ciliata, Suctoria.

.4 Subkingdom Parazoa (many-celled animals without a true digestive cavity): Porifera (sponges).

.5 Subkingdom Metazoa (many-celled animals with true digestive cavities): Mesozoa; Coelenterata: Scyphozoa (jellyfishes), Anthozoa (sea anemones, corals); Ctenophora (comb jellies); Platyhelminthes (flatworms): Turbellaria (free-living flatworms), Trematoda (flukes), Cestoda (tapeworms); Nemertinea *or* Nemertea (ribbon worms); Entoprocta; Ectoprocta *or* Bryozoa (moss animals); Aschelminthes: Rotifera (wheel animalcules *or* wheel worms), Nematoda (roundworms), Nematomorpha (hair snakes); Acanthocephala (spiny-headed worms); Phoronidea; Pogonophora (beard worms); Brachiopoda (lamp shells); Echinodermata: Crinoidea (sea lilies), Asteroidea (starfishes), Ophiuroidea (brittle stars), Echinoidea (sea urchins), Holothurioidea (sea cucumbers); Chaetognatha (arrowworms); Mollusca: Gastropoda (univalve mollusks such as limpets, slugs, snails), Pelecyopoda (bivalve mollusks such as clams), Cephalopoda (octopuses, squids), Scaphopoda (tooth shells), Amphineura (chitons), Monoplacophora; Annelida (segmented worms): Polychaeta (sandworms), Oligochaeta (earthworms), Hirudinea (leeches); Sipunculoidea (peanut worms); Pria-

puloidea; Echiuroidea; Arthropoda: Arachnida (spiders), Crustacea (lobsters, shrimp, etc.), Insecta (insects), Chilopoda (centipedes), Diplopoda (millipedes); Chordata.

.6 Phylum Chordata: Hemichordata (tongue worms), Cephalochordata (lancelets), Tunicata (sea squirts), Vertebrata.

.7 Subphylum Vertebrata: Cyclostomata (lampreys, hagfishes), Chondrichtyes (cartilaginous fishes such as sharks, rays, skates), Osteichthyes (bony fishes), Amphibia (amphibians), Reptilia (reptiles), Mammalia (mammals).

.8 Class Mammalia: Monotremata (platypuses, echidnas), Marsupialia (kangaroos, opossums), Insectivora (shrews, moles), Dermoptera (flying lemurs), Chiroptera (bats), Primates (man, apes, monkeys), Edentata (anteaters, armadillos, sloths), Pholidota (pangolin), Lagomorpha (hares, rabbits), Rodentia (rodents), Cetacea (whales, dolphins), Carnivora (carnivores), Tubulidentata (aardvarks), Proboscidea (elephants), Hyracoidea (coneys), Sirenia (manatees *or* sea cows), Perissodactyla (horses, tapirs, rhinoceroses), Artiodactyla (antelopes, cattle, pigs).

.9 ADJS **zoologic(al)**, entomologic(al); taxidermic, taxidermal.

416. ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

.1 NOUNS **animal husbandry**, animal rearing *or* raising *or* culture, stock raising; zooculture, zootechnics, zootechny; thremmatology; gnotobiotics; herding, grazing, keeping flocks and herds, running livestock; breeding, stockbreeding, stirpiculture; horse training, dressage, manège; horsemanship; pisciculture, fish culture; apiculture, bee culture, beekeeping; cattle raising; sheepherding; pig-keeping; dairy-farming, chicken-farming, pig-farming, etc.; cattle-ranching, mink-ranching, etc.

.2 **stockman**, stock raiser, stockkeeper [Austral]; breeder, stockbreeder; sheepman; cattleman, cow keeper, cowman, grazier [Brit]; **rancher**, ranchman, ranchero; dairyman, dairy farmer; **stableman**, stableboy, **groom**, hostler, equerry; trainer, breaker, tamer; broncobuster *or* buckaroo [both slang]; horseshoer, farrier.

.3 **herder, drover, herdsman**, herdboy; **shepherd**, shepherdess, **sheepherder**, sheepman; goatherd; swineherd, pigman, pigherd, hogherd; gooseherd, gooseboy, goosegirl; swanherd; cowherd, neatherd [Brit], **cowboy**, cowgirl, cowhand, puncher *or* **cowpuncher** [both informal], waddy [W US], cowman, cattleman, *vaquero* [Sp], gaucho; horseherd, **wrangler**, horse wrangler.

.4 **apiarist**, apiculturist, **beekeeper**, beeherd.

.5 animal enclosure 191.19–26, 236.12.

.6 VERBS **raise, breed**, rear, grow, hatch, feed, nurture, fatten; keep, run; ranch, farm; culture.

.7 **tend; groom**, rub down, brush, curry, currycomb; water, drench, feed, fodder; bed, bed down, litter; milk; harness, saddle, hitch, bridle, yoke; gentle, handle, manage; tame, train, break.

.8 **drive, herd**, drove [Brit], punch cattle, **shepherd**, ride herd on; spur, goad, prick, lash, whip; wrangle, round up; corral, cage.

417. MANKIND

.1 NOUNS **mankind**, humankind, **man**, human species, **human race**, race of man, human family, **humanity**, mortals, mortality, flesh, mortal flesh, clay; generation of man [archaic], *le genre humain* [Fr], "the plumeless genus of bipeds" [Plato], homo, genus Homo, **Homo sapiens**, Hominidae, hominid; human nature, frail *or* fallen humanity, Adam, Adam's seed *or* offspring.

.2 **people** 418, **persons, folk, folks**, gentry, men, people in general; **public**, populace, population, citizenry, general public; John Q. Public, Everyman, man in the street, common man, you and me, John Doe, everyman, everywoman, everyone, everybody; **community, commonwealth, nation**, nationality, **state**; estate [archaic], polity, body politic; **society**, world, world *or* community at large.

.3 **person, human, human being, man**, homo, anthrop(o)–, homin(i)–, prosop(o)–; member of the human race, Adamite; **mortal, life, soul**, living soul; **being**, creature, **individual**, "single, separate person" [Whitman], personage, personality, **body**; somebody, one, someone; fellow *or* chap *or* customer *or* party *or* character [all informal]; guy *or* cat *or* duck *or* joker [all slang]; bloke *or* cove *or* johnny [all Brit slang]; earthling, groundling, terran, worldling, tellurian; head, hand, nose.

.4 **God's image, lord of creation**; homo faber, symbol-using animal; "a god in ruins" [Emerson], "the aristocrat amongst the animals" [Heine], "the mea-

sure of all things" [Protagoras], "a reasoning animal" [Seneca], "the most intelligent of animals—and the most silly" [Diogenes], "a thinking reed" [Pascal], "a tool-using animal" [Carlyle], "a tool-making animal" [Benjamin Franklin], "the only animal that blushes. Or needs to" [Mark Twain], "an intelligence served by organs" [Emerson], rational animal, animal capable of reason, "an ingenious assembly of portable plumbing" [Christopher Morley], "Nature's sole mistake" [W. S. Gilbert], "that unfeather'd two-legged thing" [Dryden], "but breath and shadow, nothing more" [Sophocles], "this quintessence of dust" [Shakespeare], "political animal" [Aristotle]; "the naked ape" [Desmond Morris].

.5 **humanness, humanity,** mortality; **human nature,** the way you are; **frailty,** human frailty, weakness, **human weakness,** weakness of the flesh, "thy nature's weakness" [Whittier], "one touch of nature" [Shakespeare], the weaknesses human flesh is heir to; human equation.

.6 humanization; **anthropomorphism,** pathetic fallacy, anthropopathism, anthropomorphology.

.7 **anthropology,** science of man; anthropogeny, anthropography, anthropogeography, human geography, demography, human ecology, anthropometry, craniometry, craniology, ethnology, ethnography; behavioral science, sociology, socio–, psychology 690; anatomy 245.7; **anthropologist,** ethnologist, sociologist.

.8 **humanism;** naturalistic humanism, scientific humanism; Religious Humanism; Christian humanism, integral humanism; new humanism; anthroposophy.

.9 VERBS **humanize,** anthropomorphize, make human, civilize.

.10 ADJS **human;** hominal; creaturely, creatural; Adamite *or* Adamitic; **frail, weak,** fleshly, finite, **mortal; only human;** earthborn, of the earth, earthy, tellurian, unangelic; humanistic; man-centered, homocentric, anthropocentric; anthropological.

.11 **manlike, anthropoid,** humanoid, hominid; anthropomorphic, anthropopathic.

.12 **personal, individual,** private, peculiar, idiosyncratic.

.13 **public, general, common; communal, societal, social;** civic, civil; **national,** state; international, cosmopolitan, supernational, supranational.

.14 ADVS **humanly,** mortally, after the manner of men.

418. PEOPLES

.1 NOUNS **people; race,** strain, stock, ethno–, gen(o)–; **culture** 642.3, **society,** speech community, **ethnic group;** community, **nationality, nation.**

.2 (races) **Caucasoid** *or* **Caucasian** *or* **white race;** Nordic race, Alpine race, Mediterranean race; xanthochroi, melanochroi; Archaic Caucasoid *or* archaic white *or* Australoid race; Polynesian race; **Negroid** *or* **black race;** Nilotic race, Melanesian race, Papuan race; Pygmoid race; Bushman race; **Mongoloid** *or* **Mongolian** *or* **yellow race;** Malayan *or* Malaysian *or* brown race; prehistoric races 123.25.

.3 **Caucasian, white man, white;** WASP [informal]; paleface, ofay, the Man, Mister Charley [all slang]; whitey *or* honky [both derog]; Australian aborigine, blackfellow [Austral]; **Negro, black man, black,** colored person; darky [slang]; spade, nigger, niggra, coon, burrhead, jigaboo, jungle bunny, boy [all derog]; pygmy, Negrito, Negrillo; Bushman; **Indian,** American Indian, Amerind, Red Indian [Brit], red man; injun *or* redskin [both slang]; Mongolian, yellow man, **Oriental;** gook *or* slant-eye [both derog]; Malayan, brown man.

.4 **crossbreed, mulatto** 44.9.

419. SEX

.1 NOUNS **sex,** gender, gen(o)–; maleness, masculinity 420, femaleness, femininity 421.

.2 **sexuality,** sexualism, gam(o)–; **love** 931, lovemaking 932, marriage 933; **carnality, sensuality** 987; sexiness, voluptuousness, flesh, fleshliness; **libido,** sex drive, sexual instinct *or* urge; **potency** 420.2; impotence; frigidity, coldness.

.3 **sex appeal,** sexual attraction *or* attractiveness *or* magnetism.

.4 **sex object;** piece, meat, piece of meat, ass, piece of ass, hot number [all slang]; sex queen, sex goddess; stud [slang].

.5 **sexual desire,** sensuous *or* carnal desire, bodily appetite, **biological urge,** venereal appetite *or* desire, sexual longing, **lust,** desire, lusts *or* desires of the flesh, itch, **passion,** carnal *or* sexual passion, fleshly lust, prurience *or* pruriency, concupiscence, hot blood, aphrodisia, hot pants [slang]; lustfulness, goatishness, horniness, libidinousness; lasciviousness 989.5; **eroticism,** erotism, eroto–; indecency 990; erotomania, eromania, eroticomaniac,

hysteria libidinosa [L]; nymphomania, andromania, *furor uterinus* [L]; satyrism, satyriasis, gynecomania; infantile sexuality, polymorphous perversity.

.6 **heat,** rut; frenzy *or* fury of lust; estrus, estrum, estral cycle, estruation.

.7 **aphrodisiac, love potion,** philter; cantharis, blister beetle, Spanish fly.

.8 **copulation, sex act,** *le sport* [Fr], coupling, mating, coition, **coitus,** pareunia, venery, copula [law], **sex, intercourse, sexual intercourse,** cohabitation, commerce, sexual commerce, congress, sexual congress, sexual union, sexual relations, relations, marital relations, marriage act, act of love, sleeping together *or* sleeping with; screwing, balling, diddling, making it with [all slang]; meat, ass [both slang], intimacy, connection, carnal knowledge, aphrodisia; orgasm, climax, sexual climax; adultery, fornication 989.7; coitus interruptus, onanism; **lovemaking** 932; **procreation** 169; germ cell, sperm, ovum 406.10–12.

.9 **masturbation,** autoeroticism, self-abuse, onanism, manipulation, playing with oneself, hand job [slang]; oral-genital stimulation, fellatio *or* fellation, irrumation, cunnilingus; anal intercourse, buggery, sodomy, pederasty; bestiality.

.10 **genitals,** genitalia, sex organs, reproductive organs, pudenda, private parts, privy parts, privates, ede(o)–, meat [slang]; **male organs; penis, phallus,** phallo–, *lingam* [Skt]; gonads; **testes, testicles,** didym(o)–; balls *or* nuts *or* rocks [all slang], cods [dial], cullions [archaic], ballocks, family jewels [both slang]; spermary; scrotum, bag *or* basket [both slang], cod [archaic], scrot(o)– *or* scroti–; **female organs,** –gyne; **vulva,** vulv(o)–, episio–, *yoni* [Skt]; **vagina;** clitoris; labia, labia majora, labia minora, lips, nymphae, nymph(o)– *or* nymphi–; cervix; ovary, ovar(o)– *or* ovari–; uterus, womb 153.9; secondary sex characteristic, pubic hair, beard 230.8, breasts 256.6.

.11 **sexlessness,** asexuality, neuterness.

.12 **sexual preference;** sexual normality; **heterosexuality; homosexuality,** homosexualism, homoeroticism, sexual inversion; autoeroticism; **bisexuality,** bisexualism, amphierotism, swinging both ways [slang]; **lesbianism,** sapphism, tribadism *or* tribady; paraphilia; zoophilia, zooerastia; pedophilia; algolagnia, algolagny, sadomasochism; active algolagnia, **sadism;** passive algolagnia, **masochism;** fetishism; narcissism; exhibitionism; necrophilia; coprophilia; scotophilia, voyeurism; transvestitism; **incest,** incestuousness.

.13 **perversion,** sexual deviation, sexual deviance, sexual perversion, sexual abnormality; sexual pathology; psychosexual disorder; sexual psychopathy, *psychopathia sexualis* [L]; **sex crime.**

.14 **intersexuality,** intersexualism, epicenism, epicenity; hermaphroditism, pseudohermaphroditism; androgynism, androgyny, gynandry, gynandrism; transsexuality, transsexualism.

.15 **heterosexual, straight** [slang].

.16 homosexual, homosexualist, homophile, invert; homo, queer, faggot, fag, fruit [all derog]; flit, fairy, pansy, nance, auntie [all derog], queen [slang]; catamite, pathic; chicken, punk, gunsel [all derog]; **bisexual,** bi-guy [slang]; **lesbian,** sapphist, tribade, fricatrice [archaic]; dyke *or* bull dyke [both derog], butch, femme [both slang].

.17 **sodomist, sodomite,** bugger; pederast; paraphiliac; zoophiliac; pedophiliac; sadist; masochist; fetishist; transvestite; narcissist; exhibitionist; necrophiliac; coprophiliac; scotophiliac, voyeur; erotomaniac, nymphomaniac, satyr; rapist 989.12.

.18 **pervert, deviant,** deviate, sex *or* sexual pervert, sex *or* sexual deviant, sex *or* sexual deviate; sex fiend, sex criminal, sexual psychopath.

.19 **intersex,** sex-intergrade, epicene; hermaphrodite, pseudohermaphrodite; androgyne, gynandroid; transsexual.

.20 **sexology,** sexologist; sexual customs *or* mores *or* practices; sexual morality; new morality, sexual revolution; sexual freedom, free love; trial marriage.

.21 VERBS sex, sexualize.

.22 lust, **lust after,** itch for, have a lech *or* hot pants for [slang], **desire; be in heat** *or* **rut,** rut, come in, estruate.

.23 **copulate,** couple, **mate,** unite in sexual intercourse, **have sexual relations, have sex,** make out [slang], perform the act of love *or* marriage act, come together, cohabit, be intimate; sleep with, lie with, go to bed with; **screw, lay,** ball, frig, diddle, **make it with** [all slang]; cover, mount, serve *or* service (of animals); commit adultery, fornicate 989.19; **make love** 932.13.

.24 **masturbate,** play with *or* abuse oneself; fellate; sodomize, bugger, ream [slang].

.25 **climax, come,** achieve satisfaction,

achieve *or* reach orgasm; **ejaculate,** get off [slang].

.26 ADJS **sexual,** sex, sexlike, gamic, libidinal; **erotic,** amorous 931.24; nuptial 933.19; venereal; **carnal, sensual** 987.5,6, voluptuous, fleshly; **sexy; heterosexual, straight** [informal]; erogenous, erogenic, erotogenic; sexed, oversexed, undersexed; procreative 169.15; potent 420.12.

.27 **genital,** genito–; phallic, penile, penial; testicular; scrotal; spermatic, seminal, gon(o)–; vulvar, vulval; vaginal; clitoral; cervical; ovarian; uterine.

.28 **aphrodisiac,** aphroditous, **arousing,** stimulating, eroticizing, venereal.

.29 **lustful, prurient, hot,** steamy, sexy, concupiscent, lickerish, libidinous, **salacious** 990.9, **passionate,** hot-blooded, itching, **horny** [slang], randy, goatish; sex-starved, unsatisfied; lascivious 989.29; **orgasmic,** orgastic, **ejaculatory.**

.30 **in heat, burning, hot; in rut,** rutting, rutty, ruttish; in must, must, musty; estrous, estral, estrual.

.31 **unsexual,** unsexed; **sexless,** asexual, **neuter,** neutral; castrated, emasculated, eunuchized; **cold, frigid; impotent;** frustrated.

.32 **homosexual,** homoerotic, gay [informal], queer [derog]; **bisexual,** bisexed, amphierotic, AC-DC [informal], autoerotic; lesbian, sapphic, tribadistic; mannish 420.13, butch; effeminate 421.14; transvestite; **perverted,** deviant.

.33 hermaphrodite, hermaphroditic, pseudohermaphrodite, pseudohermaphroditic, epicene, monoclinous; androgynous, androgynal, gynandrous, gynandrian.

420. MASCULINITY

.1 NOUNS **masculinity,** masculineness, maleness; **manliness,** manlihood, **manhood,** manfulness, manlikeness; mannishness; gentlemanliness, gentlemanlikeness.

.2 **virility,** virileness, potence *or* **potency,** sexual power, manly vigor, *machismo* [Sp]; ultramasculinity.

.3 **mankind, man, men, manhood,** menfolk *or* menfolks [both dial], sword side; **male sex.**

.4 **male,** male being, masculine; he, him, his; **man,** male person, *homme* [Fr], *hombre* [Sp]; **gentleman;** andr(o)–.

.5 **fellow,** feller, lad, chap, **guy** [all informal]; cat, bird, duck, stud, **joker,** character, jasper, bugger, bastard [all slang]; bloke *or* cove *or* johnny [all Brit slang].

.6 **he-man** *or* two-fisted man [both informal], jockstrap, jock [both slang], man with hair on his chest; caveman, bucko [both slang].

.7 (forms of address) **Mister, Mr.,** Messrs. [pl], Master; **sir;** *monsieur, M.* [both Fr], *messieurs, MM.* [both Fr pl]; *signor, signore* [both Ital], *signorino* [Ital], *señor, Sr.* [both Sp], *don* [Sp], *senhor* [Pg]; *Herr* [Ger]; *mein Herr* [Ger]; *mijnheer* [Du], *sahib* [Hind], *bwana* [Swahili].

.8 (male animals) cock, rooster, chanticleer; cockerel; drake; gander; peacock; tom turkey, tom, turkey-cock, bubbly-jock [Scot], gobbler, turkey gobbler; dog; boar; stag, hart, buck; stallion, studhorse, stud, top horse [dial], entire horse, entire; tomcat, tom; he-goat, billy goat, billy; ram, tup [Brit]; wether; bull, bullock, top cow [dial]; steer, stot [Brit dial].

.9 (mannish female) **amazon,** virago, androgyne; lesbian 419.16, butch, dyke [both slang]; **tomboy,** hoyden, romp.

.10 VERBS masculinize, virilize.

.11 ADJS **masculine, male,** bull, he–; **manly, manlike, mannish,** manful, andric; uneffeminate; **gentlemanly,** gentlemanlike.

.12 **virile, potent,** viripotent; ultramasculine, *macho* [Sp], **he-mannish** [informal], two-fisted [informal], broad-shouldered, hairy-chested.

.13 **mannish, mannified; unwomanly, unfeminine,** uneffeminate, viraginous; **tomboyish,** hoyden, rompish.

421. FEMININITY

.1 NOUNS **femininity,** femineity, feminality, feminacy, femininеness, femaleness; **womanliness,** womanlikeness, womanishness, **womanhood,** womanity, muliebrity; girlishness, little-girlishness; maidenhood, maidenliness; **ladylikeness,** gentlewomanliness; **matronliness,** matronage, matronhood, matronship; the eternal feminine, "*das Ewig-Weibliche*" [Ger; Goethe].

.2 **effeminacy, unmanliness,** effeminateness, epicenity, epicenism, **womanishness,** muliebrity, **sissiness** [informal], prissiness [informal]; androgyny, feminism.

.3 **womankind, woman, women,** femininity, **womanhood,** womenfolk *or* womenfolks [both dial], distaff side; **female sex;** second sex, **fair sex,** softer sex, **weaker sex,** weaker vessel.

.4 **female,** female being; she, her; –ess, –ette, –ine, –trix; gyne–, gyn(o)–, gyneo–, gyneco–, –gyne.

.5 **woman,** Eve, daughter of Eve, Adam's Rib, *femme* [Fr], distaff [archaic], weaker

vessel; frow, *Frau* [Ger], *vrouw* [Du], *donna* [Ital], wahine [Hawaii]; **lady,** milady, gentlewoman, *domina* [L]; **matron,** dame, **dowager;** squaw; lass, girl 125.6.

.6 [slang terms] **dame,** hen, biddy, skirt; Jane, **broad, doll, chick,** wench, bird [Brit], tomato, bitch, minx.

.7 "a rag and a bone and a hank of hair" [Kipling], "God's second mistake" [Nietzche], "the last thing civilized by man" [George Meredith], "sphinxes without secrets" [Oscar Wilde], "the female of the human species, and not a different kind of animal" [G. B. Shaw], "O fairest of creation! last and best of all God's works" [Milton], "frailty, thy name is woman!" [Shakespeare], "a necessary evil" [Latin proverb], "a temple sacred by birth, and built by hands divine" [Dryden].

.8 (forms of address) Mistress [archaic], **Mrs.; madam** *or* ma'am; *madame, Mme* [both Fr]; *mesdames, Mmes* [both Fr pl]; *Frau* [Ger], *vrouw* [Du], *signora* [Ital], *señora* [Sp], *senhora* [Pg], *mem-sahib* [Hind]; dame [archaic], *donna* [Ital], *doña* [Sp], *dona* [Pg], lady; **Ms.; Miss;** *mademoiselle, Mlle* [both Fr]; *Fräulein* [Ger]; *signorina* [Ital], *señorita* [Sp], *senhorita* [Pg].

.9 (female animals) hen, Partlet, biddy; guinea hen; peahen; bitch, slut, gyp; sow; ewe, ewe lamb; she-goat, nanny goat *or* nanny; doe, hind, roe; jenny; mare, brood mare; filly; cow, bossy; heifer; vixen; tigress; lioness; she-bear, she-lion, etc.

.10 (effeminate male) **mollycoddle,** effeminate; **mother's darling, mama's boy,** Lord Fauntleroy, sissy, Percy, goody-goody; **pantywaist,** nancy *or* nance, chicken, lily; cream puff, weak sister, milksop; old woman.

.11 feminization, womanization, effemination, effeminization, sissification [informal].

.12 VERBS feminize; womanize, demasculinize, effeminize, effeminatize, effeminate, soften, sissify [informal]; emasculate, castrate, geld.

.13 ADJS **feminine, female,** she–; gynic, gynecic, gynecoid, –gynous; muliebral, distaff, **womanly, womanish, womanlike,** petticoat; **ladylike,** gentlewomanlike, gentlewomanly; **matronly,** matronal, matronlike; **girlish,** little-girlish, kittenish; maidenly 124.11.

.14 **effeminate, womanish,** old-womanish, **unmanly,** muliebrous, soft, chicken, prissy, **sissified,** sissy, **sissyish.**

422. SENSATION

(physical sensibility)

.1 NOUNS **sensation, sense, feeling;** sense impression, sense-datum *or* -data, percept, perception, sense perception; experience, sensory experience; **consciousness,** awareness; response, response to stimuli.

.2 **sensibility,** sensibleness, physical sensibility, sentience *or* sentiency; openness to sensation, readiness of feeling, receptiveness, receptivity; sensation level, threshold of sensation, limen; impressionability, impressibility, affectibility; **susceptibility,** susceptivity; perceptibility.

.3 **sensitivity, sensitiveness;** perceptivity, perceptiveness; responsiveness; tact, tactfulness, considerateness, sympathy; empathy, identification; passibility; delicacy, exquisiteness, tenderness, fineness; **oversensitiveness,** oversensibility, hypersensitivity, **thin skin,** hyperesthesia, hyperpathia, supersensitivity, overtenderness; **irritability,** prickliness, soreness, **touchiness,** tetchiness; ticklishness, nervousness 859; allergy, anaphylaxis; sensitization; photophobia.

.4 **sore spot,** sore point, soft spot, raw, exposed nerve, raw nerve, nerve ending, tender spot, the quick, where the shoe pinches.

.5 **senses, five senses,** sensorium; touch, taste, smell, sight, hearing; sixth sense; sense *or* sensory organ, sensillum, receptor; synesthesia, chromesthesia, color hearing; phonism, photism.

.6 **nerve,** nerv(o)– *or* nervi–, neur(o)–; **neuron;** sensory *or* afferent neuron, sensory cell; motor *or* efferent neuron; association *or* internuncial neuron; axon, dendrite, myelin *or* medullary sheath; **synapse;** effector organ; nerve trunk; **ganglion,** gangli(o)–; plexus, solar plexus; **spinal cord,** spin(o)– *or* spini–, myel(o)–; **brain** 466.6,7; cerebral cortex, sensory area, sensorium; gray matter, white matter; **nervous system;** central nervous system, peripheral nervous system; autonomic nervous system; sympathetic *or* thoracolumbar nervous system, parasympathetic *or* craniosacral nervous system.

.7 neurology; neurologist, neurosurgeon.

.8 VERBS **sense, feel,** experience, **perceive,** apprehend, be sensible of, be conscious *or* aware of; taste 427.7, smell 435.8, see 439.12, hear 448.11,12, touch 425.6; respond, respond to stimuli.

.9 **sensitize,** make sensitive; sensibilize, sen-

sify; sharpen, whet, quicken, stimulate, excite, stir, cultivate, refine.

.10 **touch a sore spot,** touch a soft spot, touch on the raw, touch to the quick, touch a nerve *or* nerve ending, touch where it hurts, hit one where he lives [slang].

.11 ADJS **sensory,** sensatory, sensorial, senso(ri)–; sensitive, receptive; sensuous; sensorimotor, sensimotor.

.12 **neural, nervous,** nerval; neurological.

.13 sensible, sentient, sensile; **susceptible,** susceptive; **receptive,** impressionable, impressive [archaic], impressible; **perceptive; conscious,** cognizant, **aware,** sensitive to, alive to.

.14 **sensitive,** responsive, sympathetic; empathic, empathetic; passible; delicate, tactful, tender, refined; **oversensitive, thin-skinned;** oversensible, hyperesthetic, hyperpathic, hypersensitive, supersensitive, overtender, overrefined; **irritable, touchy,** tetchy [dial], itchy, ticklish, prickly; goosy, skittish; nervous 859.10; allergic, anaphylactic.

.15 (keenly sensitive) **exquisite,** poignant, **acute,** sharp, **keen,** vivid, intense, extreme, excruciating.

423. INSENSIBILITY

(physical unfeeling)

.1 NOUNS **insensibility,** insensibleness, **insensitivity,** insensitiveness, insentience, impassibility; **unperceptiveness,** imperceptiveness, imperception, imperceptivity, impercipience, obtuseness; inconsiderateness, **unfeeling,** unfeelingness; thick skin *or* hide, callousness 856.3; **numbness,** dullness, **deadness,** ambly(o)–, brady–, narc(o)–; pins and needles; anesthesia, analgesia; narcosis, electronarcosis; narcotization.

.2 **unconsciousness, senselessness;** nothingness, oblivion, obliviousness, nirvana; nirvana principle; **faint, swoon, blackout,** syncope, lipothymy *or* lipothymia; **coma; stupor;** catalepsy, catatony *or* catatonia, sleep 712; knockout, KO *or* kayo [both slang]; semiconsciousness, grayout.

.3 **anesthetic,** analgesic, **pain-killer,** tranquilizer, **sedative,** sleeping pill, knockout drop *or* Mickey Finn [both slang], dope [slang], drug, narcotic, opiate 687.12.

.4 VERBS (render insensible) **deaden, numb,** benumb, blunt, dull, obtund, **desensitize;** paralyze, palsy; **anesthetize, put to sleep,** slip one a Mickey *or* Mickey Finn [slang], chloroform, etherize; narcotize, drug, dope [slang]; freeze, **stupefy, stun,** bedaze, besot; knock unconscious, knock senseless, **knock out,** KO *or* kayo [both slang], lay out, coldcock [both slang], knock stiff.

.5 **faint, swoon,** drop, succumb, keel over [informal], fall in a faint, fall senseless, **pass out** [informal], **black out,** go out like a light; gray out.

.6 ADJS **insensible, unfeeling, insensitive,** insentient, insensate, impassible; **unperceptive,** imperceptive, imperceptive, impercipient, thick-skinned, thick-witted, **dull,** obtuse, obdurate; **numb,** numbed, benumbed, dead, **deadened,** asleep, unfelt; callous 856.12.

.7 **stupefied, stunned,** dazed, bedazed.

.8 **unconscious, senseless, oblivious,** comatose, asleep, dead, **dead to the world,** cold, out, **out cold;** nirvanic; half-conscious, semiconscious; drugged, narcotized; doped, stoned, spaced out, strung out, zonked, zonked out, out of it [all slang]; catatonic, cataleptic.

.9 **deadening,** numbing, dulling; **anesthetic,** analgesic, narcotic; stupefying, stunning.

424. PAIN

(physical suffering)

.1 NOUNS **pain,** alg(o)–, –algy *or* –algia, noci–, –odynia, –pathy, –agra; **suffering, hurt, hurting,** misery [dial], **distress,** *Schmerz* [Ger], dolor [archaic]; **discomfort,** malaise; aches and pains.

.2 **pang,** throes; seizure, spasm, paroxysm; **twinge,** twitch, wrench, jumping pain; crick, kink, hitch, cramp *or* cramps; **nip,** thrill, pinch, tweak, bite, prick, **stab,** stitch, sharp *or* piercing *or* stabbing pain, acute pain, **shooting pain,** darting pain, fulgurant pain, lancinating pain, shooting, shoot; gnawing, gnawing *or* grinding *or* boring pain; griping, tormen [archaic]; girdle pain; stitch in the side; charley horse [informal].

.3 **smart,** smarting, **sting,** stinging, urtication, **tingle,** tingling; **burn,** burning, burning pain, fire.

.4 **soreness, irritation,** inflammation, tenderness, sensitiveness; algesia; rankling [archaic], festering; sore 686.35; sore spot 422.4.

.5 **ache,** aching, throbbing pain; **headache,** cephalalgia, misery in the head [dial]; splitting headache, **sick headache, migraine,** megrim, hemicrania; **backache; earache,** otalgia; **toothache,** odontalgia;

stomachache, tummyache [informal], bellyache *or* gut-ache [slang]; **colic,** collywobbles, gripes, gripe, gnawing, gnawing of the bowels, fret [dial]; **heartburn,** pyrosis; **angina.**

.6 **agony, anguish, torment, torture,** rack, excruciation, crucifixion, martyrdom, martyrization, excruciating *or* agonizing *or* atrocious pain.

.7 VERBS **pain,** give *or* inflict pain, **hurt, wound, afflict, distress,** ail; **burn;** sting; nip, bite, tweak, pinch; pierce, prick, stab, cut, lacerate; **irritate, inflame;** chafe, gall, fret, rasp, rub, grate; gnaw, grind; gripe; fester, rankle [archaic]; **torture, torment,** rack, put to torture, put *or* lay on the rack, **agonize, harrow,** crucify, martyr, martyrize, excruciate, wring, twist, convulse; prolong the agony, kill by inches.

.8 **suffer, feel pain,** feel the pangs, anguish 866.19; **hurt, ache,** have a misery [dial], ail; **smart,** tingle; throb, pound; shoot; twinge, thrill, twitch; **wince,** blench *or* blanch, shrink, make a wry face, grimace; **agonize,** writhe.

.9 ADJS **pained,** in pain, **hurt,** hurting, **suffering,** afflicted, wounded, distressed, in distress; **tortured, tormented, racked, agonized, harrowed,** lacerated, crucified, martyred, martyrized, wrung, twisted, convulsed; on the rack, under the harrow.

.10 **painful,** –pathic; hurtful, **hurting,** distressing, afflictive; **acute, sharp,** piercing, stabbing, shooting, stinging, biting, gnawing; **poignant,** pungent, **severe,** cruel, harsh, grave, hard; griping, cramping, spasmic, spasmatic, spasmodic, paroxysmal; **agonizing, excruciating,** atrocious, torturous, tormenting, racking, **harrowing.**

.11 **sore, raw;** smarting, tingling, **burning; irritated, inflamed, tender,** sensitive, fiery, angry, red; algetic; chafed, galled; **festering,** rankling [archaic].

.12 **aching,** achy, **throbbing;** headachy, migrainous, backachy, toothachy, stomachachy, colicky, griping.

.13 **irritating,** irritative, irritant; **chafing, galling,** fretting, rasping, grating, grinding, stinging, scratchy.

425. TOUCH

.1 NOUNS **touch,** thigmo–; sense of touch, tactile sense, cutaneous sense; taction, **contact** 200.5; **feel,** feeling; hand-mindedness; light touch, lambency, whisper, breath, **kiss, caress;** lick, lap; **brush,** graze, glance; stroke, rub; tap, flick 283.6; fingertip caress, tentative poke.

.2 **touching, feeling, fingering,** palpation; **handling,** manipulation; petting, caressing, stroking, rubbing, frottage, friction 350; pressure 283.2.

.3 touchableness, **tangibility, palpability,** tactility.

.4 **feeler,** tactile organ, tactor; tactile cell; tactile process, tactile corpuscle, **antenna;** tactile hair, vibrissa; cat whisker; barbel, barbule; palp, palpus.

.5 **finger, digit,** digiti–, dactyl(o)–; forefinger, index finger, index; ring finger, annulary; middle finger, medius, dactylion; little finger, pinkie [informal], minimus; thumb, pollex.

.6 VERBS **touch, feel,** feel of, palpate; **finger,** pass *or* run the fingers over, feel with the fingertips, thumb; **handle,** palm, paw; **manipulate,** wield, ply; twiddle; poke at, prod 283.11; tap, flick 283.15; come in contact 200.10.

.7 **touch lightly,** touch upon; kiss, **brush,** sweep, graze, brush by, glance, scrape, skim.

.8 **stroke, pet, caress,** fondle; **nuzzle,** nose, rub noses; feel up [slang]; rub, rub against, massage, knead 350.6.

.9 **lick, lap,** tongue, mouth.

.10 ADJS **tactile,** tactual; hand-minded.

.11 touchable, **palpable, tangible,** tactile.

.12 lightly touching, lambent, playing lightly over, barely touching.

426. SENSATIONS OF TOUCH

.1 NOUNS **tingle,** tingling, thrill, buzz; **prickle,** prickles, prickling, pins and needles; **sting,** stinging, urtication; paresthesia.

.2 **tickle,** tickling, **titillation,** pleasant stimulation, **ticklishness,** tickliness.

.3 **itch, itching,** itchiness, psor(o)–, yeuk [Scot]; pruritus.

.4 **creeps** *or* **cold creeps** *or* shivers *or* **cold shivers** [all informal], creeping of the flesh; gooseflesh, goose bumps, goose pimples; formication.

.5 VERBS **tingle,** thrill; **itch;** scratch; **prickle,** prick, sting.

.6 **tickle, titillate.**

.7 **feel creepy,** feel funny, creep, crawl, **have the creeps** *or* **cold creeps** [informal]; have gooseflesh *or* goose bumps.

.8 ADJS **tingly,** tingling, atingle; **prickly,** prickling.

.9 **ticklish,** tickling, tickly, **titillative.**

.10 **itchy,** itching.

.11 **creepy, crawly,** formicative.

427. TASTE

(sense of taste)

.1 NOUNS **taste,** gust [archaic], *goût* [Fr]; **flavor,** sapor; **smack, tang; savor, relish,** sapidity; palate, tongue, tooth, stomach; taste in the mouth; sweet, sour, bitter, salt; aftertaste; savoriness 428.

.2 **sip, sup, lick, bite.**

.3 tinge, hint 35.4.

.4 **sample, specimen, taste,** taster, little bite, little smack; example 25.2.

.5 taste bud *or* bulb *or* goblet, taste *or* gustatory cell, taste hair; **tongue,** lingua, lingu(o)– *or* lingui–, gloss(o)–; **palate,** palat(o)–, staphyl(o)–, uran(o)–.

.6 **tasting, savoring,** gustation.

.7 VERBS **taste,** sample; **savor;** sip, sup [dial], roll on the tongue; smack, taste of.

.8 ADJS **gustatory,** gustative; tastable, gustable [archaic].

.9 **flavored,** flavorous, flavory, sapid, saporous, saporific; savory, flavorful 428.8,9.

.10 **lingual,** glossal; **tonguelike,** linguiform, lingulate.

428. SAVORINESS

.1 NOUNS **savoriness, palatableness,** palatability, **tastiness,** toothsomeness, goodness, good taste, right taste, **deliciousness,** gustatory delightfulness, scrumptiousness *or* yumminess [both informal], lusciousness, delectability, **flavorfulness,** flavorsomeness, flavorousness, flavoriness, good flavor, fine flavor, sapidity; full flavor, full-bodied flavor; gourmet quality.

.2 **savor, relish, zest, gusto,** *goût* [Fr].

.3 **flavoring, flavor,** flavorer; **seasoning,** seasoner, **relish, condiment, spice,** condiments 308.55.

.4 VERBS **taste good,** tickle *or* flatter *or* delight the palate, tempt *or* whet the appetite, make the mouth water.

.5 **savor, relish,** like, love, be fond of, be partial to, enjoy, delight in, appreciate; smack the lips; taste 427.7.

.6 **savor of, taste of, smack** of, have a relish of, have the flavor of, taste like.

.7 **flavor,** savor; **season,** salt, pepper, **spice,** sauce.

.8 ADJS **tasty,** good-tasting, **savory,** savorous, **palatable, toothsome,** gusty [Scot], gustable [archaic], sapid, **good,** good to eat, nice, agreeable, likable, pleasing, to one's taste, **delicious,** delightful, delectable, exquisite; delicate, dainty; juicy, succulent, **luscious,** lush; ambrosial, nectarous, nectareous; fit for a king, fit for a gourmet, of gourmet quality; scrumptious *or* yummy [both informal].

.9 **flavorful, flavorsome,** flavorous, flavory, well-flavored; full-flavored, full-bodied; nutty, fruity; **rich,** rich-flavored.

.10 **appetizing, mouth-watering, tempting,** tantalizing, provocative, piquant.

429. UNSAVORINESS

.1 NOUNS **unsavoriness, unpalatableness,** unpalatability, **distastefulness.**

.2 acridness, acridity, tartness, sharpness, causticity, astringence *or* astringency, acerbity, **sourness** 432; pungency 433; **bitterness,** –picrin; gall, gall and wormwood, wormwood, bitter pill.

.3 **nastiness, foulness, vileness, loathsomeness, repulsiveness, obnoxiousness,** odiousness, offensiveness, disgustingness, nauseousness; **rankness,** rancidity, rancidness, overripeness, rottenness, fetidness; repugnance 867.2; nauseant, emetic, sickener.

.4 VERBS **disgust, repel,** turn one's stomach, nauseate.

.5 ADJS **unsavory, unpalatable, unappetizing,** untasty, ill-flavored, foul-tasting, **distasteful,** dislikable, unlikable, uninviting, unpleasant, unpleasing, displeasing, disagreeable.

.6 **bitter,** picr(o)–, bitter as gall, amaroidal; **acrid,** sharp, caustic, tart, astringent; hard, harsh, rough, coarse; acerb, acerbic, sour 432.6; pungent 433.7.

.7 **nasty, offensive** 864.18, fulsome, noisome, noxious, rebarbative, mawkish, cloying, brackish, **foul, vile,** bad; icky [informal], yucky [slang], **sickening, nauseating,** nauseous, nauseant, vomity *or* barfy [both slang]; poisonous 864.7, rank, rancid, maggoty, weevily, spoiled, overripe, high, rotten, stinking, fetid.

.8 **inedible, uneatable,** not fit to eat *or* drink, undrinkable, impotable; unfit for human consumption.

430. INSIPIDNESS

.1 NOUNS **insipidness,** insipidity, **tastelessness, flavorlessness,** savorlessness, saplessness, unsavoriness; **weakness, thinness,** mildness, **wishy-washiness;** flatness, staleness, lifelessness, deadness; vapidity, inanity, jejunity, jejuneness.

.2 ADJS **insipid, tasteless, flavorless,** spiceless, **savorless,** sapless, unsavory, unflavored; pulpy, pappy, gruelly; **weak, thin,** mild,

wishy-washy, washy, watery, watered, watered-down, diluted, dilute, milk-and-water; **flat, stale,** dead, *fade* [Fr]; vapid, inane, jejune; indifferent, neither one thing nor the other.

431. SWEETNESS

.1 NOUNS **sweetness,** sweet, sweetishness, saccharinity, dulcitude [archaic]; **sugariness,** syrupiness; oversweetness, mawkishness, cloyingness, sickly-sweetness.

.2 **sweetening,** edulcoration [archaic]; sweetener; sugar 309.5,22; artificial sweetener, saccharin, cyclamates, sodium cyclamate, calcium cyclamate; molasses, blackstrap, treacle [Brit]; syrup, maple syrup, cane syrup, corn syrup, sorghum; **honey,** meli– *or* melli–, honeycomb, honeypot, comb honey, clover honey; honeydew; **nectar, ambrosia;** sugarcoating; sweets 308.39; sugar-making; sugaring off; saccharification.

.3 VERBS **sweeten,** dulcify, edulcorate *or* dulcorate [both archaic]; **sugar,** honey; sugarcoat, glaze, candy; mull; saccharify; sugar off.

.4 ADJS **sweet,** sweetish, sweetened; sacchar(o)– *or* sacchari–, sacchariferous; **sugary,** sugared, candied, **honeyed,** syrupy; mellifluous, mellifluent [archaic]; melliferous, nectarous, nectareous, ambrosial; sugarsweet, honeysweet, sweet as sugar *or* honey, sweet as a nut; sugarcoated; bittersweet; sour-sweet, sweet-sour, sweet and sour, sweet and pungent.

.5 **oversweet,** saccharine, rich, **cloying,** mawkish, luscious [archaic], sickly-sweet.

432. SOURNESS

.1 NOUNS **sourness,** sour, sourishness, **tartness,** tartishness, acerbity, verjuice; acescency; acidity, acidulousness; hyperacidity, subacidity; vinegarishness, vinegariness; unsweetness, **dryness; pungency** 433; greenness, unripeness.

.2 **sour; vinegar,** acidulant; **pickle,** sour pickle, dill pickle, bread-and-butter pickle; verjuice; lemon, lime, crab apple, green apple, chokecherry; sour grapes; sour balls; sourdough; sour cream, yogurt; **acid** 379.1,12.

.3 **souring,** acidification, acidulation, acetification, acescence; fermentation.

.4 VERBS **sour,** turn sour *or* acid, **acidify,** acidulate, acetify; ferment; set the teeth on edge.

.5 ADJS **sour,** soured, sourish; **tart,** tartish; crab, **crabbed;** acerb, acerbic, acerbate; acescent; **vinegarish,** vinegary, sour as vinegar; pickled; **pungent** 433.6; unsweet, unsweetened, **dry,** sec; green, unripe.

.6 **acid,** acidulous, acidulent, acidulated; acetic, acetous, acetose; hyperacid; subacid, subacidulous.

433. PUNGENCY

.1 NOUNS **pungency, piquancy, poignancy; sharpness, keenness,** edge, **causticity,** astringency, mordancy, severity, asperity, trenchancy, cuttingness, bitingness, harshness, roughness, **acridity; bitterness** 429.2; acerbity, acidulousness, acidity, **sourness** 432.

.2 **zest,** zestfulness, zestiness, **briskness,** liveliness, raciness; **nippiness, tanginess,** snappiness; **spiciness,** pepperiness, hotness, fieriness; **tang, spice,** relish; **nip, bite;** punch, snap, zip, ginger; **kick,** guts [slang].

.3 **strength,** strongness; high flavor, highness, rankness, gaminess.

.4 **saltiness, salinity,** brininess; brackishness; **salt,** sali–, salin(o)– *or* salini–; **brine.**

.5 VERBS **bite, nip,** bite the tongue, sting, make the eyes water, go up the nose.

.6 ADJS **pungent, piquant, poignant; sharp, keen,** piercing, penetrating, nose-tickling, stinging, **biting, acrid,** astringent, irritating, harsh, rough, severe, asperous, cutting, trenchant; **caustic,** vitriolic, mordant, escharotic; **bitter** 429.6; acerbic, acid, **sour** 432.6.

.7 **zestful,** zesty, **brisk,** lively, racy, zippy, **nippy,** snappy, **tangy,** with a kick; spiced, seasoned, high-seasoned; **spicy,** curried, **peppery,** hot, burning, hot as pepper.

.8 **strong,** strong-flavored, strong-tasting; **high,** high-flavored, high-tasted; **rank, gamy.**

.9 **salty,** salt, salted, saltish, **saline, briny; brackish;** pickled.

434. TOBACCO

.1 NOUNS **tobacco,** *tabac* [Fr], nicotia *or* nicotian [both archaic], nicotin(o)–; **the weed** [informal], fragrant weed, Indian weed *or* drug, filthy weed, sot-weed [archaic], "pernicious weed" [Cowper], "thou weed, who art so lovely fair and smell'st so sweet" [Shakespeare], "sublime tobacco" [Byron], "divine tobacco" [Spenser]; carcinogenic substance.

.2 (tobaccos) flue-cured *or* bright, fire-cured, air-cured; Broadleaf, Burley, Cuban, Havana, Havana seed, Latakia, Turkish, Russian, Maryland, Virginia;

plug tobacco, bird's-eye, canaster, leaf, lugs, seconds, shag.

.3 **smoking tobacco,** smokings [dial], smoke *or* smokes [both informal].

.4 **cigar,** seegar [dial]; rope *or* stinker [both slang]; **cheroot, stogie,** corona, belvedere, Havana, colorado, trichinopoly; cigarillo; box of cigars, cigar box, cigar case, humidor; cigar cutter.

.5 **cigarette;** butt *or* cig *or* **fag** *or* coffin nail *or* cancer stick [all slang]; cigarette butt, **butt,** stub; snipe [slang]; pack *or* deck of cigarettes, box *or* carton of cigarettes, cigarette case.

.6 **pipe,** tobacco pipe; corncob, corncob pipe, Missouri meerschaum; briar pipe, briar; clay pipe, clay, churchwarden [Brit]; meerschaum; water pipe, hookah, nargileh, calean, hubble-bubble; peace pipe, calumet; pipe rack, pipe cleaner, tobacco pouch.

.7 **chewing tobacco,** eating tobacco [dial]; navy *or* navy plug, cavendish, twist, pigtail, cut plug; **quid,** cud, fid [Brit dial], **chew,** chaw [dial]; tobacco juice.

.8 **snuff,** snoose [slang]; rappee; pinch of snuff; snuff bottle, snuffbox, snuff mill [Scot].

.9 **nicotine,** nicotia [archaic].

.10 **smoking,** smoking habit, habitual smoking; chain-smoke; smoke, puff, drag [slang]; **chewing;** tobacco *or* nicotine addiction, tobaccoism, tabacosis, tabacism, tabagism, nicotinism.

.11 **tobacco user, smoker,** cigarette *or* pipe *or* cigar smoker, chewer, snuffer, snuff dipper.

.12 **tobacconist;** snuffman; tobacco store *or* shop, cigar store.

.13 **smoking room,** smoking car, **smoker.**

.14 VERBS (use tobacco) **smoke;** inhale, puff, draw, drag [informal], pull; smoke like a furnace *or* chimney; chain-smoke; **chew,** chaw [dial]; **take snuff,** dip *or* inhale snuff.

.15 ADJS **tobacco,** tobaccoy, tobaccolike; **nicotinic;** smoking, chewing; snuffy.

435. ODOR

.1 NOUNS **odor, smell, scent,** aroma, flavor [archaic], savor, osm(o)–; **essence,** definite odor, redolence, effluvium, emanation, exhalation, fume, breath, subtle odor, whiff, trace, detectable odor; trail, spoor; **fragrance** 436; **stench** 437.

.2 **odorousness, smelliness,** headiness, pungency 433.

.3 smelling, olfaction, nosing, scenting; sniffing, snuffing, snuffling, whiffing, odorizing, odorization.

.4 **sense of smell,** smell, smelling, scent, olfaction, olfactory sense, –osphresia *or* –osphrasia.

.5 olfactory organ; olfactory pit, olfactory cell, olfactory area, **nose** 256.7; **nostrils,** noseholes [dial], nares; olfactory nerves; **olfactories.**

.6 VERBS (have an odor) **smell,** be aromatic, smell of, be redolent of; emit *or* emanate *or* give out a smell, reach one's nostrils, yield an odor *or* aroma, breathe, exhale; reek, **stink** 437.4.

.7 odorize; scent, perfume 436.8.

.8 **smell, scent,** nose; **sniff,** snuff, snuffle, inhale, breathe, breathe in; get a noseful of, smell of, catch a smell of, get *or* take a whiff of, whiff.

.9 ADJS **odorous,** odoriferous, odored, odorant, **smelling,** smellful [Austral], smellsome, **smelly,** redolent, aromatic; effluvious; **fragrant** 436.9; **malodorous** 437.5.

.10 **strong,** strong-smelling, strong-scented; **pungent,** penetrating, nose-piercing, sharp; reeking, suffocating.

.11 **smellable,** sniffable, whiffable.

.12 **olfactory,** olfactive.

.13 keen-scented, quick-scented, sharp- *or* keen-nosed, **with a nose for.**

436. FRAGRANCE

.1 NOUNS **fragrance,** fragrancy [archaic], **perfume, aroma,** scent, redolence, balminess, **incense, bouquet,** nosegay [archaic], sweet smell, sweet savor; **odor** 435; spice, spiciness; muskiness; fruitiness.

.2 perfumery, *parfumerie* [Fr]; **perfume,** *parfum* [Fr], **scent, essence,** extract; aromatic, ambrosia; attar, essential *or* volatile oil; aromatic water; balsam, **balm,** aromatic gum; balm of Gilead, balsam of Mecca; myrrh; bay oil, myrcia oil; champaca oil; rose oil, attar of roses, "the perfumed tincture of the roses" [Shakespeare]; lavender oil, heliotrope, jasmine oil, bergamot oil; fixative, musk, civet, ambergris.

.3 **toilet water,** Florida water; rose water, *eau de rose* [Fr]; lavender water, *eau de lavande* [Fr]; *eau de jasmin* [Fr]; cologne, cologne water, eau de Cologne; bay rum; **lotion,** after-shave lotion.

.4 **incense;** joss stick; pastille; frankincense *or* olibanum; agalloch *or* aloeswood, calambac, lignaloes *or* linaloa, sandalwood.

.5 **perfumer,** *parfumeur* [Fr]; thurifer, cen-

ser bearer; **perfuming,** censing, thurification, odorizing.

.6 (articles) perfumer, *parfumoir* [Fr], fumigator, scenter, odorator, odorizer; atomizer, purse atomizer, spray; censer, thurible, incensory, incense burner; vinaigrette, scent bottle, smelling bottle, scent box, scent ball; scent bag, sachet; pomander, pouncet-box [archaic]; potpourri.

.7 VERBS **be fragrant,** smell sweet, **smell good,** please the nostrils.

.8 **perfume, scent,** cense, incense, thurify, aromatize, odorize, fumigate, embalm.

.9 ADJS **fragrant, aromatic,** odoriferous, redolent, perfumy, **perfumed, scented,** odorate *or* essenced [both archaic], **sweet, sweet-smelling,** sweet-scented, savory, balmy, ambrosial, incense-breathing; thuriferous; **odorous** 435.9; sweet as a rose, fragrant as new-mown hay; flowery; fruity; musky; spicy.

437. STENCH

.1 NOUNS **stench, stink,** malodor, fetidness, fetidity, fetor, foul odor, offensive odor, offense to the nostrils, bad smell, rotten smell, noxious stench, "the rankest compound of villainous smell that ever offended nostril" [Shakespeare], frowst [Brit], smell *or* stench of decay, **reek,** reeking, nidor; mephitis, miasma, graveolence [archaic]; body odor, BO; halitosis, **bad breath,** foul breath.

.2 **fetidness,** fetidity, malodorousness, **smelliness,** stinkingness, **odorousness,** noisomeness, **rankness, foulness,** putridness, offensiveness; repulsiveness; **mustiness,** funkiness, must, frowst [Brit], moldiness, mildew, fustiness, frowiness [dial], frowziness, frowstiness [Brit], stuffiness; **rancidness,** rancidity, reastiness [Brit dial]; rottenness 692.7.

.3 **stinker,** stinkard; skunk *or* polecat *or* rotten egg; stink ball, stinkpot, stink bomb.

.4 VERBS **stink,** smell, **smell bad,** assail *or* offend the nostrils, stink in the nostrils, smell to heaven *or* high heaven, **reek;** smell up, stink up; stink out.

.5 ADJS **malodorous, fetid,** olid, **odorous, stinking, reeking,** reeky, nidorous, smelling, bad-smelling, ill-smelling, heavy-smelling, **smelly,** smellful [Austral], stenchy; **foul,** vile, putrid, bad, fulsome, noisome, fecal, offensive, repulsive, noxious, sulfurous, graveolent [archaic]; rotten 692.41; **rank,** strong, high, gamy; **rancid,** reasty *or* reasy [both Brit dial], reechy [archaic]; **musty,** funky, fusty, frowy [dial], frowzy, frowsty [Brit], stuffy, moldy, mildewed, mildewy; mephitic, miasmic, miasmal.

438. ODORLESSNESS

.1 NOUNS **odorlessness, inodorousness,** scentlessness, smell-lessness.

.2 **deodorizing,** deodorization, fumigation, ventilation 402.9.

.3 **deodorant,** deodorizer; fumigant, fumigator.

.4 VERBS **deodorize,** fumigate; ventilate 402.11, freshen the air.

.5 ADJS **odorless,** inodorous, nonodorous, smell-less, **scentless,** unscented.

.6 **deodorant,** deodorizing.

439. VISION

.1 NOUNS **vision,** seeing, opto–, –opsia *or* –opsy, –opsis; **sight, eyesight,** sightedness, –opy *or* –opia; eye, power of sight, sense of sight, visual sense; **perception,** discernment; perspicacity, perspicuity, sharp *or* acute *or* keen sight, visual acuity, quick sight; farsight, farsightedness; clear sight, unobstructed vision; rod vision, scotopia; cone vision, photopia; color vision, twilight vision, daylight vision, day vision, night vision; eye-mindedness; **field of vision,** visual field, scope, ken, purview, horizon, sweep, range; peripheral vision, peripheral field; field of view 444.3.

.2 **observation,** observance; **looking, watching, viewing,** –scopy; witnessing, espial; **notice,** note, respect, **regard;** watch, lookout; spying, espionage.

.3 **look, sight,** looksee [informal], dekko [Brit informal], eye, view, regard, eyeful [informal]; sidelong look; leer, leering look, lustful leer; sly look; look-in; preview; scene, prospect 446.6.

.4 **glance,** glance of the eye, squiz [Austral], slant [informal], rapid glance, cast, sideglance; **glimpse,** flash, quick sight; **peek, peep;** wink, blink, flicker *or* twinkle of an eye; causal glance, **half an eye;** *coup d'œil* [Fr].

.5 **gaze, stare,** gape, goggle; sharp *or* piercing *or* penetrating look; **ogle,** glad eye, come-hither look [informal], bedroom eyes [slang]; **glare, glower,** glaring *or* glowering look; evil eye, *malocchio* [Ital], whammy [slang].

.6 **scrutiny,** overview, **survey,** contemplation, the eye [slang]; examination, visual examination, vetting [Brit informal], ocular inspection, eyeball inspection [informal], **inspection** 485.3.

.7 **viewpoint, standpoint, point of view,** vantage, vantage point, point *or* coign of vantage; where one stands; **outlook,** angle, angle of vision; mental outlook 525.2.

.8 observation post *or* point; **observatory; lookout,** outlook, overlook; **watchtower,** tower; Texas tower; beacon, lighthouse, pharos; gazebo, belvedere; bridge, conning tower, crow's nest; peephole, sighthole, loophole; **ringside,** ringside seat; **grandstand,** bleachers; **gallery,** top gallery; paradise *or* peanut gallery [informal].

.9 **eye,** visual organ, organ of vision, oculus, optic, **orb,** ocul(o)–, ophthalm(o)–, **peeper** [informal], baby blues [informal]; clear eyes, bright eyes, starry orbs; saucer eyes, banjo eyes [slang], popeyes, goggle eyes; naked eye, unassisted *or* unaided eye; corner of the eye; eyeball; retina, retin(o)–; lens, phak(o)–; cornea, corne(o)–; sclera, scler(o)–; optic nerve, iris, irid(o)–; pupil; eyelid, lid, blephar(o)–, nictitating membrane.

.10 **sharp eye,** keen eye, piercing *or* penetrating eye, gimlet eye, X-ray eye; **eagle eye;** peeled eye [informal], watchful eye; **weather eye.**

.11 (comparisons) eagle, hawk, cat, lynx, ferret, weasel; Argus.

.12 VERBS **see, behold, observe, view, witness, perceive, discern, spy,** espy, **sight,** have in sight, make out, pick out, descry, spot [informal], twig [Brit informal], discover, notice, distinguish, recognize, ken [dial], **catch sight of,** get a load of [slang], take in, get an eyeful of [informal], look on *or* upon, cast the eyes on *or* upon, **set** *or* **lay eyes on, clap eyes on** [informal]; **glimpse,** get *or* catch a glimpse of; see at a glance, see with half an eye; see with one's own eyes.

.13 **look, peer,** direct the eyes, turn *or* bend the eyes, cast one's eye, lift up the eyes; **peek, peep,** pry, take a peep *or* peek; play peekaboo.

.14 **look at,** take a look at, eye, eyeball [informal], have a looksee [informal], look on *or* upon, gaze at *or* upon; **watch, observe, view, regard;** keep one's eyes peeled *or* skinned, be watchful *or* observant *or* vigilant, keep one's eyes open; keep in sight *or* view, hold in view; look after, keep under observation, spy upon, keep an eye on, follow; **reconnoiter,** scout, get the lay of the land.

.15 **scrutinize, survey, eye,** contemplate, look over, give the eye [slang], give the once-over [slang]; **ogle,** ogle at, **leer,** leer at, give one the glad eye; examine, vet [Brit informal], **inspect** 485.23; **pore,** pore over, peruse; take a close *or* careful look; take a long, hard look; size up [informal]; take stock of.

.16 **gaze,** gloat [archaic], fix one's gaze, fix *or* fasten *or* rivet the eyes upon, keep the eyes upon; **eye, ogle; stare,** stare at, stare hard, look, goggle, **gape, gawk** [informal], gaup [dial], gaze open-mouthed; crane, crane the neck, stand on tiptoe; strain one's eyes; look straight in the eye, look full in the face, hold one's eye *or* gaze, stare down.

.17 **glare, glower,** look daggers, look black; give one the evil eye, give one a whammy [slang].

.18 **glance, glimpse,** glint, cast a glance, glance at *or* upon, give a *coup d'œil,* take a glance at, take a squint at [informal].

.19 **look askance** *or* askant, give a sidelong look; squint, look asquint; cock the eye; **look down one's nose** [informal].

.20 **look away,** look aside, **avert the eyes,** look another way, break one's eyes away, stop looking, turn away from, turn the back upon; drop one's eyes *or* gaze, cast one's eyes down; avoid one's gaze.

.21 ADJS **visual,** seeing, **ocular,** eyeball [informal], **optic(al);** ophthalmic; visible 444.6.

.22 **clear-sighted,** clear-eyed; **farsighted,** farseeing, telescopic; **sharp-sighted,** keen-sighted, sharp-eyed, **eagle-eyed,** hawk-eyed, ferret-eyed, lynx-eyed, cat-eyed, Argus-eyed; eye-minded.

.23 ADVS **at sight,** as seen, visibly, at a glance; by sight, by eyeball [informal], visually; at first sight, **at the first blush,** *prima facie* [L].

440. DEFECTIVE VISION

.1 NOUNS faulty eyesight, bad eyesight, defect of vision *or* sight, imperfect vision, blurred vision, reduced sight, partial blindness; **astigmatism,** astigmia; nystagmus; albinism; double vision, double sight; tunnel vision; blindness 441.

.2 **dim-sightedness,** dull-sightedness, near-blindness, amblyopia, gravel-blindness, sand-blindness, **purblindness,** dim eyes, ambly(o)–; blurredness, bleared-ness, bleariness, redness, lippitude [archaic].

.3 **nearsightedness, myopia,** shortsightedness, short sight.

.4 **farsightedness,** hyperopia, longsightedness, long sight; presbyopia.

.5 strabismus, heterotropia, –tropia; cast, cast in the eye; **squint,** squinch [dial];

cross-eye, cross-eyedness; convergent strabismus, esotropia; upward strabismus, anoöpsia; walleye, exotropia.

.6 (defective eyes) cross-eyes, cockeyes, squint eyes, swivel eyes [slang], goggle eyes, walleyes, bug-eyes *or* popeyes [both slang], saucer eyes [slang].

.7 **winking, blinking,** fluttering the eyelids, nictitation; winker, blinkard [archaic].

.8 VERBS see badly *or* poorly, barely see, be half-blind; have a mote in the eye; see double.

.9 **squint,** squinch [dial], squint the eye, look asquint, screw up the eyes, skew, goggle [archaic].

.10 **wink, blink,** nictitate, bat the eyes [informal].

.11 ADJS poor-sighted; **astigmatic(al);** nystagmic; **nearsighted, shortsighted, myopic,** mope-eyed [archaic]; **farsighted,** long-sighted, presbyopic; **squinting,** squinty, asquint, squint-eyed, squinch-eyed [dial], strabismal, strabismic; winking, **blinking,** blinky, blink-eyed.

.12 **cross-eyed, cockeyed,** swivel-eyed [slang], goggle-eyed, bug-eyed *or* popeyed [both slang], **walleyed,** saucer-eyed, glare-eyed; one-eyed, monocular; moon-eyed.

.13 **dim-sighted,** dim, dull-sighted, dim-eyed, weak-eyed, feeble-eyed, mole-eyed; **purblind,** half-blind, gravel-blind, sand-blind; bleary-eyed, blear-eyed; filmy-eyed, film-eyed.

441. BLINDNESS

.1 NOUNS **blindness, sightlessness,** cecity, ablepsia, unseeingness, sightless eyes, lack of vision, eyelessness; stone-blindness, total blindness; darkness, "ever-during dark", "total eclipse without all hope of day" [both Milton], "the precious treasure of his eyesight lost" [Shakespeare]; economic blindness; partial blindness, reduced sight, **blind side; blind spot;** dim-sightedness 440.2; snow blindness, niphablepsia; amaurosis, *gutta serena* [L], drop serene; cataract; glaucoma; trachoma; mental *or* psychic blindness, mind-blindness, soul-blindness, benightedness, unenlightenment, spiritual blindness; **blinding,** making blind, depriving of sight, putting out the eyes, excecation [archaic]; blurring the eyes, blindfolding, hoodwinking.

.2 **day blindness,** hemeralopia; **night blindness,** nyctalopia; moon blindness, moonblind.

.3 **color blindness;** dichromatism; monochromatism, achromatopsia; red blindness, protanopia, green blindness, deuteranopia, red-green blindness, Daltonism; yellow blindness, xanthocyanopia; blue-yellow blindness, tritanopia; violet-blindness.

.4 **the blind,** the sightless, the unseeing; blind man; bat, mole; "blind leaders of the blind" [Bible].

.5 blindfold; eye patch; blinkers, blinds, blinders, rogue's badge.

.6 (aids for the blind) sensory aid, **Braille,** New York point, Gall's serrated type, Boston type, Howe's American type, Moon *or* Moon's type, Alston's Glasgow type, Lucas's type, sight-saver type, Frere's type; line letter, string alphabet, writing stamps; noctograph, writing frame, embosser, high-speed embosser; visagraph; talking book; optophone, Visotoner, Optacon; personal sonar, Pathsounder; ultrasonic spectacles; cane; Seeing Eye dog, guide dog.

.7 VERBS **blind,** blind the eyes, deprive of sight, **strike blind,** render *or* make blind, excecate [archaic]; darken, dim, obscure, eclipse; **put one's eyes out,** gouge; **blindfold,** hoodwink, bandage; throw dust in one's eyes, benight; **dazzle,** bedazzle, daze; glare; snow-blind.

.8 **be blind,** not see, walk in darkness, grope in the dark, feel one's way; go blind, lose one's sight *or* vision; be blind to, close *or* shut one's eyes to, wink *or* blink at, look the other way, blind oneself to, wear blinkers; have a blind spot *or* side.

.9 ADJS **blind, sightless,** ableptical, eyeless, visionless, **unseeing,** undiscerning, unobserving, unperceiving; in darkness, rayless, bereft of light, dark [dial], "dark, dark, dark, amid the blaze of noon" [Milton]; **stone-blind,** stark blind, **blind as a bat,** blind as a mole, blind as an owl; amaurotic; dim-sighted 440.13; hemeralopic; nyctalopic; color-blind; mind-blind, soul-blind, mentally *or* psychically *or* spiritually blind, benighted, unenlightened.

.10 **blinded,** excecate [archaic], darkened, obscured; **blindfolded,** blindfold, hoodwinked; **dazzled,** bedazzled, dazed; snow-blind, snow-blinded.

.11 **blinding,** obscuring; **dazzling,** bedazzling.

442. SPECTATOR

.1 NOUNS **spectator, observer,** –scopus; **looker, onlooker,** looker-on, **watcher,** gazer, gazer-on, gaper, goggler, **viewer,** seer, beholder, perceiver, percipient; spectatress, spectatrix; **witness, eyewitness;** by-

stander, passerby; sidewalk superintendent; kibitzer; girl-watcher, ogler, drugstore cowboy [informal]; bird-watcher; television-viewer, televiewer, video-gazer, TV-viewer.

.2 **attender** 186.5; theatergoer 611.32; audience 448.6.

.3 **sightseer,** excursionist, tourist, rubberneck *or* **rubbernecker** [both slang]; slummer.

.4 **sight-seeing,** rubbernecking [slang], lionism [Brit informal]; excursion, **rubberneck tour** [slang].

.5 VERBS spectate [informal], look on, eye, **ogle, gape** 439.16; take in, **look at, watch** 439.14; attend 186.8.

.6 **sight-see,** see the sights, take in the sights, lionize *or* see the lions [both Brit informal]; **rubberneck** [slang]; go slumming.

.7 ADJS spectating, spectatorial, –scopic; onlooking; sight-seeing, rubberneck [slang].

443. OPTICAL INSTRUMENTS

.1 NOUNS **lens,** glass, phak(o)– *or* phac(o)–; achromatic lens, astigmatic lens, coated lens; meniscus, concavo-convex lens, concave lens, convex lens, toric lens; telephoto lens; zoom lens, varifocal lens; eyepiece, eyeglass, ocular; objective, object glass; prism, objective prism; hand lens, magnifying glass, magnifier; reading glass, reader; condenser, bull's-eye, burning glass; **camera** 577.11,20.

.2 **spectacles, specs** [informal], **glasses, eyeglasses,** pair of glasses *or* spectacles, barnacles [Brit slang], cheaters *or* peepers [both slang]; reading glasses, readers; bifocals, divided spectacles, trifocals, pincenez, nippers [informal]; lorgnette, *lorgnon* [Fr]; horn-rimmed glasses; harlequin glasses; granny glasses; mini-specs [informal]; colored glasses, sunglasses, sun-specs [informal], dark glasses, Polaroid glasses, shades [slang]; goggles, blinkers; eyeglass, monocle, quizzing glass; contact lens.

.3 **telescope,** scope, **spy glass,** terrestrial telescope, glass, **field glass; binoculars,** zoom binoculars, opera glasses.

.4 **sight;** sighthole; finder, viewfinder; panoramic sight; bombsight; peep sight, open sight, leaf sight.

.5 **mirror,** glass, **looking glass,** seeing glass [Brit dial], reflector, speculum; hand mirror, window mirror, rear-view mirror, cheval glass, pier glass, shaving mirror; steel mirror; convex mirror, concave mirror, distorting mirror.

.6 **optics,** optical physics; **optometry;** microscopy, microscopics, micro–; telescopy; stereoscopy; spectroscopy, spectrometry, spectro–; infrared spectroscopy; spectrophotometry; electron optics; **photography** 577.

.7 **oculist,** ophthalmologist, **optometrist;** microscopist, telescopist; optician.

.8 ADJS **optic(al),** ophthalmic, ophthalmologic(al), optometrical, optico–, opto–.

.9 –scopic, microscopic, telescopic, etc.; stereoscopic, stereo–, three-dimensional, 3-D.

.10 **spectacled, bespectacled,** four-eyed [informal]; goggled; monocled.

.11 **optical instruments**

diffractometer
eriometer
goniometer
image orthicon
laser
microfilm viewer *or* reader
optometer
photometer
photomultiplier
prism
rangefinder
stereopticon
thaumatrope
viewer

.12 **scopes**

abdominoscope
amblyoscope
bronchoscope
chromatoscope
chromoscope
cystoscope
diaphanoscope
epidiascope
gastroscope
kaleidoscope
ophthalmoscope
oscilloscope
periscope
pharyngoscope
photoscope
polariscope
polemoscope
pseudoscope
radarscope
radioscope
retinoscope
sniperscope
snooperscope
spectroscope
stereoscope
stroboscope

.13 **microscopes**

binocular microscope
blink microscope
compound microscope
dark-field microscope
dissecting microscope
electron microscope
field ion microscope
fluorescence microscope
gravure microscope
laboratory microscope
metallurgical microscope
optical microscope
oxyhydrogen microscope
phase contrast microscope, phase microscope
pinion focusing microscope
polarizing microscope
power microscope
projecting microscope
simple *or* single microscope
stereomicroscope, stereoscopic microscope
surface microscope
ultramicroscope
ultraviolet microscope
X-ray microscope

.14 **telescopes**

astronomical telescope
Cassegrainian telescope
double-image telescope
elbow telescope
finder telescope
guiding telescope
inverting telescope
mercurial telescope
Newtonian telescope
optical telescope
panoramic telescope
prism telescope
radio telescope

reflecting telescope
refracting telescope
Schmidt telescope
spotting scope
terrestrial telescope
tower telescope
twin telescope
vernier telescope
water telescope
zenith telescope, zenith tube

.15 **spectroscopes, spectrometers**

analytical spectrometer
diffraction spectroscope
direct-reading spectrometer
direct-reading spectroscope
microspectrophotometer
microspectroscope
monochromator
ocular spectroscope
prism spectroscope
reversion spectroscope
spectrograph
spectrophotometer
spectroradiometer
star spectroscope

444. VISIBILITY

.1 NOUNS **visibility,** visibleness, perceptibility, discernibleness, observability, visuality, seeableness; exposure; manifestation; outcrop, outcropping; the visible, the seen, what is revealed, what can be seen; revelation, epiphany.

.2 **distinctness, plainness,** evidence [archaic], evidentness, obviousness, patentness, manifestness; **clearness, clarity,** crystal-clearness; **definiteness,** definition; percipi; prominence, conspicuousness, conspicuity; high *or* low visibility; atmospheric visibility, seeing, ceiling, ceiling unlimited, visibility unlimited, visibility zero.

.3 **field of view,** field of vision, range *or* scope of vision, **sight,** limit of vision, eyereach, **eyesight,** eyeshot, ken; **vista, view, horizon, prospect, perspective, outlook,** survey, –scape; range, scan, scope; line of sight, sightliness; naked eye; command, domination, outlook over.

.4 VERBS **show,** show up, show through, shine out *or* through, **appear** 446.8, **be visible,** be seen, be revealed, be evident, be noticeable, meet the gaze, impinge on the eye, present to the eye, meet *or* catch *or* hit *or* strike the eye; **stand out,** stand forth, loom large, glare, **stare one in the face,** hit one in the eye, **stick out like a sore thumb.**

.5 **be exposed,** be conspicuous, have high visibility, stick out, hang out [slang], crop out; live in a glass house.

.6 ADJS **visible,** visual, **perceptible,** perceivable, **discernible, seeable,** viewable, witnessable, beholdable, observable, detectable, noticeable, recognizable, to be seen, phaner(o)–; **in sight,** in view, in plain sight, in full view, present to the eyes, before one's eyes, under one's eyes, open, naked, outcropping, hanging out [slang], exposed, showing, open *or* exposed to view; **evident,** in evidence, **manifest, apparent;** revealed, disclosed, unhidden, unconcealed, unclouded, undisguised.

.7 **distinct, plain, clear, obvious, evident, patent,** unmistakable, not to be mistaken, plain to be seen, for all to see, showing for all to see; **definite, defined, well-defined,** well-marked, well-resolved, in focus; **clear-cut,** clean-cut; crystal-clear, clear as crystal; as clear as day, as plain as a pikestaff [informal], as plain as the nose on one's face, under one's nose, as plain as plain can be; **conspicuous,** glaring, staring, **prominent,** pronounced, well-pronounced, in bold *or* strong *or* high relief.

.8 ADVS **visibly, perceptibly,** perceivably, discernibly, seeably, recognizably, observably, markedly, noticeably; **manifestly, apparently,** evidently; **distinctly, clearly,** with clarity *or* crystal clarity, **plainly,** obviously, patently, definitely, unmistakably; conspicuously, undisguisedly, unconcealedly, prominently, pronouncedly, glaringly, starkly, staringly.

445. INVISIBILITY

.1 NOUNS **invisibility,** imperceptibility, unperceivability, indiscernibility, unseeableness, viewlessness; nonappearance; disappearance 447; the invisible, the unseen; unsubstantiality 4, immateriality 377, **secrecy** 614, **concealment** 615.

.2 **inconspicuousness,** half-visibility, semivisibility, low profile; **indistinctness, unclearness,** unplainness, **faintness,** paleness, feebleness, weakness, **dimness,** bleariness, darkness, shadowiness, **vagueness,** vague appearance, indefiniteness, obscurity, uncertainty, indistinguishability; **blurriness,** blur, soft focus, defocus, **fuzziness, haziness,** mistiness, filminess, fogginess.

.3 VERBS be invisible *or* unseen, escape notice; lie hid 615.8, **blush unseen;** disappear 447.2.

.4 **blur, dim, pale,** soften, film, mist, fog; defocus, lose resolution *or* sharpness *or* distinctness, go soft at the edges.

.5 ADJS **invisible,** aphan(o)–; **imperceptible,** unperceivable, **indiscernible,** undiscernible, **unseeable,** viewless, unbeholdable, unapparent, insensible; **out of sight,** *à perte de vue* [Fr]; **secret** 614.11–16; **unseen,** sightless, unbeheld, unviewed, unwitnessed, unobserved, unnoticed, unperceived; behind the curtain *or* scenes; dis-

guised, camouflaged, hidden, **concealed** 615.11–14; latent, unrealized, submerged.

.6 **inconspicuous,** half-visible, semivisible, low-profile; **indistinct, unclear,** unplain, **indefinite,** undefined, ill-defined, ill-marked, **faint,** pale, feeble, weak, **dim,** dark, **shadowy, vague, obscure,** indistinguishable, unrecognizable; half-seen, merely glimpsed; uncertain, confused, out of focus, **blurred, blurry,** bleared, bleary, blear, **fuzzy, hazy,** misty, filmy, foggy.

446. APPEARANCE

.1 NOUNS **appearance, appearing,** apparition, coming, forthcoming, coming-forth, coming into being, rising, rise, arising, **emergence,** issuance; **materialization** 376.7, **materializing,** occurrence, **manifestation,** realization, incarnation, revelation, epiphany, theophany, avatar; presentation, disclosure, exposure, opening, unfolding, unfoldment, showing, showing forth, rising of the curtain.

.2 **appearances,** exteriors, externals; **mere externals, façade,** ostent, **show, outward show,** display, front [informal], outward *or* external appearance, surface appearance, surface show, vain show, apparent character, public image; gaudiness, speciousness, meretriciousness, **superficiality.**

.3 aspect, look, view; feature, lineaments; **seeming, semblance, image,** imago, eidolon, likeness, simulacrum; effect, impression, total effect *or* impression; **form, shape,** figure, configuration, gestalt; **manner,** fashion, wise, guise, style; **respect, regard,** reference, light; **phase,** phasis, phaso–; **facet, side,** angle, viewpoint 438.7, slant [informal], twist [informal].

.4 **looks, features, lineaments,** traits, lines; **countenance,** face, visage, feature, favor, brow, physiognomy; cast of countenance, **cut of one's jib** [informal], facial appearance *or* expression, cast, turn; **air, mien,** demeanor, carriage, bearing, port, posture, stance, presence; guise, garb, complexion, color.

.5 (thing appearing) **apparition, appearance,** phenomenon; **vision, image, shape, form,** figure, presence; false image, mirage, phasm [archaic], **phantom** 1017.1; –phane.

.6 **view, scene, sight; prospect, outlook, lookout, vista, perspective; scenery,** scenic view; panorama, sweep; scape, **landscape,** seascape, riverscape, waterscape, airscape, skyscape, cloudscape, cityscape, townscape; bird's-eye view.

.7 **spectacle, sight;** exhibit, **exhibition,** exposition, **show, stage show** 611.4, **display, presentation,** representation; tableau, tableau vivant; panorama, diorama, cosmorama, myriorama, cyclorama, georama; phantasmagoria, shifting scene, light show; psychedelic show; **pageant,** pageantry; parade, pomp.

.8 VERBS **appear,** become visible, **make one's appearance,** make *or* put in an appearance, appear on the scene, appear to one's eyes, meet *or* catch *or* strike the eye, **come in sight** *or* **view, show,** show oneself, show one's face, **show up** [informal], **turn up,** come, **materialize** 376.8, present oneself, present oneself to view, **manifest oneself,** become manifest, **reveal oneself,** discover oneself, uncover oneself, declare oneself, expose *or* betray oneself; **come to light,** see the light, see the light of day; **emerge,** issue, issue forth, stream forth, come forth, come out, come forward, come to hand; enter 302.7, come upon the stage; **rise, arise,** rear its head; look forth, peer *or* peep out; crop out, outcrop; loom, heave in sight, appear on the horizon; fade in.

.9 **burst forth,** break forth, debouch, erupt, irrupt; **pop up, bob up** [informal], start up, spring up, burst upon the view; flare up, flash, gleam.

.10 appear to be, seem to be, **appear, seem, look,** feel, sound, look to be, appear to one's eyes, have *or* present the appearance of, give the feeling of, strike one as; **appear like, seem like, look like,** have *or* wear the look of, **sound like; have every appearance of,** have all the earmarks of, have all the features of, have every sign *or* indication of; assume the guise of, take the shape of, exhibit the form of.

.11 ADJS **apparent,** appearing, **seeming, ostensible;** outward, surface, superficial; **visible** 444.6.

.12 ADVS **apparently, seemingly, ostensibly, to all appearances,** to all seeming, as it seems, to the eye; on the face of it, *prima facie* [L]; on the surface, outwardly, superficially; at first sight *or* view, at the first blush.

447. DISAPPEARANCE

.1 NOUNS **disappearance,** disappearing, **vanishing,** vanishment; going, passing, departure; dissipation, dispersion; dissolution, dissolving, melting, evaporation, evanescence, dematerialization 377.5; fadeout, fading, fadeaway, blackout; wipe, wipe-

off, erasure; eclipse, occultation, blocking; vanishing point; elimination 77.2; extinction 693.6.

.2 VERBS **disappear, vanish,** vanish from sight, do a vanishing act [slang], depart, fly, **flee** 631.10, go, be gone, **go away,** pass, pass out *or* away, pass out of sight, exit, leave the scene *or* stage, pass out of the picture, retire from sight, become lost to sight, be seen no more; **perish, die,** die out *or* away, fade, **fade out** *or* **away,** do a fade-out [slang]; sink, sink away, dissolve, melt, melt away, "melt, thaw, and dissolve itself" [Shakespeare], dematerialize 377.6, evaporate, evanesce, **vanish into thin air,** go up in smoke; disperse, dispel, dissipate; cease, cease to exist 2.5, **cease to be;** leave no trace, "leave not a rack behind" [Shakespeare]; waste, waste away, erode, be consumed, wear away, dwindle; undergo *or* suffer an eclipse; **hide** 615.8.

.3 ADJS **vanishing, disappearing,** passing, fleeting, fugitive, transient, flying, fading, dissolving, melting, evaporating, evanescent.

.4 **gone,** away, gone away, past and gone, extinct, missing, no more, lost, lost to sight *or* view, **out of sight;** nonexistent 2.7.

448. HEARING

.1 NOUNS **hearing,** audition, audio–, audit(o)–, –acousia *or* –acusia; sense of hearing, auditory *or* aural sense, ear; listening, heeding, attention, hushed attention, rapt attention, eager attention; auscultation, aural examination, examination by ear; audibility.

.2 **audition,** hearing, tryout [informal], **audience, interview,** conference; attention, favorable attention, ear; **listening,** listening in; **eavesdropping,** wiretapping, electronic surveillance, bugging [informal].

.3 good hearing, refined *or* acute sense of hearing, sensitive ear, nice *or* quick *or* sharp *or* correct ear; **an ear for;** musical ear, ear for music; ear-mindedness; bad ear, no ear, tin ear.

.4 **earshot,** earreach, **hearing,** range, auditory range, reach, carrying distance, **sound.**

.5 **listener,** hearer, auditor, audient, hearkener; **eavesdropper,** overhearer, little pitcher with big ears, snoop, listener-in [informal].

.6 **audience,** auditory [archaic], **house, congregation;** theater, gallery; orchestra, pit; groundling, spectator 442.

.7 **ear,** aur(i)–, oto–, lug [Scot], auditory apparatus; external ear, **outer ear;** auricle, pinna, auriculo–; cauliflower ear; concha, conch, shell; ear lobe, lobe, lobule; auditory canal, acoustic *or* auditory meatus; **middle ear,** tympanic cavity, tympanum; eardrum, drumhead, tympanic membrane; auditory ossicles; malleus, hammer, incus, anvil; stapes, stirrup; mastoid process; Eustachian *or* auditory tube; **inner ear;** round window, secondary eardrum; oval window; bony labyrinth, membraneous labyrinth; perilymph, endolymph; vestibule; semicircular canals; cochlea; basilar membrane, organ of Corti; auditory nerve.

.8 **hearing aid,** hard-of-hearing aid; electronic hearing aid, transistor hearing aid; vacuum-tube hearing aid; ear trumpet; amplifier, speaking trumpet, megaphone; stethoscope.

.9 (science of hearing) otology; otoscopy, auriscopy; otoneurology, otopathy, otography, otoplasty, otolaryngology, otorhinolaryngology; acoustic phonetics, phonetics 594.14; auriscope, otoscope; audiometer.

.10 otologist, ear specialist, otolaryngologist, otorhinolaryngologist, ear, nose, and throat specialist.

.11 VERBS **listen,** hark, **hearken, heed, hear, attend,** give attention, **give ear,** give *or* lend an ear, bend an ear; **listen to,** listen at [dial], attend to, give a hearing to, give audience to, sit in on; **listen in; eavesdrop,** wiretap, tap, intercept, bug [informal]; **keep one's ears open,** be all ears [informal], listen with both ears, strain one's ears; prick up the ears, cock the ears; hang on the lips of; hear out; auscultate, examine by ear.

.12 **hear,** catch, get [informal], take in; **overhear; hear of,** hear tell of [dial]; get an earful [slang]; have an ear for.

.13 be heard, **fall on the ear,** sound in the ear, catch *or* reach the ear, come to one's ear, register, make an impression, get across [informal]; **have one's ear,** reach, contact, get to; make oneself heard, get through to, gain a hearing, reach the ear of; ring in the ear; caress the ear; assault *or* split *or* assail the ear.

.14 ADJS **auditory,** audio, audile, **hearing, aural,** auricular, otic; audio-visual; audible 449.15; otological, otoscopic, otopathic, etc.; acoustic(al), phonic.

.15 **listening, attentive,** open-eared, **all ears** [informal].

.16 **eared,** auriculate; big-eared, cauliflower-eared, crop-eared, dog-eared, droop-eared, flap-eared, flop-eared, lop-eared, long-eared, mouse-eared, prick-eared; **sharp-eared;** tin-eared; ear-minded.

.17 INTERJS **hark!,** hark ye!, hear ye!, hearken!, hear!, oyez!, hear ye, hear ye!, list!, **listen!,** attend!, attention!, hist!, whisht!, psst!

.18 **phones**

autophone	Interphone
Dictaphone	kinetophone
earphone	magnetophone
electrophone	microphone
Geophone	optophone
headphone	radiophone
hydrophone	radiotelephone
idiophone	telephone 560.4–6,21

449. DEAFNESS

.1 NOUNS **deafness, hardness of hearing,** dull hearing, deaf ears, "ears more deaf than adders" [Shakespeare]; **stone-deafness;** nerve-deafness; mind deafness, word deafness; **tone deafness;** impaired hearing, hearing *or* auditory impairment; loss of hearing, hearing loss; **deaf-muteness,** deaf-mutism, surdimutism [archaic].

.2 **the deaf,** the hard-of-hearing; **deaf-mute,** surdo-mute [archaic], deaf-and-dumb person; lip reader.

.3 deaf-and-dumb alphabet, manual alphabet, finger alphabet; dactylology, sign language; lip reading, oral method.

.4 VERBS **be deaf;** have no ears, be earless; lose one's hearing, suffer hearing loss *or* impairment, go deaf; shut *or* stop *or* close one's ears, **turn a deaf ear;** fall on deaf ears.

.5 **deafen, stun,** split the ears *or* eardrums.

.6 ADJS **deaf, hard of hearing,** dull *or* thick of hearing, deaf-eared, dull-eared; surd [archaic]; deafened, stunned; **stone-deaf,** deaf as a stone, deaf as a door *or* a doorknob *or* doornail, **deaf as a post,** deaf as an adder, "like the deaf adder that stoppeth her ear" [Bible]; **unhearing;** earless; word-deaf; tone-deaf; half-deaf, quasi-deaf; **deaf and dumb,** deaf-mute.

450. SOUND

.1 NOUNS **sound,** sonance, acoustic(al) phenomenon; audio–, audito–, phon(o)–, –phone, –phonia *or* –phony, son(o)– *or* soni–; auditory phenomenon *or* stimulus, auditory effect; noise; ultrasound; sound wave, sound propagation; sound intensity, sound intensity level, amplitude, loudness 453; phone, speech sound 594.13.

.2 **tone, pitch, frequency,** audio frequency, AF; monotone, monotony, tonelessness; overtone, harmonic, partial, partial tone; fundamental tone, fundamental; intonation 594.7; ton(o)–.

.3 **timbre,** tonality, **tone quality,** tone color, color, coloring, clang color *or* tint, *Klangfarbe* [Ger].

.4 **sounding,** sonation, sonification.

.5 **acoustics,** phonics, radioacoustics; acoustical engineer, acoustician.

.6 **sonics;** subsonics; **supersonics,** ultrasonics; speed of sound 269.2; sound barrier, sonic barrier *or* wall; sonic boom.

.7 (sound unit) **decibel,** bel, phon.

.8 **loudspeaker, speaker;** dynamic speaker, electrodynamic speaker, excited-field speaker, moving-coil speaker, permanent magnet speaker, coaxial speaker, triaxial speaker, electromagnetic speaker, electrostatic speaker, capacitor speaker; high-fidelity speaker, full-fidelity speaker; **tweeter,** high-frequency speaker; **woofer,** low-frequency speaker; midrange speaker; monorange speaker; speaker unit, speaker system; crossover network; voice coil; cone, diaphragm; acoustical network; horn; **headphone, earphone,** headset.

.9 **microphone, mike** [informal]; radiomicrophone; **bug** [slang].

.10 **audio amplifier, amplifier; preamplifier,** preamp [informal].

.11 sound reproduction system, audio sound system; **high-fidelity** system, **hi-fi** [informal]; **record player, phonograph,** Gramophone, Victrola; **jukebox,** nickelodeon; radio-phonograph combination; monophonic *or* monaural system, **mono** [informal], stereophonic *or* binaural system, stereo [informal]; four-channel stereo system, discrete four-channel system, derived four-channel system, quadraphonic sound system; pickup *or* cartridge, magnetic pickup *or* cartridge, ceramic pickup *or* cartridge, crystal pickup, photoelectric pickup; stylus, needle; tone arm; turntable, transcription turntable, record changer, changer; **public-address system,** PA *or* PA system; sound truck; loudhailer, bullhorn; intercommunication system, **intercom** [informal], squawk box *or* bitch box [both informal]; **tape recorder,** tape deck; hi-fi fan [informal], audiophile.

.12 **record, phonograph record,** disc, wax; transcription, electrical transcription; **re-**

cording, wire recording, tape recording; tape, tape cassette, cassette; tape cartridge, cartridge.

.13 **audio distortion, distortion;** scratching, shredding, hum, 60-cycle hum, rumble, hissing, howling, blurping, blooping, woomping, fluttering, flutter, wow, wow-wows, squeals, whistles, birdies, motorboating; feedback; static 344.21.

.14 VERBS **sound,** make a sound *or* noise, give forth *or* emit a sound; noise; speak 594.20; resound.

.15 ADJS **sounding,** sonorous, soniferous; **sounded;** tonal; monotone, monotonic, toneless, droning.

.16 **audible,** hearable; **distinct, clear,** plain, definite, articulate; distinctive, contrastive; high-fidelity, hi-fi [informal].

.17 **acoustic(al),** phonic, **sonic;** subsonic, supersonic, ultrasonic, hypersonic; transonic *or* transsonic, faster than sound.

.18 ADVS **audibly, aloud,** out, **out loud;** distinctly, clearly, plainly.

.19 **microphones**

antinoise microphone
capacitor microphone
carbon microphone
cardioid microphone
ceramic microphone
close-talking microphone
combination microphone
condenser microphone
contact microphone
crystal microphone
double-button carbon microphone
dynamic microphone
flame microphone
glow-discharge microphone
gradient microphone
hot-wire microphone
lapel microphone
lavaliere microphone
line microphone
lip microphone
magnetostriction microphone
mask microphone
moving-coil microphone
moving-conductor microphone
noise-canceling microphone
nondirectional microphone
omnidirectional microphone
parabolic-reflector microphone
phase-shift microphone
piezoelectric microphone
pressure microphone
push-pull microphone
ribbon microphone
shotgun microphone
single-button carbon microphone
standard microphone
stereo microphone
throat microphone
unidirectional microphone
variable-reluctance microphone
velocity microphone

451. SILENCE

.1 NOUNS **silence,** silentness, **soundlessness,** noiselessness, **stillness,** "lucid stillness" [T. S. Eliot], **quietness,** quietude, quiescence 268, **quiet, still,** peace, whisht [Scot & Ir], **hush,** mum; lull, rest; golden silence; deathlike silence, tomblike silence, solemn *or* awful silence, silence of the grave *or* tomb; hush *or* dead of night, dead; tacitness, taciturnity; inaudibility; tranquillity.

.2 **muteness,** mutism, **dumbness,** voicelessness, tonguelessness; speechlessness, wordlessness; inarticulateness; anaudia, aphasia, aphonia; hysterical mutism; deaf-muteness 449.1.

.3 **mute,** dummy; deaf-mute 449.2.

.4 **silencer, muffler,** muffle, **mute,** baffler, quietener, cushion; **damper,** damp; dampener; **soft pedal,** sordine, sourdine, *sordino* [Ital]; hushcloth, silence cloth; **gag, muzzle;** antiknock; **soundproofing,** acoustic tile, sound-absorbing material, soundproofing insulation.

.5 VERBS **be silent,** keep silent *or* silence, **keep still** *or* **quiet; keep one's mouth shut, shut up** [informal], **hold one's tongue,** keep one's tongue between one's teeth, put a bridle on one's tongue, seal one's lips, shut *or* close one's mouth, muzzle oneself, save one's breath [informal], **not breathe a word,** not let out a peep [informal], say nothing, not say 'boo' [informal], forswear speech *or* speaking, **keep mum, hold one's peace,** not let a word escape one, not utter a word; make no sign, keep to oneself, play dumb; not have a word to say, be mute, stand mute.

.6 [slang terms] keep one's trap *or* yap shut, button up, button one's lip, shut one's bazoo, dummy up, clam up, close up like a clam.

.7 **fall silent, hush,** quiet, quieten, quiesce, **quiet down,** pipe down [informal], check one's speech.

.8 **silence, put to silence, hush,** hush-hush, **shush, quiet,** quieten, **still; soft-pedal,** put on the soft pedal; squash, squelch [informal], stifle, choke, choke off, throttle, put the kibosh on [slang], put the lid on *or* shut down on [both informal], put the damper on [informal], **gag, muzzle,** muffle, stop one's mouth, cut one short; strike dumb *or* mute, dumbfound.

.9 **muffle, mute, dull, soften, deaden,** cushion, baffle, damp, **dampen,** deafen; subdue, stop, tone down, **soft-pedal,** put on the soft pedal.

.10 ADJS **silent, still,** stilly, **quiet,** quiescent 268.12, **hushed,** whist [Brit dial], **soundless,** noiseless; echoless; **inaudible,** subaudible, below the limen *or* threshold of hearing, unhearable; quiet as a mouse, mousy; silent as a post *or* stone, "noiseless as fear in a wide wilderness" [Keats], "silent as the shadows" [Coleridge], so

quiet that one might hear a feather *or* pin drop; silent as the grave *or* tomb, still as death, "hush as death" [Shakespeare]; **unsounded, unvoiced,** unvocalized, unpronounced, unuttered, unarticulated.

.11 **tacit, wordless, unspoken,** unuttered, unexpressed, unsaid; **implicit** 546.7–9.

.12 **mute, mum, dumb,** voiceless, tongueless, **speechless,** wordless, breathless; inarticulate; **tongue-tied,** stricken dumb, dumbstruck, dumbstricken, dumbfounded; anaudic, aphasic, aphonic.

.13 ADVS **silently,** in silence, **quietly, soundlessly,** noiselessly; inaudibly.

.14 INTERJS **silence!, hush!, shush!, sh!,** sh-sh!, whist! *or* whish! [both Brit dial], whisht! [Scot & Ir], peace!, pax!, *tais toi!* [Fr], **be quiet!,** be silent!, be still!, **keep still!,** keep quiet!, quiet!, quiet please!, soft!, belay that! *or* there!, stow it!; **hold your tongue!,** hold your jaw! *or* lip!, **shut up!** [informal], **shut your mouth!** [informal], save your breath!, not another word!, not another peep out of you!, mum!, mum's the word!; hush your mouth!, shut your trap!, shut your face!, button your lip!, pipe down!, clam up!, dry up!, can it! [all slang].

452. FAINTNESS OF SOUND

.1 NOUNS **faintness, lowness, softness,** gentleness, subduedness, dimness, feebleness, weakness; indistinctness, unclearness, flatness; subaudibility; decrescendo.

.2 muffled tone, veiled voice, *voce velata* [Ital]; **mutedness; dullness, deadness,** flatness.

.3 **thud,** dull thud; **thump,** flump, crump [Brit informal], clop, clump, clunk, plunk, tunk, plump, bump; pad, pat; **patter,** pitter-patter, pitapat; **tap,** rap, **click,** tick, flick, pop; tinkle, clink, chink.

.4 **murmur,** murmuring, murmuration; **mutter,** muttering; **mumble,** mumbling; soft voice, low voice, small *or* little voice, "still small voice" [Bible]; **undertone,** underbreath, bated breath; susurration, susurrus; **whisper,** whispering, stage whisper, breathy voice; breath, sigh, exhalation, aspiration.

.5 **ripple, splash,** ripple of laughter, ripple of applause.

.6 **rustle,** rustling, froufrou, "a little noiseless noise among the leaves" [Keats].

.7 **hum, humming,** thrumming, low rumbling, booming, bombilation, bombination, **droning, buzzing,** whizzing, whirring, purring.

.8 **sigh, sighing, moaning,** sobbing, whining, soughing.

.9 VERBS **steal** *or* **waft on the ear,** melt in the air, float in the air.

.10 **murmur, mutter, mumble,** mussitate [archaic], maffle [Brit dial]; coo; susurrate; **whisper,** whisper in the ear; breathe, sigh, aspirate.

.11 **ripple, babble, burble,** bubble, **gurgle,** guggle, **purl, trill;** lap, plash, **splash,** swish, swash, slosh, wash.

.12 **rustle,** crinkle; **swish,** whish.

.13 **hum,** thrum, bum [Brit dial], boom, bombilate, bombinate, **drone, buzz,** whiz, whir, burr, birr [Scot], purr.

.14 **sigh, moan, sob, whine,** keen, wail, sough.

.15 **thud, thump, patter,** clop, clump, clunk, plunk; pad, pat; **tap,** rap, **click,** tick, pop; tinkle, clink, chink.

.16 ADJS **faint, low, soft, gentle, subdued, dim, feeble, weak,** faint-sounding, low-sounding, soft-sounding; soft-voiced, low-voiced, faint-voiced, weak-voiced; murmured, whispered; half-heard, scarcely heard; distant; indistinct, unclear; barely audible, subaudible, near the limit *or* threshold of hearing; piano, pianissimo; decrescendo.

.17 **muffled, muted, softened, dampened,** damped, **smothered,** stifled, bated, dulled, deadened, subdued; **dull, dead, flat,** *sordo* [Ital].

.18 **murmuring,** murmurous, murmurish, **muttering, mumbling;** susurrous, susurrant; **whispering,** whisper, whispery; **rustling.**

.19 **rippling, babbling, burbling,** bubbling, **gurgling,** guggling, **purling, trilling;** lapping, splashing, plashing, sloshing, swishing.

.20 **humming,** thrumming, **droning,** booming, bombinating, **buzzing,** whizzing, whirring, purring, burring, birring [Scot].

.21 ADVS **faintly, softly,** gently, subduedly, hushedly, dimly, feebly, weakly, low; piano, pianissimo; *sordo* [Ital], *sordamente* [Ital], *à la sourdine* [Fr].

.22 **in an undertone,** *sotto voce* [Ital], **under one's breath,** with bated breath, in a whisper, between the teeth; aside, in an aside; out of earshot.

453. LOUDNESS

.1 NOUNS **loudness,** loudishness, intensity, volume; fullness, sonorousness, sonority; surge of sound, surge, crescendo, swell, swelling.

.2 **noisiness,** noisefulness, **uproariousness,**

racketiness, tumultuousness, thunderousness, clamorousness, clangorousness, boisterousness, obstreperousness; vociferousness 459.5.

.3 **noise,** loud noise, **blast** 456.3, tintamarre, **racket, din,** chirm [dial], **clamor;** outcry, **uproar,** hue and cry, noise and shouting; howl; clangor, clatter, clap, jangle, rattle; roar, thunder, thunderclap 456.5, brouhaha, **tumult, hubbub,** flap, hullabaloo; row, bobbery [India], fracas, brawl, commotion, drunken brawl, shindy, donnybrook, free-for-all, shemozzle [Brit slang], rumble *or* rhubarb [both slang], dustup [Brit informal], rumpus [informal], ruckus [informal], ruction [dial], rowdydow [informal]; **pandemonium,** bedlam, hell *or* bedlam let loose, hell broke loose [slang]; charivari, shivaree [dial]; discord 461.

.4 **blare, blast,** shriek 458.4, peal; **toot,** tootle, **honk,** beep, blat, trumpet; bay, bray; **whistle,** tweedle, squeal; trumpet call, trumpet blast *or* blare, sound *or* flourish of trumpets, **fanfare,** tarantara, tantara, tantarara; tattoo; taps.

.5 **noisemaker;** ticktack, bull-roarer, catcall, whizzer, whizgig, snapper, cricket, clapper, clack, clacker, cracker; firecracker, cherry bomb; rattle, rattlebox; horn, Klaxon; whistle, steam whistle, siren; boiler room, boiler factory.

.6 VERBS **din;** boom, thunder 456.9; **resound,** ring, peal, ring *or* resound in the ears, din in the ear, **blast the ear,** pierce *or* split *or* rend the ears, rend *or* split the eardrums, split one's head; **deafen,** stun; blast 456.8, crash 456.6; **rend the air** *or* skies *or* firmament, rock the sky, fill the air, make the welkin ring; shake *or* rattle the windows; awake *or* startle the echoes, set the echoes ringing, awake the dead; surge, swell, rise, crescendo.

.7 drown out, outshout, outroar, shout down, overpower, overwhelm; jam.

.8 **be noisy, make a noise** *or* **racket,** raise a clamor *or* din *or* hue and cry, noise, racket, chirm [dial], **clamor,** roar, clangor; brawl, row, rumpus; **make an uproar,** kick up a dust *or* racket, kick up *or* raise a hullabaloo, raise the roof, raise Cain *or* Ned, howl like all the devils of hell, raise the devil, raise hell, whoop it up, maffick [Brit]; not be able to hear oneself think.

.9 **blare,** blast; shriek 458.8; **toot,** tootle, sound, peal, wind, blow, blat; pipe, trumpet, bugle, clarion; bay, bell, bray; **whistle,** tweedle, squeal; **honk,** honk *or* sound *or* blow the horn, beep; sound taps, sound a tattoo.

.10 ADJS **loud,** loudish, loud-sounding, stentorian, stentorious, stentoraphonic, forte, fortissimo; **resounding,** ringing, plangent, pealing; full, sonorous; **deafening,** ear-deafening, **ear-splitting,** head-splitting, ear-rending, ear-piercing, piercing; thunderous, tonitruous, tonitruant; booming 456.12; window-rattling, earthshaking, enough to wake the dead *or* the seven sleepers.

.11 **loud-voiced, loudmouthed,** fullmouthed, full-throated, big-voiced, clarion-voiced, trumpet-voiced, trumpet-tongued, brazen-mouthed, stentorian, boanergean.

.12 **noisy,** noiseful, rackety, clattery, clangorous, clanging, **clamorous,** clamoursome [Brit dial], clamant, blatant, blaring, brassy, brazen, blatting; uproarious, **tumultuous,** turbulent, blustering, brawling, **boisterous,** rip-roaring, rowdy, mafficking [Brit], strepitous, strepitant, obstreperous; vociferous 459.10.

.13 ADVS **loudly, aloud,** loud, lustily; **noisily,** uproariously; ringingly, resoundingly; with a loud voice, at the top of one's voice, at the pitch of one's breath, in full cry, with one wild yell, with a whoop and a hurrah; forte, *fortemente* [Ital], fortissimo.

454. RESONANCE

.1 NOUNS **resonance, sonorousness,** sonority, plangency, **vibrancy;** mellowness, richness, fullness; deepness, lowness, bassness; hollowness.

.2 **reverberation, resounding; rumble,** rumbling, thunder, thundering, boom, booming, growl, growling, grumble, grumbling, reboation; rebound, resound, **echo,** reecho.

.3 **ringing,** tintinnabulation, **pealing, chiming, tinkling,** tingling, **jingling,** dinging, donging; **tolling,** knelling; clangor, clanking, clanging; **ring, peal, chime; toll,** knell; **tinkle,** tingle, **jingle,** dingle, ding, dingdong, ding-a-ling, ting-a-ling; clink, tink, ting, chink; clank, clang; jangle, jingle-jangle; change ringing, peal ringing; tinnitus.

.4 **bell,** tintinnabulum; **gong,** triangle, **chimes;** dinner bell *or* gong *or* chimes, doorbell, jingle bell, hand bell, telephone bell, fire bell, sacring bell, passing bell, gong bell, church bell, sleigh bell, cowbell, sheepbell; clapper, tongue.

.5 **resonator,** resounder, reverberator; **sound-**

ing board, sound box; resonant chamber *or* cavity; echo chamber; loud pedal, damper pedal, sustaining pedal.

.6 VERBS **resonate, vibrate,** pulse, throb.

.7 **reverberate, resound,** sound, **rumble,** roll, boom, echo, reecho, rebound, bounce back, be reflected, be sent back, echo back, send back, return.

.8 **ring,** tintinnabulate, **peal,** sound; **toll,** knell, sound a knell; **chime;** gong; **tinkle,** tingle, **jingle,** ding, dingdong, dong; clink, tink, ting, chink; clank, clang, clangor; jangle, jinglejangle; ring on the air; ring changes *or* peals; ring in the ear.

.9 ADJS **resonant, vibrant, sonorous,** plangent, rolling; mellow, rich, full; resonating, vibrating, pulsing, throbbing.

.10 **deep,** deep-toned, deep-pitched, deep-sounding, deepmouthed, deep-echoing; **hollow, sepulchral; low,** low-pitched, low-toned, grave, heavy; **bass;** baritone; contralto.

.11 **reverberating,** reverberant, reverberatory, reboant, **resounding,** rebounding, repercussive, sounding; **rumbling,** thundering, booming, growling; echoing, reechoing, echoic; undamped; persistent, lingering.

.12 **ringing, pealing, tolling,** sounding, chiming; **tinkling,** tingling, **jingling,** dinging; tintinnabular *or* tintinnabulary *or* tintinnabulous.

455. REPEATED SOUNDS

.1 NOUNS **staccato; drum, thrum, beat, pound, roll;** drumming, tom-tom, beating, pounding, thumping; **throb,** throbbing, pulsation 323.3; **palpitation,** flutter; sputter, spatter, splutter; **patter, pitter-patter,** pitapat; rub-a-dub, rattattoo, rataplan, rat-a-tat, rat-tat, rat-tat-tat, tat-tat, tat-tat-tat; **tattoo,** devil's tattoo, ruff, ruffle, paradiddle; **drumbeat,** drum music; drumfire, barrage.

.2 **clicking, ticking, tick, ticktock,** ticktack, ticktick.

.3 **rattle,** rattling, brattle [Scot], ruckle [Brit dial], rattletybang; **clatter,** clitter, clunter [Brit dial], **clitterclatter, chatter,** clack, clacket [dial]; racket 453.3.

.4 VERBS **drum, thrum, beat, pound, thump, roll; palpitate,** flutter; sputter, splatter, splutter; patter, pitter-patter, go pitapat *or* pitter-patter; **throb,** pulsate 323.12; beat *or* sound a tattoo, beat a devil's tattoo, ruffle, beat a ruffle.

.5 **tick, ticktock,** ticktack.

.6 **rattle,** ruckle [Brit dial], brattle [Scot]; **clatter,** clitter, **chatter,** clack; rattle around, clatter about.

.7 ADJS **staccato; drumming, thrumming, beating, pounding, thumping; throbbing;** palpitant, fluttering; sputtering, spattering, spluttering; clicking, ticking.

.8 **rattly,** rattling, chattering, **clattery,** clattering.

456. EXPLOSIVE NOISE

.1 NOUNS **report, crash, crack, clap, bang,** wham, slam, clash, burst, bust [dial]; **knock, rap, tap,** smack, whack, thwack, whop, whap, swap [dial], whomp, splat, crump [Brit informal], bump, slap, slat [Brit dial], flap, flop.

.2 **snap, crack;** click, clack; **crackle,** snapping, cracking, crackling, crepitation, decrepitation, sizzling, spitting.

.3 **detonation, blast, explosion,** fulmination, **discharge, burst, bang, pop, crack,** bark; **shot,** gunshot; volley, salvo, fusillade.

.4 **boom,** booming, cannonade, **peal, rumble,** grumble, growl, **roll, roar.**

.5 **thunder,** thundering, bront(o)–, ceraun(o)– *or* keraun(o)–; clap *or* crash *or* peal of thunder, **thunderclap,** thunderpeal, thundercrack, thunderstroke; "heaven's artillery", "the thunder, that deep and dreadful organ-pipe", "dread rattling thunder", "deep, dread-bolted thunder" [all Shakespeare], "the crashing of the chariot of God" [William Cullen Bryant], "dry sterile thunder without rain" [T. S. Eliot]; thunderstorm 394.3; Thor *or* Donar, Jupiter Tonans, Indra.

.6 VERBS **crack, clap, crash,** wham, slam, **bang,** clash; **knock, rap, tap,** smack, whack, thwack, whop, whap, swap [dial], whomp, splat, crump [Brit informal], bump, slat [Brit dial], slap, flap.

.7 **snap, crack;** click, clack; **crackle,** crepitate, decrepitate; spit.

.8 **blast, detonate, explode, discharge, burst,** go off, **bang, pop, crack,** bark, fulminate; burst on the ear.

.9 **boom, thunder, peal, rumble,** grumble, growl, **roll, roar.**

.10 ADJS **snapping, cracking, crackling,** crepitant.

.11 **banging,** crashing, bursting, exploding, explosive, blasting, cracking, popping; knocking, rapping, tapping; slapping, flapping, slatting [Brit dial].

.12 **thundering, thunderous,** thundery, fulminating, tonitruous, tonitruant, thunderlike; **booming,** pealing, rumbling, rolling, roaring; cannonading, volleying.

457. SIBILATION

(hissing sounds)

.1 NOUNS sibilation, sibilance *or* sibilancy; **hiss, hissing,** siss, sissing, white noise; hush, hushing, shush, shushing; sizz, sizzle, sizzling; fizz, fizzle, fizzling, effervescing, effervescence; swish, whish, whoosh; whiz, buzz, zip; siffle; wheeze, *râle* [Fr], rhonchus; whistle, whistling; sneeze, sneezing, sternutation; snort; snore, stertor; sniff, sniffle, snuff, snuffle; spit, sputter, splutter; squash, squish, squelch; sigmatism, lisp; assibilation; frication, frictional rustling.

.2 VERBS sibilate; **hiss,** siss; hush, shush; sizzle, sizz; fizzle, fizz, effervesce; whiz, buzz, zip; swish, whish, whoosh; whistle; wheeze; sneeze; snort; snore; sniff, sniffle, snuff, snuffle; spit, sputter, splutter; squash, squish, squelch; lisp; assibilate.

.3 ADJS **sibilant; hissing,** hushing, sissing; sizzling, fizzling, effervescent; sniffing, sniffling, snuffling; snoring; wheezing, wheezy.

458. STRIDOR

(harsh and shrill sounds)

.1 NOUNS stridence *or* stridency, **stridor,** stridulousness; **shrillness,** highness, sharpness, acuteness, arguteness; **screechiness, squeakiness,** creakiness, reediness, pipingness.

.2 **raucousness, harshness,** raucity; discord, cacophony 461.1; coarseness, rudeness, ugliness, roughness, gruffness; **raspiness,** scratchiness, scrapiness, **hoarseness,** huskiness, dryness; stertorousness; roupiness [Scot]; gutturalness, gutturalism, gutturality, thickness, throatiness; cracked voice.

.3 **rasp, scratch, scrape,** grind; crunch, craunch, scranch [archaic], scrunch, crump; burr, chirr, buzz; snore; **jangle, clash, jar;** clank, clang, clangor, twang, twanging; blare, blat, bray; croak, caw, cackle; belch; growl, snarl; grumble, groan.

.4 **screech, shriek, scream, squeal,** shrill, keen, squeak, squawk, skirl, screak, skreak [dial], skriech *or* skreigh [both Scot], creak; whistle, pipe; whine, wail, howl, ululation, yammer; caterwaul.

.5 (insect sounds) **stridulation,** cricking, creaking, chirking [Scot]; crick, creak, chirk, chirp, chirrup.

.6 (high voices) soprano, mezzo-soprano, treble; tenor, alto; male alto, countertenor; head register, head voice, head tone, falsetto.

.7 VERBS **stridulate,** crick, creak, chirk, chirp, chirrup.

.8 **screech, shriek,** screak, skreak [dial], skriech *or* skreigh [both Scot], creak, squeak, squawk, **scream, squeal,** shrill, keen; whistle, pipe, skirl; whine, wail, howl, wrawl [Brit dial], yammer, ululate; caterwaul.

.9 (sound harshly) **jangle, clash, jar;** blare, blat, bray; croak, caw, cackle; belch; burr, chirr, buzz; snore; growl, snarl; grumble, groan; clank, clang, clangor; twang.

.10 **grate, rasp, scratch, scrape,** grind; crunch, craunch, scranch [archaic], scrunch, crump.

.11 **grate on,** jar on, grate upon the ear, jar upon the ear, offend the ear, pierce *or* split *or* rend the ears, harrow *or* lacerate the ear, **set the teeth on edge, get on one's nerves,** jangle *or* wrack the nerves, make one's skin crawl.

.12 ADJS **strident,** stridulant, stridulous; strident-voiced.

.13 **high,** high-pitched, high-toned, high-sounding; treble, soprano, mezzo-soprano, tenor, alto, falsetto, countertenor.

.14 **shrill, thin, sharp,** acute, argute, keen, keening, **piercing,** penetrating, ear-piercing; **screechy,** screeching, shrieky, shrieking, **squeaky,** squeaking, screaky, creaky, creaking; whistling, piping, skirling, reedy; whining, wailing, howling, ululating, ululant.

.15 **raucous,** raucid, **harsh,** harsh-sounding; coarse, rude, rough, gruff, ragged; **hoarse, husky,** roupy [Scot], cracked, dry; **guttural,** thick, throaty, croaky, croaking; choked, strangled; squawky, **squawking;** brassy, brazen, tinny, metallic; stertorous.

.16 **grating, jarring,** grinding; **jangling,** jangly; **rasping,** raspy; scratching, scratchy; scraping, scrapy.

459. CRY, CALL

.1 NOUNS **cry, call, shout, yell,** hoot; halloo, hollo, yo-ho; **whoop, holler** [informal]; **cheer, hurrah** 867.2; **howl,** yowl, yawl [Brit dial]; bawl, bellow, roar; **scream, shriek,** screech, squeal, squall, caterwaul; yelp, yap, yammer, yawp, bark; war cry, battle cry, war whoop, rallying cry.

.2 **exclamation,** ejaculation, outburst, blurt, ecphonesis; expletive.

.3 hunting cry; tallyho, yoicks [archaic], view halloo.

.4 **outcry, vociferation, clamor,** gaff; hullabaloo, hubbub, **uproar** 453.3; **hue and cry.**

.5 vociferousness, vociferance, clamorousness, clamoursomeness [Brit dial], blatancy; noisiness 453.2.

.6 VERBS **cry, call, shout, yell, holler** [informal], hoot; hail, halloo, hollo; **whoop; cheer** 876.6; **howl,** yowl, yammer, yawl [Brit dial]; squawk, yawp; **bawl, bellow,** roar, roar *or* bellow like a bull; **scream, shriek,** screech, squeal, squall, caterwaul; yelp, yap, bark.

.7 **exclaim,** give an exclamation, ejaculate, burst out, blurt, blurt out.

.8 **vociferate,** outcry, **cry out,** call out, bellow out, yell out, holler out [informal], shout out, sing out; pipe up, **clamor** 453.7, make *or* raise a clamor; make an outcry, **raise a hue and cry,** make an uproar.

.9 cry aloud, raise *or* lift up the voice, give voice *or* tongue, shout *or* cry *or* thunder at the top of one's voice, split the throat *or* lungs, strain the voice *or* throat, rend the air 453.6.

.10 ADJS **vociferous,** vociferant, vociferating; **clamorous,** clamoursome [Brit dial]; **blatant;** obstreperous, brawling; **noisy** 453.12; crying, shouting, **yelling, hollering** [informal], **bawling,** screaming; yelping, yapping, yammering; loudmouthed, openmouthed, boanergean.

.11 **exclamatory,** ejaculatory, blurting.

460. ANIMAL SOUNDS

.1 NOUNS animal noise; **call, cry;** mating call *or* cry; grunt, howl, bark, howling, ululation, barking, etc.; birdcall, note, woodnote, clang; stridulation 458.5.

.2 VERBS cry, call; **howl,** yowl, yawp, yawl [dial], ululate; wail, whine, pule; **squeal,** squall, scream, screech, screak, squeak; troat; **roar; bellow,** blare, **bawl; moo,** low; **bleat,** blate, blat; **bray; whinny, neigh,** whicker, nicker; **bay,** bay at the moon, bell; **bark,** latrate [archaic], give voice *or* tongue; **yelp, yap,** yip; **mew,** mewl, **meow,** miaow, caterwaul.

.3 **grunt,** gruntle [Brit dial], oink; **snort.**

.4 **growl, snarl,** grumble, gnarl, snap; hiss, spit.

.5 (birds) **warble, sing,** carol, call; pipe, whistle; **trill,** chirr, roll; **twitter,** tweet, twit, chatter, chitter; **chirp,** chirrup, chirk, **cheep,** peep, pip; **quack,** honk, cronk; **croak, caw; squawk,** scold; **crow,** cock-a-doodle-doo; **cackle,** gaggle, gabble, guggle, **cluck,** clack, chuck; **gobble; hoot,** hoo; **coo; cuckoo;** drum.

.6 ADJS **howling,** yowling, crying, wailing, whining, puling, bawling, ululant, blatant, etc.; lowing, mugient.

461. DISCORD

(dissonant sounds)

.1 NOUNS **discord,** discordance *or* discordancy, **dissonance** *or* dissonancy, diaphony, **cacophony;** stridor 458; **inharmoniousness,** unharmoniousness, disharmony, inharmony; **unmelodiousness,** unmusicalness, unmusicality, untunefulness, tunelessness [archaic]; atonality, atonalism; flatness, sharpness, sourness [informal]; dissonant chord, wolf; sour note *or* clinker [informal], off note.

.2 **clash, jangle, jar; noise,** mere noise, confusion *or* conflict *or* jarring *or* jostling of sounds; Babel, witches' *or* devils' chorus; harshness 458.2; clamor 453.3.

.3 VERBS sound *or* hit a sour note [informal], hit a clinker [informal]; **clash, jar, jangle,** conflict, jostle; grate 458.10,11; untune, unstring.

.4 ADJS **dissonant, discordant, cacophonous,** absonant [archaic], disconsonant, diaphonic; strident, shrill, harsh, raucous, grating 458.12–16; **inharmonious,** unharmonious, disharmonious, disharmonic, inharmonic; **unmelodious,** immelodious, nonmelodious; **unmusical,** musicless, untuneful, tuneless [archaic]; untunable, untuned, atonal; cracked, **out of tune,** out of tone, out of pitch; **off-key, off-tone, off-pitch,** off; flat, sharp, **sour** [informal]; "above the pitch, out of tune, and off the hinges" [Rabelais], "like sweet bells jangled, out of tune and harsh" [Shakespeare].

.5 **clashing, jarring, jangling,** jangly, confused, conflicting, jostling, warring, ajar; **harsh, grating** 458.15,16.

462. MUSIC

.1 NOUNS **music,** "the speech of angels" [Carlyle], "the mosaic of the Air" [Andrew Marvell], "the harmonious voice of creation; an echo of the invisible world" [Giuseppe Mazzini], "the only universal tongue" [Samuel Rogers], "the universal language of mankind" [Longfellow], "the poor man's Parnassus" [Emerson], "the brandy of the damned" [G. B. Shaw], "nothing else but wild sounds civilized into time and tune" [Thomas Fuller, D.D.].

.2 **melody,** melodiousness, **tunefulness,** mu-

sicalness, musicality; **tune, tone,** musical sound, musical quality, tonality; sweetness, dulcetness, mellifluence, mellifluousness.

.3 **harmony, concord,** concordance, concert, consonance *or* consonancy, consort, accordance, **accord,** monochord, concentus, symphony, diapason; synchronism, synchronization; **attunement,** tune, attune; chime, chiming; unison, unisonance, homophony, monody; **euphony;** light *or* heavy harmony; two-part *or* three-part harmony, etc.; harmony *or* music of the spheres; harmonics 462.

.4 **air,** aria, **tune, melody,** melodia, line, melodic line, refrain, note, **song,** solo, solo part, soprano part, treble, lay, descant, **strain,** measure; canto, cantus; melo–.

.5 **piece,** opus, **composition,** production, work; **score; arrangement,** adaptation, orchestration, harmonization; instrumental music; electronic music; aleatory, aleatory music; **incidental music;** chamber music, string quartet, trio, chamber orchestra, string orchestra; sonata, sonatina; ricercar; absolute music, program music; nocturne, *Nachtmusik* [Ger]; étude, study, exercise; invention; variation, descant, *air varié* [Fr], theme and variations.

.6 **medley,** potpourri; *divertissement* [Fr]; fantasia, *Fantasiestück* [Ger]; caprice, capriccio, humoresque; romance, romanza.

.7 **classical music,** classic; concert music, serious music, longhair music [informal], symphonic music; **symphony,** symphonia, *sinfonietta* [Ital], symphonic ode *or* poem, tone poem *or* poetry; **concerto,** concertino, concertstück, concerto grosso; rhapsody; semiclassic, semiclassical music.

.8 **popular music,** pop music *or* pop, light music, popular song *or* air *or* tune, ballad; hit, song hit, hit tune.

.9 **dance music,** ballroom music, **suite,** musical suite, suite of dances; **dances** 879.7; syncopated music, **syncopation; ragtime** *or* rag; **jazz;** hot jazz, **swing,** jive [slang]; bebop, bop [slang]; mainstream jazz; avant-garde jazz, the new music [informal]; boogie-woogie; rock-and-roll, rock, hard rock, acid rock, folk rock, country rock; rhythm-and-blues.

.10 **folk music,** folk songs, ethnic music, ethnomusicology; folk ballads, balladry; border ballads; country music, hillbilly music; country-and-western music, western swing; old-time country music *or* old-timey music; bluegrass; field holler; the blues, country blues, city blues.

.11 **march,** martial *or* military music; military march, quick *or* quickstep march; processional march, recessional march; funeral *or* dead march; wedding march.

.12 **vocal music, song; singing,** caroling, warbling, lyricism, vocalism, **vocalization;** operatic singing, bel canto, coloratura, bravura; choral singing; folk singing; croon, crooning; yodel, yodeling; scat, scat singing; intonation; hum, humming; solmization, tonic sol-fa, solfeggio, solfège, sol-fa, sol-fa exercise.

.13 **song,** lay, lied, *chanson* [Fr], carol, **ditty,** canticle, lilt; **ballad,** ballade, *ballata* [Ital]; *canzone* [Ital]; canzonet, *canzonetta* [Ital], cavatina; chant; folk song, *Volkslied* [Ger]; calypso; **art song,** *Kunstlied* [Ger]; drinking song, *brindisi* [Ital]; war song; **love song,** *Liebeslied* [Ger], love-lilt, torch song [informal]; serenade, serenata, *serena* [Provençal]; *matin* [Fr], *aubade* [Fr], *alba* [Provençal], *canso* [Provençal]; blues, blues song; croon, croon song; **carol,** Christmas carol, noël; **anthem,** national anthem; wedding song, bridal hymn, hymeneal, *Brautlied* [Ger], epithalamium, prothalamium; barcarole, boat song, chantey; minstrel song, minstrelsy; theme song; **dirge** 875.5.

.14 **solo; aria;** arietta, arioso; *aria buffa, aria da capo, aria d'agilità, aria da chiesa, aria d'imitazione, aria fugata, aria parlante* [all Ital]; bravura, *aria di bravura* [Ital]; coloratura, *aria di coloratura* [Ital]; cantabile, *aria cantabile* [Ital]; recitative, *recitativo* [Ital].

.15 **lullaby, cradlesong,** *berceuse* [Fr], *Schlummerlied, Wiegenlied* [both Ger].

.16 **sacred music, church music,** liturgical music; **hymn,** hymn-tune, **psalm,** chorale, choral fantasy, anthem; motet; **oratorio;** passion; **mass;** requiem mass, requiem; offertory, offertory sentence *or* hymn; **cantata;** doxology, introit, canticle, paean, prosodion; recessional; **spiritual,** Negro spiritual; white spiritual, gospel music, gospel; psalmody, hymnody, hymnology.

.17 **part music,** polyphonic music, part song, part singing, ensemble music, ensemble singing; **duet,** duo, *duettino* [Ital]; **trio,** terzet, terzetto; **quartet; quintet; sextet,** sestet; **septet,** septuor; **octet.**

.18 **chorus,** choral singing, unison; glee; cantata, lyric cantata; madrigal, madrigaletto; oratorio.

.19 **round, rondo,** rondeau, **roundelay,** catch,

troll; rondino, rondoletto; **fugue,** canon, fugato.

.20 **polyphony,** polyphonism; **counterpoint,** contrapunto; Gregorian chant, Ambrosian chant; *faux-bourdon* [Fr]; musica ficta, false music.

.21 monody, monophony, homophony.

.22 **part,** melody *or* voice part, **voice** 463.5, **line;** descant, canto, cantus, cantus planus *or* firmus, plain song, plain chant; prick song, cantus figuratus; soprano, tenor, treble, alto, contralto, baritone, bass, bassus; undersong; drone; **accompaniment;** continuo, basso continuo, figured bass, thorough bass; ground bass, basso ostinato.

.23 **response,** responsory report, answer; echo; antiphon, antiphony, antiphonal chanting *or* singing.

.24 **passage, phrase,** musical phrase, strain, part, **movement;** introductory phrase, anacrusis; statement, exposition, development, variation; division; period, musical sentence; section; **measure;** figure; **verse, stanza;** burden, bourdon; **chorus, refrain,** response; folderol, **ornament** 463.18, cadence 463.23, harmonic close, resolution; **coda,** tailpiece; ritornello; intermezzo, interlude; bass passage; tutti, tutti passage; bridge, bridge passage.

.25 (fast, slow, etc. passages) presto, prestissimo; allegro, allegretto; scherzo, scherzando; adagio, adagietto; andante, andantino; largo, larghetto, larghissimo; crescendo; diminuendo, decrescendo; rallentando, ritardando; ritenuto; piano, pianissimo; forte, fortissimo; staccato, marcato, marcando; pizzicato; spiccato; legato; stretto.

.26 **overture, prelude,** *Vorspiel* [Ger], **introduction,** operatic overture, dramatic overture, concert overture, voluntary, descant, vamp; curtain raiser.

.27 **impromptu, extempore, improvisation, interpolation;** cadenza, flourish; vamp; lick, hot lick, riff.

.28 **score,** musical score *or* copy, **music,** notation, musical notation, written music, copy, draft, transcript, transcription, version, edition, text, arrangement; part; full *or* orchestral score, compressed *or* short score, piano score, vocal score, instrumental score; tablature, lute tablature; opera score, opera; **libretto;** sheet music; **songbook,** songster; hymnbook, hymnal; music paper; music roll.

.29 **staff,** stave [Brit]; line, ledger line; bar, bar line; space, degree; brace.

.30 **theme,** motive, **motif,** subject, phrase 462.24, figure; leitmotiv.

.31 **execution, performance; rendering,** rendition, music-making, **touch, expression;** fingering; pianism; intonation; repercussion; pizzicato, staccato, spiccato, parlando, legato, cantando, rubato, demilegato, mezzo staccato, slur; glissando.

.32 musicianship; musical talent *or* flair, musicality; virtuosity; musical ear, ear for music; musical sense, sense of rhythm; absolute *or* perfect pitch; relative pitch.

.33 **musicale;** choral service, service of song, sing [informal], singing, community singing *or* sing, singfest, sing-in; folk-sing *or* hootenanny [both informal]; music festival; opera festival; folk-music festival, jazz festival, rock festival; *Sängerfest* [Ger], *eisteddfod* [Welsh]; jam session [informal]; swan song, farewell performance.

.34 **performance,** musical performance, **program,** musical program, program of music; **concert,** symphony concert, chamber concert; Philharmonic concert, philharmonic; popular concert, pops, pop concert [both informal]; promenade concert, prom [informal]; band concert; recital; service of music; concert performance (of an opera); –log(ue).

.35 musical theater, lyric theater, musical stage, lyric stage; **music drama,** lyric drama; song-play, *Singspiel* [Ger]; **opera,** grand opera, light opera, ballad opera; comic opera, *opéra bouffe* [Fr], *opera buffa* [Ital]; **operetta; musical comedy; musical;** Broadway musical; **ballet,** *opéra ballet* [Fr], comedy ballet, *ballet d'action* [Fr], *ballet divertissement* [Fr]; dance drama; chorus show; **song-and-dance act;** minstrel, minstrel show.

.36 VERBS **harmonize,** be harmonious, be in tune *or* concert, chord, **accord,** symphonize, synchronize, **chime, blend,** tune, attune, atone, sound together, sound in tune; assonate; melodize, musicalize.

.37 **tune, tune up,** attune, atone, chord, **put in tune;** voice, string; tone up, tone down.

.38 **strike up,** strike up a tune, **strike up the band,** break into music, pipe up, pipe up a song, yerk out [dial], **burst into song.**

.39 **sing, vocalize,** carol, descant, lilt, troll; **warble,** trill, tremolo, quaver, shake; **chirp,** chirrup, twit [Brit dial], **twitter;** pipe, whistle, tweedle, tweedledee; **chant; intone,** intonate; **croon; hum; yodel;** roulade; chorus, choir, sing in chorus; **hymn,** anthem, psalm, "make a joyful noise

unto the Lord" [Bible]; sing the praises of; minstrel; ballad; **serenade**; sol-fa, do-re-mi, solmizate.

.40 **play, perform, execute, render,** do; interpret; make music; concertize; symphonize; chord; accompany; play by ear.

.41 **strum, thrum, pluck,** plunk, **pick,** twang, sweep the strings.

.42 **fiddle** [informal], play violin *or* the violin; scrape *or* saw [both informal], bow.

.43 **blow a horn,** sound *or* wind the horn, sound, blow, wind, **toot,** tootle, pipe, tweedle; bugle, carillon, clarion, fife, flute, trumpet, whistle; bagpipe, doodle [Brit dial]; lip, tongue, double-tongue, triple-tongue.

.44 **syncopate,** play jazz, swing, jive [slang], rag [informal].

.45 **beat time,** keep time, tap, tap out the rhythm; count, count the beats; beat the drum, **drum** 455.4, play drum *or* the drums, thrum, beat, thump, pound; tom-tom; ruffle; beat *or* sound a tattoo.

.46 **conduct, direct,** lead, wield the baton.

.47 **compose, write, arrange, score, set, set to music,** put to music; musicalize, melodize, **harmonize; orchestrate;** instrument, instrumentate; **adapt,** make an adaptation; transcribe, transpose.

.48 ADJS **musical, musically inclined,** musicianly, with an ear for music; virtuoso, virtuose, virtuosic; **music-loving,** music-mad, musicophile, philharmonic.

.49 **melodious,** melodic; **musical,** music-like; **tuneful,** tunable; fine-toned, **pleasant-sounding,** agreeable-sounding, pleasant, appealing, agreeable, catchy, singable; **euphonious** *or* euphonous *or* euphonic, **lyric(al),** melic; songful, songlike; **sweet, dulcet,** sweet-sounding, achingly sweet, sweet-flowing; honeyed, mellifluent, mellifluous, mellisonant, music-flowing; rich, mellow; sonorous, canorous; golden, golden-toned; silvery, silver-toned; sweet-voiced, golden-voiced, silver-voiced, silver-tongued, golden-tongued, music-tongued; ariose, arioso, cantabile.

.50 **harmonious,** harmonic(al), symphonious; harmonizing, **chiming,** blending, well-blended, blended; **concordant,** consonant, accordant, according, **in accord,** in concord, in concert; synchronous, synchronized, in sync [informal], **in tune,** tuned, attuned; in unison, in chorus; unisonous, unisonant; homophonic, monophonic, monodic; assonant, assonantal.

.51 **vocal,** singing; **choral,** choric; operatic; hymnal; psalmic, psalmodic, psalmodial; sacred, liturgical; treble, soprano, tenor, alto, falsetto; coloratura, lyric, bravura, dramatic, heroic; baritone; bass.

.52 **instrumental,** orchestral, symphonic, concert; dramatico-musical; jazz, syncopated, jazzy, rock, swing.

.53 **polyphonic, contrapuntal.**

.54 ADJS, ADVS (directions, style) legato; staccato; spiccato; pizzicato; forte, fortissimo; piano, pianissimo; sordo; crescendo, accrescendo; decrescendo, diminuendo, morendo; dolce; amabile; affettuoso, con affetto; amoroso, con amore; lamentabile; agitato, con agitazione; leggiero; agilmente, con agilità; capriccioso, a capriccio; scherzando, scherzoso; appassionato, appassionatamente; abbandono; brillante; parlando; a cappella; trillando, tremolando, tremoloso; sotto voce; stretto.

.55 (slowly) largo, larghetto, allargando; adagio, adagietto; andante, andantino, andante moderato; calando; a poco; lento; ritardando, rallentando.

.56 (fast) presto, prestissimo; veloce; accelerando; vivace, vivacissimo; desto, con anima, con brio; allegro, allegretto; affrettando, moderato.

463. HARMONICS, MUSICAL ELEMENTS

.1 NOUNS **harmonics,** harmony; melodics; rhythmics; musicality; music, music theory, theory; musicology; musicography.

.2 **harmonization; orchestration, instrumentation;** arrangement, setting, adaptation, transcription; phrasing, modulation, intonation, preparation, suspension, solution, resolution; tone painting.

.3 **tone, tonality** 450.2,3.

.4 **pitch,** tune, **tone, key, note,** register, tonality; height, depth; classical pitch, high pitch, diapason *or* normal *or* French pitch, international *or* concert *or* new philharmonic pitch, standard pitch, low pitch, Stuttgart *or* Scheibler's pitch, philharmonic pitch, philosophical pitch.

.5 **voice,** *voce* [Ital]; *voce di petto* [Ital], chest voice; *voce di testa* [Ital], head voice; bass, drone, drone bass, bourdon, burden; coloratura, treble, falsetto.

.6 **scale, gamut, register,** compass, range, diapason; tuning, temperament; diatonic scale, chromatic scale, enharmonic scale, major scale, minor scale, natural *or* harmonic *or* melodic minor, whole-tone scale; great scale; octave scale, dodecuple scale, pentatonic scale.

.7 **sol-fa,** tonic sol-fa, do-re-mi; Guidonian

syllables, sol-fa syllables, do, re, mi, fa, sol, la, ti, do; fixed-do system, movable-do system; solmization; bobization.

.8 (diatonic series) tetrachord, chromatic tetrachord, enharmonic tetrachord, Dorian tetrachord; hexachord, pentachord; –chord.

.9 **octave,** *ottava* [Ital], eighth; *ottava alta* [Ital], *ottava bassa* [Ital]; small octave, great octave; contraoctave, subcontraoctave, double contraoctave; one-line octave, two-line octave, four-line octave, two-foot octave, four-foot octave; twelve-tone row, tone row.

.10 **mode,** octave species; major mode, minor mode; Greek modes, Ionian mode, Dorian mode, Phrygian mode, Lydian mode, mixolydian mode, Aeolian mode, Locrian mode; hypoionian mode, hypodorian mode, hypophrygian mode, hypolydian mode, hypoaeolian mode, hypomixolydian mode, hypolocrian mode; Gregorian *or* ecclesiastical *or* church *or* medieval mode; plagal mode, authentic mode; Indian *or* Hindu mode, raga.

.11 **form,** arrangement, pattern, model, design; song *or* lied form, primary form; sonata form, sonata allegro, symphonic form, canon form, toccata form, fugue form, rondo form.

.12 **notation,** character, mark, symbol, signature, sign, *segno* [Ital]; dot; custos, direct; cancel; bar, measure; measure *or* time signature, key signature; tempo mark, metronome *or* metronomic mark; fermata, hold, pause; *presa* [Ital], lead; slur, tie, ligature, vinculum, enharmonic tie; swell; accent, accent mark, expression mark.

.13 **clef;** C clef, soprano clef, alto clef, tenor clef; F clef *or* **bass clef,** G clef *or* **treble clef.**

.14 **note,** musical note, notes of a scale; **tone** 450.2; **sharp, flat, natural; accidental;** double whole note, breve; whole note, semibreve; half note, minim; quarter note, crotchet; eighth note, quaver; sixteenth note, semiquaver; thirty-second note, demisemiquaver; sixty-fourth note, hemidemisemiquaver; tercet, triplet; sustained note, dominant, dominant note; enharmonic, enharmonic note; staccato, spiccato; responding note, report; shaped note, patent note.

.15 **key,** key signature, tonality; **keynote,** tonic; tonic key; major, minor, major *or* minor key, tonic major *or* minor; supertonic, mediant, submediant, dominant, subdominant, subtonic; pedal point, organ point.

.16 **harmonic,** harmonic tone, overtone, upper partial tone; flageolet tone.

.17 **chord,** major *or* minor chord, tonic chord, dominant chord; seventh chord, diminished seventh chord, sixth chord; consonant chord, concord; enharmonic chord, enharmonic; broken chord, **arpeggio;** unbroken chord, *concento* [Ital]; key chord, tonic triad, major triad, minor triad, common chord; triad, augmented triad.

.18 **ornament,** grace, arabesque, embellishment, *fioritura* [Ital]; **flourish,** roulade, flight, run; passage, division 462.24; florid phrase *or* passage; coloratura; incidental, incidental note; grace note, appoggiatura; acciaccatura; mordent, single mordent, double *or* long mordent; inverted mordent, pralltriller; turn, back *or* inverted turn; cadence, cadenza.

.19 **trill,** trillo; trillet, *trilleto* [Ital]; **tremolo,** tremolant, tremolando; quaver, quiver, tremble, tremor, flutter, falter, shake; **vibrato,** *Bebung* [Ger].

.20 **interval,** degree, **step,** note, tone; second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, octave; prime *or* unison interval, major *or* minor interval, harmonic *or* melodic interval, enharmonic interval, diatonic interval; parallel *or* consecutive intervals, parallel fifths, parallel octaves; whole step, major second; half step, halftone, semitone, minor second; diatonic semitone, chromatic semitone, less semitone, quarter semitone, tempered *or* mean semitone; quarter step, enharmonic diesis; augmented interval; diatessaron, diapason; –chord.

.21 **rest,** pause; whole rest, breve rest, semibreve rest, half rest, minim, quarter rest, eighth rest, sixteenth rest, thirty-second rest, sixty-fourth rest.

.22 **rhythm, beat, meter, measure,** number *or* numbers, movement, **lilt, swing;** prosody, metrics; rhythmic pattern *or* phrase.

.23 cadence *or* cadency, authentic cadence, plagal cadence, mixed cadence, perfect *or* imperfect cadence, half cadence, deceptive *or* false cadence, interrupted *or* suspended cadence.

.24 **tempo, time, beat,** time pattern, timing; simple time *or* measure, compound time *or* measure; two-part *or* duple time, three-part *or* triple time, triplet, four-part *or* quadruple time, five-part *or* quintuple time, six-part *or* sextuple time, seven-part *or* septuple time, nine-part *or* nonuple

time; two-four time, six-eight time, etc.; tempo rubato, rubato; mixed times; **syncopation,** syncope; **ragtime,** rag [informal]; waltz time, three-four *or* three-quarter time, andante tempo, march tempo, etc.; largo, etc. 462.55, presto, etc. 462.56.

.25 **accent,** accentuation, rhythmical accent *or* accentuation, ictus, emphasis, stress arsis, thesis; grammatical accent, rhetorical accent; musical *or* pitch *or* tone accent, stress accent; intonation, intonation pattern *or* contour.

.26 **beat,** throb, pulse, pulsation; downbeat, upbeat, offbeat; bar beat.

.27 ADJS **tonal,** tonic; chromatic, enharmonic; semitonic.

.28 **rhythmic(al),** cadent, cadenced, **measured, metric(al);** in rhythm, in numbers; beating, throbbing, pulsing, pulsating, pulsative, pulsatory.

.29 **syncopated; ragtime,** ragtimey [informal]; **jazz;** jazzy *or* jazzed *or* jazzed up [all informal], hot, swingy [informal].

.30 ADVS **in time,** in tempo 463.24, *a tempo* [Ital].

464. MUSICIAN

.1 NOUNS **musician,** musico, **music maker,** professional musician, minstrel, minstrelsy, **player,** performer, executant, interpreter, tunester, artiste, artist, concert artist, **virtuoso,** virtuosa; maestro; recitalist; **soloist,** duettist; –ist.

.2 **syncopator;** ragtimer [informal]; **jazz musician, jazzman;** swing musician, swingster [informal]; Tin Pan Alley.

.3 **instrumentalist,** instrumentist; bandman, bandsman; orchestral musician; symphonist; concertist; accompanist, accompanyist; ripieno.

.4 **wind musician,** wind-instrumentalist, horn player, hornist, horner, piper, tooter; bassoonist, bugler, clarinetist, cornettist, fifer, oboist, piccoloist, saxophonist, trombonist; trumpeter, trumpet major; flutist, flautist.

.5 **string musician,** strummer, picker [informal], thrummer, twanger; banjoist, banjo-picker [informal], citharist, guitarist, guitar-picker [informal], classical guitarist, folk guitarist, lute player, lutenist, lutanist, lutist, lyrist, mandolinist, theorbist; violinist, fiddler [informal]; bass violinist, bassist, bass player, contrabassist; violoncellist, cellist *or* 'cellist, celloist; violist; harpist, harper; zitherist, psalterer.

.6 xylophonist, marimbaist.

.7 **pianist,** pianiste, pianofortist, piano player, ivory tickler *or* thumper [slang]; harpsichordist, clavichordist, monochordist; accordionist, concertinist.

.8 **organist,** organ player.

.9 organ-grinder, hurdy-gurdist, hurdy-gurdyist, hurdy-gurdy man.

.10 **drummer, percussionist,** timpanist, kettledrummer; taborer.

.11 **cymbalist,** cymbaler; bell-ringer, **carilloneur,** campanologist, campanist.

.12 **orchestra, band, ensemble,** combo [informal], group; string orchestra, chamber orchestra; **symphony orchestra,** symphony, Philharmonic; gamelan orchestra; **brass band,** military band, German band, concert band, ragtime band, string band, dixieland band, steel band *or* orchestra, **jazz band,** big band, swing band; street band, callithumpian band, jug band, skiffle band; rock-and-roll group; waits; strings, woodwind *or* woodwinds, brass *or* brasses, string *or* woodwind *or* brass section, string *or* woodwind *or* brass choir; desks; trio, **quartet,** quintet, sextet; **string quartet,** string trio; woodwind quartet, etc.; brass quintet, etc.

.13 **vocalist,** vocalizer, voice, **singer, songster,** songbird, warbler, canary [slang], lead singer, caroler, melodist, cantor; songstress, singstress, cantatrice; chanter, chantress; aria singer, lieder singer, opera singer, diva, prima donna; improvisator; blues singer, torch singer [informal]; crooner, rock *or* rock-and-roll singer; yodeler; psalm singer, hymner; Meistersinger; **bass,** basso, basso profundo, deep bass, *basso cantante* [Ital], lyric bass; *basso buffo* [Ital], comic bass; **baritone,** baritenor; **tenor,** countertenor, lyric tenor, heroic tenor, *Heldentenor* [Ger]; **soprano,** lyric soprano, coloratura soprano, dramatic soprano, mezzo-soprano; **alto,** contralto.

.14 **minstrel, ballad singer,** balladeer, **bard,** rhapsode, rhapsodist; wandering *or* strolling minstrel, **troubadour,** trovatore, trouvère, minnesinger, scop, gleeman, fili, jongleur; street singer, wait; serenader; **folk singer,** folk-rock singer; country-and-western singer;

.15 **choral singer,** choir member, chorister, chorus singer, choralist; choirman, **choirboy; chorus girl,** chorine [slang].

.16 **choir, chorus,** choral group, choral society, oratorio society, chamber chorus, *Kammerchor* [Ger], chorale, men's *or* women's chorus, mixed chorus, ensemble, voices; **glee club,** *Liedertafel, Lieder-*

kranz [both Ger], singing club *or* society; *a cappella* choir; choral symphony.

.17 **conductor,** leader, symphonic conductor, **music director,** director, *Kapellmeister* [Ger]; **orchestra leader, band leader, bandmaster,** band major, drum major.

.18 **choirmaster,** choral director *or* conductor, song leader, *maestro di cappella* [Ital]; choir chaplain, minister of music, precentor, cantor, chorister.

.19 **concertmaster,** concertmeister, *Konzertmeister* [Ger], first violinist.

.20 **composer, scorer, arranger,** musicographer; melodist, melodizer; harmonist, harmonizer; **orchestrator;** symphonist; tone poet; ballad maker *or* writer, balladeer, balladist, balladmonger; madrigalist; lyrist; hymnist, hymnographer, hymnologist; contrapuntist; song writer, songsmith, tunesmith; lyricist, librettist; musicologist, ethnomusicologist.

.21 **music lover,** philharmonic, **music fan,** music buff [both informal], musicophile; musicmonger; concertgoer, operagoer; tonalist.

.22 (patrons) the Muses, the Nine, sacred Nine, tuneful Nine, Pierides; Apollo, Apollo Musagetes; Orpheus; Erato, Euterpe, Polymnia *or* Polyhymnia, Terpsichore.

.23 **songbird,** singing bird, **songster,** feathered songster, warbler; nightingale, Philomel; bulbul, canary, cuckoo, lark, mavis, mockingbird, oriole, ringdove, song sparrow, thrush.

465. MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

.1 musical instrument, –ina, –phone, –chord.

.2 **string** *or* **stringed instrument,** chordophone; strings, string choir.

.3 **harp; lyre,** aeolian harp *or* lyre; bell harp; claviharp; Irish harp, clarsach; Autoharp; **cither,** cithara, **zither,** cittern, gittern; psaltery; dulcimer, symphonia; langspiel; polychord, heptachord, hexachord.

.4 **lute,** archlute; theorbo, oud; bandore, *bandurria* [Sp], pandora, pandura; **banjo,** banjer [dial]; banjo-zither; banjorine; **ukulele,** uke [informal]; banjo-ukulele, banjo-uke [informal], banjuke, banjulele; **guitar,** Spanish guitar, Hawaiian guitar, classical guitar, concert guitar, centerhole guitar, F-hole guitar, electric guitar, Dobro guitar, steel guitar, bass guitar; **mandolin,** mandola, mandore, mandolute, mando-bass, mando-cello, balalaika, tamboura, samisen, troubadour fiddle, vina, sitar.

.5 **viol,** vielle; viol family; violette, viola pomposa; treble viol, descant viol; alto *or* tenor viol, viol *or* viola da braccio; bass viol, viol *or* viola da gamba, viola bastarda, baritone; viol *or* viola d'amore, viol *or* viola da spalla, viol *or* viola di bordone, viol *or* viola di fagotto; rebec; trumpet marine, tromba marina.

.6 **violin, fiddle** [informal], crowd [Brit dial]; violinette, violino piccolo; kit, kit violin, pocket *or* kit fiddle; **viola,** tenor violin, violotta; **violoncello, cello** *or* 'cello; violoncello piccolo; **bass viol,** contrabass, **bass, double bass,** violone, **bull fiddle** [informal], *basso da camera* [Ital]; viola alta; Stradivarius, Stradivari, Strad [informal]; Amati, Cremona, Guarnerius; bow, fiddlestick, fiddlebow; bridge, sound hole, soundboard, fingerboard, tuning peg, scroll; string 465.23, G string, D string, A string, E string.

.7 **wind instrument,** wind; aerophone; **horn,** pipe, tooter; mouthpiece, embouchure, lip; valve, bell, reed, double reed, key, slide.

.8 **brass wind,** brass *or* brass-wind instrument; brasses, brass choir; **bugle,** bugle horn; **trumpet,** valve trumpet, key trumpet, pocket trumpet, tromba; **clarion;** post horn; lituus; lur; **cornet,** cornet-à-pistons, cornopean; **trombone;** slide trombone, sliphorn [slang], sackbut, valve trombone; **saxhorn,** saxtuba, saxcornet, flugelhorn; **althorn** *or* alto horn, ballad horn; baritone, tenor tuba, euphonium, double-bell euphonium; **tuba,** helicon, bombardon, bass horn, sousaphone; ophicleide, serpent; **French horn,** horn, orchestral horn, *corno di caccia* [Ital]; hunting horn; mellophone; alphorn, alpenhorn.

.9 **woodwind,** wood *or* woodwind instrument; woods, woodwind choir; **flute;** aul(o)–; recorder, fipple flute *or* pipe, flageolet; **fife;** pipe, tabor pipe; **piccolo;** ocarina, sweet potato [informal]; hornpipe, pibgorn; whistle, tin-whistle, penny-whistle; aulos; reed instrument, **reed;** double-reed instrument, **double reed; oboe,** hautboy, *oboe d'amore* [Ital]; bass *or* basset oboe, heckelphone; tenoroon, *oboe da caccia* [Ital]; musette; shawm, bombard, bombardon, pommer; **bassoon;** double bassoon, contrabassoon, contrafagotto; sonorophone; single-reed instrument, **single reed; clarinet,** licorice stick [slang];

basset horn; **English horn,** *cor anglais* [Fr]; krummhorn, cromorne; **saxophone,** sax [informal]; panpipe, Pandean pipe, oaten reed, syrinx, shepherd's pipe.

.10 **bagpipe** *or* bagpipes, pipes, union pipes, doodlesack, *Dudelsack* [Ger]; cornemuse, musette; sordellina; chanter, drone.

.11 **mouth organ,** mouth harp, harp, French harp [dial], **harmonica,** harmonicon; Jew's harp, mouth bow; kazoo.

.12 **accordion,** piano accordion; **concertina;** squeeze box [informal]; mellophone; bandonion.

.13 **piano,** pianoforte; pianette, pianino; **grand piano,** grand, Steinway; baby grand, parlor grand, concert grand; square piano, upright piano, upright; spinet; cottage piano; clavier, *Klavier* [Ger]; **harpsichord,** clavicymbal, clavicembalo, cembalo, hammer dulcimer, dulcimer harpsichord; **clavichord,** clarichord, monochord, manichord *or* manichordon; clavicittern, clavicytherium; virginal, pair of virginals, couched harp; lyrichord; violin piano, piano-violin, melodion, harmonichord, sostinente pianoforte, melopiano.

.14 **player piano,** mechanical piano, Pianola; street piano; music roll, piano player roll.

.15 **organ,** pipe organ, reed organ, church organ; baroque organ; **electric organ,** Hammond organ, electro-pneumatic organ, tubular-pneumatic organ, tracker-action organ, hydraulic organ; choralcelo, harmonium, melodeon, melodica, organophone, seraphine, symphonion, vocalion; steam organ, calliope, calliophone; orchestrelle.

.16 **hurdy-gurdy,** vielle, **barrel organ,** hand organ, grind organ, street organ.

.17 **music box,** musical box; orchestrion, orchestrina.

.18 **percussion instrument,** percussion, percussive, idiophone; percussions, battery; **cymbals,** potlids [slang], highhat [informal], crash cymbal; sizzler; **triangle; gong,** tam-tam, tonitruone; **bells,** tubular bells, handbells, tintinnabula; chime, **chimes; orchestral bells, glockenspiel,** lyra; **vibraphone,** vibraharp, vibes [informal]; **xylophone, marimba,** metallophone; celesta; gamelan; **clappers,** snappers, **castanets,** finger cymbals, bones, rattle, rattlebones, maraca.

.19 **drum,** membranophone, tympan, tympanum, tympanon, timpani; **kettledrum,** kettle, timbal, naker, nagara [India]; **snare drum,** side drum; tenor drum, **bass drum, tom-tom,** tam-tam; **bongo drum; conga; timbrel,** tabor, **tambourine,** tambourin; taboret, tabret; troll-drum; war drum, drumhead, drumskin; snare; drumstick, jazz stick, tymp stick.

.20 **keyboard,** fingerboard; console, **keys,** manual, claviature; piano keys, ivories [slang], eighty-eight [slang], organ manual, great, swell, choir, solo, echo; pedals.

.21 **carillon,** chimes 465.18, chime of bells; electronic carillon.

.22 **stop,** organ stop, rank, register; **foundation stop;** principal, diapason, violin *or* string diapason; **flute stop;** melodia, claribel, octave, piccolo, twelfth; concert flute, harmonic flute, stopped flute, bourdon, gedeckt, stopped diapason, quintaten, rohr flute, koppel flute, block flute; **string stop;** cello, viola, gamba, dulciana, viol d'orchestre; **reed stop,** trumpet, trombone, posaune, cornopean, clarion, cromorna, shawm, bombard, ranket, bassoon, English horn, clarinet, oboe; **mutation stop;** nazard, tierce, quint, larigot, septième; **mixture;** cornet, sesquialtera, fourniture, plein jeu, cymbel; **hybrid stop;** spitz flute, gemshorn; **voix céleste,** vox angelica, unda maris; **tremolo,** vibrato, vox humana.

.23 string, chord, steel string, wound string, nylon string; fiddlestring, catgut; horsehair; music wire, piano wire.

.24 plectrum, plectron, pick.

.25 (aids) metronome, rhythmometer; tone measurer, monochord, sonometer; tuning fork, tuning bar, diapason; pitch pipe, tuning pipe; mute; music stand, music lyre; baton, conductor's baton, stick [informal].

466. INTELLECT

(mental faculty)

.1 NOUNS **intellect, mind,** *mens* [L], menti–, noo–, psych(o)–; mental *or* intellectual faculty, nous, **reason, rationality,** rational *or* reasoning faculty, power of reason, *Vernunft* [Ger], *esprit* [Fr], *raison* [Fr], ratio, discursive reason, "discourse of reason" [Shakespeare], **intelligence,** mentality, mental capacity, **understanding,** reasoning, intellection, conception; **psyche;** brain, **brains,** smarts [slang], gray matter [informal]; head, headpiece.

.2 **wits, senses, faculties,** parts, capacities, intellectual gifts *or* talents; intellectuals [archaic]; consciousness 475.2.

.3 **inmost mind,** inner recesses of the mind,

mind's core, deepest mind, center of the mind; inner man 5.4; subconscious, subconscious mind 690.35; inmost heart 855.2.

.4 **psyche, spirit,** spiritus, **soul,** *âme* [Fr], **heart, mind,** anima, *anima humana* [L]; shade, shadow, manes; breath, pneuma, breath of life, divine breath; *atman, purusha, buddhi, jiva, jivatma* [all Skt]; ba, khu [both Egypt myth]; *ruach, nephesh* [both Heb]; spiritual being, inner man, "the Divinity that stirs within us" [Addison]; **ego,** the self, the I.

.5 **life principle,** vital principle, vital spirit *or* soul, **vital force,** prana [Hinduism]; essence *or* substance of life, individual essence, *ousia* [Gk]; divine spark, vital spark *or* flame.

.6 **brain,** cerebr(o)–, encephal(o)–; seat *or* organ of thought, sensory, sensorium; encephalon; gray matter, head, pate *or* sconce *or* noddle [all informal]; noodle *or* noggin *or* bean *or* upper story [all slang]; sensation 422.

.7 (parts of the brain) prosencephalon, forebrain; telencephalon, endbrain; cerebrum; cerebral hemispheres, corpus callosum, cerebral cortex, mantle, pallium, archipallium, neopallium; lobe, frontal lobe, temporal lobe, parietal lobe, occipital lobe, limbic lobe; diencephalon, between brain; hypothalamus, hypothalam(o)–, subthalamus, thalamus, thalam(o)–; midbrain, mesencephalon; pons; optic chiasm; hindbrain, rhombencephalon; metencephalon, myelencephalon; cerebellum, little brain; hippocampus; fornix; corpus striatum, lenticular nucleus, globus pallidus, pallido–; folia, arbor vitae, cerebellar hemispheres, vermis; medulla oblongata; reticular system; brain stem; meninges, dura mater, pia mater, arachnoid; ventricle; convolution, fissure, gyrus; cerebrospinal fluid; pituitary body; pineal body; gray matter, poli(o)–, white matter; glial cells.

.8 ADJS **mental, intellectual, rational, reasoning, thinking,** noetic, conceptive, conceptual, phrenic; intelligent 467.12; noological; endopsychic, psychic(al), psychologic(al), spiritual; cerebral; subjective, internal.

467. INTELLIGENCE, WISDOM

(mental capacity)

.1 NOUNS **intelligence, understanding,** *Verstand* [Ger], **comprehension,** apprehension, mental *or* intellectual grasp, intellectual power, thinking power, power of mind *or* thought; ideation, conception; integrative power, esemplastic power; rationality, reasoning *or* deductive power; **sense, wit,** mother wit, natural *or* native wit; intellect 466; **intellectuality,** intellectualism; capacity, mental capacity, **mentality,** caliber, reach *or* compass *or* scope of mind; IQ, intelligence quotient, mental ratio, mental age; sanity 472; knowledge 475.

.2 **smartness, brainiess,** smarts *or* savvy [both slang], **brightness, brilliance, cleverness,** aptness, aptitude, native cleverness, mental alertness, nous, **sharpness, keenness,** acuity, acuteness, gifts, giftedness, talent, flair, genius; quickness, nimbleness, adroitness, dexterity; sharp-wittedness, keen-wittedness, quick-wittedness, nimble-wittedness; nimble mind, mercurial mind, quick parts, clear *or* quick thinking; ready wit, quick wit, sprightly wit, *esprit* [Fr].

.3 **shrewdness, artfulness, cunning,** cunningness, canniness, **craft, craftiness,** wiliness, guilefulness, slickness, **slyness,** pawkiness [Brit], foxiness [informal], peasant *or* animal cunning, low cunning; subtility, subtilty, **subtlety;** insidiousness, deviousness.

.4 **sagacity,** sagaciousness, **astuteness, acumen,** longheadedness; **foresight,** foresightedness, providence; **farsightedness,** farseeingness, longsightedness; **discernment, insight,** penetration, acuteness, acuity; perspicacity, perspicaciousness, perspicuity, perspicuousness; incisiveness, trenchancy, cogency; **perception,** perceptiveness, percipience, apperception; sensibility 422.2.

.5 **wisdom,** ripe wisdom, seasoned understanding, mellow wisdom, wiseness, sageness, sapience, good *or* sound understanding; Sophia; erudition 475.4,5; **profundity,** profoundness, depth; broadmindedness 526.

.6 **sensibleness, reasonableness,** reason, rationality, sanity, saneness, **soundness; practicality,** practical wisdom, practical mind; **sense,** good *or* common *or* plain sense, **horse sense** [informal]; due sense of; level head, cool head, **levelheadedness,** balance, coolheadedness, coolness; soberness, sobriety, **sober-mindedness.**

.7 **judiciousness, judgment,** good *or* sound judgment, cool judgment, soundness of judgment; **prudence,** prudentialism, providence, policy, polity; weighing, consider-

ation, circumspection, circumspectness, reflection, reflectiveness, **thoughtfulness; discretion,** discreetness; **discrimination.**

.8 **genius,** *Geist* [Ger], spirit, soul; daimonion, demon, daemon; **inspiration,** afflatus, divine afflatus; Muse; fire of genius; **creativity;** talent 733.4; creative thought 535.2.

.9 (intelligent being) **intelligence, intellect,** head, brain, mentality, consciousness; wise man 468.

.10 VERBS **have all one's wits about one,** have all one's marbles [slang], have smarts *or* savvy [slang], have a head on one's shoulders [informal], have one's head screwed on right; use one's head *or* wits; know what's what 733.18, be wise as a serpent *or* owl; be reasonable, listen to reason.

.11 be brilliant, **scintillate,** sparkle, coruscate.

.12 ADJS **intelligent,** intellectual [archaic]; ideational, conceptual, conceptive, discursive; sophic, noetic; **knowing, understanding, reasonable, rational, sensible, bright;** sane 472.4; not so dumb [informal], strong-minded.

.13 **clear-witted,** clearheaded, clear-sighted; awake, **wide-awake,** alive, **alert,** on the ball [slang].

.14 **smart, brainy** [informal], **bright, brilliant,** scintillating; **clever,** apt, **gifted,** talented; **sharp,** keen; **quick,** nimble, adroit, dexterous; **sharp-witted,** keen-witted, needle-witted, **quick-witted,** quick-thinking, steel-trap, nimble-witted, quick on the trigger *or* uptake [informal]; smart as a whip, sharp as a tack [slang]; nobody's fool *or* no dumbbell *or* not born yesterday [all informal].

.15 **shrewd, artful, cunning, knowing, crafty, wily,** guileful, canny, slick, sly, pawky [Brit], foxy [informal], crazy like a fox [slang]; **subtle,** subtile; insidious, devious, Byzantine, calculating.

.16 **sagacious, astute,** longheaded, argute; **understanding, discerning,** penetrating, incisive, acute, trenchant, cogent, piercing; **foresighted,** foreseeing; forethoughted, forethoughtful, provident; **farsighted,** farseeing, longsighted; **perspicacious,** perspicuous; **perceptive** 422.13, percipient, apperceptive, appercipient.

.17 **wise, sage,** sapient, **knowing; learned** 475.21; **profound,** deep; wise as an owl *or* serpent, wise as Solomon; wise beyond one's years, in advance of one's age, wise in one's generation; broad-minded 526.8.

.18 **sensible, reasonable, rational, logical; practical,** pragmatic; philosophical; commonsense, commonsensical [informal]; **levelheaded,** balanced, coolheaded, cool, **sound, sane,** sober, **sober-minded,** well-balanced.

.19 **judicious,** judicial, judgmatic(al), **prudent,** prudential, politic, careful, provident, **considerate,** circumspect, **thoughtful,** reflective, reflecting; **discreet;** discriminative, discriminating; **well-advised,** well-judged, enlightened.

.20 ADVS **intelligently, understandingly,** knowingly, discerningly; **reasonably,** rationally, sensibly; **smartly, cleverly; shrewdly,** artfully, cunningly; **wisely,** sagaciously, astutely; **judiciously, prudently,** discreetly, providently, considerately, circumspectly, thoughtfully.

468. WISE MAN

.1 NOUNS **wise man, sage,** sapient, man of wisdom; **master,** authority, mastermind, master spirit of the age, oracle; **philosopher,** thinker, lover of wisdom; rabbi; doctor; great soul, mahatma, guru, rishi; *starets* [Russ], elder, wise old man, elder statesman; illuminate; seer; mentor; **intellect,** man of intellect; mandarin, **intellectual** 476; savant, **scholar** 476.3.

.2 Solomon, Socrates, Plato, Mentor, Nestor, Confucius, Buddha, Gandhi.

.3 **the wise,** the intelligent, the sensible, the prudent, the knowing, the understanding.

.4 Seven Wise Men of Greece, Seven Sages, Seven Wise Masters; Solon, Chilon, Pittacus, Bias, Periander, Epimenides, Cleobulus, Thales.

.5 Magi, Three Wise Men, Wise Men of the East, Three Kings; Three Kings of Cologne; Gaspar *or* Caspar, Melchior, Balthasar.

.6 **wiseacre,** wisehead, wiseling, **witling,** wisenheimer [slang], wise guy, smart ass [slang]; wise fool; Gothamite, wise man of Gotham, wise man of Chelm.

469. UNINTELLIGENCE

.1 NOUNS **unintelligence,** unintellectuality [archaic], unwisdom, unwiseness, intellectual *or* mental weakness; **senselessness, witlessness, mindlessness,** brainlessness, primal stupidity, *Urdummheit* [Ger], reasonlessness, lackwittedness, lackbrainedness, slackwittedness, slackmindedness; **irrationality; ignorance** 477; **foolishness** 470; incapacity, ineptitude; low IQ.

.2 **unperceptiveness,** imperceptiveness, insensibility, impercipience, undiscerningness, unapprehendingness, **incomprehen-**

sion, nonunderstanding; **blindness,** mind-blindness, purblindness; **shortsightedness,** nearsightedness, dim-sightedness.

.3 **stupidity,** stupidness, *bêtise* [Fr], **dumbness** [informal], **doltishness,** boobishness, duncery [archaic], dullardism, blockishness, cloddishness, lumpishness, sottishness, **asininity,** ninnyism, simpletonianism; oafishness, oafdom, yokelism, loutishness; **density,** denseness, opacity; grossness, crassness, crudeness, boorishness; **dullness,** dopiness [slang], **obtuseness,** sluggishness, bovinity, cowishness, slowness, lethargy, stolidity, hebetude; **dim-wittedness,** dimness, **dull-wittedness,** slow-wittedness, beef-wittedness, dull-headedness, **thick-wittedness,** thick-headedness, unteachability, ineducability; wrongheadedness.

.4 [informal terms] **blockheadedness,** woodenheadedness, klutziness, dunderheadedness, jolterheadedness *or* joltheadedness [both Brit], chowderheadedness, chuckleheadedness, beetleheadedness, chumpiness, numskulledness *or* numskullery, cabbageheadedness, sapheadedness, muttonheadedness, fatheadedness, boneheadedness, knuckleheadedness, blunderheadedness.

.5 **muddleheadedness,** addleheadedness, addlepatedness, puzzleheadedness; dizziness [informal].

.6 **empty-headedness,** empty-mindedness, absence of mind; **vacuity,** vacuousness, vacancy, vacuum, emptiness, mental void, blankness, hollowness, inanity, vapidity, jejunity.

.7 **superficiality, shallowness, unprofundity,** lack of depth, unprofoundness, thinness; shallow-wittedness, shallow-mindedness; **frivolousness,** flightiness, lightness, fluffiness, frothiness, volatility.

.8 **feeblemindedness,** weak-mindedness; infirmity, weakness, feebleness, softness.

.9 **mental deficiency,** mental retardation, amentia, mental handicap, subnormality, mental defectiveness; **arrested development,** infantilism, retardation, retardment, backwardness; **simplemindedness,** simple-wittedness, simpleness, simplicity; **idiocy,** idiotism [archaic], profound idiocy, **imbecility, half-wittedness,** blithering idiocy; moronity, moronism, **cretinism;** mongolism, mongolianism, mongoloid idiocy, Down's syndrome; insanity 473.

.10 **senility,** senilism, senile weakness, senile debility, caducity, decrepitude, senectitude, decline; **childishness, second childhood, dotage, dotardism;** anility; senile dementia, senile psychosis.

.11 **puerility,** puerilism, immaturity, **childishness; infantilism,** babyishness.

.12 VERBS **be stupid,** etc.; drool, slobber, drivel, dither, blither, blather, maunder, dote, burble; not see an inch beyond one's nose, not have enough sense to come in out of the rain, not find one's way to first base.

.13 ADJS **unintelligent,** unintellectual [archaic], **unthinking, unreasoning, irrational,** unwise, inept, **not bright;** ungifted, untalented; **senseless,** insensate; **mindless, witless, reasonless, brainless,** pin-brained, pea-brained, of little brain, headless; **lackwitted,** lackbrained, slackwitted, slack-minded, lean-minded, lean-witted, short-witted; **foolish** 470.8; **ignorant** 477.12.

.14 **undiscerning, unperceptive,** imperceptive, impercipient, insensible, unapprehending, uncomprehending, nonunderstanding; **shortsighted,** myopic, near-sighted, dim-sighted; **blind,** purblind, mind-blind, blind as a bat; blinded, blindfold, blindfolded.

.15 **stupid, dumb,** dullard, **doltish,** blockish, klutzy *or* klutzish [both slang], duncish, duncical, cloddish, clottish [Brit], chumpish [informal], lumpish, **oafish,** boobish, sottish, **asinine,** lamebrained, Boeotian; **dense,** thick [informal], opaque, gross, crass, fat; bovine, cowish, beef-witted, beef-brained, beefheaded; unteachable, ineducable; wrongheaded; dead from the neck up, dead above *or* between the ears, muscle-bound between the ears.

.16 **dull,** dull of mind, **dopey** [slang], **obtuse,** blunt, dim, wooden, heavy, sluggish, slow, **slow-witted,** hebetudinous, **dim-witted, dull-witted,** blunt-witted, dull-brained, dull-headed, dull-pated, **thick-witted,** thick-headed, thick-pated, thick-skulled, thick-brained, fat-witted, gross-witted, gross-headed.

.17 [informal terms] **blockheaded,** woodenheaded, stupidheaded, dumbheaded, dunderheaded, blunderheaded, jolterheaded *or* joltheaded [both Brit], chowderheaded, chuckleheaded, beetleheaded, nitwitted, numskulled, cabbageheaded, pumpkin-headed, sapheaded, lunkheaded, muttonheaded, fatheaded, boneheaded, knuckleheaded, clodpated, shitheaded [slang].

.18 **muddleheaded, fuddlebrained** [informal], scramblebrained [informal], muddled, ad-

dled, addleheaded, **addlepated,** addlebrained, muddybrained, puzzleheaded, blear-witted; dizzy [informal], muzzy, foggy.

.19 **empty-headed,** empty-minded, empty-noddled, empty-pated, empty-skulled; **vacuous,** vacant, empty, hollow, inane, vapid, jejune, blank; **rattlebrained,** rattleheaded; scatterbrained 532.16.

.20 **superficial, shallow, unprofound;** shallow-witted, shallow-minded, shallow-brained, shallow-headed, shallow-pated; **frivolous,** flighty, light, volatile, frothy, fluffy, **featherbrained, birdwitted, birdbrained.**

.21 **feebleminded, weak-minded,** weak, feeble, infirm, soft, soft in the head, weak in the upper story [informal].

.22 **mentally deficient,** mentally defective, mentally handicapped, retarded, **mentally retarded,** backward, arrested, subnormal, not right in the head, **not all there** [informal]; **simpleminded,** simple-witted, simple, simpletonian; **half-witted,** half-baked [informal]; **idiotic, moronic, imbecile,** imbecilic, cretinous, cretinistic, mongoloid; crackbrained, cracked, crazy 473.25; babbling, driveling, slobbering, drooling, blithering, dithering, maundering, burbling.

.23 **senile,** decrepit, doddering, doddery; **childish,** childlike, in one's second childhood, **doting,** doited [Scot].

.24 **puerile,** immature, **childish;** childlike; **infantile,** infantine; **babyish,** babish.

.25 ADVS **unintelligently, stupidly;** foolishly 470.12.

470. FOOLISHNESS

.1 NOUNS **foolishness, folly,** foolery, foolheadedness, **stupidity, asininity,** *niaiserie* [Fr], *bêtise* [Fr]; **inanity, fatuity,** fatuousness; ineptitude; **silliness; frivolousness,** frivolity, giddiness; triviality, triflingness, nugacity, desipience; **senselessness, witlessness, thoughtlessness,** brainlessness, mindlessness; **idiocy, imbecility; craziness, madness,** lunacy, **insanity; eccentricity, queerness,** crankiness, crackpottedness; weirdness; screwiness *or* nuttiness *or* wackiness *or* goofiness *or* daffiness *or* battiness *or* sappiness [all slang]; zaniness, zanyism, **clownishness, buffoonery.**

.2 **unwiseness,** unwisdom, **injudiciousness, imprudence;** indiscreetness, **indiscretion,** inconsideration, thoughtlessness, witlessness, inattention, unthoughtfulness; **unreasonableness, unsoundness, unsensibleness,** senselessness, reasonlessness, **irrationality, unreason,** inadvisability; recklessness; childishness, immaturity, puerility, callowness; inexpedience 671; unintelligence 469; pompousness, stuffiness.

.3 **absurdity,** absurdness, **ridiculousness;** ludicrousness 880.1; **nonsense,** nonsensicality, stuff and nonsense; **preposterousness,** fantasticalness, monstrousness, wildness, **outrageousness.**

.4 (foolish act) **folly, stupidity,** act of folly, absurdity, *sottise* [Fr], foolish *or* stupid thing, dumb thing to do [slang]; fool *or* fool's trick, dumb trick [informal]; **imprudence, indiscretion,** imprudent *or* unwise step; blunder 518.5.

.5 stultification; infatuation.

.6 VERBS **be foolish;** be stupid 469.12; **act** *or* **play the fool;** get funny, do the crazy act *or* bit *or* shtick [slang]; **fool,** tomfool [informal], **trifle,** frivol; **fool around** [informal], horse around [informal], clown, clown around; **make a fool of oneself,** make a monkey of oneself [slang], stultify oneself, invite ridicule, put oneself out of court, play the buffoon; **lose one's head, take leave of one's senses,** go haywire; pass from the sublime to the ridiculous; strain at a gnat and swallow a camel.

.7 stultify, infatuate, turn one's head, befool; gull, dupe; **make a fool of,** make a monkey of [slang], play for a sucker [slang], put on [slang].

.8 ADJS **foolish,** fool [informal], foolheaded [informal], **stupid, dumb** [slang], **asinine,** wet [Brit]; buffoonish; **silly,** apish, dizzy [informal]; **fatuous,** fatuitous, inept, **inane;** futile; **senseless, witless, thoughtless,** brainless; **idiotic,** moronic, imbecile, **crazy, mad,** daft, **insane;** cockeyed *or* screwy *or* nutty *or* wacky *or* goofy *or* daffy *or* loony *or* batty *or* sappy *or* kooky *or* flaky [all slang]; infatuated, besotted, credulous, gulled, befooled, beguiled, fond, doting, gaga; sentimental, maudlin; dazed, fuddled.

.9 **unwise, injudicious, imprudent, impolitic; indiscreet;** inconsiderate, thoughtless, mindless, witless, unthoughtful, unthinking, unreflecting, unreflective; **unreasonable, unsound, unsensible,** senseless, insensate, reasonless, **irrational,** reckless, inadvisable; inexpedient 671.5; **ill-advised, ill-considered,** ill-gauged, ill-judged, ill-imagined, ill-contrived, ill-devised, unconsidered; unadvised, misadvised, mis-

guided; undiscerning; unforeseeing, unseeing, shortsighted, myopic.

.10 **absurd, nonsensical,** ridiculous, poppycockish, laughable, ludicrous 880.4; **foolish, crazy;** preposterous, cockamamie [informal], fantastic(al), grotesque, monstrous, wild, weird, **outrageous,** incredible, beyond belief, *outré* [Fr], extravagant, bizarre; high-flown.

.11 foolable, befoolable, gullible; naïve, artless, inexperienced, green.

.12 ADVS **foolishly, stupidly,** sillily, idiotically; **unwisely,** injudiciously, imprudently, indiscreetly, inconsiderately; senselessly, unreasonably, thoughtlessly, witlessly, unthinkingly; absurdly, ridiculously.

471. FOOL

.1 NOUNS **fool,** tomfool, perfect fool, born fool; *schmuck* [Yid]; **ass,** jackass, stupid ass, egregious ass; zany, **clown, buffoon,** doodle; sop, milksop; mooncalf, softhead; figure of fun; **lunatic** 473.15; **ignoramus** 477.8.

.2 [slang terms] **chump, booby, boob, sap,** prize sap, klutz, **dingbat,** dingdong, **ding-a-ling, saphead, mutt, jerk,** jerk-off, asshole, **goof,** schlemiel, sawney [Brit], galoot.

.3 **dolt, dunce,** clod, Boeotian, **dullard,** *niais* [Fr], donkey, stupid, **ninny,** ninnyhammer, **nincompoop,** looby, noddy, jobbernowl [Brit informal], thickwit, **dope, nitwit,** dimwit, lackwit, lamebrain, put, lightweight, witling, gaby [Brit dial]; dummy *or* dumb cluck *or* **dumbbell** *or* **dumb bunny** [all slang], block [slang], loon [slang], gowk [Brit dial].

.4 **blockhead,** dolthead, dumbhead, stupidhead, dullhead, bufflehead [dial], bonehead, jughead, thickhead, thickskull, **numskull, lunkhead,** chucklehead, **knucklehead,** chowderhead, jolterhead [Brit informal], muttonhead, beefhead, **meathead,** noodlehead, pinhead, pinbrain, peabrain, cabbagehead, pumpkin head, **fathead,** blubberhead, muddlehead, puzzlehead, addlebrain, addlehead, **addlepate,** tottyhead [archaic], puddinghead, mushhead, blunderhead, dunderhead, dunderpate, clodpate, clodhead, clodpoll.

.5 **oaf, lout,** boor, lubber, **gawk,** gawky, **lummox,** yokel, rube, hick, hayseed, bumpkin, clod, clodhopper.

.6 **silly,** silly Billy, **silly ass, goose.**

.7 **scatterbrain,** scatterbrains, shatterbrain, shatterpate [both archaic], **rattlebrain,** rattlehead, rattlepate, **harebrain,** featherbrain, shallowbrain, shallowpate [archaic], featherhead, giddybrain, giddyhead, giddypate, **flibbertigibbet.**

.8 **simpleton,** simp [slang], juggins *or* jiggins [both slang], clot [Brit], golem, **idiot,** driveling *or* blithering *or* congenital idiot; **imbecile, moron, half-wit,** natural, natural idiot, born fool, natural-born fool, ament, defective; cretin, mongolian *or* mongoloid idiot.

.9 **dotard,** senile; fogy, **old fogy,** fuddy-duddy, old fart *or* fud.

472. SANITY

.1 NOUNS **sanity, saneness,** sanemindedness, soundness, **soundness of mind,** soundmindedness, sound mind, healthy mind, right mind [informal], senses, reason, **rationality,** reasonableness, lucidity, balance, wholesomeness; normalness, normality, normalcy; **mental health;** mental hygiene; mental balance *or* poise *or* equilibrium; sobriety, sober senses; a sound mind in a sound body *"mens sana in corpore sano"* [L; Juve ı]; contact with reality; lucid interval.

.2 VERBS **come to one's senses,** sober down *or* up, recover one's sanity *or* balance *or* equilibrium, get things into proportion; see in perspective; have all one's marbles [slang].

.3 **bring to one's senses,** bring to reason.

.4 ADJS **sane,** sane-minded, **rational,** reasonable, sensible, **lucid,** normal, wholesome, clearheaded, clearminded, balanced, **sound,** mentally sound, of sound mind, *compos mentis* [L], sound-minded, healthy-minded, right, right in the head, **in one's right mind,** in possession of one's faculties *or* senses, together, all there [both slang].

473. INSANITY, MANIA

.1 NOUNS **insanity,** insaneness, unsaneness, **lunacy, madness,** *folie* [Fr], **craziness, daftness,** oddness, strangeness, queerness, abnormality; loss of touch *or* contact with reality, loss of mind *or* reason; dementedness, dementia, brainsickness, mindsickness, mental sickness, sickness, **mental illness, mental disease,** –phrenia; brain damage; rabidness, **mania,** furor; alienation, aberration, mental disturbance, **derangement,** distraction, disorientation, mental derangement *or* disorder, unbalance, mental instability, unsoundness, **unsoundness of mind,**

unbalanced mind, diseased *or* unsound mind, **sick mind,** disturbed *or* troubled *or* clouded mind, shattered mind, mind overthrown *or* unhinged, darkened mind, disordered mind *or* reason; senselessness, witlessness, reasonlessness, irrationality; possession, pixilation; mental deficiency 469.1.

.2 [informal terms] **daffiness, nuttiness, battiness,** screwiness, goofiness, kookiness, **wackiness,** dottiness, looniness, **balminess;** bats in the belfry, a screw loose; lame brains.

.3 **psychosis,** psychopathy, psychopathia, psychopathic condition; organic psychosis, metabolic psychosis, toxic psychosis, functional psychosis; reactive *or* situational psychosis; certifiability; **neurosis** 690.19; senile dementia, senile psychosis, senility, Pick's disease; presenile dementia, Alzheimer's disease; syphilitic paresis, dementia paralytica, paralytic dementia, general paresis, general paralysis; arteriosclerotic psychosis; Korsakoff's psychosis *or* syndrome; prison psychosis; psychopathia sexualis, sexual pathology 419.12–14; pathological drunkenness *or* intoxication, dipsomania 993.3; pharmacopsychosis, drug addiction 642.9; moral insanity, psychopathic personality 690.16, *folie du doute* [Fr], abulia 627.4.

.4 **schizophrenia, dementia praecox,** schiz(o)–; mental dissociation, dissociation of personality; **split personality,** alternating personality, dual *or* double personality, multiple personality; catatonic schizophrenia, catatonia, hebephrenia, hebephrenic schizophrenia; schizothymia; schizophasia; **paranoia,** paraphrenia, paranoiac *or* paranoid psychosis; paranoid schizophrenia.

.5 **melancholia,** "moping, melancholy and moonstruck madness" [Milton]; melancholia hypochrondriaca; involutional melancholia *or* involutional psychosis; stuporous melancholia, melancholia attonita; flatuous melancholia; melancholia religiosa; **manic-depressive psychosis;** cyclothymia.

.6 **rabies, hydrophobia,** lyssa, canine madness; dumb *or* sullen rabies, paralytic rabies; furious rabies.

.7 **frenzy, furor,** fury, maniacal excitement, fever, **rage; seizure,** attack, **fit,** paroxysm, spasm, **convulsion; amok,** murderous insanity *or* frenzy; psychokinesia; furor epilepticus.

.8 **delirium,** deliriousness, brainstorm; calenture of the brain, afebrile delirium, lingual delirium, delirium mussitans; incoherence, wandering, raving, ranting.

.9 **delirium tremens,** mania *or* dementia a potu, delirium alcoholicum *or* ebriositatis.

.10 [slang or informal terms] **the DT's,** the horrors, the shakes, **the heebie-jeebies,** the jimjams, the beezie-weezies, the screaming meemies, blue Johnnies, blue devils, pink elephants, pink spiders, snakes, snakes in the boots.

.11 **fanaticism,** fanaticalness, **rabidness, overzealousness,** overenthusiasm, ultrazealousness, zealotry, zealotism, bigotry, perfervidness; extremism, extremeness, extravagance, excessiveness, overreaction; overreligiousness 1028.3.

.12 **mania** 473.36, **craze, infatuation, enthusiasm,** passion, fascination, crazy fancy, bug [slang], rage, furore, furor; manic-depressive psychosis.

.13 **obsession,** prepossession, preoccupation, **hang-up** [slang], **fixation,** tic, complex, fascination; hypercathexis; **compulsion,** morbid drive, obsessive compulsion, irresistible impulse; **monomania,** ruling passion, fixed idea, *idée fixe* [Fr], one-track mind; **possession.**

.14 **insane asylum,** asylum, lunatic asylum, **madhouse,** mental institution, mental home, bedlam; **bughouse** *or* nuthouse *or* laughing academy *or* **loonybin** *or* **booby hatch** [all slang]; mental hospital, psychopathic hospital *or* ward, psychiatric ward; padded cell.

.15 **lunatic, madman,** dement, phrenetic, fanatic [both archaic], *fou, aliéné* [both Fr], noncompos; bedlamite, Tom o' Bedlam; demoniac, energumen; **loon** *or* loony *or* **nut** *or* **crackpot** *or* **screwball** *or* weirdie *or* weirdo *or* kook *or* flake *or* crackbrain [all slang]; *meshuggenah* [Yid]; **maniac,** raving lunatic; borderline case; idiot 471.8.

.16 **psychotic,** psycho [informal], mental, mental case, certifiable case, **psychopath,** psychopathic case; psychopathic personality; paranoiac, paranoid; schizophrenic, schizophrene, schizoid; schiz *or* schizy *or* schizo [all slang]; catatoniac; hebephreniac; manic-depressive.

.17 **fanatic,** infatuate, **bug** [slang], **nut** [slang], **buff** *or* **fan** [both informal], freak [slang], *fanatico, aficionado* [both Sp], devotee, **zealot, enthusiast,** energumen; **monomaniac,** crank [informal]; lunatic fringe.

.18 psychiatry, alienism; psychiatrist, alienist 690.12.

.19 VERBS **be insane, be out of one's mind,** not be in one's right mind, not be right in the head, **not be all there** [informal], have a demon *or* devil; have bats in the belfry *or* have a screw loose, not have all one's buttons *or* marbles [slang]; **wander, ramble; rave,** rage, **rant;** dote, babble; drivel, drool, slobber, slaver; froth *or* foam at the mouth, run mad, run amok.

.20 **go mad, go crazy, take leave of one's senses,** lose one's senses *or* reason *or* wits, **crack up,** go off one's head [informal].

.21 [slang terms] go off one's nut *or* rocker, go off the track *or* trolley, go out of one's skull, blow one's top *or* stack, flip one's lid *or* wig, go ape, go bananas, go crackers [Brit], blow one's mind, freak out.

.22 addle the wits, **affect one's mind, go to one's head.**

.23 **madden,** dement, **craze,** mad [archaic], make mad, send mad, **unbalance,** unhinge, undermine one's reason, **derange,** distract, frenzy, shatter, **drive insane** *or* mad *or* **crazy,** put *or* send out of one's mind, overthrow one's mind *or* reason.

.24 **obsess, possess,** beset, infatuate, **preoccupy,** be uppermost in one's thoughts, have a thing about [informal]; grip, hold, get a hold on, not let go; **drive, compel, impel.**

.25 ADJS **insane,** unsane, **mad,** stark-mad, **stark-staring mad,** maddened, **crazy, sick,** crazed, loco [informal], mental, **psycho** [informal], **lunatic,** moon-struck, **daft, non compos mentis,** non compos, **unsound,** of unsound mind, **demented, deranged,** deluded, disoriented, unhinged, **unbalanced,** unsettled, distraught, wandering, mazed, **cracked** [informal], crackbrained, brainsick, sick in the head, not right, not right in the head [informal], not in one's right mind, **touched,** tetched [dial], touched in the head, off one's head [informal], **out of one's mind,** out of one's head [informal], out of one's senses *or* wits, bereft of reason, reasonless, irrational, deprived of reason, senseless, witless, **not all there** [informal], *meshuggah* [Yid]; hallucinated; manic; queer, odd, strange, off, flighty [archaic]; abnormal 85.9, mentally deficient 469.22.

.26 [slang terms] **daffy, dotty,** dippy, **loony, goofy, wacky, balmy** *or* barmy, flaky, **kooky, potty, batty,** bats, nuts, **nutty,** fruity, fruitcakey, **screwy,** screwball, screwballs, crackers [Brit], **bananas,** bonkers, loopy, beany, **buggy, bughouse,** bugs, **cuckoo,** slaphappy, flipped, freaked-out, off the wall, gaga, haywire, out of one's skull, off in the upper story, off one's nut *or* rocker, off the track *or* trolley, off the hinges, round the bend [Brit], minus some buttons, nobody home, with bats in the belfry, just plain nuts.

.27 **psychotic, psychopathic, mentally ill,** mentally sick, certifiable; disturbed, neurotic 690.45; schizophrenic, schizoid, schiz [slang], schizy; manic-depressive; paranoiac, paranoid; catatonic; brain-damaged, brain-injured.

.28 **possessed,** possessed with a demon *or* devil, **pixilated, bedeviled,** demonized, devil-ridden.

.29 **mad as a hatter,** mad as a March hare, crazier than a bedbug *or* coot *or* loon, nutty as a fruitcake [slang].

.30 **rabid, maniac** *or* **maniacal,** raving mad, stark-raving mad, **frenzied, frantic,** frenetic; **mad,** madding, **wild, furious, violent;** desperate; **beside oneself,** like one possessed, uncontrollable; **raving, raging,** ranting; frothing *or* foaming at the mouth; **amok, berserk,** running wild; maenadic, corybantic, bacchic, Dionysiac.

.31 **delirious,** out of one's head [informal], off one's head [informal], **off; giddy,** dizzy, lightheaded; **wandering, rambling, raving, ranting,** babbling, incoherent.

.32 **fanatic(al), rabid; overzealous,** ultrazealous, **overenthusiastic,** zealotic, bigoted, perfervid; **extreme,** extremist, extravagant, inordinate, ultra–, hyper–; **unreasonable, irrational; wild-eyed,** wild-looking, haggard; overreligious 1028.4.

.33 **obsessed, possessed,** prepossessed, **infatuated,** preoccupied, fixated, **hung-up** [slang], besotted, gripped, held; monomaniac *or* monomaniacal.

.34 **obsessive,** obsessional; **obsessing, possessing, preoccupying,** gripping, holding; driving, impelling, **compulsive, compelling.**

.35 ADVS madly, insanely, crazily; deliriously; fanatically, rabidly, etc.

.36 **manias**

abluto– (bathing)
acro– (incurable insanity)
agora– (open spaces)
agyio– (streets)
ailuro– (cats)
alcoholo– (alcohol)
amaxo– (being in vehicles)
ameno– (pleasing delusions)
America– (United States)
andro– (men)
Anglo– (England)
antho– (flowers)
aphrodisio– (sexual pleasure)
api– (bees)
arithmo– (counting)

auto– (solitude)
autophono– (suicide)
ballisto– (bullets)
biblio– (books)
biblioklepto– (book theft)
bruxo– (gritting one's teeth)
cacodemono– (demonic possession)
chero– (gaiety)
China– (China)
chiono– (snow)
choreo– (dancing)
chremato– (money)
clino– (bed rest)
coprolalo– (foul speech)
cremno– (cliffs)
creso– (great wealth)
cyno– (dogs)
Danto– (Dante)
demo– (crowds)
dipso– (liquor)
dora– (fur)
drapeto– (running away)
dromo– (traveling)
ecdemio– (wandering)
edeo– (genitals)
ego– (one's self)
eleuthro– (freedom)
empleo– (public employment)
eno– (wine)
entheo– (religion)
entomo– (insects)
eremio– (stillness)
ergasio– (activity)
ergo– (work)
erotico– (erotica)
eroto– (sexual desire)
erotographo– (erotic literature)
erythro– (blushing)
ethero– (ether)
flori– (plants)
Franco– (France)
Gallo– (France)
gamo– (marriage)
gephyro– (crossing bridges)
Germano– (Germany)
grapho– (writing)
Greco– (Greece)
gymno– (nakedness)
gyneco– (satyriasis)
hamarto– (sin)
hedono– (pleasure)
helio– (sun)
hiero– (priests)
hippo– (horses)
hodo– (travel)
homicido– (murder)
hydro– (water)
hydrodipso– (drinking water)
hylo– (woods)
hyper– (acute mania)
hypno– (sleep)
hypo– (mild mania)
hystero– (nymphomania)
ichthyo– (fish)
icono– (icons)
idolo– (idols)
Italo– (Italy)
kaino– (novelty)
kathiso– (sitting)
kineso– (movement)
klepto– (stealing)
lalo– (speech)
letheo– (narcotics)
logo– (talking)
lyco– (lycanthropy)
lype– (deep melancholy)
macro– (becoming larger)
megalo– (own importance)
melo– (music)
mentulo– (the penis)
mesmero– (hypnosis)
metro– (writing verse)
micro– (becoming smaller)
mono– (one subject)
musico– (music)
muso– (mice)
mytho– (lies; exaggerations)
necro– (death; the dead)
nocti– (night)
noso– (imagined disease)
nosto– (return home)
nudo– (nudity)
nympho– (female lust)
ochlo– (crowds)
oestro– (nymphomania)
oiko– (home)
oino– (wine)
oligo– (a few subjects)
onio– (buying)
ophidio– (reptiles)
opio– (opium)
opso– (a special food)
orchido– (testicles)
ornitho– (birds)
para– (joy in complaints)
parousia– (second coming of Christ)
patho– (moral insanity)
phago– (food; eating)
phanero– (picking at growths)
pharmaco– (medicines)
philopatrido– (homesickness)
phono– (noise)
photo– (light)
phronemo– (thinking)
phthisio– (tuberculosis)
pluto– (great wealth)
politico– (politics)
porio– (wanderlust)
pornographo– (pornography)
poto– (drinking; delirium tremens)
pseudo– (falsities)
pyro– (fires)
Russo– (Russia)
satyro– (male lust)
scribble– (writing)
scribo– (writing)
siderodromo– (railroad travel)
sito– (food)
sopho– (one's own wisdom)
squander– (spending)
sub– (mild mania)
symmetro– (symmetry)
Teutono– (Germany)
thalasso– (the sea)
thanato– (death)
theatro– (theater)
theo– (that one is God)
timbro– (postage stamps)
tomo– (surgery)
tricho– (hair)
trichorrhexo– (pinching off one's hair)
trichotillo– (plucking one's hair)
tristi– (melancholia)
tromo– (delirium tremens)
Turko– (Turkey)
typo– (writing for publication)
utero– (nymphomania)
verbo– (words)
xeno– (foreigners)
zoo– (animals)

474. ECCENTRICITY

.1 NOUNS **eccentricity, idiosyncrasy,** idiocrasy, **erraticism,** erraticness, **queerness, oddity, peculiarity,** strangeness, singularity, freakishness, freakiness, quirkiness, crotchetiness, dottiness, crankiness, crankism, crackpotism; whimsy, whimsicality; abnormality, anomaly, unnaturalness, irregularity, deviation, deviancy, differentness, divergence, aberration; **nonconformity,** unconventionality 83.2.

.2 **quirk, twist,** kink, crank, quip, trick, mannerism, **crotchet,** conceit, whim, maggot, maggot in the brain, bee in one's bonnet *or* head [informal].

.3 **eccentric, erratic;** freak *or* character *or* **crank** [all informal]; **crackpot** *or* **nut** *or* **screwball** *or* weirdie *or* weirdo *or* kook *or* queer potato *or* **oddball** *or* flake [all slang] 85.4; strange duck [informal]; **nonconformist** 83.3, recluse 924.5.

.4 ADJS **eccentric, erratic,** idiocratic(al), idiosyncratic(al), **queer,** queer in the head [informal], **odd, peculiar,** strange, fey, singular, anomalous, freakish, funny; unnatural, abnormal, irregular, divergent, deviative, deviant, different, exceptional; unconventional 83.6; **crotchety,** quirky, dotty, maggoty [Brit], cranky, crank, crankish, whimsical, kinky, twisted; screwy *or* screwball *or* **nutty** *or* **wacky** *or* kooky *or* flaky *or* oddball [all slang].

475. KNOWLEDGE

.1 NOUNS **knowledge,** knowing, ken, –gnosia *or* –gnosis *or* –gnosy, –sophy; **acquaintance, familiarity,** intimacy; private knowledge, privity; **information,** data, datum, facts, factual base, corpus; intelligence;

practical knowledge, **experience, know-how,** expertise, technic, technics, technique; self-knowledge; ratio cognoscendi.

.2 **cognizance;** cognition, noesis; **recognition, realization; perception,** insight, apperception; **consciousness, awareness,** mindfulness, note, notice, sensibility; appreciation, appreciativeness.

.3 **understanding, comprehension, apprehension,** intellection, prehension; conception, conceptualization, ideation; savvy [informal]; grasp, mental grasp, grip, command, mastery; precognition, foreknowledge 542.3, clairvoyance 1034.8; intelligence, wisdom 467.

.4 **learning, enlightenment, education, instruction,** edification, illumination; acquirements, acquisitions, attainments, accomplishments; sophistication; store of knowledge; liberal education; acquisition of knowledge 564.

.5 **scholarship, erudition,** eruditeness, **learnedness,** reading, letters; **intellectuality,** intellectualism; **literacy; culture;** book learning, booklore; **bookishness,** bookiness, **pedantry,** pedantism, donnishness [Brit]; bluestockingism; bibliomania, book madness, bibliolatry, bibliophilism; classicism, classical scholarship, humanism, humanistic scholarship.

.6 **profound knowledge,** deep knowledge; specialized *or* special knowledge; expertise, proficiency 733.1; wide *or* vast *or* extensive knowledge, general knowledge, interdisciplinary *or* cross-disciplinary knowledge, encyclopedic knowledge, polymathy, polyhistory, pansophy; **omniscience,** all-knowingness.

.7 slight knowledge 477.6.

.8 tree of knowledge, tree of knowledge of good and evil; forbidden fruit.

.9 **lore, body of knowledge,** body of learning, store of knowledge, system of knowledge, treasury of information; literature, literature of the field, publications, materials; bibliography; encyclopedia, cyclopedia.

.10 **science,** ology, **art, study, discipline,** –gnomy, –logy, –nomy, –urgy; **field,** field of inquiry, concern, province, domain, area, arena, sphere, branch *or* field of study, branch *or* department of knowledge, specialty, academic specialty, academic discipline; **technology, technics,** technicology, –techny; social science, natural science; applied science, pure science, experimental science.

.11 **scientist,** man of science; **technologist;** practical scientist, experimental scientist; savant, **scholar** 476.3; authority, expert; intellectual 476.

.12 VERBS **know, perceive, apprehend,** prehend, cognize, recognize, discern, see, make out; conceive, conceptualize; **realize, appreciate, understand, comprehend,** fathom; savvy [informal]; wot *or* wot of [both Brit dial], ken [Scot]; have, possess, **grasp,** seize; have knowledge of, be informed, be apprised of, have information about, be acquainted with, be conversant with, be cognizant of, be conscious *or* aware of.

.13 **know well, know full well,** know damn well *or* darn well [informal], have a good *or* thorough knowledge of, be well-informed, be learned in, **be up on** [informal], be master of, command, be thoroughly grounded in, **have down pat** *or* **cold** [both informal], have it taped [Brit informal], have at one's fingers' ends *or* tips, have in one's head, **know by heart** *or* rote, **know like a book,** know like the back of one's hand, **know backwards,** know backwards and forwards, **know inside out,** know down to the ground [informal], **know one's stuff** *or* know one's onions [both informal], be expert in; **know the ropes,** know all the ins and outs, know the score [informal], know all the answers [informal]; know what's what 733.18.

.14 learn (acquire knowledge) 564.6–15; come to one's knowledge 557.14.

.15 ADJS **knowing,** knowledgeable, –gnostic; **cognizant, conscious, aware, mindful, sensible;** intelligent 467.12; **understanding, comprehending,** apprehensive, apprehending; **perceptive,** insightful, apperceptive, percipient, perspicacious, appercipient, prehensile; shrewd, sagacious, wise 467.15–17; omniscient, all-knowing.

.16 **cognizant of, aware of, conscious of, mindful of, sensible to** *or* **of, appreciative of,** no stranger to, seized of [Brit]; privy to, in the secret, let into, in the know [slang], behind the scenes *or* curtain; alive to, awake to; **wise to** [informal], hep to *or* on to [both slang]; streetwise; apprised of, informed of; undeceived, undeluded.

.17 [slang or informal terms] **hep, hip,** on the beam, go-go, **with it,** into, really into, groovy.

.18 **informed, enlightened, instructed,** versed, well-versed, educated, schooled, **taught;** posted, briefed, primed, trained;

up on, up-to-date, abreast of, *au courant* [Fr].

.19 **versed in, informed in,** read *or* well-read in, up on, strong in, at home in, master of, expert *or* authoritative in, proficient in, **familiar with,** at home with, **conversant with, acquainted with,** intimate with.

.20 **well-informed,** well-posted, well-educated, **well-grounded, well-versed, well-read,** widely read.

.21 **learned, erudite, educated, cultured,** cultivated, lettered, literate, civilized, **scholarly,** scholastic, studious; wise 467.17; **profound,** deep, abstruse; **encyclopedic,** pansophic, polymath *or* polymathic, polyhistoric.

.22 **book-learned,** book-read, **literary,** book-taught, book-fed, book-wise, **bookish,** booky, book-minded; book-loving, bibliophilic, bibliophagic; **pedantic,** donnish [Brit], scholastic, inkhorn; **bluestocking.**

.23 **intellectual** 466.8, intellectualistic; **highbrow** *or* highbrowed *or* highbrowish [all informal]; elitist.

.24 **self-educated,** self-taught, autodidactic.

.25 **knowable,** cognizable, recognizable, **understandable, comprehensible,** apprehendable, apprehensible, prehensible, graspable, seizable, discernible, conceivable, appreciable, perceptible, distinguishable, ascertainable, discoverable.

.26 **known, recognized,** ascertained, conceived, grasped, apprehended, prehended, seized, perceived, discerned, appreciated, **understood, comprehended,** realized; pat *or* **down pat** [both informal].

.27 **well-known,** well-kenned [Scot], well-understood, well-recognized, **widely known,** commonly known, universally recognized, generally *or* universally admitted; **familiar,** familiar as household words, household, **common, current; proverbial;** public, notorious; known by every schoolboy; talked-of, talked-about, in everyone's mouth, **on everyone's tongue; commonplace,** trite 883.9, hackneyed, platitudinous, truistic.

.28 **scientific,** scientifico–; **technical, technological,** technicological, techno–; **scholarly;** disciplinary.

.29 ADVS **knowingly, consciously, wittingly,** with forethought, understandingly, intelligently, studiously, learnedly, eruditely, as every schoolboy knows.

.30 **to one's knowledge, to the best of one's knowledge,** as far as one can see *or* tell, as far as one knows, as well as can be said.

476. INTELLECTUAL

.1 NOUNS **intellectual, intellect,** intellectualist, literate, member of the intelligentsia, white-collar intellectual; brainworker, thinker; Brahmin, mandarin, egghead [slang]; **highbrow** [informal]; wise man 468.

.2 **intelligentsia,** literati, illuminati; intellectual elite.

.3 **scholar,** scholastic [archaic], clerk *or* learned clerk [both archaic]; a gentleman and a scholar; student 566; **learned man,** man of learning, giant of learning, colossus of knowledge, mastermind, **savant,** pundit; genius 733.12; polymath, polyhistor, **mine of information, walking encyclopedia;** literary man, *littérateur* [Fr] *or* litterateur, **man of letters;** philologist, philologue; philomath, lover of learning; philosopher, philosophe; bookman; **academician,** schoolman; classicist, classicalist, Latinist, humanist.

.4 **bookworm,** bibliophage; **grind** *or* greasy grind [both slang]; **booklover, bibliophile,** bibliophilist, philobiblist, bibliolater, bibliolatrist; bibliomaniac, bibliomane.

.5 **pedant; formalist, precisionist,** precisian, purist, *précieux* [Fr], **bluestocking,** *bas bleu* [Fr], *précieuse* [Fr fem]; Dr. Pangloss [Voltaire].

.6 **dilettante, half scholar,** sciolist, **dabbler,** dabster, amateur, trifler, smatterer; grammaticaster, philologaster, criticaster, philosophaster, Latinitaster.

477. IGNORANCE

.1 NOUNS **ignorance,** ignorantness, **unknowingness,** unknowing, nescience; lack of information, knowledge-gap, hiatus of learning; empty-headedness, blankmindedness, vacuousness, vacuity, inanity; tabula rasa; **unintelligence** 469; **unacquaintance, unfamiliarity; greenness,** greenhornism, rawness, callowness, unripeness, green in the eye, **inexperience** 734.2; innocence, simpleness, simplicity; crass *or* gross *or* primal *or* pristine ignorance; ignorantism, know-nothingism, obscurantism; agnosticism.

.2 "blind and naked Ignorance" [Tennyson], "the mother of devotion" [Robert Burton], "the mother of prejudice" [John Bright], "the dominion of absurdity" [J. A. Froude].

.3 **incognizance, unawareness, unconsciousness, insensibility,** unwittingness, nonrecognition; nonrealization, incomprehension; **unmindfulness;** mindlessness; blindness 441, deafness 449.

.4 **unenlightenment, benightedness,** benightment, dark, darkness; savagery, barbarism, paganism, heathenism, Gothicism; age of ignorance, dark age; rural idiocy.

.5 **unlearnedness, inerudition,** ineducation, unschooledness, unletteredness; **unscholarliness,** unstudiousness; **illiteracy,** illiterateness, functional illiteracy; **unintellectuality,** unintellectualism, Philistinism, bold ignorance.

.6 **slight knowledge,** vague notion, imperfect knowledge, a little learning, glimmering, glimpse [archaic], smattering, **smattering of knowledge,** smattering of ignorance, **half-learning,** semi-learning, semi-ignorance, sciolism; **superficiality,** shallowness, surface-scratching; **dilettantism,** dilettantship, amateurism.

.7 **the unknown,** the unknowable, the strange, the unfamiliar, the incalculable; **matter of ignorance,** sealed book, riddle, enigma, mystery, puzzle 514.3, 549.8,9; *terra incognita* [L], unexplored ground *or* territory; frontier, frontiers of knowledge, **unknown quantity,** x, y, z, n; dark horse.

.8 **ignoramus, know-nothing;** no scholar, puddinghead, dunce, fool 471; **illiterate; lowbrow** [informal]; unintelligentsia, illiterati; **greenhorn,** greeny [informal], tenderfoot; **dilettante,** dabbler 476.6; **middlebrow** [informal].

.9 VERBS **be ignorant,** be green, have everything to learn, **know nothing,** know from nothing [slang]; wallow in ignorance; not know any better; **not know what's what,** not know what it is all about, not know the score [informal], not be with it [informal], not know any of the answers; not know the time of day *or* what o'clock it is, not know beans, not know the first thing about, not know one's ass from one's elbow [slang], not know the way home, not know enough to come in out of the rain, not know chalk from cheese, **not know up from down,** not know which way is up.

.10 **be in the dark,** be blind, labor in darkness, walk in darkness, be benighted, grope in the dark, "see through a glass, darkly" [Bible].

.11 **not know,** not rightly know [dial], know not, know not what, know nothing of, wot not of [Brit dial], be innocent of, have no idea *or* notion *or* conception, **not have the first idea, not have the least** *or* **remotest idea,** not have idea one, not have the foggiest [slang], **not pretend to say,** not take upon oneself to say; not know the half of it; not know from Adam, not know from the man in the moon; wonder, wonder whether; half-know, have a little learning, scratch the surface, know a little, smatter, dabble, toy with, coquet with; pass, give up.

.12 ADJS **ignorant,** nescient, **unknowing,** uncomprehending, **know-nothing;** simple, **dumb** [informal], empty, empty-headed, blankminded, vacuous, inane, **unintelligent** 469.13; **uninformed, unenlightened,** unilluminated, unapprized, unposted [informal]; **unacquainted, unconversant,** unversed, uninitiated, **unfamiliar,** strange to; **inexperienced** 734.17; **green,** callow, innocent, gauche, awkward, naïve, unripe, raw; groping, tentative, unsure.

.13 **unaware, unconscious, insensible, unknowing, incognizant;** mindless, witless; unprehensive, unrealizing, nonconceiving, **unmindful,** unwitting, unsuspecting; unperceiving, impercipient, unhearing, unseeing, uninsightful; unaware of, in ignorance of, unconscious of, unmindful of, insensible to, out of it [informal], not with it [informal]; **blind to, deaf to,** dead to, a stranger to; asleep, napping, **off one's guard,** caught napping, caught tripping.

.14 **unlearned, inerudite,** unerudite, **uneducated,** unschooled, uninstructed, untutored, unbriefed, untaught, unedified, unguided; ill-educated, misinstructed, misinformed, mistaught, led astray; hoodwinked, deceived; **illiterate,** functionally illiterate, unlettered, grammarless; **unscholarly,** unscholastic, unstudious; **unliterary, unread,** unbookish, unbook-learned, bookless [archaic], unbooked; **uncultured,** uncultivated, unrefined, rude, Philistine; barbarous, pagan, heathen; Gothic; nonintellectual, **unintellectual; lowbrow** *or* lowbrowed *or* lowbrowish [all informal].

.15 **half-learned,** half-baked [informal], half-cocked *or* half-assed [both slang], sciolistic; **shallow, superficial;** immature, sophomoric(al); **dilettante,** dilettantish, smattering, dabbling, amateur, amateurish; **wise in one's own conceit.**

.16 **benighted, dark,** in darkness, in the dark.

.17 **unknown,** unbeknown [informal], un-

heard [archaic], **unheard-of,** unapprehended, unapparent, unperceived, unsuspected; unexplained, unascertained; uninvestigated, unexplored; unidentified, unclassified, uncharted, unfathomed, unplumbed, virgin, untouched; undisclosed, unrevealed, undivulged, undiscovered, unexposed, sealed; **unfamiliar,** strange; incalculable, **unknowable,** incognizable, undiscoverable; able; enigmatic 549.17, mysterious, puzzling 514.25.

.18 ADVS **ignorantly, unknowingly,** unmindfully, unwittingly, witlessly, unsuspectingly, **unawares;** unconsciously, insensibly; for anything *or* aught one knows, not that one knows.

.19 INTERJS **God knows!,** God only knows!, Lord knows!, Heaven knows!, nobody knows!, damned if I know!, **it beats me!,** it has me guessing!, it's Greek to me!; **search me!,** you've got me!, I give up!, I pass!, **who knows?,** how should I know?, I don't know what!

478. THOUGHT

(exercise of the intellect)

.1 NOUNS **thought, thinking, cogitation,** log(o)–; cerebration, ideation, noesis, mentation, intellection, intellectualization, ratiocination; workings of the mind; **reasoning** 482; **brainwork, headwork,** mental labor *or* effort, mental act *or* process, act of thought, mental *or* intellectual exercise; heavy thinking; straight thinking; conception, conceit [archaic], conceptualization; abstract thought, imageless thought; excogitation, thinking out *or* through; thinking aloud; **idea** 479; creative thought 535.2.

.2 **consideration, contemplation, reflection, speculation, meditation, musing, rumination, deliberation,** lucubration, brooding, study, **pondering,** weighing, revolving, turning over in the mind; advisement, counsel.

.3 **thoughtfulness,** contemplativeness, speculativeness, reflectiveness; **pensiveness,** wistfulness, reverie, musing, melancholy; **preoccupation, absorption, engrossment,** abstraction, brown study, deep *or* profound thought; **concentration,** study, close study.

.4 **thoughts,** inmost thoughts, secret thoughts, mind's core; **train of thought,** current *or* flow of thought *or* ideas, succession *or* sequence *or* chain of thought *or* ideas; **stream of consciousness; association,** association of ideas.

.5 **mature thought,** developed thought, ripe idea; **afterthought,** *arrière-pensée* [Fr], *esprit d'escalier* [Fr], second thought *or* thoughts; **reconsideration,** reappraisal, revaluation, rethinking, re-examination, review, thinking over.

.6 **introspection,** self-communion, self-counsel, self-consultation, subjective inspection *or* speculation.

.7 subject for thought, food for thought, something to chew on, something to get one's teeth into.

.8 VERBS **think, cogitate,** cerebrate, intellectualize, ideate, conceive, conceptualize, form ideas, entertain ideas; **reason** 482.15; **use one's head,** use *or* exercise the mind, set the brain *or* wits to work, bethink oneself, put on one's thinking *or* considering cap [informal].

.9 **think hard,** think one's head off, **rack** *or* **ransack one's brains,** crack one's brains [informal], **beat** *or* **cudgel one's brains,** work one's head to the bone, do some heavy thinking, bend *or* apply the mind; sweat *or* stew over [informal], hammer *or* hammer away at; puzzle, **puzzle over.**

.10 **concentrate,** concentrate the mind *or* thoughts, concentrate on *or* upon, attend closely to, **focus on** *or* **upon,** give *or* devote the mind to, glue the mind to, cleave to the thought of, fix the mind *or* thoughts upon, bend the mind upon, bring the mind to bear upon; gather *or* collect one's thoughts, pull one's wits together, focus *or* fix one's thoughts, marshal *or* arrange one's thoughts *or* ideas.

.11 **think about,** cogitate, **give** *or* **apply the mind to,** put one's mind to, apply oneself to, bend *or* turn the mind *or* thoughts to, direct the mind upon, **give thought to, trouble one's head about,** occupy the mind *or* thoughts with; think through *or* out, puzzle out, sort out, reason out, excogitate.

.12 **consider, contemplate, speculate, reflect, study, ponder,** perpend, **weigh, deliberate, debate, meditate, muse, brood, ruminate,** chew the cud [informal], digest; introspect, be abstracted; fall into a brown study, retreat into one's mind *or* thoughts; **toy with, play with,** play around with, flirt *or* coquet with the idea.

.13 **think over,** ponder over, brood over, **muse over, mull over, reflect over,** con over, **deliberate over,** run over, meditate

over, ruminate over, chew over, digest, turn over, **revolve,** revolve in the mind, turn over in the mind, deliberate upon, meditate upon, muse on *or* upon, bestow thought *or* consideration upon.

.14 **take under consideration,** entertain, take under advisement, take under active consideration, inquire into, **think it over,** see about [informal]; **sleep upon,** consult *or* advise with *or* take counsel of one's pillow.

.15 **reconsider, re-examine,** review; revise one's thoughts, reappraise, revaluate, rethink; view in a new light, have second thoughts, think better of.

.16 **think of,** bethink oneself of, **entertain the idea of,** entertain thoughts of; have an idea of, have thoughts about; **have in mind, contemplate, consider;** take it into one's head; **bear in mind, keep in mind,** hold the thought; harbor an idea, keep *or* hold an idea, cherish *or* foster *or* nurse *or* nurture an idea.

.17 (look upon mentally) **contemplate, look upon, view, regard,** see, view with the mind's eye, **envisage,** envision, **visualize** 535.15, imagine, image.

.18 **occur to,** occur to one's mind, occur, **come to mind,** rise to mind, rise in the mind, come into one's head, impinge on one's consciousness, claim one's mind *or* thoughts, pass through one's head *or* mind, dawn upon one, **enter one's mind,** pass in the mind *or* the thoughts, **cross one's mind,** race *or* tumble through the mind, flash on *or* across the mind; **strike,** strike one, strike the mind, grab one [slang], **suggest itself,** present itself, offer itself, present itself to the mind *or* thoughts.

.19 **impress, make an impression, strike,** grab [slang], hit; catch the thoughts, arrest the thoughts, seize one's mind, sink *or* penetrate into the mind, embed itself in the mind, lodge in the mind, **sink in** [informal].

.20 **occupy the mind** *or* **thoughts,** engage the thoughts, monopolize the thoughts, fasten itself on the mind, seize the mind, fill the mind, take up one's thoughts; **preoccupy,** occupy, **absorb, engross,** absorb *or* enwrap *or* engross the thoughts, obsess the mind, run in the head; foster in the mind; come uppermost, be uppermost in the mind; have in *or* on one's mind, **have on the brain** [informal], have constantly in one's thoughts.

.21 ADJS **cognitive,** prehensive, **thought,** conceptive, conceptual, conceptualized, ideative, noetic, mental; **thoughtful,** cogitative, **contemplative, reflective, speculative, deliberative, meditative, ruminative,** ruminant, museful [archaic]; **pensive,** wistful; introspective; thinking, reflecting, contemplating, pondering, deliberating, excogitating, excogitative, meditating, ruminating, musing; sober, serious, deep-thinking; concentrating, concentrative.

.22 absorbed *or* engrossed in thought, **absorbed, engrossed,** introspective, rapt, **wrapped in thought, lost in thought,** abstracted, immersed in thought, buried in thought, engaged in thought, occupied, **preoccupied.**

.23 ADVS **thoughtfully,** contemplatively, reflectively, meditatively, ruminatively, musefully [archaic]; **pensively,** wistfully; on reconsideration, on second thought.

.24 **on one's mind, on the brain** *or* on one's chest [both informal], in the thoughts; in the heart, *in petto* [Ital], in one's inmost thoughts.

479. IDEA

.1 NOUNS **idea,** ideo–; **thought,** mental *or* intellectual object, **notion, fancy, concept, conception,** conceit; **perception, impression,** mental impression, image, **mental image,** representation, recept; imago; memory-trace; **sentiment,** apprehension; reflection, observation; **opinion** 501.6; supposition, **theory** 499.

.2 (philosophy) ideatum, ideate; noumenon; universal, universal concept *or* conception; idée-force; Platonic idea *or* form, archetype, prototype, subsistent form, eternal object, transcendent universal, eternal universal, pattern, model, exemplar, ideal, transcendent idea *or* essence, universal essence, innate idea; Aristotelian form, form-giving cause, formal cause; complex idea, simple idea; percept; construct of memory and association; Kantian idea, supreme principle of pure reason, regulative first principle, highest unitary principle of thought, transcendent nonempirical concept; Hegelian idea, highest category, the Absolute, the Absolute Idea, the Self-determined, the realized ideal; noosphere [Teilhard de Chardin]; history of ideas, *Geistesgeschichte* [Ger]; **idealism** 377.3.

.3 **abstract idea, abstraction,** abstract.

.4 **main idea,** leading *or* principal idea, fundamental idea, *idée-maitresse* [Fr], guiding principle, **big idea** [informal].

.5 **novel idea,** new *or* **latest wrinkle** [informal], new slant *or* twist [informal].

.6 **good idea,** not a bad idea; **bright thought,** bright *or* brilliant idea, **brainchild** *or* **brainstorm** [both informal], **inspiration.**

.7 **absurd idea,** crazy idea, fool notion, brainstorm [both informal].

.8 **ideology,** system of ideas, body of ideas, system of theories; world view, *Weltanschauung* [Ger]; philosophy; **ethos.**

.9 ADJS ideational, ideal, **conceptual, notional,** fanciful; **theoretical** 499.13; **ideological.**

.10 **ideaed, notioned,** thoughted.

480. ABSENCE OF THOUGHT

.1 NOUNS **thoughtlessness,** thoughtfreeness; **vacuity,** vacancy, **emptiness of mind, empty-headedness,** blankness, mental blankness, blankmindedness; fatuity, inanity, foolishness 470; tranquillity, calm of mind; **nirvana;** oblivion; quietism, passivity; blank mind, fallow mind, tabula rasa; unintelligence 469.

.2 VERBS **not think, make the mind a blank,** let the mind lie fallow; **not think of,** not consider, be unmindful of; **not enter one's mind** *or* **head,** be far from one's thoughts.

.3 **get it off one's mind, get it off one's chest** [informal], clear the mind, relieve one's mind; **put it out of one's thoughts,** dismiss from the mind *or* thoughts, push from one's thoughts, put away thought.

.4 ADJS **thoughtless, thoughtfree,** incogitant, **unthinking,** unreasoning; unideaed; unintellectual; **vacuous,** vacant, blank, blankminded, relaxed, empty, **empty-headed,** fatuous, inane 469.19; unoccupied; calm, tranquil; nirvanic; oblivious; quietistic, passive.

.5 **unthought-of, undreamed-of,** unconsidered, unconceived, unconceptualized; unimagined, unimaged; imageless.

481. INTUITION

.1 NOUNS **intuition, intuitiveness, sixth sense;** intuitive reason *or* knowledge, direct apprehension, unmediated perception, subconscious perception, unconscious *or* subconscious knowledge, immediate cognition, knowledge without thought *or* reason; **insight,** inspiration, aperçu; anticipation, a priori knowledge; *satori* [Jap], *buddhi* [Skt]; woman's intuition; second sight, second-sightedness, precognition 542.3, clairvoyance 1034.8; intuitionism, intuitivism.

.2 **instinct,** natural instinct, unlearned capacity, innate *or* inborn proclivity, native *or* natural tendency, **impulse,** blind *or* unreasoning impulse, vital impulse; **libido, id,** primitive self; archetype, archetypal pattern *or* idea; unconscious *or* subconscious urge *or* drive; collective unconscious; "the *not ourselves,* which is in us and all around us" [Matthew Arnold], "an unfathomable Somewhat, which is *Not we*" [Carlyle], "that which is imprinted upon the spirit of man by an inward instinct" [Francis Bacon].

.3 **hunch** [informal], **presentiment, premonition,** preapprehension, intimation, foreboding 544; suspicion, **impression,** intuition, intuitive impression, **feeling,** forefeeling, vague feeling *or* idea, funny feeling [informal], feeling in one's bones.

.4 VERBS **intuit, sense, feel,** feel intuitively, **feel in one's bones** [informal], **have a feeling,** have a funny feeling [informal], **get** *or* **have the impression, have a hunch** [informal], just know, know instinctively.

.5 ADJS **intuitive,** intuitional, sensing, feeling; second-sighted, precognitive 542.7, clairvoyant 1034.23.

.6 **instinctive,** natural, **inherent, innate,** unlearned; unconscious, subliminal; **involuntary, automatic,** spontaneous, impulsive; libidinal.

.7 ADVS **intuitively,** by intuition; **instinctively,** automatically, spontaneously, on *or* by instinct.

482. REASONING

.1 NOUNS **reasoning, reason,** logical thought, discursive reason, rationalizing, rationalization, ratiocination; induction, inductive reasoning, deduction, deductive reasoning; rationalism, **rationality,** discourse *or* discourse of reason [both archaic]; sweet reason, reasonableness; demonstration, proof 505; specious reasoning, sophistry 483; philosophy 500.

.2 **logic,** logics, logico–; **dialectics,** dialectic, dialecticism; art of reason, science of discursive thought; formal logic, material logic; doctrine of terms, doctrine of the judgment, doctrine of inference, traditional *or* Aristotelian logic, Ramist *or* Ramistic logic, modern *or* epistemological logic, pragmatic *or* instrumental *or* experimental logic; psychological logic, psychologism; symbolic *or* mathematical logic, logistic; propositional calculus, cal-

culus of individuals, functional calculus, combinatory logic, algebra of relations, algebra of classes, set theory, Boolean algebra.

.3 (methods) a priori reasoning, a fortiori reasoning, a posteriori reasoning; discursive reasoning; **deduction, deductive reasoning,** syllogism, syllogistic reasoning; **induction, inductive reasoning,** epagoge; philosophical induction, inductive *or* Baconian method; **inference; generalization,** particularization; synthesis, analysis; hypothesis and verification.

.4 **argumentation, argument, controversy, dispute, disputation, polemic,** disceptation [archaic], eristic; **contention, wrangling, bickering,** hubbub 453.3, bicker, setto [informal], rhubarb *or* hassle [both slang], passage of arms; war of words, verbal engagement *or* contest, logomachy, flyting; paper war, *guerre de plume* [Fr]; academic disputation, defense of a thesis; defense, apology, apologia, apologetics; pilpul, casuistry; polemics; litigation.

.5 **argument,** *argumentum* [L]; **case, plea,** pleading, *plaidoyer* [Fr]; special pleading; **reason, consideration; refutation,** elenchus, ignoratio elenchi; pros, cons, **pros and cons;** talking point.

.6 **syllogism;** prosyllogism; mode; figure; mood; pseudosyllogism, paralogism; sorites, progressive *or* Aristotelian sorites, regressive *or* Goclenian sorites; categorical syllogism; enthymeme; dilemma; **rule,** rule of deduction, transformation rule; modus ponens, modus tollens.

.7 **premise, proposition, position,** assumed position, sumption, **assumption,** supposal, presupposition, **hypothesis, thesis, theorem,** lemma, **statement,** affirmation, categorical proposition, assertion, basis, ground, foundation; **postulate, axiom, postulation,** postulatum; data; major premise, minor premise; first principles; a priori principle, apriorism; philosophical proposition, philosopheme; hypothesis ad hoc; sentential *or* propositional function, truth-function, truth table, truth-value.

.8 **conclusion** 494.4.

.9 **reasonableness,** reasonability, **logicalness,** logicality, **rationality, sensibleness, soundness,** justness, justifiability, admissibility; **sense,** common sense, sound sense, sweet reason, **logic, reason;** plausibility 511.3.

.10 **good reasoning, right thinking,** sound reasoning, ironclad reasoning, irrefutable logic; cogent argument, **cogency;** strong argument, knockdown argument; good case, good reason, sound evidence, strong point.

.11 **reasoner,** ratiocinator, **thinker; rationalist;** rationalizer; **logician,** logistician; logicaster; dialectician; syllogist, syllogizer; sophist 483.6; philosopher 500.6,12,13.

.12 **arguer, controversialist, disputant, debater,** argufier [informal], wrangler, mooter, Philadelphia lawyer [informal], guardhouse lawyer [informal], disceptator [archaic], pilpulist, casuist; polemic, polemist, polemicist; logomacher, logomachist; apologist.

.13 **contentiousness,** litigiousness, **quarrelsomeness,** argumentativeness, disputatiousness, combativeness 797.15; ill humor 951.

.14 **side,** interest; **the affirmative,** pro, aye; **the negative,** con, no, nay.

.15 VERBS **reason;** logicalize, logicize; rationalize, provide a rationale; intellectualize; bring reason to bear, apply *or* use reason, put two and two together; **deduce, infer, generalize; synthesize, analyze; theorize,** hypothesize; philosophize; syllogize.

.16 **argue,** argufy [informal], **dispute,** discept [archaic], logomachize, polemize, polemicize, moot, **bandy words, chop logic, plead,** pettifog [informal], join issue, give and take, cut and thrust, try conclusions, cross swords, lock horns, **contend, contest,** spar, **bicker, wrangle,** hassle [slang], have it out; thrash out; take one's stand upon, **put up an argument** [informal]; take sides, take up a side; argue to no purpose; **quibble, cavil** 483.9.

.17 **be reasonable, be logical, make sense,** figure [informal], **stand to reason,** be demonstrable, be irrefutable; hold good, hold water [informal]; have a leg to stand on.

.18 ADJS **reasoning, rational,** ratiocinative *or* ratiocinatory; analytic(al).

.19 **argumentative, argumental, dialectic(al), controversial, disputatious, contentious, quarrelsome,** litigious, combative 797.25, ill-humored 951.18–26, eristic(al), polemic(al), logomachic(al), pilpulistic, pro and con.

.20 **logical, reasonable, rational, cogent, sensible, sane, sound,** wholesome, legitimate, just, justifiable, admissible; credible 501.24; plausible 511.7; as it should be, as it ought to be; well-argued, **well-founded, well-grounded.**

.21 **reasoned, advised, considered, calculated,**

meditated, contemplated, deliberated, studied, weighed, thought-out.

.22 dialectic(al), maieutic; syllogistic(al), enthymematic(al), soritical, epagogic, inductive, deductive, inferential, synthetic(al), analytic(al), discursive; a priori, a fortiori, a posteriori; categorical, hypothetical, conditional.

.23 **deducible, derivable, infenible;** sequential, following.

.24 ADVS **reasonably, logically, rationally,** by the rules of logic, **sensibly,** sanely, soundly; syllogistically, analytically; **in reason,** in all reason, within reason, within the bounds *or* limits of reason, within reasonable limitations, **within bounds,** within the bounds of possibility, as far as possible, in all conscience.

483. SOPHISTRY

(specious reasoning)

.1 NOUNS **sophistry,** sophistication, sophism, philosophism, **casuistry,** jesuitry, jesuitism, subtlety, oversubtlety; **false** *or* **specious reasoning, rationalization,** evasive reasoning, vicious reasoning, sophistical reasoning, special pleading; **fallacy,** fallaciousness; **speciousness,** speciosity, superficial *or* apparent soundness, plausibleness, plausibility; **insincerity, disingenuousness; equivocation,** equivocalness; perversion, distortion, misapplication; vicious circle, circularity; mystification, obfuscation, obscurantism.

.2 **illogicalness,** illogic, illogicality, **unreasonableness, irrationality, reasonlessness, senselessness, unsoundness,** unscientificness, invalidity, untenableness, inconclusiveness; **inconsistency,** incongruity, antilogy.

.3 (specious argument) **sophism,** sophistry, insincere argument, mere rhetoric, philosophism, solecism; paralogism, pseudosyllogism; claptrap, moonshine, empty words, "sound and fury, signifying nothing" [Shakespeare]; bad case, weak point, flaw in an argument, "lame and impotent conclusion" [Shakespeare]; **fallacy,** logical fallacy, formal fallacy, material fallacy, verbal fallacy; *argumentum ad hominem, argumentum ad baculum, argumentum ad captandum, argumentum ad captandum vulgus* [all L], crowd-pleasing argument, argument by analogy, *tu quoque* argument, *petitio principii* [L], begging the question, **circular argument,** undistributed middle, *non sequitur* [L], *hysteron proteron* [Gk].

.4 **quibble,** quiddity, quodlibet, quillet [archaic], jesuitism, **cavil,** quip, quirk, shuffle, dodge.

.5 **quibbling, caviling,** boggling, captiousness, nit-picking, **bickering; logic-chopping, hairsplitting,** trichoschistism; subterfuge, chicane, chicanery, pettifoggery; **equivocation,** tergiversation, prevarication, **evasion, hedging, pussyfooting** [informal], **sidestepping,** dodging, shifting, shuffling, fencing, parrying, boggling, paltering.

.6 **sophist,** sophister, philosophist [archaic], **casuist,** Jesuit; choplogic [archaic], logic-chopper; paralogist.

.7 **quibbler, caviler,** pettifogger, hairsplitter, captious *or* picayune critic, nitpicker; **equivocator,** mystifier, mystificator, obscurantist, prevaricator, palterer, tergiversator, shuffler, **hedger;** pussyfoot *or* **pussyfooter** [both informal].

.8 VERBS reason speciously, reason ill, paralogize, reason in a circle, argue insincerely, pervert, distort, misapply; rationalize; prove that black is white and white black; not have a leg to stand on.

.9 **quibble, cavil, bicker,** boggle, chop logic, **split hairs,** nitpick; **equivocate,** mystify, obscure, prevaricate, tergiversate, palter, fence, parry, shift, **shuffle, dodge,** shy, **evade, sidestep, hedge, pussyfoot** [informal], evade the issue; **beat about** *or* **around the bush,** not come to the point, **beg the question;** blow hot and cold; strain at a gnat and swallow a camel, pick nits.

.10 ADJS **sophistical,** sophistic, philosophistic(al) [archaic], casuistic(al), jesuitic(al), **fallacious, specious,** colorable, plausible, hollow, superficially *or* apparently sound; deceptive, illusive, empty; overrefined, oversubtle, **insincere, disingenuous.**

.11 **illogical, unreasonable, irrational, reasonless,** contrary to reason, **senseless,** without reason, **without rhyme or reason; unscientific,** nonscientific, unphilosophical; **invalid,** inauthentic, unauthentic, faulty, flawed, paralogical, fallacious; inconclusive, inconsequent, inconsequential, not following; **inconsistent,** incongruous, absonant [archaic], loose, unconnected; contradictory, **self-contradictory,** self-annulling, self-refuting.

.12 **unsound, unsubstantial,** insubstantial, weak, feeble, poor, flimsy, unrigorous, in-

conclusive, unproved, unsustained, poorly argued.

.13 **baseless, groundless,** ungrounded, **unfounded,** ill-founded, unbased, **unsupported,** unsustained, **without foundation,** without basis *or* sound basis; **untenable, unsupportable,** unsustainable; **unwarranted,** idle, empty, vain.

.14 **quibbling, caviling, equivocatory,** captious, nit-picking [slang], bickering; picayune, petty, trivial, trifling; paltering, shuffling, hedging, pussyfooting [informal], **evasive; hairsplitting,** trichoschistic, logic-chopping, choplogic(al) [archaic].

.15 ADVS **illogically, unreasonably, irrationally, reasonlessly, senselessly;** baselessly, groundlessly; untenably, unsupportably, unsustainably; out of all reason, out of all bounds.

.16 PHRS *post hoc, ergo propter hoc* [L, after this, therefore because of this].

484. TOPIC

.1 NOUNS **topic, subject,** subject of thought, **matter, subject matter,** what it is about, **concern,** focus of interest *or* attention, **theme,** burden, **text,** motif, motive, business at hand, **case,** matter in hand, **question, problem, issue; point,** point at issue, point in question, main point, gist 672.6; item on the agenda; head, heading, chapter, rubric; substance, meat, essence, material part, basis; living issue, topic of the day.

.2 **caption, title, heading, head,** superscription, rubric; **headline;** overline; banner, banner head *or* line, streamer; **scarehead,** screamer; spread, spreadhead; drop head, dropline, hanger; running head *or* title, jump head; **subhead, subheading,** subtitle; legend, motto, epigraph; title page.

.3 VERBS **caption, title, head,** head up [informal]; **headline;** subtitle, subhead.

.4 ADJS **topical, thematic.**

485. INQUIRY

.1 NOUNS **inquiry,** inquiring, inquirendo, **inquest** 408.18, inquisition; inquiring mind; analysis 48.

.2 **examination,** examen, **exam** [informal], **test, trial, quiz;** oral examination, oral, doctor's oral, master's oral, viva voce examination, viva [informal]; **audition, hearing;** written examination, written [informal], blue book [informal]; midterm, midyear, midsemester; qualifying examination, preliminary examination, prelim [informal]; take-home examination; final examination, **final** [informal], comprehensive examination, comps [informal], great go [archaic] *or* greats (Oxford); honors [Brit], tripos (Cambridge).

.3 **examination, inspection, scrutiny,** –opsy; **survey, review, perusal,** perlustration, **study,** look-through, scan, run-through; visitation; overhaul, overhauling; quality control.

.4 **investigation,** indagation [archaic], **research,** legwork [informal], inquiry into; sifting, gathering *or* amassing evidence; perscrutation, probe, searching investigation, close inquiry, exhaustive study; police inquiry *or* investigation, criminal investigation, detective work, detection, sleuthing; investigative bureau *or* agency, bureau *or* department of investigation; legislative investigation, congressional investigation, hearing; witch-hunt; fishing expedition.

.5 preliminary *or* tentative examination; quick *or* cursory inspection, quick look; grope, prod, feel.

.6 **checkup, check;** spot check; physical examination, **physical,** physical checkup, health examination; exploratory examination.

.7 **re-examination,** reinquiry, recheck, **review,** reappraisal, revaluation, rethinking, revision, rebeholding, second *or* further look.

.8 **reconnaissance;** recce *or* recco *or* recon [all slang]; **reconnoitering,** reconnoiter, exploration, **scouting.**

.9 **surveillance,** shadowing, following, trailing, tailing [informal], 24-hour surveillance, observation, stakeout [informal]; **spying, espionage,** espial, **intelligence,** military intelligence, intelligence work, cloak-and-dagger work [informal]; intelligence agency, secret service, secret police; counterespionage, counterintelligence; wiretap, wiretapping, bugging, electronic surveillance.

.10 **question, query, inquiry, demand** [archaic], **interrogation,** interrogatory; interrogative; **problem, issue, topic** 484, case *or* point in question, bone of contention, controversial point, question before the house, debating point, question *or* point at issue, **moot point** *or* case, question mark, *quodlibet* [L]; vexed *or* knotty question, burning question; leader, leading question; feeler, trial balloon, fishing question; cross-question, rhetorical question; cross-interrogatory; catechism.

.11 **questioning, interrogation, querying,** ask-

ing, seeking, pumping, probing, inquiring; **quiz,** quizzing, **examination;** challenge, dispute; interpellation, bringing into question; catechizing, catechization; catechetical method, Socratic method *or* induction.

.12 **grilling,** the grill [slang], inquisition; police interrogation; **third-degree** [informal]; direct examination, redirect examination, **cross-examination,** cross-interrogation, **cross-questioning.**

.13 **canvass, survey, inquiry, questionnaire,** questionary; **poll, public-opinion poll,** opinion poll *or* survey, statistical survey, opinion sampling, voter-preference survey, consumer-preference survey; consumer research.

.14 **search,** searching, **quest, hunt,** hunting, stalk, stalking, still hunt, dragnet, frisk [slang]; posse, search party; search warrant; search-and-destroy operation *or* mission; **rummage, ransacking,** turning over *or* upside down; **forage;** house-search, perquisition, domiciliary visit; exploration, probe.

.15 **inquirer, asker, prober,** querier, querist, **questioner,** questionist, interrogator; interrogatrix; interpellator; **quizzer,** examiner, catechist; inquisitor, inquisitionist; cross-questioner, cross-interrogator, **cross-examiner;** interlocutor; **pollster,** poller, sampler, opinion-sampler; **interviewer; detective** 781.10; **secret agent** 781.9.

.16 **examiner,** examinant, **tester; inspector,** scrutinizer, scrutator; scrutineer, quality-control inspector, check-out pilot; observer; visitor, visitator; **investigator,** indagator [archaic].

.17 seeker, hunter, searcher, perquisitor; rummager, ransacker; digger, delver; zetetic; **researcher,** researchist, research worker.

.18 **examinee,** examinant, examinate, questionee, quizzee; informant, subject, interviewee; witness.

.19 VERBS **inquire, ask, question, query; make inquiry,** take up *or* institute *or* pursue *or* follow up *or* conduct *or* carry on an inquiry, ask about, ask questions, put queries; inquire of, require an answer, ask a question, put a question to, pose *or* set *or* propose *or* propound a question; bring into question, interpellate; **demand** [archaic], **want to know.**

.20 **interrogate, question, query, quiz, test, examine;** catechize; **pump,** pump for information, shoot questions at, pick the brains of, worm out of; interview.

.21 **grill,** put on the grill [informal], inquisition, make inquisition; roast [informal], put the pressure on [informal], put the screws to, go over [both slang]; **cross-examine, cross-question,** cross-interrogate; third-degree [slang], put through the third degree [informal]; put to the question; extract information, pry *or* prize out.

.22 **investigate,** indagate [archaic], sift, **explore, look into,** peer into, **search into,** go **into, delve into,** dig into, poke into, pry into; **probe, sound, plumb, fathom.**

.23 **examine, inspect, scrutinize, survey,** canvass, **look at,** peer at, **observe, scan, peruse, study; look over,** run the eye over, cast *or* pass the eyes over, go over, run over, pass over, pore over; overlook, overhaul; **monitor, review,** pass under review; set an examination, give an examination; **take stock of,** size *or* **size up,** take the measure [informal]; **check, check out, check over** *or* **through; check up on;** autopsy, postmortem 408.18.

.24 **make a close study of, scrutinize,** examine thoroughly, vet [Brit], **go deep into,** look closely at; examine point by point, go over step by step, subject to close scrutiny, view *or* try in all its phases, get down to nuts and bolts [informal]; perscrutate, perlustrate.

.25 **examine cursorily,** take a cursory view of, give a quick *or* cursory look, give a dekko [Brit slang], **scan, skim, skim over** *or* **through,** slur, slur over, slip *or* skip over *or* through, **glance at,** give the once-over [slang], pass over lightly, zip through, **dip into, touch upon,** touch upon lightly *or* in passing, **hit the high spots; thumb through,** flip through the pages, turn over the leaves, leaf *or* page through.

.26 **re-examine,** recheck, reinquire, **reconsider,** reappraise, revaluate, rethink, **review,** revise, rebehold, take another *or* a second *or* a further look; retrace, retrace one's steps, go back over.

.27 **reconnoiter,** make a reconnaissance, case [informal], scout, **scout out,** spy, **spy out,** play the spy, peep; **watch,** put under surveillance, stake out [informal]; bug.

.28 **canvass, survey,** make a survey; **poll,** conduct a poll, sample, **questionnaire** [informal].

.29 **seek, hunt,** look [archaic], **quest, pursue,** go in pursuit of, follow, go in search of, prowl after, see to, try to find; **look up, hunt up; look for,** look around *or* about for, **search for,** seek for, **hunt for,** cast *or* beat about for, **fish for, angle for,** bob

for, dig for, delve for; **ask for,** inquire for; **gun for,** go gunning for; still-hunt [informal].

.30 **search, hunt, explore;** research; **hunt through, search through, look through, go through;** dig, delve, burrow, root, poke, pry; look round *or* around, poke around, nose around, smell around; beat the bushes; forage; frisk [slang].

.31 **grope,** grope for, **feel for,** fumble, grabble, scrabble, feel around, poke around, pry around, beat about, grope in the dark; **feel** *or* **pick one's way.**

.32 **ransack, rummage, rake, scour, comb;** rifle; **look everywhere,** look into every hole and corner, **look high and low,** look upstairs and downstairs, **look all over,** look all over hell [slang], search high heaven, turn upside down, turn inside out, **leave no stone unturned;** shake down *or* shake *or* toss [all slang].

.33 **search out, hunt out, spy out,** scout out, **ferret out,** fish out, pry out, dig out, root out, grub up.

.34 **trace, stalk, track, trail; follow,** follow up, shadow, tail [informal], dog the footsteps of; nose, nose out, **smell** *or* **sniff out,** follow the trail *or* scent *or* spoor of; follow a clue; **trace down, hunt down, track down, run down, run to earth.**

.35 ADJS **inquiring, questioning, querying,** quizzing; **quizzical, curious; interrogatory,** interrogative, interrogational; **inquisitorial,** inquisitional; catechistic(al), catechetic(al).

.36 **examining,** examinational; examinatorial; **testing,** trying, **tentative;** groping, feeling; **inspectional;** inspectorial; **investigative,** indagative [archaic]; zetetic; heuristic, investigatory, investigational; **exploratory,** explorative, explorational; fact-finding; analytic(al).

.37 **searching, probing, prying, nosy** [informal]; poking, digging, fishing, delving; in search *or* quest of, looking for, **out for,** on the lookout for, **in the market for,** loaded *or* out for bear [informal]; all-searching.

.38 ADVS **in question, at issue,** in debate *or* dispute, **under consideration,** under active consideration, **under advisement,** *sub judice* [L], under examination, under investigation, under surveillance, up *or* open for discussion; **before the house, on the docket, on the agenda, on the table, on the floor.**

486. ANSWER

.1 NOUNS **answer, reply, response,** responsory, responsion, replication; answering, respondence; riposte *or* repost, **retort, rejoinder,** reaction 284, return, **comeback** [slang], back answer, short answer, back talk; **repartee,** backchat, clever *or* ready *or* witty reply *or* retort, snappy comeback [slang]; yes-and-no answer, evasive reply; **acknowledgment,** receipt; rescript, rescription; antiphon; **echo,** reverberation 454.2.

.2 **rebuttal, counterstatement,** counterreply, counterclaim, counterblast, counteraccusation, countercharge, *tu quoque* [L, you too], contraremonstrance; **rejoinder,** replication, defense, rebutter, surrebutter *or* surrebuttal, surrejoinder; confutation, refutation.

.3 **answerer, replier,** responder, **respondent,** responser.

.4 VERBS **answer,** make *or* give answer, return answer, return for answer, **reply, respond,** say, say in reply; **retort,** riposte, **rejoin,** return, flash back; come back *or* come back at *or* come right back at [all slang], answer back *or* talk back [informal], shoot back [informal]; **react; acknowledge,** make *or* give acknowledgment; echo, reecho, reverberate 454.7.

.5 **rebut,** make a rebuttal; **rejoin,** surrebut, surrejoin; counterclaim, countercharge; confute, refute.

.6 ADJS **answering, replying, responsive,** respondent, responding; rejoining, returning; antiphonal; echoing, echoic, reechoing 454.11; confutative, refutative.

.7 ADVS in answer, in reply, in response, in return, in rebuttal.

487. SOLUTION

(answer to a problem)

.1 NOUNS **solution,** resolution, **answer, reason, explanation** 552.4; **finding,** determination, ascertainment; **outcome, upshot,** denouement, **result,** issue, end 70, end result, accomplishment 722; **solving,** working, **working-out,** finding-out, resolving, **clearing up,** cracking; **unriddling,** riddling, unscrambling, unraveling, sorting out, untwisting, unspinning, unweaving, untangling, disentanglement; **decipherment, decoding;** interpretation 552.

.2 VERBS **solve, resolve,** find the solution *or* answer, **clear up,** get, get right, do, work, **work out, find out, figure out,** dope *or* dope out [both slang]; sort out, puzzle

out; debug; psych *or* psych out [both slang]; **unriddle,** riddle, unscramble, undo, untangle, disentangle, untwist, unspin, unweave, unravel, ravel, ravel out; **decipher, decode, crack; make out,** interpret 552.9; **answer, explain** 552.10; unlock, pick *or* open the lock; find the key of, find a clue to; **get to the bottom of, fathom,** plumb, bottom; have it, hit it, hit upon a solution, hit the nail on the head, hit it on the nose [informal]; guess, divine, guess right.

.3 ADJS **solvable,** soluble, **resolvable,** open to solution, capable of solution, workable, doable, answerable; explainable, explicable, determinable, ascertainable; **decipherable,** decodable.

488. DISCOVERY

.1 NOUNS **discovery, finding,** finding out, determining; **detection,** spotting, catching, espial; recognition, determination, distinguishment; **locating, location; disclosure, exposure,** revelation, **uncovering,** unearthing, exhumation, excavation, bringing to light; **find,** trove, treasure trove, *trouvaille* [Fr], strike, lucky strike; accidental *or* chance discovery, casual discovery; serendipity; rediscovery; invention 167.5.

.2 VERBS **discover, find, find out, determine,** get; strike, hit; put *or* lay one's hands on, lay one's fingers on, **locate** 184.10; **hunt down,** trace down, track down, **run down, run to earth;** trace; rediscover; invent 167.13.

.3 **come across, run across, meet with,** meet up with [informal], fall in with, **encounter, run into,** bump into [informal], come *or* run up against [informal], **come on** *or* **upon, hit upon,** light upon, alight upon, tumble on; **chance upon, happen upon, stumble on** *or* **upon,** stub one's toe upon, blunder upon, discover serendipitously.

.4 **uncover, unearth,** disinter, exhume, excavate; **disclose,** expose, reveal, **bring to light; turn up,** dig up, root up, fish up; worm out, ferret out.

.5 **detect, spot** [informal], **spy,** espy, descry, sense, pick up, notice, discern, see, **perceive, make out, recognize,** distinguish, identify.

.6 **scent,** catch the scent of, sniff, smell, **get wind of;** sniff *or* scent *or* smell out, nose out; be on the right scent, be near the truth, be warm [informal], burn [informal].

.7 **catch,** catch out; catch off side, catch off base; catch tripping, **catch napping, catch off-guard** *or* off one's guard, catch asleep at the switch; **catch at,** catch in the act, **catch red-handed,** catch in *flagrante delicto,* **catch with one's pants down** [slang], catch flat-footed, have the goods on [slang].

.8 (detect the hidden nature of) see **through, penetrate,** see as it really is, see in its true colors, see the inside of, see the cloven hoof; open the eyes to, tumble to, catch on to, wise up to [informal]; **be on to, be wise to, be hep to** [slang], have one's measure, **have one's number,** have dead to rights [slang].

.9 **turn up, show up,** be found; discover itself, expose *or* betray itself; hang out [slang]; materialize, **come to light,** come out; come along, come to hand.

.10 ADJS on the right scent, **on the right track,** on the trail of; **hot** *or* **warm** [both informal]; **discoverable,** determinable, findable, **detectable,** spottable, disclosable, exposable, locatable, **discernible.**

.11 INTERJS **eureka!,** I have it!, at last!, at long last!, finally!, *thalassa!, thalatta!* [both Gk].

489. EXPERIMENT

.1 NOUNS **experiment, experimentation,** empirio– *or* empirico–; experimental method; testing, trying, **trial;** research and development, R and D; **trial and error,** hit and miss, cut and try [informal]; empiricism, experimentalism, pragmatism, instrumentalism; **rule of thumb;** tentativeness, tentative method; control experiment, controlled experiment, **control;** experimental design; experimental proof *or* verification; noble experiment.

.2 **test, trial, try;** essay; docimasy [archaic], assay; determination, blank determination; **proof,** verification; touchstone, standard, criterion 489.2; crucial test; acid test; ordeal, crucible; probation; **feeling out, sounding out,** kiteflying; test case; first *or* rough draft, *brouillon* [Fr]; rough sketch.

.3 **tryout** *or* **workout** [both informal]; **rehearsal,** practice; pilot plan *or* program; **dry run;** *Gedankenexperiment* [Ger]; road test; **trial run,** practical test; shakedown, shakedown cruise, bench test; flight test, test flight *or* run; audition, hearing.

.4 **feeler, probe,** sound, sounder; **trial balloon,** *ballon d'essai* [Fr], pilot balloon, barometer; weather vane, weathercock;

straw to show the wind, straw vote; sample, random sample, experimental sample.

.5 **laboratory, lab** [informal], research laboratory, research establishment *or* facility, experiment station, field station, research and development *or* R and D establishment; think tank [informal], **proving ground.**

.6 **experimenter,** experimentist, experimentalist, **researcher,** research worker, R and D worker; experimental engineer; **tester,** tryer-out, test driver, test pilot; essayer; assayer; analyst, analyzer.

.7 **experimentee,** testee, patient, **subject,** laboratory animal, experimental *or* test animal, **guinea pig.**

.8 VERBS **experiment,** experimentalize, **research,** make an experiment, **run an experiment,** run a sample *or* specimen; **test, try,** essay, cut and try [informal], **test** *or* **try out,** have a dry run *or* rehearsal *or* test run; put to the test, **put to the proof, prove, verify,** validate, substantiate, confirm, put to trial, bring to test, make a trial of, give a trial to; **give a try,** have a go, give it a go [informal]; sample, taste; assay; play around with [informal], fool around with [slang]; try out under controlled conditions; give a tryout *or* workout [informal], **road-test,** shake down; try one out, put one through his paces; experiment *or* practice upon; try it on; try on, try it for size [informal]; try one's strength, see what one can do.

.9 **sound out, feel out, sound,** get a sounding *or* reading *or* sense, probe, **feel the pulse,** read; **put** *or* **throw out a feeler,** send up a trial balloon, fly a kite; **see which way the wind blows,** see how the land lies; take a straw vote, take a random sample, use an experimental sample.

.10 **stand the test, stand up, hold up, hold up in the wash,** pass, **pass muster,** get by [informal], hack it [slang], meet *or* satisfy requirements.

.11 ADJS **experimental, test, trial;** pilot; testing, proving, trying; probative, probatory, verificatory; probationary; **tentative,** provisional; empirical; trial-and-error, hit-or-miss, cut-and-try; heuristic.

.12 **tried, tested, proved,** verified, confirmed, tried and true.

.13 ADVS **experimentally,** by rule of thumb, by trial and error, by hit and miss, hit or miss, by guess and by God.

.14 **on trial,** under examination, **on** *or* **under probation,** under suspicion, **on approval.**

490. MEASUREMENT

.1 NOUNS **measurement, measure,** –metry; mensuration, measuring, gauging; admeasurement; metage; **estimation,** estimate, rough measure, approximation; **quantification,** quantitation, quantization; **appraisal,** appraisement, **assessment,** determination, rating, valuation, evaluation; assizement, assize; **survey,** surveying; triangulation; **instrumentation;** telemetry, telemetering; metric system; English system of measurement; calibration, correction; computation, calculation 87.3.

.2 **measure, gauge,** barometer, **rule, yardstick,** measuring rod *or* stick, **standard,** norm, canon, **criterion,** test, touchstone, check; **pattern,** model, type; **scale,** graduated *or* calibrated scale; meter-reading, reading, readout, value, degree, quantity; parameter.

.3 **extent** (quantity) 28, (degree) 29, (size) 195, (distance) 199, (length) 202, (breadth) 204; **weight** 352.

.4 (measuring device) **measure,** measurer, **gauge,** gauger; **meter;** instrument.

.5 (measures) US liquid measure, British imperial liquid measure, US dry measure, British imperial dry measure, apothecaries' measure, linear measure, square measure, circular measure, cubic measure, volume measure, surface measure, surveyor's measure, land measure, board measure.

.6 coordinates, Cartesian coordinates, rectangular coordinates, polar coordinates, cylindrical coordinates, spherical coordinates, equator coordinates; latitude, longitude; altitude, azimuth; declination, right ascension; ordinate, abscissa.

.7 **waterline;** watermark, tidemark, floodmark, **high-water mark;** load waterline, load line mark, Plimsoll mark *or* line.

.8 **measurability,** mensurability, computability, determinability, quantifiability.

.9 (science of measurement) **mensuration;** metrology; **geodesy,** geodetics, geodetic engineering; **surveying;** oceanography, bathymetry; topography, cartography, chorography; cadastration; planimetry; stereometry; goniometry; hypsometry, hypsography, altimetry; craniometry; biometry, biometrics; psychometry; psychometrics.

.10 **measurer,** meter; gauger; **geodesist,** geodetic engineer; **surveyor,** land surveyor, quantity surveyor; topographer, cartographer, oceanographer, chorographer; **ap-**

praiser, assessor; assayer; valuer, valuator, evaluator; estimator.

.11 VERBS **measure, gauge, quantify,** mete [archaic], take the measure of, mensurate, triangulate, apply the yardstick to; quantize; **estimate,** make an approximation; **assess, rate, appraise, valuate, value,** evaluate, appreciate, prize; **assay;** size *or* size up [both informal], take the dimensions of; **weigh** 352.10; survey; plumb, probe, sound, fathom; span, pace, step; calibrate, graduate; divide; caliper, dial; meter; read the meter, take a reading, check a parameter; compute, calculate 87.11.

.12 **measure off, mark off, lay off,** set off, rule off; **step off,** pace off; **measure out,** mark out, lay out.

.13 ADJS **measuring, metric(al),** mensural, mensurative, mensurational; valuative, valuational; **quantitative,** numerative; approximative, estimative; geodetic(al), geodesic(al), hypsographic(al), hypsometric(al); topographic(al), chorographic(al), cartographic(al), oceanographic(al).

.14 **measured, gauged,** metered, **quantified;** quantized; **appraised, assessed, valuated,** valued; **assayed; surveyed,** plotted, mapped, admeasured, triangulated; known by measurement.

.15 **measurable,** mensurable, **quantifiable,** numerable, meterable, gaugeable, fathomable, **determinable,** computable, calculable; quantizable; estimable; assessable, appraisable; appreciable, perceptible, noticeable.

.16 ADVS **measurably, appreciably, perceptibly, noticeably.**

.17 **linear measures**

absolute angstrom
Admiralty mile
angstrom, angstrom unit, a. *or* å. *or* A. *or* Å.
arpent
astronomical unit
block
board foot, bd. ft.
cable length
centimeter, cm.
chain, Gunter's chain, chn.
cubit
decameter, dekameter, dkm.
decimeter, dm.
ell
em
en
fathom, fthm.
fingerbreadth, finger
foot, ft.
footstep
furlong, fur.
hand
handbreadth, handsbreadth
hectometer, hm.
inch, in.
international angstrom
kilometer, km.
land mile
league
light-year
line
link, li.
meter, m.
micron, μ
mil
mile, mi.
millimeter, mm.
millimicron, micromillimeter
myriameter, mym.
nail
nautical mile, naut. mi.
pace
palm
parsec
perch
pica
point, pt.
pole, p.
rod, r.
statute mile, stat. mi.
step
stride
wavelength
yard, yd.

.18 **area measures**

acre, a. *or* ac.
are, a.
arpent
centare, ca.
hectare, ha.
perch
pole, p.
rood
section, sec.
square inch, foot, mile, etc.
square meter, kilometer, etc.
township

.19 **volume measures**

barrel
bushel, bu.
centiliter, cl.
cord, cd.
cubic foot, yard, etc.
cubic meter
cup
decaliter, dekaliter, dkl.
decastere, dks.
deciliter, dl.
drop
dry pint, quart, etc.
fifth
finger
fluidounce, fl. oz.
fluidram, fl. dr.
gallon, gal.
gill, gi.
hectoliter, hl.
hogshead, hhd.
jeroboam
jigger
kiloliter, kl.
liquid pint, quart, etc.
liter, l.
magnum
milliliter, ml.
minim, min.
peck, pk.
pint, pt.
pony
quart, qt.
stere, s.
tablespoon, tbs.
teaspoon, ts.

.20 **gauges**

alidade
calipers
chain
compass
dial
dipstick
dividers
engineer's chain
feeler gauge
foot rule
gauge block
goniometer
gradiometer
graduated scale
graduated tape
Gunter's *or* surveyor's chain
Gunter's scale
Johansson block, Jo block
level
line
log
log line
measuring machine
meterstick
micrometer
micrometer caliper
octant
plumb 209.17
plumb rule
precision block
protractor
quadrant
rod
rule
ruler
scale
sector
set square
sextant
size stick
spirit level
square
tape, tapeline, tape measure
theodolite
transit
transit theodolite
try square
T square
vernier
vernier caliper
yardstick

491. COMPARISON

.1 NOUNS **comparison,** compare, examining side by side, matching, proportion [archaic], comparative judgment *or* estimate;

likening, comparing, **analogy;** parallelism; comparative relation; weighing, balancing; opposing, opposition, **contrast;** contrastiveness, distinctiveness, distinction 492.3; confrontment, confrontation; **relation** 9; correlation 13; simile, similitude, metaphor, allegory, figure *or* trope of comparison; comparative degree; comparative method; comparative linguistics, comparative grammar, comparative literature, comparative anatomy, etc.

.2 **collation,** comparative scrutiny, point-by-point comparison; **verification, confirmation, checking;** check, cross-check.

.3 **comparability,** comparableness, comparativeness; analogousness, equivalence, commensurability; proportionateness *or* proportionability [both archaic]; ratio, proportion, balance; **similarity** 20.

.4 VERBS **compare, liken,** assimilate, similize, liken to, compare with; **make** *or* **draw a comparison,** run a comparison, do a comparative study, bring into comparison; analogize, bring into analogy; **relate** 9.6; metaphorize; **draw a parallel,** parallel; **match;** examine side by side, view together; weigh *or* measure against; confront, **contrast, oppose,** set in opposition, set off against, set in contrast, **put** *or* **set over against,** place against, counterpose, set over against one another, set against one another; compare and contrast, note similarities and differences; **weigh,** balance.

.5 **collate,** scrutinize comparatively, compare point by point, painstakingly match; **verify, confirm, check, cross-check.**

.6 **compare notes,** exchange views *or* observations, match data *or* findings.

.7 **be comparable, compare, compare to** *or* **with,** not compare with 21.2, admit of comparison, be commensurable, be of the same order, be worthy of comparison, be fit to be compared; **measure up to, come up to,** match up with, stack up with [informal], hold a candle to [informal]; **match, parallel;** vie, vie with, rival; **resemble** 20.7.

.8 ADJS **comparative, relative** 9.7, **comparable,** commensurate, commensurable, parallel, matchable, **analogous;** analogical; collatable; **correlative** 13.10; much at one, much of a muchness [informal]; **similar** 20.10.

.9 **incomparable,** incommensurable, not to be compared, of different orders; **unlike, dissimilar** 21.4.

.10 ADVS **comparatively, relatively; comparably.**

.11 PREPS **compared to, compared with,** as compared with, by comparison with, **in comparison with, beside,** over against, taken with; than.

492. DISCRIMINATION

.1 NOUNS **discrimination,** discriminateness, discriminatingness, discriminativeness; seeing *or* making distinctions, appreciation of differences; analytic power *or* faculty; **criticalness; finesse,** refinement, delicacy; niceness of distinction, nicety, subtlety, refined discrimination, critical niceness; **tact, tactfulness,** feel, feeling, sense, **sensitivity** 422.3, **sensibility** 422.2; appreciation, appreciativeness; judiciousness 467.7; taste, discriminating taste, aesthetic *or* artistic judgment; palate, fine *or* refined palate, connoisseurship, selectiveness, fastidiousness 896.

.2 **discernment,** critical discernment, penetration, **perception,** perceptiveness, **insight,** perspicacity; **flair; judgment,** acumen 467.4.

.3 **distinction,** contradistinction, distinctiveness [archaic]; **distinguishment, differentiation** 16.4, separation, division, segregation, demarcation; nice *or* subtle distinction, **nuance,** shade of difference, microscopic distinction; hairsplitting, trichoschistism.

.4 VERBS **be discriminating,** exercise discrimination; **be tactful,** show *or* exercise tact; be tasteful, use one's palate, pick and choose; use advisedly.

.5 **discriminate, distinguish,** contradistinguish, **separate,** divide, analyze, subdivide, **segregate,** sever, severalize, **differentiate,** demark, demarcate, mark the interface, set off, **set apart,** sift, sift out, sieve, sieve out, winnow, screen, screen out, sort, sort out; **pick out, select** 637.14; separate the sheep from the goats, separate the men from the boys, separate the wheat from the tares *or* chaff, winnow the chaff from the wheat; **draw the line,** fix *or* set a limit; **split hairs,** make a fine *or* nice *or* subtle distinction, subtilize.

.6 **make a distinction,** draw distinctions, **distinguish between,** appreciate differences, see nuances *or* shades of difference, see the difference, tell apart, tell one thing from another, know which is which, know what's what [informal], "know a hawk from a handsaw" [Shakespeare], know one's ass from one's elbow [slang].

.7 ADJS **discriminating, discriminate,** discriminative, selective; **tactful, sensitive** 422.14; appreciative; **critical;** distinctive [archaic], **distinguishing;** differential; precise, accurate, exact; nice, fine, delicate, subtle, refined; fastidious 896.9.

.8 **discerning, perceptive** 422.13, perspicacious, insightful; **astute, judicious** 467.16, 19.

.9 ADVS **discriminatingly,** discriminatively, discriminately; with finesse; **tactfully; tastefully.**

493. INDISCRIMINATION

.1 NOUNS **indiscrimination,** indiscriminateness, undiscriminatingness, undiscriminativeness, unselectiveness, **uncriticalness, unparticularness;** syncretism; unfastidiousness; lack of refinement, coarseness *or* crudeness *or* crudity of intellect; **casualness,** promiscuousness, **promiscuity; indiscretion,** indiscreetness, **imprudence** 470.2; **untactfulness,** tactlessness, lack of feeling, **insensitivity,** insensibility 423, unmeticulousness, unpreciseness 534.4.

.2 **indistinction,** indistinctness, vagueness 445.2; uniformity 17; **indistinguishableness,** undistinguishableness, indiscernibility; a distinction without a difference.

.3 VERBS **confound, confuse,** mix, muddle, tumble, jumble, jumble together, **blur,** blur distinctions, overlook distinctions.

.4 **use loosely,** use unadvisedly.

.5 ADJS **undiscriminating, indiscriminate,** indiscriminative, undiscriminative, undifferentiating, unselective; wholesale, general, blanket; **uncritical,** uncriticizing, undemanding, nonjudgmental; **unparticular,** unfastidious; unsubtle; **casual, promiscuous;** unexacting, unmeticulous 534.13; **indiscreet,** undiscreet, **imprudent** 470.9; **untactful,** tactless, insensitive.

.6 **indistinguishable,** undistinguishable, undistinguished, indiscernible, **indistinct,** indistinctive, **without distinction,** not to be distinguished, undiscriminated, undifferentiated, **alike,** six of one and half a dozen of the other [informal]; standard, interchangeable, stereotyped, uniform 17.5.

494. JUDGMENT

.1 NOUNS **judgment,** judging, adjudgment, adjudication, judicature, deeming [archaic]; arbitrament, arbitration 805.2; good judgment 467.7; **choice** 637; **discrimination** 492.

.2 **criticism, censure** 969.3; **approval** 968; **critique,** review, notice, critical notice, report, comment; book review, literary criticism, critical journal, critical bibliography.

.3 **estimate, estimation; view, opinion** 501.6; **assessment,** assessing, **appraisal,** appraisement, appraising, appreciation, reckoning, valuation, valuing, **evaluation,** evaluating, evaluative criticism, analyzing, weighing, gauging, ranking, **rating;** measurement 490.

.4 **conclusion, deduction, inference,** consequence, consequent, corollary; derivation, illation; induction.

.5 **verdict, decision,** resolution [archaic], **determination, finding;** diagnosis, prognosis; **decree, ruling,** consideration, order, **pronouncement,** deliverance; **award,** action, **sentence; condemnation,** doom; dictum; precedent.

.6 judge, judger, adjudicator, justice; arbiter 1002.1; referee, umpire.

.7 **critic,** criticizer; connoisseur, *cognoscente* [Ital]; literary critic, man of letters; textual critic; editor; social critic, muckraker; captious critic, smellfungus, caviler, carper, faultfinder; criticaster, criticule, critickin; **censor,** censurer; **reviewer, commentator,** commenter; scholiast, annotator.

.8 VERBS **judge,** exercise judgment *or* the judgment; adjudge, adjudicate; be judicious *or* judgmental; **consider, regard,** hold, **deem, esteem, count, account,** think of; allow [dial], **suppose, presume** 499.9,10, opine, form an opinion, give *or* pass *or* express an opinion.

.9 **estimate,** form an estimate, make an estimation; **reckon,** call, guess, figure [informal]; **assess, appraise,** give an appreciation, **gauge, rate, rank,** class, mark, **value, evaluate,** valuate, place *or* set a value on, prize, appreciate; size up *or* take one's measure [informal], **measure** 490.11.

.10 **conclude,** draw a conclusion, **come to** *or* **arrive at a conclusion; find; deduce, derive,** take as proved *or* demonstrated, extract, **gather,** collect, glean, fetch; **infer,** draw an inference; induce; **reason,** reason that; put two and two together.

.11 **decide, determine; find,** ascertain; resolve; **settle,** fix; make a decision, come to a decision, **make up one's mind,** settle one's mind.

.12 **sit in judgment,** hold the scales, hold court; **hear,** give a hearing to; **try** 1004.17; **referee, umpire,** officiate; arbitrate 805.6.

.13 **pass judgment,** utter a judgment, deliver

or pronounce judgment; agree on a verdict, return a verdict, **bring in a verdict, find,** find for *or* against; pronounce on, act on, **pronounce,** report, **rule,** decree, order; **sentence,** pass sentence, doom, condemn.

.14 **criticize,** critique; **censure** 969.13,14; **review;** comment upon, annotate; moralize upon.

.15 **rank, rate,** count, be regarded, be thought of, be in one's estimation.

.16 ADJS **judicial, judiciary,** judicative, judgmental; juridic(al), juristic(al); **judicious** 467.19; **critical** 969.24.

.17 ADVS **all things considered, on the whole, taking one thing with another,** on balance, taking everything into consideration *or* account; everything being equal, other things being equal, *ceteris paribus* [L], taking into account, considering, after all, this being so; therefore, wherefore; *sub judice* [L], in court, before the bench *or* bar *or* court.

495. PREJUDGMENT

.1 NOUNS **prejudgment,** prejudication, forejudgment; **preconception, presumption, presupposition,** presupposal, presurmise, preapprehension, prenotion, **prepossession; predilection,** predisposition; preconsideration, **predetermination,** predecision, preconclusion, premature judgment; *parti pris* [Fr], **prejudice** 527.3.

.2 VERBS **prejudge,** forejudge; **preconceive, presuppose, presume,** presurmise; **be predisposed;** predecide, predetermine, preconclude, judge beforehand *or* prematurely, judge before the evidence is in, **jump to a conclusion,** go off half-cocked *or* at half cock [informal], jump the gun [slang].

.3 ADJS **prejudged,** forejudged, **preconceived,** preconceptual, **presumed, presupposed,** presurmised; predetermined, predecided, preconcluded, judged beforehand *or* prematurely; **predisposed,** predispositional; prejudicial, prejudging, prejudicative.

496. MISJUDGMENT

.1 NOUNS **misjudgment,** poor judgment, error in judgment, warped *or* skewed judgment; **miscalculation,** miscomputation, **misreckoning, misestimation,** misappreciation, misevaluation, misvaluation, misconjecture, wrong impression; **misreading,** wrong construction, misconstruction, **misinterpretation** 553; error 518; injudiciousness 470.2.

.2 VERBS **misjudge,** judge amiss, **miscalculate, misestimate, misreckon,** misappreciate, misevaluate, misvalue, miscompute, misdeem, misesteem, misthink, misconjecture; misconstrue, **misinterpret** 553.2; err 518.9; fly in the face of facts; put the wrong construction on things, get a wrong impression, misread the situation *or* case.

497. OVERESTIMATION

.1 NOUNS **overestimation,** overestimate, **overreckoning,** overcalculation, **overrating,** overassessment, overvaluation, overappraisal; overreaction; **overstatement, exaggeration** 617.

.2 VERBS **overestimate, overreckon,** overcalculate, overcount, overmeasure, **overrate,** overassess, overappraise, overesteem, **overvalue,** overprize, think *or* make too much of, idealize, see only the good points of; overreact to; **overstate, exaggerate** 617.3.

.3 ADJS **overestimated, overrated,** puffed up, overvalued, on the high side; **exaggerated** 617.4.

498. UNDERESTIMATION

.1 NOUNS **underestimation,** misestimation, underestimate, **underrating,** underreckoning, undervaluation, misprizing, misprizal, misprision; **belittlement, depreciation,** deprecation, **minimization,** disparagement 971.

.2 VERBS **underestimate,** misestimate, **underrate,** underreckon, **undervalue,** underprize, **misprize; make little of,** attach little importance to, not do justice to, sell short, think little of, make *or* think nothing of, set little by, miss on the low side, set no store by, set at naught, make light of, shrug off; depreciate, minimize, belittle, deprecate, disparage 971.8.

.3 ADJS **underestimated, underrated,** undervalued, on the low side; unvalued, unprized.

499. THEORY, SUPPOSITION

.1 NOUNS **theory, theorization,** *theoria* [Gk]; theoretics, theoretic, theoric [archaic]; **speculation,** mere theory; doctrinairism, doctrinality, doctrinarity; analysis, **explanation,** abstraction; theoretical basis *or* justification.

.2 **theory, explanation,** proposed *or* tentative explanation, statement covering the

facts or evidence; body of theory, theoretical structure *or* construct; unified theory.

.3 **supposition, supposal,** supposing; **presupposition,** presupposal; **assumption, presumption, conjecture, inference, surmise, guesswork; hypothesis,** working hypothesis; **postulate,** postulation, *postulatum* [L], set of postulates; **proposition, thesis, premise** 482.7; **axiom** 517.2.

.4 guess, conjecture, unverified supposition, perhaps, speculation, surmise; hunch [informal]; shot *or* stab [both informal]; rough guess, wild guess, blind guess, bold conjecture, shot in the dark [informal].

.5 (vague supposition) **suggestion,** bare suggestion, **suspicion, inkling, hint, intimation, impression, notion,** mere notion, sneaking suspicion [informal], trace of an idea, half an idea, vague idea, hazy idea, **idea** 479.

.6 supposititiousness, presumptiveness, presumableness, theoreticalness, hypotheticalness, conjecturableness, speculativeness.

.7 **theorist, theorizer,** theoretic, **theoretician,** notionalist [archaic]; **speculator;** hypothesist, hypothesizer; doctrinaire, doctrinarian; armchair authority *or* philosopher.

.8 **supposer,** assumer, surmiser, **conjecturer, guesser,** guessworker.

.9 VERBS **theorize, hypothesize, speculate,** have *or* entertain a theory, espouse a theory.

.10 **suppose, assume, presume, surmise,** expect, **suspect, infer, understand, gather, conclude, deduce, consider,** reckon, divine, imagine, **fancy,** dream, conceive, **believe, deem,** repute, feel, **think,** be inclined to think, opine, say, daresay, be afraid [informal]; take, take it, take it into one's head, take for, take to be, take for granted, take as a precondition, **presuppose, presurmise,** prefigure; provisionally accept *or* admit, grant, take it as given, let, let be.

.11 **conjecture, guess,** give a guess, talk off the top of one's head [informal], hazard a conjecture, venture a guess, risk assuming *or* stating, tentatively suggest, go out on a limb [informal].

.12 **postulate, predicate, posit,** set forth, lay down, assert; pose, advance, **propose, propound** 773.5.

.13 ADJS **theoretical,** theoretico–; **hypothetic(al),** postulatory, notional; **speculative, conjectural;** abstract, ideal; academic, moot; impractical, armchair.

.14 **supposed,** suppositive, **assumed, presumed, conjectured, inferred,** understood, deemed, **reputed,** putative, alleged, accounted as; suppositional, supposititious; assumptive, **presumptive;** given, granted, taken as *or* for granted; **postulated,** postulational, premised.

.15 **supposable, presumable,** assumable, conjecturable, surmisable, imaginable, premissable.

.16 ADVS **theoretically, hypothetically,** *ex hypothesi* [L], ideally; **in theory,** in idea, in the abstract, on paper.

.17 **supposedly,** supposably, **presumably,** presumedly, assumably, assumedly, presumptively, assumptively, reputedly; suppositionally, supposititiously; **seemingly,** in seeming, quasi; as it were.

.18 conjecturably, **conjecturally;** to guess, to make a guess, **as a guess,** as a rough guess.

.19 CONJS **supposing,** supposing that, **assuming that,** allowing that, on the assumption *or* supposition that, if, as if, as though, by way of hypothesis.

500. PHILOSOPHY

.1 NOUNS **philosophy,** "life's guide" [Cicero], "a handmaid to religion" [Francis Bacon]; philosophical inquiry *or* investigation, philosophical speculation; inquiry *or* investigation into first causes; school of philosophy, philosophic system, school of thought; philosophic doctrine, philosophic theory; theory of knowledge, **epistemology,** gnosiology; mental philosophy, moral philosophy; **metaphysics,** ontology, first philosophy, theory *or* science of being, phenomenology, cosmology, casuistry, **ethics** 957; **aesthetics,** theory of beauty; axiology, value theory; **logic;** philosophastry, philosophastering; sophistry 483.

.2 Platonic philosophy, Platonism, philosophy of the Academy; Aristotelian philosophy, Aristotelianism, philosophy of the Lyceum, Peripateticism, Peripatetic school; Stoic philosophy, Stoicism, philosophy of the Porch *or* Stoa; Epicureanism, philosophy of the Garden.

.3 **materialism** 376.5; **idealism** 377.3.

.4 monism, philosophical unitarianism, mind-stuff theory; pantheism, cosmotheism; hylozoism.

.5 pluralism; dualism, mind-matter theory.

.6 **philosopher,** philosophizer, philosophe; philosophaster; **thinker,** speculator; casu-

ist; metaphysician, cosmologist; sophist 483.6.

.7 VERBS **philosophize,** reason 482.15.

.8 ADJS **philosophic(al),** sophistical 483.10; philosophicohistorical, philosophicolegal, philosophicojuristic, philosophicopsychological, philosophicoreligious, philosophicotheological.

.9 acosmistic, animatistic, animist *or* animistic, atomistic, cosmotheistic, Cyrenaic, eclectic(al), Eleatic, empirical, Epicurean, eudaemonistic(al), existential, hedonist *or* hedonistic, hedonic(al), humanist, humanistic(al), idealistic(al); materialistic 376.11, mechanistic, Megarian, metaphysical, monistic, naturalistic, nominalist *or* nominalistical, panlogical, panlogistical, pantheistic, positivist, positivistic, pragmatic, pragmatist, instrumentalist, rationalistic, realist *or* realistic, scholastic, neo-scholastic, sensationalistic, Stoic, syncretistic, theistic, transcendentalist *or* transcendentalistic, utilitarian, vitalistic, voluntarist *or* voluntaristic.

.10 Aristotelian, Peripatetic; Augustinian, Averroist *or* Averroistic, Bergsonian, Berkeleian, Cartesian, Comtian *or* Comptean, Hegelian, Neo-Hegelian, Heideggerian, Heraclitean, Humean, Husserlian, Kantian, Leibnizian, Parmenidean, Platonic, Neoplatonic, pre-Socratic, Pyrrhonic, Pyrrhonian, Pythagorean, Neo-Pythagorean, Sartrian, Schellingian, Schopenhauerian, Scotist, Socratic, Spencerian, Thomist *or* Thomistic, Viconian, Wittgensteinian.

.11 philosophies

acosmism
aestheticism
African school
agnosticism
Alexandrian school
analytic philosophy
animalism
animatism
animism
Aristotelianism
atomism
Augustinianism
Averroism
Bergsonism
Berkeleianism
Bonaventurism
Bradleianism
Cartesianism
Comtism
cosmotheism
criticism, critical philosophy
Cynicism
Cyrenaic hedonism, Cyrenaicism
deism
dialectical materialism
dualism
eclecticism
egoism
egoistic hedonism
Eleaticism, Elean school
empiricism
Epicureanism
Eretrian school
eristic school
essentialism
ethicism
ethics 957
eudaemonism
existentialism, existential philosophy
Fichteanism
hedonism
Hegelianism
Heideggerianism
Heracliteanism
Herbartianism
humanism
Humism
hylomorphism
hylotheism
hylozoism
idealism
immaterialism
individualism
instrumentalism
intuitionism
Ionian school
Kantianism
Leibnizianism
logical empiricism, logical positivism
Marxism
materialism
mechanism
Megarianism
mentalism
Mimamsa
monism
mysticism
naturalism
neocriticism
Neo-Hegelianism
Neoplatonism
Neo-Pythagoreanism
neo-scholasticism
new ethical movement
nominalism
noumenalism
Nyaya
ontologism
ontology
optimism
ordinary language philosophy
organicism
organic mechanism
panlogism
panpneumatism
panpsychism
pantheism
panthelism
Parmenidean school
patristicism
patristic philosophy
Peripateticism
pessimism
phenomenalism
philosophy of organism
philosophy of signs
philosophy of the ante-Nicene Fathers
philosophy of the post-Nicene Fathers
physicalism
physicism
Platonism
pluralism
positivism
pragmaticism, pragmatism
psychism
psychological hedonism
Purva Mimamsa
Pyrrhonism
Pythagoreanism
rationalism
realism
Sankhya
Sartrianism
Schellingism
Scholasticism
Schopenhauerism
Scotism
secular humanism
semiotic, semiotics
sensationalism
sensism
skepticism
Socratism
Sophism, Sophistry
Spencerianism
Spinozism
Stoicism
substantialism
syncretism
theism
Thomism
transcendentalism
universalistic hedonism
utilitarianism
Uttara Mimamsa
vitalism
voluntarism
zetetic philosophy

.12 adherents

acosmist
agnostic
analytic philosopher
animalist
animatist
animist
Aristotelian
atomist
Averroist
Bergsonian
Berkeleian
Cartesian
Comtist
cosmotheist
Cynic
Cyrenaic
deist
dialectical materialist
dualist
eclectic
egoist
Eleatic
empiricist
Epicurean
Eretrian
eristic
essentialist
eudaemonist
existentialist, existential philosopher
Fichtean
hedonist
Hegelian
Heideggerian
Heraclitean
Herbartian
humanist
Humist
Husserlian
hylomorphist

hylotheist
hylozoist
idealist
immaterialist
individualist
intuitionist
Kantian
Kierkegaardian
Leibnizian
logical empiricist, logical positivist
Marxist
materialist 376.6
mechanist
Megarian
mentalist
monist
mystic
naturalist
Neo-Hegelian
Neoplatonist
Neo-Pythagorean
nominalist
ontologist
organicist
organic mechanist
panpsychist
pantheist
Parmenidean
Peripatetic
phenomenalist
physicalist
physicist
Platonist
pluralist
positivist
pragmatist
psychist
Pyrrhonist
Pythagorean
rationalist
realist
Sartrian
Scholastic
Scotist
secular humanist
sensationalist
sensist
skeptic
Socratist
Sophist
Spenceerian
Spinozist
Stoic
substantialist
syncretist
theist
Thomist
transcendentalist
utilitarian
vitalist
voluntarist
Wittgensteinian
zetetic

.13 philosophers

Abelard
Albertus Magnus
Albinus
Alexander, Hartley Burr
Alexander, Samuel
Ammonius Saccas
Anaxagoras
Anaximander
Anaximenes
Anselm
Apollonius
Apuleius
Aristippus
Aristotle
Augustine
Averroes
Ayer
Bacon, Francis
Bacon, Roger
Bautain
Bayle
Bentham
Bergson
Berkeley
Boethius
Bonaventure
Boodin
Bosanquet
Bowne
Bradley
Brightman
Broad
Bruno
Cabanis
Caird, Edward
Caird, John
Carnap
Cassirer
Chubb
Cicero
Clifford
Cohen, Hermann
Comte
Condillac
Condorcet
Confucius
Cousin
Croce
Democritus
Descartes
Dewey
d'Holbach
Diderot
Dilthey
Drake
Dreisch
Duns Scotus
Empedocles
Engels
Epictetus
Epicurus
Erigena
Eucken
Euhemerus
Fechner
Feigl
Fichte
Flewelling
Franke
Frege
Fullerton
Gentile
Geulincx
Gilson
Green
Grotius
Haeckel
Hahn
Haldane
Hamann
Harris
Hartmann
Hegel
Heidegger
Heraclitus
Herbart
Herder
Hobbes
Holt
Howison
Hume
Husserl
Hutcheson
Jacobi
James
Jaspers
Kant
Kierkegaard
La Mettrie
Langer
Leibniz
Leucippus
Locke
Lotze
Lovejoy
Lucretius
Mach
Maimonides
Maine de Biran
Malebranche
Marcus Aurelius
Maritain
Marvin
Marx
Maximus
McGilvary
M'Taggart
Mead
Meinong
Mencius
Mendelssohn, Moses
Mill, James
Mill, John Stuart
Moderatus
Montague
Moore
Morgan
Natorp
Neurath
Nietzsche
Numenius
Ockham
Ortega y Gasset
Paley
Parmenides
Pascal
Peirce
Perry
Philo
Plato
Plotinus
Porphyry
Pratt
Pritchard
Protagoras
Pyrrho
Pythagoras
Reid
Reynaud
Rogers
Ross
Rousseau
Royce
Russell
Santayana
Sartre
Scheler
Schelling
Schiller, Ferdinand
Schleiermacher
Schlick
Schopenhauer
Sellars
Seneca
Shaftesbury
Sidgwick
Socrates
Spaulding
Spencer
Spinoza
Stern
Stevenson
Stirling
Strong
Thales
Theophrastus
Thomas Aquinas
Tindal
Toland
Vico
Waismann
Whitehead
Windelband
Wittgenstein
Wolff
Woodbridge
Xenophanes
Zeno of Citium
Zeno of Elea

501. BELIEF

.1 NOUNS **belief, credence, credit, faith, trust;** hope; **confidence,** assuredness, **assurance;** sureness, surety, **certainty** 513; **reliance, dependence,** reliance on *or* in, dependence on, stock *or* store [both informal]; acceptation, acception, reception, acquiescence; suspension of disbelief; fideism; **credulity** 502.

.2 **a belief, tenet, dogma,** precept, **principle, principle** *or* **article of faith,** canon,

maxim, axiom; **doctrine,** teaching; –ism, –logy *or* –logia.

.3 **system of belief; religion, faith** 1020.1; **school, cult, ism, ideology,** *Weltanschauung* [Ger], world view; political faith *or* belief *or* philosophy; **creed, credo,** credenda; articles of religion, creedal *or* doctrinal statement, formulated belief; gospel; catechism;

.4 **statement of belief** *or* **principles, manifesto,** position paper; solemn declaration; deposition, affidavit.

.5 **conviction, persuasion,** convincement; **firm belief,** implicit *or* staunch belief, settled judgment, mature judgment *or* belief, fixed opinion, unshaken confidence, steadfast faith, rooted *or* deep-rooted belief.

.6 **opinion, sentiment, feeling, impression,** reaction, **notion, idea, thought,** mind, thinking, **way of thinking, attitude,** stance, posture, position, **view,** eye, sight, lights, observation, **conception,** concept, conceit, **estimation,** estimate, consideration, **theory** 499, assumption, presumption, **conclusion, judgment** 494, personal judgment; **point of view** 525.2; public opinion, public belief, general belief, prevailing belief *or* sentiment, *consensus gentium* [L], common belief, community sentiment, popular belief, *vox populi* [L], climate of opinion; ethos; mystique.

.7 **profession, confession,** declaration, **profession** *or* **confession** *or* **declaration of faith.**

.8 **believability,** believableness, **credibility, credit, trustworthiness, plausibility,** tenability, acceptability, conceivability; **reliability** 513.4.

.9 **believer, truster;** religious believer 1028.4; true believer; the assured, the faithful, the believing; fideist.

.10 VERBS **believe, credit, trust, accept,** receive, buy [slang]; give credit *or* credence to, give faith to, put faith in, take stock in *or* set store by [informal], attach some weight to; be led to believe; accept implicitly, believe without reservation, take for granted, take *or* accept for gospel, take as gospel truth [informal], take on faith, take on trust *or* credit; take at face value; **take one's word for,** trust one's word, take at one's word; swallow 502.6; **be certain** 513.9.

.11 **think, opine, be of the opinion,** be afraid [informal], **have the idea,** have an idea, **suppose, assume, presume, judge** 494.8, **guess, surmise,** have a hunch [informal], have an inkling, suspect, expect [informal], have an impression, be under the impression, conceive, ween, trow [both archaic], **imagine, fancy,** daresay; **deem, esteem, hold, regard, consider, maintain,** reckon, estimate; hold as, account as, set down as *or* for, view as, look upon as, take for, take, take it.

.12 **state, assert,** declare, **affirm,** vow, avow, avouch, warrant, asseverate, confess, swear, profess, express the belief, swear to a belief.

.13 **hold the belief, have the opinion,** entertain a belief *or* opinion, adopt *or* embrace a belief; foster *or* nurture *or* cherish a belief, be wedded to *or* espouse a belief; get hold of an idea, get it into one's head, form a conviction.

.14 **be confident,** have confidence, **be satisfied, be convinced, be certain,** be easy in one's mind about, be secure in the belief, **feel sure, rest assured,** rest in confidence; doubt not, **have no doubt,** have no misgivings *or* diffidence *or* qualms, have no reservations, have no second thoughts.

.15 **believe in, have faith in,** pin one's faith to, confide in, **have confidence in,** place *or* repose confidence in, place reliance in, put oneself in the hands of, **trust in,** put trust in, have simple *or* childlike faith in, rest in, repose in *or* hope in [both archaic].

.16 **rely on** *or* **upon, depend on** *or* **upon,** place reliance on, rest on *or* upon, repose on, lean on, **count on,** calculate on, reckon on, **bank on** *or* **upon** [informal]; **trust to** *or* **unto, swear by,** take one's oath upon; **bet on** *or* gamble on *or* lay money on *or* bet one's bottom dollar on [all informal]; take one's word for.

.17 **trust, confide in, rely on, depend on,** repose, place trust *or* confidence in, **trust in** 501.15, trust implicitly, deem trustworthy, think reliable *or* dependable, take one's word.

.18 **convince,** convict, **convert, win over,** bring over, bring round, talk over, talk one around, bring to reason, bring to one's senses, **persuade, lead to believe; satisfy, assure;** put one's mind at rest on; sell *or* sell one on [both informal]; carry one's point, bring *or* drive home to; cram down one's throat; be convincing, carry conviction; inspire belief *or* confidence.

.19 **convince oneself, persuade oneself,** sell oneself [informal], make oneself easy about, make oneself easy on that score,

satisfy oneself on that point, make sure of, make up one's mind.

.20 **find credence, be believed,** be accepted, be received; be swallowed *or* **go down** *or* pass current [all informal]; produce *or* carry conviction; have the ear of, gain the confidence of.

.21 ADJS **believing, undoubting, undoubtful,** doubtless [archaic]; faithful [archaic], pistic, pious, pietistic, **devout;** under the impression, impressed with; **convinced, confident,** positive, dogmatic, secure, **persuaded,** sold on, **satisfied, assured; sure, certain** 513.13–21; fideistic.

.22 **trusting, trustful,** trusty [archaic], **confiding, unsuspecting, unsuspicious,** without suspicion; childlike, innocent, guileless, naïve 736.5; **credulous** 502.8; relying, depending, reliant, dependent.

.23 **believed, credited, trusted, accepted;** received; **undoubted,** unsuspected, **unquestioned,** undisputed, uncontested.

.24 **believable, credible; tenable,** conceivable, **plausible,** colorable; worthy of faith, trustworthy, trusty; fiduciary; reliable 513.17; unimpeachable, unexceptionable, **unquestionable** 513.15.

.25 fiducial, fiduciary, pistic; convictional.

.26 **convincing,** convictional, **persuasive,** assuring, impressive, satisfying, satisfactory; decisive, absolute, conclusive, determinative; authoritative.

.27 **doctrinal, creedal,** canonical, dogmatic, confessional.

.28 ADVS **believingly, undoubtingly,** undoubtfully, without doubt, unquestioningly; **trustingly,** trustfully, unsuspectingly, unsuspiciously; piously, devoutly; with faith; **with confidence,** on *or* upon trust, on faith.

.29 **in one's opinion, to one's mind,** in one's thinking, **to one's way of thinking,** the way one thinks, **in one's estimation, according to one's lights, as one sees it, to the best of one's belief;** in the opinion of, in the eyes of.

502. CREDULITY

.1 NOUNS **credulity, credulousness,** inclination *or* disposition to believe, ease of belief, will *or* willingness to believe, wishful belief *or* thinking; **blind faith,** unquestioning belief; uncritical acceptance, premature *or* unripe acceptation, hasty *or* rash conviction; **trustfulness, unsuspiciousness,** unsuspectingness; uncriticalness, unskepticalness; overcredulity, overcredulousness, overtrustfulness, overopenness to conviction *or* persuasion, gross credulity; infatuation, fondness, dotage; one's blind side.

.2 **gullibility, dupability,** cullibility, **deceivability,** seduceability, persuadability, hoaxability; easiness [informal], softness, weakness; **simpleness,** simplicity, **ingenuousness, unsophistication; greenness,** naïveness, **naïveté,** naivety 736.1.

.3 **superstition,** superstitiousness; popular belief, **old wives' tale;** tradition, lore, folklore; charm, spell 1036.

.4 trusting soul; **dupe** 620; sucker *or* patsy [both slang].

.5 VERBS **be credulous,** accept unquestioningly; not boggle at anything, **believe anything,** be easy of belief *or* persuasion, be uncritical, believe at the drop of a hat, be a dupe, think the moon is made of green cheese.

.6 [slang or informal terms] kid oneself; **swallow,** swallow anything, swallow whole, not choke *or* gag on, swallow hook, line, and sinker; **eat up,** lap up, devour, gulp down, gobble up *or* down; bite, nibble, rise to the fly, take the bait; swing at; go for, **fall for,** tumble for; **be taken in,** be a sucker *or* patsy *or* easy mark.

.7 **be superstitious;** knock on wood, keep one's fingers crossed.

.8 ADJS **credulous,** easy of belief, ready *or* inclined to believe, easily taken in; **undoubting** 501.21; **trustful, trusting; unsuspicious, unsuspecting;** uncritical, unskeptical; overcredulous, overtrustful, overtrusting, overconfiding; fond, infatuated, doting; **superstitious.**

.9 **gullible, dupable,** cullible, **deceivable, foolable, deludable, exploitable,** victimizable, seduceable, persuadable, hoaxable, humbugable, hoodwinkable; soft, easy [informal], **simple; ingenuous, unsophisticated, green,** naïve 736.5.

503. UNBELIEF

.1 NOUNS **unbelief, disbelief,** nonbelief, unbelievingness; refusal *or* inability to believe; discredit; **incredulity** 504; **denial** 524.2, **rejection** 638; misbelief, heresy 1025.2; infidelity, atheism, **agnosticism** 1031.6; minimifidianism, nullifidianism.

.2 **doubt, doubtfulness, dubiousness,** dubiety; half-belief; **question,** question in one's mind; **skepticism,** skepticalness; total skepticism, Pyrrhonism; **suspicion,** suspiciousness, wariness, leeriness, **distrust, mistrust, misdoubt,** distrustfulness, mis-

trustfulness; **misgiving,** self-doubt, diffidence; scruple, scrupulousness [both archaic]; apprehension 891.4; **uncertainty** 514; shadow of doubt.

.3 **unbelievability,** unbelievableness, **incredibility, implausibility,** inconceivability, untenableness; **doubtfulness, questionableness;** credibility gap; unreliability 514.6.

.4 doubter, doubting Thomas; unbeliever 1031.11,12.

.5 VERBS **disbelieve,** unbelieve, misbelieve, **not believe,** find hard to believe, not admit, refuse to admit, not buy [slang], take no stock in *or* set no store by [both informal]; **discredit,** refuse to credit, refuse credit *or* credence to, give no credit *or* credence to; gag on, **not swallow** 504.3; negate, **deny** 524.3,4; **reject** 638.2.

.6 **doubt, be doubtful, be dubious, be skeptical,** doubt the truth of, beg leave to doubt, **have one's doubts,** have *or* harbor *or* entertain doubts *or* suspicions, half believe, have reservations, **take with a grain of salt,** scruple [archaic], **distrust, mistrust,** misgive; **be uncertain** 514.9,10; **suspect,** smell a rat [informal]; **question,** query, **challenge, contest, dispute,** greet with skepticism, treat with reserve, bring *or* call in question, raise a question, throw doubt upon, awake a doubt *or* suspicion; **doubt one's word,** give one the lie; doubt oneself, be diffident.

.7 **be unbelievable,** be incredible, pass belief, be hard to believe, strain one's credulity, **stagger belief;** shake one's faith, undermine one's faith; perplex, stagger, fill with doubt.

.8 ADJS **unbelieving, disbelieving,** nonbelieving; faithless, without faith; unconfident, unconvinced, unconverted; nullifidian, minimifidian, creedless; **incredulous** 504.4; repudiative; **heretical** 1025.9; **irreligious** 1031.17.

.9 **doubting, doubtful, in doubt, dubious; questioning; skeptical,** Pyrrhonic, from Missouri [informal]; **distrustful, mistrustful, untrustful,** mistrusting, untrusting; **suspicious,** suspecting, scrupulous [archaic], shy, wary, leery; **agnostic; uncertain** 514.14.

.10 **unbelievable, incredible,** unthinkable, **implausible,** unimaginable, inconceivable, not to be believed, **hard to believe,** hard of belief, beyond belief, unworthy of belief, not meriting *or* not deserving belief, tall [informal]; **staggering belief,** passing belief; preposterous, absurd, ridiculous, unearthly, ungodly; **doubtful, dubious,** doubtable, dubitable, **questionable,** problematic(al), **unconvincing,** open to doubt *or* suspicion; **suspicious,** suspect; thin *or* a bit thin [both informal]; thick *or* a bit thick *or* a little too thick [all informal].

.11 unreliable 514.19.

.12 **doubted, questioned,** disputed, contested, moot; **distrusted,** mistrusted; **suspect,** suspected, **under suspicion,** under a cloud; **discredited,** exploded, **disbelieved.**

.13 ADVS **unbelievingly,** doubtingly, **doubtfully, dubiously,** questioningly, **skeptically,** suspiciously; **with a grain of salt,** with reservations, with some allowance, with caution.

504. INCREDULITY

.1 NOUNS **incredulity, incredulousness,** uncredulousness, refusal *or* disinclination to believe, resistance *or* resistiveness to belief, tough-mindedness, **inconvincibility,** unconvincibility, unpersuadability, unpersuasibility; **suspiciousness,** suspicion, wariness, leeriness, guardedness, cautiousness, caution; **skepticism** 503.2.

.2 **ungullibility,** uncullibility, **undupability, undeceivability,** unhoaxability, unseduceability; **sophistication.**

.3 VERBS **refuse to believe,** resist believing, **not allow oneself to believe,** be slow to believe *or* accept; not kid oneself [slang]; **disbelieve** 503.5; **be skeptical** 503.6; **not swallow,** not be able to swallow *or* down [informal], not go for *or* **not fall for** [both slang], not be taken in by; **not accept, reject** 638.2.

.4 ADJS **incredulous,** uncredulous, **hard of belief,** shy of belief, disposed to doubt, indisposed *or* disinclined to believe, unwilling to accept; impervious to persuasion, **inconvincible,** unconvincible, unpersuadable, unpersuasible; **suspicious, suspecting,** wary, leery, cautious, guarded; **skeptical** 503.9.

.5 **ungullible,** uncullible, **undupable, undeceivable, unfoolable, undeludable,** unhoaxable, unseduceable, hoaxproof; **sophisticated, wise, hardheaded,** practical, realistic, tough-minded; nobody's fool, not born yesterday, nobody's sucker *or* patsy [slang].

505. EVIDENCE, PROOF

.1 NOUNS **evidence, proof; reason to believe,** grounds for belief; **grounds,** material grounds, **facts, data,** premises, basis

for belief; piece *or* item of evidence, **fact,** datum, relevant fact; **indication, manifestation,** sign, symptom, mark, token, mute witness; body of evidence, documentation; muniments, title deeds and papers; chain of evidence; **clue** 568.8; exhibit.

.2 evidence in chief, primary *or* secondary evidence, prima facie evidence, external *or* extrinsic evidence, internal *or* intrinsic evidence, direct evidence, indirect evidence, circumstantial *or* presumptive evidence, documentary evidence, oral evidence, word-of-mouth evidence, ex parte evidence, collateral evidence, cumulative evidence, incriminating evidence, hearsay evidence, hearsay, state's evidence; *corpus delicti* [L], body of the crime.

.3 **testimony, attestation,** attest [archaic], **witness;** testimonial, testimonium [archaic]; **statement, declaration, assertion,** asseveration, affirmation 523, avouchment, avowal, averment, allegation, admission, **disclosure** 556, profession, word; **deposition,** legal evidence, sworn evidence *or* testimony; *procès-verbal* [Fr]; compurgation; affidavit, sworn statement; instrument in proof, *pièce justificative* [Fr].

.4 **proof, demonstration,** ironclad proof; **determination, establishment, settlement; conclusive evidence,** indisputable evidence, incontrovertible evidence, damning evidence, unmistakable sign, sure sign, absolute indication; burden of proof, onus, *onus probandi* [L]; the proof of the pudding.

.5 **confirmation, substantiation,** proof, proving, proving out, bearing out, affirmation, attestation, **authentication, validation, certification,** ratification, **verification; corroboration, support,** supporting evidence, corroboratory evidence, fortification, buttressing, bolstering, backing, backing up, reinforcement, undergirding, strengthening, circumstantiation; **documentation.**

.6 **citation, reference,** quotation; **exemplification,** instance, example, case, case in point, particular, item, illustration, demonstration; cross reference.

.7 **witness, eyewitness,** spectator, earwitness; **bystander,** passerby; **deponent, testifier,** attestant, attester, attestator, voucher, swearer; **informant,** informer; character witness; cojuror, compurgator.

.8 **provability, demonstrability,** determinability; confirmability, supportability, verifiability.

.9 VERBS **evidence, evince,** furnish evidence, **show, go to show,** tend to show; **demonstrate, illustrate,** exhibit, manifest, display, express, set forth; approve; **attest; indicate, signify,** signalize, symptomatize, mark, **denote, betoken, point to,** give indication of, show signs of; **connote, imply, suggest,** involve; argue, breathe, tell, bespeak; **speak for itself,** speak volumes.

.10 **testify, attest, give evidence,** witness, **give** *or* **bear witness; disclose** 556.4–7; **vouch,** state one's case, **depose,** depone, **warrant, swear,** take one's oath, acknowledge, avow, **affirm,** avouch, aver, allege, asseverate, **certify, give one's word.**

.11 **prove, demonstrate, show,** afford proof of, prove to be, prove true; **establish,** fix, **determine, ascertain,** make out, remove all doubt; **settle,** settle the matter; **set at rest;** clinch *or* cinch *or* nail down [all informal]; **prove one's point,** make one's case, bring home to, make good, have *or* make out a case; hold good, hold water; follow, follow from, follow as a matter of course.

.12 **confirm,** affirm, **attest,** warrant, uphold [Brit dial], **substantiate, authenticate, validate, certify,** ratify, **verify;** circumstantiate, **corroborate, bear out,** support, buttress, **sustain,** fortify, bolster, back, back up, reinforce, undergird, strengthen; **document;** probate, prove.

.13 **adduce,** produce, **advance, present,** bring to bear, **offer,** allege [archaic], plead, **bring forward,** bring on; rally, marshal, deploy, array.

.14 **cite, name,** call to mind; **instance,** cite a particular *or* particulars, cite cases *or* a case in point, itemize, particularize, produce an instance, give a for-instance [informal]; **exemplify,** example [archaic], **illustrate,** demonstrate; **document; quote,** quote chapter and verse.

.15 **refer to,** direct attention to, **appeal to,** invoke; make reference to; cross-refer, make a cross-reference; reference, cross-reference.

.16 **have evidence** *or* **proof,** have a case, possess incriminating evidence, **have something on** [informal]; **have the goods on** *or* have dead to rights [both slang].

.17 ADJS **evidential,** evidentiary, **factual,** symptomatic, **significant, indicative,** attestative, attestive, probative; founded on, grounded on, based on; implicit, suggestive; material, telling, convincing, weighty; overwhelming, damning; **conclusive,** determinative, **decisive,** final, incontrovertible, irresistible, indisputable, irre-

futable, sure, certain, absolute; documented, documentary; **valid, admissible;** adducible; firsthand, authentic, reliable 513.17, eye-witness; hearsay, circumstantial, presumptive, nuncupative, cumulative, ex parte.

.18 **demonstrative,** demonstrating, demonstrational; evincive, apodictic.

.19 **confirming,** confirmatory, confirmative; substantiating, **verifying,** verificative; **corroborating,** corroboratory, **corroborative,** supportive, **supporting.**

.20 **provable, demonstrable,** demonstratable, apodictic, evincible, attestable, **confirmable,** checkable, **substantiatable, establishable,** supportable, sustainable, **verifiable,** validatable, authenticatable.

.21 **proved, proven, demonstrated,** shown; **established,** fixed, **settled, determined,** ascertained; **confirmed, substantiated,** attested, **authenticated, certified, validated, verified;** circumstantiated, **corroborated,** borne out.

.22 **unrefuted,** unconfuted, unanswered, uncontroverted, uncontradicted, **undenied; unrefutable** 513.15.

.23 ADVS **evidentially,** according to the evidence, on the evidence, as attested by; **in confirmation, in corroboration of, in support of;** at first hand, at second hand.

.24 **to illustrate,** to prove the point, as an example, as a case in point, to name an instance, by way of example, **for example, for instance,** to cite an instance, as an instance, e.g., *exempli gratia* [L]; as, **thus.**

.25 **which see, q.v.,** *quod vide* [L]; *loco citato* [L], loc. cit.; *opere citato* [L], op. cit.

.26 PHRS **it is proven,** *probatum est* [L], there is nothing more to be said, it must follow; QED, *quod erat demonstrandum* [L].

506. DISPROOF

.1 NOUNS **disproof,** disproving, disproval, **invalidation,** disconfirmation, explosion, negation, redargution [archaic]; exposure, exposé; *reductio ad absurdum* [L].

.2 **refutation, confutation,** confounding, refutal, **rebuttal, answer,** complete answer, crushing *or* effective rejoinder, squelch; discrediting; **overthrow,** overthrowal, upset, upsetting, subversion, undermining, demolition; **contradiction,** controversion, **denial** 524.2.

.3 **conclusive argument, knockdown argument, floorer,** sockdolager [slang]; **clincher** *or* crusher *or* **settler** *or* finisher *or* squelcher [all informal].

.4 VERBS **disprove, invalidate,** disconfirm, discredit, prove the contrary, belie, give the lie to, redargue [archaic]; **negate,** negative; **expose, show up; explode,** blow up, blow sky-high, **puncture,** deflate, **shoot** *or* **poke full of holes; knock the bottom out of** [informal], knock the props *or* chocks out from under, take the ground from under, undercut, cut the ground from under one's feet, not leave a leg to stand on, have the last word, leave nothing to say.

.5 **refute, confute, confound, rebut,** parry, answer, **answer conclusively,** dismiss, dispose of; **overthrow,** overturn, overwhelm, upset, subvert, defeat, demolish, undermine; argue down; floor *or* finish *or* settle *or* squash *or* squelch [all informal], crush, smash all opposition; silence, put *or* reduce to silence, shut up, stop the mouth of; nonplus, take the wind out of one's sails; **contradict,** controvert, **deny** 524.4.

.6 ADJS **refuting, confuting,** confounding, confutative, refutative, refutatory; contradictory, contrary 524.5.

.7 **disproved,** disconfirmed, **invalidated,** negated, negatived, discredited, belied; **exposed,** shown up; **punctured,** deflated, **exploded; refuted,** confuted, confounded; **upset, overthrown,** overturned; **contradicted,** disputed, denied, impugned; dismissed, discarded, rejected 638.3.

.8 **unproved,** not proved, unproven, **undemonstrated,** unshown; **untried,** untested; **unestablished,** unfixed, **unsettled, undetermined,** unascertained; **unconfirmed, unsubstantiated,** unattested, **unauthenticated,** unvalidated, uncertified, **unverified; uncorroborated,** unsustained, **unsupported,** unsupported by evidence, **groundless,** without grounds *or* basis, **unfounded** 483.13; **inconclusive,** indecisive; not following.

.9 **unprovable,** controvertible, **undemonstrable,** undemonstratable, unattestable, unsubstantiatable, **unsupportable,** unconfirmable, unsustainable, unverifiable.

.10 **refutable,** confutable, **disprovable,** defeasible.

507. QUALIFICATION

.1 NOUNS **qualification, limitation, restriction,** circumscription, **modification,** hedge, hedging; specification; **allowance, concession,** cession, grant; grain of salt; **reservation, exception,** waiver, exemption; specialness, special circumstance, special case, special treatment; **mental**

reservation, salvo, *arrière-pensée* [Fr]; extenuating circumstances.

.2 **condition, provision, proviso, stipulation,** whereas; **specification,** parameter, given, *donnée* [Fr], limiting condition, boundary condition; **catch** *or* joker *or* kicker [all informal], string, a string to it [informal]; **requisite, prerequisite,** obligation; *sine qua non* [L], *conditio sine qua non* [L]; clause; escape clause, escape hatch, saving clause; escalator clause; **terms,** provisions; grounds; small *or* fine print [informal], fine print at the bottom [informal]; ultimatum.

.3 VERBS **qualify, limit,** condition [archaic], hedge, hedge about, **modify, restrict,** restrain, circumscribe, set limits *or* conditions, box in [informal], narrow; adjust to, regulate by; alter 139.6; **temper, season,** leaven, soften, modulate, moderate, assuage, **mitigate,** palliate, abate, reduce, diminish.

.4 **make conditional,** make contingent, **condition;** make it a condition, attach a condition *or* proviso, **stipulate;** insist upon, make a point of; **have a catch** [informal], have a joker *or* kicker [informal], have a joker in the deck [informal], have a string attached [informal].

.5 **allow for, make allowance for,** provide for, take account of, **take into account** *or* **consideration, consider,** consider the circumstances; allow, **grant, concede,** admit, admit exceptions, see the special circumstances; relax, relax the condition, waive, set aside, lift temporarily; disregard, **discount,** leave out of account; consider the source, **take with a grain of salt.**

.6 **depend,** hang, rest, hinge; **depend on** *or* **upon, hang on** *or* **upon, rest on** *or* **upon,** rest with, repose upon, lie on, lie with, stand on *or* upon, be based on, be bounded *or* limited by, be dependent on, be predicated on, **be contingent** *or* **conditional on; hinge on** *or* **upon, turn on** *or* **upon, revolve on** *or* **upon,** have as a fulcrum.

.7 ADJS **qualifying,** qualificative, qualificatory, **modifying,** modificatory, altering; **limiting, restricting,** limitative, restrictive, bounding; **extenuating,** extenuatory, **mitigating,** mitigative, mitigatory, modulatory, palliative, assuasive, lenitive, softening.

.8 **conditional, provisional,** provisory, stipulatory; specificative; **specified, stipulated,** fixed, stated, given.

.9 **contingent, dependent, depending;** contingent on, **dependent on, depending on,** predicated on, based on, hanging *or* hinging on, turning on, revolving on; depending on circumstances; circumscribed by, hedged *or* hedged about by; boxed in [informal]; **subject to,** incidental to, incident to.

.10 **qualified, modified, conditioned, limited, restricted,** hedged, hedged about; **tempered, seasoned,** leavened, softened, **mitigated,** modulated.

.11 ADVS **conditionally, provisionally, with qualifications,** with a string *or* catch *or* joker *or* kicker to it [informal]; with a reservation *or* exception, with a grain of salt.

.12 CONJS **provided,** provided that, provided always, **providing,** with this proviso, it being provided; **on condition,** on condition that, **with the stipulation,** with the understanding, according as, subject to.

.13 **granting, admitting, allowing,** admitting that, allowing that; exempting, waiving.

.14 **if,** an *or* an' [both archaic], if and when, only if, if only, if and only if, if it be so, if it be true that, if it so happens *or* turns out.

.15 so, just so, so that [archaic], so as, **so long as, as long as.**

.16 **unless,** unless that, **if not, were it not,** were it not that; **except, excepting,** except that, with the exception that, save, **but.**

508. NO QUALIFICATIONS

.1 NOUNS **unqualifiedness,** unlimitedness, **unconditionality,** unrestrictedness, **unreservedness,** uncircumscribedness; categoricalness; **absoluteness,** definiteness, **explicitness;** decisiveness.

.2 ADJS **unqualified, unconditional,** unconditioned, **unrestricted,** unhampered, **unlimited,** uncircumscribed, unmitigated, **categorical,** straight, **unreserved,** without reserve; **implicit,** unquestioning, undoubting, unhesitating; **explicit, express, unequivocal,** clear, unmistakable; **peremptory,** indisputable, inappealable; **without exception,** admitting no exception, unwaivable; **positive, absolute,** definite, definitive, determinate, decided, decisive, fixed, final, conclusive; round, flat, **complete, entire, whole, total,** global, omn(i)–; **utter,** perfect, downright, outright, out-and-out, straight-out [informal], all-out, flat-out [dial].

.3 ADVS [informal terms] **no strings attached,** no holds barred, **no catch** *or*

joker *or* kicker, no joker in the deck, no small print *or* fine print, no fine print at the bottom; **no ifs, ands, or buts**; downright.

509. POSSIBILITY

.1 NOUNS **possibility,** possibleness, **the realm of possibility,** the domain of the possible, conceivableness, **conceivability,** thinkability, thinkableness, imaginability; **probability, likelihood** 511; what may be, what might be, what is possible, what one can do, what can be done, the possible, the attainable, the feasible; **potential, potentiality,** virtuality; contingency, eventuality; **chance, prospect; outside chance** [informal], off chance, remote possibility; hope, outside hope, small hope; good possibility, good chance, even chance 156.7,8; bare possibility 156.9.

.2 **practicability, practicality, feasibility; workability,** operability, actability, performability, realizability, negotiability; **viability,** viableness; **achievability,** doability, compassability, **attainability;** surmountability, superability.

.3 **accessibility,** access, **approachability, openness,** reachableness, come-at-ableness, getatableness [both informal]; **penetrability,** perviousness; **obtainability,** obtainableness, **availability, procurability,** procurableness, securableness, gettableness, acquirability.

.4 VERBS **be possible,** could be, might be, **have** *or* **stand a chance** *or* **good chance, bid fair to.**

.5 make possible, **enable,** permit, clear the road *or* path for, smooth the way for, open the way for, open up the possibility of.

.6 ADJS **possible,** within the bounds *or* realm *or* range *or* domain of possibility, in one's power, in one's hands, humanly possible; **probable, likely** 511.6; **conceivable,** conceivably possible, **imaginable, thinkable,** cogitable; plausible 511.7; **potential;** contingent.

.7 **practicable, practical, feasible; workable,** actable, performable, effectible [archaic], realizable, compassable, operable, negotiable, doable; **viable; achievable, attainable;** surmountable, superable, overcomable.

.8 **accessible, approachable,** come-at-able *or* getatable [both informal], **reachable,** within reach; **open,** open to; **penetrable,** getinable [informal], pervious; **obtainable, attainable, available,** procurable, securable, findable, gettable, to be had.

.9 ADVS **possibly, conceivably,** imaginably, feasibly; **perhaps,** perchance, haply; **maybe,** it may be, for all *or* aught one knows.

.10 **by any possibility, by any chance,** by any means, **by any manner of means;** in any way, in any possible way, **at any cost, at all,** if at all, ever; on the bare possibility, on the off chance, by merest chance.

.11 **if possible,** if humanly possible, **God willing, wind and weather permitting.**

510. IMPOSSIBILITY

.1 NOUNS **impossibility,** impossibleness, the realm *or* domain of the impossible, **inconceivability,** unthinkability, unimaginability, what cannot be, what can never be, what cannot happen, hopelessness, **no chance** 156.10; **self-contradiction,** absurdity, paradox, oxymoron, logical impossibility; impossible, the impossible, impossibilism.

.2 **impracticability,** unpracticability, **impracticality, unfeasibility; unworkability,** inoperability, unperformability; **unachievability, unattainability;** unrealizability, uncompassability; insurmountability, **insuperability.**

.3 **inaccessibility,** unaccessibility; **unapproachability,** un-come-at-ableness [informal], unreachableness; **impenetrability,** imperviousness; **unobtainability,** unobtainableness, **unattainability, unavailability,** unprocurableness, unsecurableness, ungettableness [informal], unacquirability; undiscoverability, unascertainableness.

.4 VERBS **be impossible,** be an impossibility, **not have a chance,** be a waste of time; **contradict itself,** be a logical impossibility, be a paradox; fly in the face of reason.

.5 **attempt the impossible,** try for a miracle, look for a needle in a haystack *or* in a bottle of hay, try to be in two places at once, try to fetch water in a sieve *or* catch the wind in a net *or* weave a rope of sand *or* get figs from thistles *or* gather grapes from thorns *or* make bricks from straw *or* make cheese of chalk *or* make a silk purse out of a sow's ear *or* change the leopard's spots *or* get blood from a turnip; ask the impossible, cry for the moon.

.6 **make impossible, rule out,** disenable, dis-

qualify, close out, **bar,** prohibit, put out of reach, leave no chance.

.7 ADJS **impossible, not possible,** beyond the bounds of possibility *or* reason, contrary to reason, at variance with the facts; **inconceivable, unimaginable, unthinkable, not to be thought of, out of the question;** hopeless; **absurd,** ridiculous, preposterous; **self-contradictory,** paradoxical, oxymoronic, logically impossible; **ruled-out,** excluded, closed-out, **barred,** prohibited.

.8 **impracticable, impractical, unfeasible; unworkable,** unperformable, inoperable, undoable, unnegotiable; **unachievable, unattainable,** uneffectible [archaic]; unrealizable, uncompassable; insurmountable, unsurmountable, **insuperable,** unovercomable; **beyond one,** beyond one's power, beyond one's control, out of one's depth, too much for.

.9 **inaccessible,** unaccessible; **unapproachable,** un-come-at-able [informal]; **unreachable,** beyond reach, out of reach; **impenetrable,** impervious; closed to, denied to, lost to, closed forever to; **unobtainable, unattainable, unavailable,** unprocurable, unsecurable, ungettable [informal], unacquirable; not to be had, **not to be had for love or money;** undiscoverable, unascertainable.

.10 ADVS **impossibly, inconceivably,** unimaginably, unthinkably.

511. PROBABILITY

.1 NOUNS **probability, likelihood,** likeliness, liability, aptitude, verisimilitude; **chance, odds; expectation, outlook,** prospect; favorable prospect, well-grounded hope, some *or* reasonable hope, fair expectation; **good chance** 156.8; presumption, presumptive evidence; tendency; probable cause, reasonable ground *or* presumption; probabilism.

.2 **mathematical probability,** statistical probability, statistics, **predictability;** probability theory, game theory, theory of games; operations research; probable error, standard deviation; probability curve, frequency curve, frequency polygon, frequency distribution, probability function, probability density function, probability distribution, cumulative distribution function; **statistical mechanics,** quantum mechanics, uncertainty *or* indeterminancy principle, Maxwell-Boltzmann distribution law, Bose-Einstein statistics, Fermi-Dirac statistics; **mortality table,** actuarial table, life table, combined experience table, Commissioners Standard Ordinary table.

.3 **plausibility; reasonability** 482.9; **credibility** 501.8.

.4 VERBS **be probable, seem likely,** offer a good prospect, offer the expectation, have *or* run a good chance; **promise,** be promising, make fair promise, **bid fair to,** stand fair to, show a tendency, be in the cards, have the makings of, have favorable odds, lead one to expect; **make probable,** probabilize, make more likely, smooth the way for; increase the chances.

.5 **think likely, daresay,** venture to say; **presume,** suppose 499.10.

.6 ADJS **probable, likely, liable, apt,** verisimilar, in the cards, odds-on; **promising, hopeful,** fair, in a fair way; foreseeable, **predictable; presumable,** presumptive; mathematically *or* statistically probable, predictable within limits.

.7 **plausible,** apparent [archaic]; **reasonable** 482.20; credible 501.24; **conceivable** 509.6.

.8 ADVS **probably, in all probability** *or* **likelihood,** likely, **most likely, very likely;** very like *or* like enough *or* like as not [all informal]; **doubtlessly,** doubtless, **no doubt,** indubitably; **presumably,** presumptively; by all odds, ten to one, a hundred to one, dollars to doughnuts.

.9 PHRS **there is reason to believe,** I am led to believe, it can be supposed, it would appear, it stands to reason, it might be thought, one can assume, appearances are in favor of, the chances *or* odds are, you can bank on it, you can make book on it, you can bet on it, you can bet your bottom dollar, you can just bet, you can't go wrong; I daresay, I venture to say.

512. IMPROBABILITY

.1 NOUNS **improbability, unlikelihood,** unlikeliness; **doubtfulness,** dubiousness, **questionableness; implausibility,** incredibility 503.3; little expectation, low order of probability, poor possibility, bare possibility, faint likelihood, poor prospect, poor outlook; **small chance** 156.9.

.2 VERBS **be improbable, not be likely,** be a stretch of the imagination, strain one's credulity, go beyond reason, go far afield, go beyond the bounds of reason *or* probability.

.3 ADJS **improbable, unlikely,** unpromising, hardly possible, scarcely to be expected *or* anticipated; **doubtful,** dubious, **questionable,** doubtable, dubitable, more

than doubtful; **implausible,** incredible 503.10.

.4 PHRS **not likely!,** no fear!, never fear!, I ask you!, you should live so long! [slang], don't hold your breath!

513. CERTAINTY

.1 NOUNS **certainty, certitude,** certainness, **sureness,** surety, **assurance, assuredness,** certain knowledge; **positiveness, absoluteness, definiteness,** dead *or* moral *or* absolute certainty; unequivocalness, unmistakableness, unambiguity, nonambiguity, univocity, univocality; **infallibility,** infallibilism, inerrability, inerrancy; **necessity,** determinacy, determinateness, noncontingency, Hobson's choice, ineluctability, predetermination, predestination, **inevitability** 639.7; **truth** 516; **proved fact,** probatum.

.2 [slang terms] **sure thing,** dead-sure thing, sure bet, sure card, **cinch,** lead-pipe cinch, **open-and-shut case.**

.3 **unquestionability, undeniability,** indubitability, indubitableness, **indisputability,** incontestability, incontrovertibility, **irrefutability,** unrefutability, unconfutability, irrefragability, unimpeachability; **doubtlessness, questionlessness; demonstrability,** demonstratability, provability, verifiability, confirmability; factuality, **reality,** actuality 1.2.

.4 **reliability, dependability, validity, trustworthiness,** faithworthiness; unerringness; predictability, calculability; stability, substantiality, firmness, **soundness,** solidity, staunchness, steadiness, **steadfastness;** secureness, **security;** invincibility 159.4; **authoritativeness, authenticity.**

.5 **confidence,** confidentness, conviction, belief, fixed *or* settled belief, **sureness, assurance, assuredness,** surety, security, certitude; **faith,** subjective certainty; trust 501.1; **positiveness, cocksureness; self-confidence, self-assurance, self-reliance;** poise 858.3; courage 893; **overconfidence, oversureness,** overweening [archaic], overweeningness, hubris; pride 905, arrogance 912, pomposity 904.7, self-importance 909.1.

.6 **dogmatism,** dogmaticalness, **positiveness,** positivism, peremptoriness, **opinionatedness,** self-opinionatedness; bigotry; infallibilism.

.7 **dogmatist,** dogmatizer, opinionist, doctrinaire, bigot; positivist; infallibilist.

.8 **ensuring, assurance;** reassurance, reassurement; **certification;** ascertainment, **determination,** establishment; **verification,** substantiation, validation, collation, check, checking; **confirmation** 505.5.

.9 VERBS **be certain, be confident, feel sure, rest assured, have no doubt,** doubt not; know, just know, know for certain; **bet on** *or* gamble on *or* bet one's bottom dollar on [all informal]; admit of no doubt; **go without saying,** *aller sans dire* [Fr], be axiomatic *or* apodictic.

.10 **dogmatize,** lay down the law, pontificate, oracle, oraculate, proclaim.

.11 **make sure, make certain,** make sure of, make no doubt, make no mistake; remove *or* dismiss *or* expunge *or* erase all doubt; **assure, ensure,** insure, **certify; ascertain; find out,** get at, see to it, see that; **determine,** decide, **establish,** settle, fix, nail down [informal], clinch *or* cinch [both informal], clear up, sort out, set at rest; assure *or* satisfy oneself, make oneself easy about *or* on that score; **reassure.**

.12 **verify, confirm** 505.12, test, prove, audit, **collate,** validate, **check,** check up *or* on *or* out [informal], check over *or* through, **double-check,** triple-check, cross-check, recheck, check and doublecheck, check up and down, check over and through, check in and out, "make assurance double sure" [Shakespeare].

.13 ADJS **certain, sure,** sure-enough [informal]; bound; **positive, absolute, definite,** perfectly sure, apodictic; decisive, conclusive; clear, clear as day, clear and distinct, unequivocal, unmistakable, unambiguous, nonambiguous, univocal; **necessary,** determinate, ineluctable, predetermined, predestined, **inevitable** 639.15; **true** 516.12.

.14 [informal or slang terms] **dead sure,** sure as death, sure as death and taxes, sure as fate, sure as can be, sure as shooting, sure as God made little green apples, sure as hell *or* the devil, as sure as I live and breathe.

.15 **unquestionable, undeniable, indubitable, indisputable, incontestable, irrefutable,** unrefutable, unconfutable, incontrovertible, irrefragable, unanswerable, inappealable, unimpeachable, absolute; admitting no question *or* dispute *or* doubt *or* denial; **demonstrable,** demonstratable, provable, verifiable, testable, confirmable; self-evident, axiomatic; factual, **real,** historical, actual 1.15.

.16 **undoubted,** indubious, **unquestioned, undisputed, uncontested,** uncontradicted, unchallenged, uncontroverted, uncontroversial; **doubtless, questionless,** beyond a

shade *or* shadow of doubt, past dispute, beyond question.

.17 **reliable, dependable, sure,** surefire [informal], **trustworthy, trusty,** faithworthy, **to be depended** *or* **relied upon,** to be counted *or* reckoned on; predictable, calculable; **secure, solid, sound, firm,** fast, **stable, substantial,** staunch, steady, **steadfast, faithful, unfailing;** invincible 159.17; well-founded, well-grounded.

.18 **authoritative, authentic,** magisterial, **official;** cathedral, ex cathedra; standard, approved, accepted, received.

.19 **infallible, inerrable,** inerrant, unerring.

.20 **assured,** made sure; **determined, decided, ascertained; settled, established,** fixed, cinched [informal], set [informal], stated, determinate, secure; **certified,** attested, guaranteed, warranted, tested, tried, proved; **open-and-shut** [informal], nailed down [informal], **in the bag** *or* on ice [both slang].

.21 **confident, sure,** secure, **assured,** reassured, decided, determined; **convinced,** persuaded, positive, **cocksure; unhesitating,** unfaltering, unwavering; **undoubting** 501.21; **self-confident, self-assured, self-reliant,** sure of oneself; poised 858.13; unafraid 893.19; **overconfident, oversure,** overweening, hubristic; proud 905.8, arrogant 912.9, pompous 904.22, self-important 909.8.

.22 **dogmatic(al),** dogmatizing, pronunciative, **positive,** positivistic, peremptory, pontifical, oracular; **opinionated,** opinioned, opinionative, conceited 909.11; **self-opinionated,** self-opinioned; doctrinarian, doctrinaire; bigoted.

.23 ADVS **certainly, surely, assuredly, positively, absolutely, definitely,** decidedly; decisively, distinctly, clearly, unequivocally, unmistakably; **for certain,** for sure *or* for a fact [both informal], in truth, certes *or* forsooth [both archaic], and no mistake [informal]; **for a certainty,** to a certainty, *à coup sûr* [Fr]; **most certainly,** most assuredly; **indeed,** indeedy [informal]; truly 516.17; **of course,** as a matter of course; **by all means,** by all manner of means; at any rate, at all events; nothing else but [informal], no two ways about it, no buts about it [informal]; no ifs, ands, or buts.

.24 **surely, sure, to be sure,** sure enough; sure thing *or* surest thing you know [both informal].

.25 **unquestionably, undoubtedly, indubitably, admittedly, undeniably,** indisputably, incontestably, incontrovertibly, irrefutably, irrefragably; **doubtlessly,** doubtless, **no doubt, without doubt,** beyond doubt *or* question, out of question.

.26 **without fail,** whatever may happen, **come what may,** come hell or high water [slang]; cost what it may, *coûte que coûte* [Fr]; rain or shine, live or die, sink or swim.

.27 PHRS **it is certain,** there is no question, there is not a shadow of doubt, that's for sure [slang]; that goes without saying, *cela va sans dire* [Fr]; that is evident, that leaps to the eye, *cela saute aux yeux* [Fr].

514. UNCERTAINTY

.1 NOUNS **uncertainty, incertitude, unsureness,** uncertainness; indemonstrability, unverifiability, unprovability, unconfirmability; **unpredictability,** unforeseeableness, incalculability, unaccountability; **indetermination,** indeterminacy, indeterminism; **randomness, chance,** chanciness, hit-or-missness, **luck; indecision,** indecisiveness, undecidedness, undeterminedness; **hesitation, hesitancy; suspense,** suspensefulness, agony *or* state of suspense; **fickleness, capriciousness,** whimsicality, **erraticness,** erraticism, **changeableness** 141; **vacillation, irresolution** 627; indeterminacy *or* uncertainty principle.

.2 **doubtfulness, dubiousness, doubt,** dubiety, dubitancy, dubitation [archaic]; **questionableness, disputability,** contestability, controvertibility, refutability, confutability, deniability; disbelief 503.1.

.3 **bewilderment,** disconcertion, disconcertedness, disconcert, disconcertment, **embarrassment, confoundment,** discomposure, unassuredness, **confusion** 532.3; **perplexity,** puzzlement, baffle, **bafflement,** predicament, plight, **quandary, dilemma,** horns of a dilemma, nonplus; **puzzle,** problem, riddle, mystery, enigma; fix *or* jam *or* pickle *or* scrape *or* stew [all informal]; perturbation, disturbance, upset, bother, pother.

.4 **vagueness, indefiniteness, indecisiveness,** indeterminateness, indeterminableness, indefinableness, **unclearness, indistinctness,** haziness, fogginess, mistiness, blurriness, fuzziness; **obscurity,** obscuration; **looseness, laxity, inexactness,** inaccuracy, imprecision; **broadness, generality,** sweepingness; ill-definedness, amorphousness, shapelessness, blobbiness; inchoateness, disorder, incoherence.

.5 **equivocalness,** equivocality, polysemousness, ambiguity 550.

.6 **unreliability, undependability, untrustworthiness,** unfaithworthiness, treacherousness, treachery; **unsureness, insecurity, unsoundness, infirmity,** insolidity, unsolidity, **instability,** insubstantiality, unsubstantiality, **unsteadfastness,** unsteadiness, desultoriness, shakiness; **precariousness,** hazard, danger, risk, riskiness, peril, perilousness, ticklishness, slipperiness, shiftiness, shiftingness; speculativeness; **unauthoritativeness,** unauthenticity.

.7 **fallibility,** errability, errancy, liability to error.

.8 (an uncertainty) **gamble, guess,** piece of guesswork, chance, wager, **toss-up, touch and go;** contingency, double contingency, possibility upon a possibility; **question, open question;** undecided issue; borderline case; blind bargain, pig in a poke, sight-unseen transaction; leap in the dark.

.9 VERBS **be uncertain, feel unsure; doubt,** have one's doubts, **question,** puzzle over, agonize over; **wonder,** wonder whether; not know what to make of, not be able to make head or tail of; be at sea, float in a sea of doubt; be at one's wit's end, **not know which way to turn,** be of two minds, not know where one stands, not know whether one stands on one's head or one's heels, be in a dilemma *or* quandary, flounder, grope, beat about, thrash about, go around in circles; go off in all directions at once.

.10 **hang in doubt,** stop to consider, think twice; **falter,** dither, **hesitate, vacillate** 627.8.

.11 **depend,** pend [dial], all depend, be contingent *or* conditional on, hang on *or* upon; **hang, hang in the balance,** be touch and go, tremble in the balance, **hang in suspense; hang by a thread,** hang by the eyelids.

.12 **bewilder, disconcert,** discompose, **upset,** perturb, **disturb, dismay,** abash, **embarrass, put out,** pother, **bother,** moider [Brit dial], flummox [informal].

.13 **perplex, baffle, confound,** boggle [Brit dial], daze, amaze [archaic], maze, addle, fuddle, muddle, buffalo [slang], bamboozle [informal], **mystify, puzzle, nonplus, stick** [informal], **stump** [informal], **floor** [informal], throw [slang], **get** [informal], **beat** [informal], lick [slang], put to one's wit's end; keep one guessing, keep in suspense.

.14 **make uncertain, obscure, muddle,** muddy, fuzz, fog, **confuse** 532.7.

.15 ADJS **uncertain, unsure; doubting,** agnostic, **skeptical,** unconvinced, unpersuaded; chancy, dicey [Brit], touch-and-go; **unpredictable,** unforeseeable, incalculable, unaccountable, undivinable; indemonstrable, unverifiable, unprovable, unconfirmable; **equivocal,** polysemous, ambiguous 550.3; **fickle, capricious,** whimsical, **erratic,** variable, wavering, **changeable** 141.6; **hesitant,** hesitating; **indecisive, irresolute** 627.9.

.16 **doubtful,** iffy [informal]; **in doubt,** *in dubio* [L]; dubitable, doubtable, **dubious, questionable, problematic(al), speculative,** conjectural, suppositional; **debatable,** moot, arguable, disputable, contestable, controvertible, **controversial,** refutable, confutable, deniable; mistakable; **suspicious,** suspect; open to question *or* doubt; in question, in dispute, at issue.

.17 **undecided, undetermined, unsettled,** unfixed, unestablished; untold, uncounted; pendent, dependent, **pending,** depending, contingent, conditional, conditioned; **open,** in question, at issue, **in the balance, up in the air,** up for grabs [slang], **in suspense,** in a state of suspense, suspenseful.

.18 **vague, indefinite, indecisive, indeterminate,** indeterminable, **undetermined,** unpredetermined, undestined; **random,** stochastic, **chance,** chancy [informal], aleatory *or* aleatoric, hit-or-miss; indefinable, undefined, ill-defined, **unclear,** unplain, **indistinct,** fuzzy, **obscure, confused, hazy,** shadowy, shadowed forth, foggy, blurred, blurry, veiled; **loose, lax, inexact,** inaccurate, imprecise; nonspecific, unspecified; **broad, general,** sweeping; amorphous, shapeless, blobby; inchoate, disordered, orderless, chaotic, incoherent.

.19 **unreliable, undependable, untrustworthy,** unfaithworthy, treacherous, **unsure,** not to be depended *or* relied on; **insecure, unsound, infirm,** unsolid, **unstable,** unsubstantial, insubstantial, **unsteadfast,** unsteady, desultory, shaky; **precarious,** hazardous, dangerous, perilous, risky, ticklish; shifty, shifting, slippery; provisional, tentative, temporary.

.20 **unauthoritative, unauthentic, unofficial,** nonofficial, apocryphal; **uncertified, unverified,** unchecked, unconfirmed, uncorroborated, unauthenticated, unval-

idated, unattested, unwarranted; **undemonstrated, unproved.**

.21 **fallible, errable,** errant, liable *or* open to error, error-prone.

.22 **unconfident, unsure, unassured, insecure,** unsure of oneself; unselfconfident, unselfassured, unselfreliant.

.23 **bewildered, dismayed,** distracted, distraught, abashed, **disconcerted, embarrassed,** discomposed, **put-out, disturbed, upset,** perturbed, **bothered,** all hot and bothered [informal]; **confused** 532.12; clueless, without a clue, guessing, mazed, in a maze; turned around, going around in circles, like a chicken with its head cut off [informal]; in a fix *or* stew *or* pickle *or* jam *or* scrape [informal]; **lost,** astray, abroad, adrift, **at sea,** off the track, out of one's reckoning, out of one's bearings, disoriented.

.24 **in a dilemma,** on the horns of a dilemma; **perplexed, confounded, mystified, puzzled, nonplussed, baffled,** bamboozled [informal], buffaloed [slang]; **at a loss, at one's wit's end,** fuddled, addled, muddled, dazed, **beat** [informal], licked [slang]; stuck *or* floored *or* **stumped** *or* thrown [all informal]; **on tenterhooks,** in suspense.

.25 **bewildering, confusing, distracting, disconcerting,** discomposing, **dismaying, embarrassing,** disturbing, **upsetting,** perturbing, bothering; **perplexing, baffling, mystifying, mysterious, puzzling,** confounding; **problematic(al);** intricate 46.4; **enigmatic** 549.17.

.26 ADVS **uncertainly,** in an uncertain state, **unsurely; doubtfully, dubiously;** in suspense, on the horns of a dilemma; perplexedly, disconcertedly, confusedly, dazedly, mazedly, in a daze, in a maze.

.27 **vaguely, indefinitely,** indeterminably, indefinably, **indistinctly,** indecisively, **obscurely; broadly, generally,** in broad *or* general terms.

515. GAMBLE

.1 NOUNS **gamble, chance, risk, hazard; speculation, venture,** play; flier *or* plunge [both slang]; calculated risk; uncertainty 514; fortune, luck 156.1,2.

.2 matter of chance, sporting chance, gambling chance, luck of the draw, chance at odds; hazard of the die, cast *or* throw of the dice, turn *or* roll of the wheel, turn of the table, turn of the cards, fall of the cards, flip of the coin; toss-up, toss; heads or tails, touch and go; blind bargain, pig in a poke; leap in the dark, shot in the dark; potshot, random shot; potluck.

.3 **wager, bet, stake, hazard;** play *or* chunk *or* shot [all slang]; **ante;** parlay; book, handbook.

.4 betting system; sweepstakes, sweepstake, sweeps; pari-mutuel; daily double, exacta, perfecta; quinella; superfecta; martingale; double-or-nothing.

.5 **pot, jackpot, pool, stakes, kitty; bank,** tiger.

.6 **odds,** price; equivalent odds; **even** *or* **square odds,** even break; **short odds,** ten-to-one shot; **long odds,** long shot, hundred-to-one shot; even chance, good chance, small chance, no chance 156.10.

.7 **gambling,** gaming, sporting [archaic], **speculation,** play, playing; **betting, wagering,** hazarding, risking, staking; drawing *or* casting lots, sortition; cardsharping.

.8 (games of chance) chuck-a-luck, chuck farthing, crack-loo [slang], **craps,** crap shooting, crap game, fan-tan, hazard, horse racing, keno, lotto, bingo, pinball, policy *or* the numbers game, the numbers [informal]; pitch and toss *or* chuck and toss, roulette, *trente-et-quarante, rouge et noir* [both Fr], shell game; sweepstake *or* sweepstakes; card games 878.35.

.9 die [sing]; **dice, bones** [informal]; **ivories** *or* **cubes** *or* devil's bones *or* teeth [all slang]; **craps,** crap shooting, crap game; poker dice; loaded dice, false *or* crooked dice; bird cage.

.10 (throw of dice) **throw, cast, roll, shot, hazard of the die;** dice throws (snake eyes, etc.) 90.3, 93.1, 96.1, 99.1–7; crap, craps; natural, nick.

.11 **lottery,** drawing, sweepstakes *or* sweepstake *or* sweep; draft lottery; **raffle;** lotto, bingo, keno, tombola [Brit], Genoese *or* number lottery; interest lottery, Dutch *or* class lottery; numbers pool; tontine; grab bag *or* barrel *or* box.

.12 (gambling device) gambling wheel, wheel of fortune, Fortune's wheel; roulette wheel; raffle wheel; pinball machine; slot machine, one-armed bandit [informal]; gambling table, crap table.

.13 pari-mutuel, pari-mutuel machine; totalizator, totalizer, tote [informal].

.14 **counter, check, chip.**

.15 **gambling house, gaming house,** betting house, betting parlor, gambling hall, sporting house [archaic], **gambling den, gambling hell;** hell *or* joint *or* flat *or* crib [all slang]; casino; poolroom.

.16 **bookmaker, bookie** [informal]; numbers runner; bagman.

.17 **gambler, gamester,** player, sportsman *or* sporting man [both archaic], sport, hazarder [archaic]; venturer, adventurer; **bettor,** wagerer, punter; **speculator,** speculatist; plunger [slang]; petty gambler, piker [slang]; tinhorn *or* tinhorn gambler [both slang]; **sharper** *or* sharpie *or* sharp [all slang]; **cardsharp** *or* cardshark, cardsharper; crap shooter [informal], boneshaker [slang]; betting ring; compulsive gambler; tipster, tout [Brit].

.18 VERBS **gamble,** game, sport [archaic], play, **try one's luck** *or* **fortune; speculate; draw lots,** draw straws, lot, cut lots, **cast lots;** cut the cards *or* deck; match coins, toss, flip a coin, call, call heads or tails; shoot craps, play at dice; play the ponies [informal]; raffle off.

.19 **chance, risk, hazard,** set at hazard, **venture,** wager, take a flier [informal]; **gamble on,** take a gamble on; **take a chance,** take one's chance, take the chances of, try the chance, **chance it,** "stand the hazard of the die" [Shakespeare]; **take** *or* **run the risk,** run a chance; **take chances,** tempt fortune; **leave** *or* **trust to chance** *or* **luck,** rely on fortune, take a leap in the dark; buy a pig in a poke; take potluck.

.20 **bet, wager, gamble, hazard, stake,** punt, lay, lay down, **make a bet, lay a wager; plunge** [slang]; **bet on** *or* **upon, back;** bet *or* play against; parlay; **ante, ante up; meet a bet, see, call, cover, fade; pass; stand pat.**

.21 ADJS speculative, **uncertain** 514.15; **hazardous, risky** 697.10.

516. TRUTH

(conformity to fact or reality)

.1 NOUNS **truth, trueness,** verity, very truth, sooth *or* good sooth [both archaic]; **unerroneousness, unfalseness,** unfallaciousness; historical truth, **objective truth, actuality,** historicity, **fact, reality** 1.2–3; the true, ultimate truth; eternal verities; truthfulness, veracity 974.3.

.2 **the truth,** the truth of the matter, the case; what's what *or* how it is *or* how things are *or* like it is *or* where it's at [all informal], the unvarnished truth, the simple truth, the naked truth, the plain truth, the unqualified truth, the honest truth, dinkum oil [Austral slang], the sober truth, the exact truth, the straight truth; the straight of it *or* the honest-to-God truth *or* God's truth [all informal], the absolute truth, the intrinsic truth, the unalloyed truth, the hard truth, the stern truth, gospel, gospel truth, Bible truth, revealed truth; the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth.

.3 **accuracy, correctness,** care for truth, attention to fact, right, **rightness, rigor, rigorousness, exactness, exactitude; preciseness, precision;** mathematical precision, pinpoint precision, scientific exactness; **faultlessness,** perfection, absoluteness, flawlessness; **faithfulness, fidelity;** literalness, literality, literalism, textualism, the letter; strictness, severity, rigidity; niceness, nicety, delicacy, subtlety, fineness, refinement; **meticulousness** 533.3.

.4 **validity, soundness,** solidity, substantiality, **justness;** authority, **authoritativeness; cogency,** weight, force.

.5 **genuineness, authenticity,** bona fideness, **legitimacy; realness, realism,** photographic realism, absolute realism, realistic representation, **naturalism,** naturalness, truth to nature, **lifelikeness,** truth to life, true-to-lifeness, verisimilitude, absolute likeness, **literalness,** literality, literalism, truth to the letter; **inartificiality,** unsyntheticness; **unspuriousness,** unspeciousness, unfictitiousness, artlessness, unaffectedness; **honesty, sincerity;** unadulteration 45.1.

.6 **the real thing,** the very model, **the genuine article,** the very thing, it [informal]; the article *or* the goods *or* the McCoy *or* **the real McCoy** [all slang], the real Simon Pure, not an illusion.

.7 VERBS **be true,** be the case; conform to fact, square with the facts *or* evidence; **prove true,** prove to be, prove out, be so in fact; **hold true, hold good, hold water** [informal], hold *or* stick together [informal], **hold up, hold up in the wash** [slang], wash [informal], **stand up,** stand the test, be consistent *or* self-consistent, **hold,** remain valid; **be truthful.**

.8 seem true, ring true, sound true, **carry conviction,** hold the ring of truth.

.9 **be right, be correct,** be just right; be OK [informal], add up; **hit the nail on the head,** hit it on the nose [informal], score a bull's eye.

.10 **be accurate, dot the i's and cross the t's,** draw *or* cut it fine [informal], be precise; make precise, precise, particularize.

.11 **come true, come about,** attain fulfillment, **turn out, come to pass,** happen as expected.

.12 ADJS **true, truthful,** eu–; **unerroneous,** not in error, in conformity with the facts *or* evidence; **unfalse, unfallacious, unmistaken; real, veritable,** sure-enough [slang], true to the facts, **factual, actual,** effectual, **historical,** documentary; objectively true; **certain,** undoubted, unquestionable 513.13–16; unrefuted, unconfuted, undenied; **ascertained, proved, verified,** validated, **certified,** demonstrated, confirmed, determined, established, attested, substantiated, **authenticated,** corroborated; true as gospel; substantially true, categorically true; **veracious** 974.16.

.13 **valid, sound, well-grounded, well-founded,** solid, substantial; consistent, self-consistent, logical; **good, just,** sufficient; **cogent, weighty, authoritative; legal, lawful,** legitimate, **binding.**

.14 **genuine, authentic,** veridical, **real, natural, realistic, naturalistic,** true to reality, **true to nature, lifelike,** true to life, verisimilar; **literal,** following the letter, true to the letter; verbatim, verbal, **word-for-word;** true to the spirit; **legitimate,** rightful, lawful; **bona fide,** card-carrying [informal], **good,** sure-enough [slang], **sincere, honest;** candid, honest-to-God [slang], dinkum [Austral slang]; **inartificial, unsynthetic; unspurious, unspecious, unsimulated, unfaked, unfeigned, undisguised, uncounterfeited, unpretended, unaffected, unassumed; unassuming, simple,** unpretending, unfeigning, undisguising; **unfictitious,** unfanciful, unfabricated, unconcocted, uninvented, unimagined; unromantic; **original,** unimitated, uncopied; unexaggerated, undistorted; unflattering, unvarnished, uncolored, unqualified; **unadulterated** 45.7; **pure,** simon-pure; **sterling,** twenty-four carat, all wool and a yard wide [informal].

.15 **accurate, correct, right,** proper, just; all right *or* OK *or* okay [all informal], just right, dead right, bang on [Brit informal], straight, straight-up-and-down; **faultless,** flawless, absolute, **perfect;** letter-perfect; **meticulous** 533.12.

.16 **exact, precise,** express; even, square; absolutely *or* definitely *or* positively right; **faithful;** direct; **unerring,** undeviating, constant; **infallible,** inerrant, inerrable; **strict,** close, severe, **rigorous,** rigid; mathematically exact, mathematical; mechanically *or* micrometrically precise; scientifically exact, scientific; religiously exact, religious; **nice,** delicate, subtle, **fine,** refined; pinpoint, microscopic.

.17 ADVS **truly, really,** really-truly [informal], **verily,** veritably, forsooth *or* in very sooth [both archaic], **in truth,** in good *or* very truth, **actually,** historically, **in reality, in fact,** factually, in point of fact, as a matter of fact, to tell the truth, to state the fact *or* truth, of a truth, with truth; **indeed,** indeedy [informal]; **certainly,** undoubtedly 513.25; no buts about it [informal], nothing else but.

.18 **genuinely, authentically, really,** naturally, **legitimately, honestly,** veridically; warts and all; unaffectedly, unassumedly.

.19 **accurately, correctly,** rightly, properly, straight; **perfectly, faultlessly,** flawlessly; **just right,** just so; **so,** sic.

.20 **exactly, precisely,** expressly; **just, dead,** right, straight, even, square, **plumb,** directly, squarely, point-blank; unerringly, undeviatingly; verbatim, **literally,** *literatim* [L], verbally, word for word, word by word, word for word and letter for letter, *verbatim et litteratim* [L], in the same words, *ipsissimis verbis* [L], to the letter, according to the letter, *au pied de la lettre* [Fr]; **faithfully, strictly, rigorously,** rigidly; **definitely, positively, absolutely; in every respect,** in all respects, for all the world, neither more nor less.

.21 **to be exact, to be precise, strictly speaking,** not to mince the matter, by the book.

.22 **to a nicety, to a T** *or* tittle, to a turn, to a hair, to *or* within an inch.

.23 PHRS **that's right, that is so,** right on!, amen!, that's it, that's just it, it is that, *c'est ça* [Fr]; **you are right,** right you are, right as rain, you've got it, you better believe it, you've got something there, I'll say, it is for a fact, you speak truly, as you say, right, righto [informal], quite, rather! [informal]; **you said it,** you said a mouthful, now you're talking, you can say that again, you're not kidding, that's for sure, ain't it the truth?, you're darn tootin' [both dial]; don't I know it?, you're telling me?

517. MAXIM

.1 NOUNS **maxim, aphorism, apothegm, epigram, dictum, adage,** axiom, dictate [archaic], **proverb,** gnome, words of wisdom, **saw, saying,** witticism, sentence, expression, phrase, catchword, word, byword, mot, motto, moral; **precept,** prescript, teaching, text, verse, sutra, distich, sloka; golden saying, proverbial saying; common *or* current saying, stock saying, pithy say-

ing, wise saying *or* expression, oracle, sententious expression *or* saying; ana, analects, proverbs, wisdom, wisdom literature, collected sayings.

.2 **axiom, truth,** a priori truth, postulate, **truism,** self-evident truth, general *or* universal truth; theorem; **proposition;** brocard, **principle,** *principium* [L], settled principle; **formula; rule, law,** dictate, **dictum;** golden rule.

.3 **platitude, cliché, commonplace, banality,** bromide, **chestnut** [informal], corn [slang], triticism [archaic], trite saying, hackneyed *or* stereotyped saying, commonplace expression, *lieu commun* [Fr], *locus communis* [L], **familiar tune, old song** *or* **story,** old saw; twice-told tale, retold story; reiteration 103.2; prosaicism, prosaism; prose; old joke 881.9.

.4 **motto, slogan,** watchword, catchword, tag line; **device;** epithet; inscription, epigraph.

.5 VERBS aphorize, apothegmatize, epigrammatize, coin a phrase; proverb.

.6 ADJS **aphoristic, proverbial,** epigrammatic(al), **axiomatic(al); sententious, pithy,** gnomic, pungent, succinct, terse, crisp, pointed; formulistic, formulaic; **platitudinous** 883.9.

.7 ADVS **proverbially, as the saying is** *or* **goes,** as they say, as the fellow says [informal], as it has been said, as it was said of old.

518. ERROR

.1 NOUNS **error, erroneousness; untrueness,** untruthfulness, **untruth; wrongness, wrong; falseness, falsity; fallacy, fallaciousness,** self-contradiction; fault, **faultiness,** defectiveness; sin, sinfulness, peccancy, flaw, flawedness, *hamartia* [Gk]; misdoing, misfeasance; errancy, aberrancy, aberration, **deviancy; heresy,** unorthodoxy, heterodoxy; perversion, **distortion;** misconstruction, misapplication; **delusion, illusion** 519; misjudgment 496; **misinterpretation** 553.

.2 **inaccuracy,** inaccurateness, **incorrectness, uncorrectness, inexactness,** unfactualness, inexactitude, **unpreciseness,** imprecision, looseness, laxity, unrigorousness; tolerance, allowance; negligence; approximation; **deviation,** standard deviation, probable error, predictable error.

.3 **mistake, error,** *erratum* [L], *corrigendum* [L]; **fault,** *faute* [Fr]; human error; **misconception, misapprehension, misunderstanding;** misstatement, misquotation; misreport; **misprint, typographical error,** typo [informal], printer's error, typist's error; clerical error; misidentification; **misjudgment, miscalculation** 496.1; misplay; misdeal; miscount; misuse; failure, miss, miscarriage.

.4 **slip,** slipup *or* miscue [both informal]; **lapse,** *lapsus* [L], **oversight,** omission, bevue, balk [archaic], inadvertence *or* inadvertency, loose thread; **misstep,** trip, stumble, false *or* wrong step, wrong *or* bad *or* false move; **slip of the tongue,** *lapsus linguae* [L]; **slip of the pen,** *lapsus calami* [L].

.5 **blunder, faux pas,** gaffe, solecism; stupidity, indiscretion 470.4; **botch, bungle** 734.5.

.6 [slang or informal terms] **goof, boo-boo,** foozle, bloomer, **blooper,** boot, **bobble, boner,** bonehead play *or* trick, dumb trick, boob stunt, fool mistake; howler, screamer; **screw-up,** foul-up, muck-up, louse-up; pratfall.

.7 **grammatical error, solecism,** anacoluthon, misusage, missaying, mispronunciation; **bull, Irish bull,** fluff, **malapropism,** malaprop, Mrs. Malaprop [R. B. Sheridan]; Pickwickian sense; spoonerism, marrowsky; hypercorrection, hyperform; folk etymology; catachresis.

.8 VERBS **not hold water** *or* not hold together [both informal], not stand up, not square, not figure [informal], not add up, **not hold up, not hold up in the wash** *or* not wash [both informal].

.9 **err,** fall into error, **go wrong, go amiss,** go astray, go out of line, go awry, stray, **deviate,** wander; **lapse, slip, slip up,** trip, stumble; **miscalculate** 496.2.

.10 **be wrong, be mistaken, be in error, be at fault,** be out of line, be off the track, be in the wrong, miss the truth, miss by a mile [informal], have another think coming [informal]; receive a false impression, take the shadow for the substance, be misled, be misguided; deceive oneself, be deceived, delude oneself; labor under a false impression.

.11 bark up the wrong tree, back the wrong horse, count one's chickens before they are hatched.

.12 **misdo,** do amiss; misuse, misemploy, misapply; misconduct, mismanage; miscall, miscount, misdeal, misplay, misfield; misprint, miscite, misquote, misread, misreport, misspell.

.13 **mistake, make a mistake;** miscue, make a miscue [both informal]; **misidentify; mis-**

understand, misapprehend, misconceive, **misinterpret** 553.2.

.14 **blunder, make a blunder, make a faux pas,** make a false *or* wrong step, make a misstep; **misspeak,** misspeak oneself, trip over one's tongue; blunder into; **botch, bungle** 734.11.

.15 [slang or informal terms] **make** *or* **pull a boner** *or* **boo-boo** *or* **blooper;** drop a brick [Brit], goof, fluff, duff [Brit], foozle, boot, bobble, **blow; screw up,** foul up, muck up, louse up; put one's foot in it *or* in one's mouth; muff one's cue, fluff one's lines, fall flat on one's face *or* ass, drop the ball.

.16 ADJS **erroneous, untrue,** not true, **not right;** unfactual, **wrong,** all wrong; peccant, perverse, corrupt; **false, fallacious,** self-contradictory; **illogical** 483.11; **unproved** 506.8; **faulty,** faultful, flawed, defective, **at fault;** out, off, all off, off the track *or* rails; wide [archaic], wide of the mark, beside the mark; amiss, awry, askew, deviant, deviative, deviational; erring, errant, **aberrant;** straying, astray, adrift; **heretical,** unorthodox, heterodox; abroad, all abroad; perverted, **distorted; delusive,** deceptive, **illusory** 519.9.

.17 **inaccurate, incorrect, inexact,** unfactual, **unprecise,** imprecise, loose, lax, unrigorous; negligent; approximate, approximative; out of line, out of plumb, out of true, out of square.

.18 **mistaken, in error, erring,** under an error, **wrong, all wet** [slang]; off *or* out in one's reckoning; in the wrong box, in the right church but the wrong pew.

.19 **unauthentic** *or* **inauthentic,** unauthoritative, unreliable 514.19,20; **misstated,** misreported, miscited, misquoted, **garbled;** unfounded 483.13; spurious 616.26.

.20 ADVS **erroneously, falsely,** fallaciously; faultily, faultfully; **untrue** [archaic], untruly; **wrong,** wrongly; **mistakenly;** amiss, astray.

.21 **inaccurately, incorrectly, inexactly, unprecisely.**

.22 PHRS **you are wrong, you are mistaken,** you're all wet [slang], you're way off [informal], you have another guess coming [informal], don't kid yourself [slang].

519. ILLUSION

.1 NOUNS **illusion, delusion,** deluded belief; **deception** 618, **trick;** self-deception, self-deceit, self-delusion; dereism, autism; **misconception, misbelief,** false belief, wrong impression, warped *or* distorted conception; **bubble, chimera,** vapor, "airy nothing" [Shakespeare]; *ignis fatuus* [L], will-o'-the-wisp; **dream,** dream vision; dreamworld, dreamland; **daydream;** pipe dream [informal]; trip [informal]; fool's paradise, castle in the air.

.2 **illusoriness,** illusiveness, delusiveness; **falseness,** fallaciousness; **unreality,** unactuality; unsubstantiality, airiness, immateriality; **idealization** 535.7; **seeming,** semblance, simulacrum, **appearance,** false *or* specious appearance, show, false show, false light; **magic, sorcery** 1035, illusionism, sleight of hand, prestidigitation, magic show, magic act; magician, **sorcerer** 1035.5, illusionist, Prospero [Shakespeare].

.3 **fancy, imagination** 535.

.4 **phantom, phantasm,** phantasma, wraith, specter; shadow, shade; phantasmagoria; **fantasy,** wildest dream; **figment of the imagination** 535.5, phantom of the mind; **apparition, appearance; vision,** waking dream, image [archaic]; shape, form, figure, presence; eidolon, idolum; "such stuff as dreams are made on" [Shakespeare].

.5 **optical illusion, trick of eyesight;** afterimage, spectrum, ocular spectrum.

.6 **mirage,** fata morgana, looming.

.7 **hallucination;** hallucinosis; tripping [informal], mind-expansion; consciousness-expansion; delirium tremens 473.9,10; dream 535.9.

.8 VERBS go on a trip *or* blow one's mind [both informal], freak out [slang]; **hallucinate;** expand one's consciousness.

.9 ADJS **illusory,** illusive; illusional, illusionary; Barmecide *or* Barmecidal; **delusory,** delusive; delusional, delusionary, deluding, pseud(o)–; dereistic, autistic; **dreamy, dreamlike; visionary; imaginary** 535.19; **erroneous** 518.16; **deceptive** 618.19; self-deceptive, self-deluding; **chimeric(al), fantastic; unreal,** unactual, unsubstantial 4.5,6, airy; unfounded 483.13; **false,** fallacious, misleading; **specious, seeming,** apparent, ostensible, supposititious, all in the mind; spectral, apparitional, phantom, phantasmal; phantasmagoric.

.10 **hallucinatory,** hallucinative, hallucinational; hallucinogenic, psychedelic, consciousness-expanding, mind-expanding, mind-blowing [informal].

520. DISILLUSIONMENT

.1 NOUNS **disillusionment,** disillusion, **disenchantment,** undeception, unspelling, return to reality, loss of one's illusions, loss

of innocence, cold light of reality, enlightenment, bursting of the bubble; awakening, rude awakening, bringing back to earth; disappointment 541; debunking [slang].

.2 VERBS **disillusion,** disillude, disillusionize; **disenchant,** unspell, uncharm, break the spell *or* charm; **disabuse, undeceive;** correct, **set right** *or* **straight,** put straight, tell the truth, enlighten, let in on; clear the mind of; open one's eyes, awaken, wake up, unblindfold; disappoint 541.2; dispel *or* dissipate one's illusions, rob *or* strip one of one's illusions; bring one back to earth, let down easy [informal]; **burst** *or* **prick the bubble,** puncture one's balloon [informal]; let the air out of, take the wind out of; knock the props out from under, take the ground from under; debunk [slang]; expose, show up 556.4.

.3 be disillusioned, be disenchanted, get back to earth, get one's feet on the ground, return to *or* embrace reality; charge to experience.

.4 ADJS **disillusioning,** disillusive, disillusionary, **disenchanting,** disabusing, undeceiving, enlightening.

.5 **disillusioned, disenchanted,** unspelled, uncharmed, **disabused,** undeceived, stripped *or* robbed of illusion, enlightened, set right, put straight; with one's eyes open, sophisticated, **blasé;** disappointed 541.5.

521. ASSENT

.1 NOUNS **assent, acquiescence, concurrence, compliance, agreement, acceptance,** accession; eager *or* hearty *or* warm assent, welcome; assentation; agreement in principle, general agreement; support; **consent** 775.

.2 **affirmative; yes,** yea, aye, amen; nod, nod of assent; thumbs-up; affirmativeness, affirmative attitude, yea-saying.

.3 **acknowledgment, recognition, acceptance;** appreciation; **admission,** confession, concession, allowance; avowal, profession, declaration.

.4 **ratification, endorsement, acceptance, approval, approbation** 968.1, **sanction, OK** *or* okay [both informal], imprimatur, **green light** *or* **go-ahead** [both informal], permission, nod, the nod, **certification, confirmation, validation, authentication,** authorization, warrant; **affirmation,** affirmance; stamp, rubber stamp, **stamp of approval;** seal, signet, sigil; **subscription, signature,** John Hancock [informal]; countersignature; visa, *visé* [Fr]; notarization.

.5 **unanimity,** unanimousness; **like-mindedness, meeting of minds,** one *or* same mind; total agreement; **understanding,** mutual understanding; **concurrence, consent,** general consent, common assent *or* consent, consentaneity, **accord,** accordance, **concord,** concordance, **agreement,** general agreement; **consensus,** consensus of opinion [informal]; *consensus omnium* [L], universal agreement *or* accord, *consensus gentium* [L], agreement of all, sense of the meeting; **acclamation,** general acclamation; unison, harmony, **chorus, concert,** one *or* single voice, one accord; general voice, *vox populi* [L].

.6 **assenter, consenter, accepter,** covenanter, covenantor; assentator, yea-sayer, yes-man.

.7 **endorser, subscriber, ratifier,** approver, upholder, certifier, confirmer; **signer,** signatory; cosigner, cosignatory, party; underwriter, guarantor, insurer; notary, notary public.

.8 VERBS **assent,** give *or* yield assent, **acquiesce, consent** 775.2, **comply, accede, agree,** agree to *or* with; take kindly to *or* hold with [both informal]; **accept,** receive, buy [slang], take one up on [informal]; **subscribe to,** acquiesce in, abide by; yes, **say 'yes' to; nod,** nod assent, give the nod, give a nod of assent; vote for, cast one's vote for, give one's voice for; welcome, hail, cheer, acclaim, applaud, accept *in toto.*

.9 **concur, accord,** coincide, **agree, agree with,** agree in opinion; enter into one's view, enter into the ideas *or* feelings of, **see eye to eye, be at one with,** be of one mind with, go with, **go along with,** fall *or* chime *or* strike in with, close with, meet, conform to, side with, identify oneself with; echo, ditto [informal], say 'ditto' to, say 'amen' to; join in the chorus, go along with the crowd [informal], run with the pack, go *or* float *or* swim with the stream *or* current; get on the bandwagon [informal].

.10 **come to an agreement, agree,** agree with, **agree on** *or* **upon, arrive at an agreement, come to an understanding, come to terms,** strike a bargain, covenant, get together [informal]; **shake hands on,** shake on it [informal]; come around to.

.11 **acknowledge, admit, own, confess, allow,** avow, **grant,** warrant, **concede,** yield [archaic]; **accept, recognize;** agree in princi-

ple, express general agreement, go along with, not oppose *or* deny, agree provisionally *or* for the sake of argument; assent grudgingly *or* under protest.

.12 **ratify, endorse,** second, support, **certify, confirm, validate, authenticate, accept, OK** [informal], **give the green light** *or* **go-ahead** [informal], give the imprimatur, permit, give permission, **approve** 968.9; sanction, **authorize,** warrant, accredit; **pass,** pass on *or* upon, give thumbs up [informal]; amen, say amen to; visa, *visé* [Fr]; underwrite, subscribe to; **sign,** undersign, sign on the dotted line, put one's John Hancock on [informal], initial, put one's mark *or* cross on; autograph; cosign, countersign; seal, sign and seal, set one's seal, **set one's hand and seal;** affirm, swear and affirm, take one's oath, swear to; rubber stamp [informal]; notarize.

.13 ADJS **assenting, agreeing,** acquiescing, **acquiescent, compliant,** consenting, submissive, conceding, concessive, assentatious, agreed, content.

.14 **accepted, approved, received; acknowledged, admitted, allowed, granted, conceded, recognized, professed, confessed,** avowed, warranted; **ratified, endorsed, certified,** confirmed, validated, authenticated; **signed,** sealed, signed and sealed, countersigned, underwritten; stamped; sworn to, notarized, affirmed, sworn and affirmed.

.15 **unanimous, solid,** consentaneous, **with one consent** *or* **voice;** uncontradicted, unchallenged, uncontroverted, uncontested, unopposed; **concurrent,** concordant, **of one accord; agreeing, in agreement, like-minded, of one mind,** of the same mind; of a piece, **at one,** at one with, agreed on all hands, carried by acclamation.

.16 ADVS **affirmatively,** assentingly, in the affirmative.

.17 **unanimously,** concurrently, consentaneously, **by common** *or* **general consent,** with one consent, **with one accord,** with one voice, without contradiction, *nemine contradicente* [L], nem con, without a dissenting voice, *nemine dissentiente* [L], in chorus, in unison, to a man, **together,** all together, all agreeing, **as one,** as one man, one and all, on all hands; by acclamation.

.18 INTERJS **yes, yea,** aye, *oui* [Fr], *sí* [Sp], *da* [Russ], *ja* [Ger]; **yeah** *or* yep *or* **uh-huh** [all informal]; yes sir, yes ma'am; yes siree [informal], why yes, *mais oui* [Fr]; **indeed,** indeedy [informal], yes indeed, yes indeedy [informal]; **surely, certainly,** assuredly, most assuredly, **exactly, precisely,** just so, absolutely, positively, really, truly, rather [Brit], quite, to be sure; sure *or* sure thing *or* surest thing you know [all slang]; **all right,** alright [informal], **right,** righto [informal], alrighty [informal]; **OK** *or* **okay** [both informal], Roger [informal]; fine [informal], **good,** well and good, good enough, **very well,** *très bien* [Fr]; naturally, *naturellement* [Fr]; **of course,** as you say, **by all means,** by all manner of means; **amen;** hear, hear [Brit].

.19 PHRS **so be it,** be it so, so mote it be [archaic], so shall it be, *amen* [Heb]; so it is, so is it; agreed, done; *c'est bien* [Fr]; that's right 516.23; **you bet,** you bet your life, you bet your boots [all slang].

522. DISSENT

.1 NOUNS **dissent, dissidence,** dissentience; nonassent, nonconsent, nonconcurrence, nonagreement, agreement to disagree; minority opinion *or* position; **disagreement, difference, variance,** diversity, disparity; **dissatisfaction, disapproval,** disapprobation; repudiation, **rejection; opposition** 790; dissension, disaccord 795; **alienation,** withdrawal, dropping out, secession; recusance *or* recusancy, nonconformity 83; apostasy 628.2; counter-culture, underground.

.2 **objection, protest; kick** *or* **beef** [both informal]; bitch *or* squawk *or* howl [all slang], protestation; **remonstrance, remonstration,** expostulation; **challenge; demur,** demurrer, **scruple,** compunction, qualm; **complaint,** grievance; **exception;** peaceful *or* nonviolent protest; **demonstration,** protest demonstration, rally, march, sit-in, teach-in, boycott, strike, picketing, indignation meeting; grievance committee.

.3 **dissenter,** dissentient, dissident, recusant; **objector,** demurrer; minority *or* opposition voice; **protester,** protestant; **separatist,** schismatic; sectary, sectarian, opinionist; nonconformist 83.3; apostate 628.5.

.4 VERBS **dissent,** dissent from, be in dissent, **disagree,** discord with, **differ,** not agree, disagree with, agree to disagree *or* differ; divide on, be at variance; **take exception,** withhold assent, **take issue, beg to differ,** rise to a point of order; be in opposition to, oppose 790.2; withdraw,

drop out, secede, separate *or* disjoin oneself.

.5 **object, protest, kick** *or* **beef** [both informal], put up a struggle *or* fight; **bitch** *or* **squawk** *or* howl *or* holler *or* put up a squawk *or* raise a howl [all slang]; cry out against, yell bloody murder; **remonstrate,** expostulate; raise *or* press objections, raise one's voice against, enter a protest; complain, state a grievance; **dispute, challenge,** call in question; **demur, scruple,** boggle; **demonstrate, demonstrate against,** rally, march, sit in, teach in, boycott, strike, picket.

.6 ADJS **dissenting, dissident,** dissentient, recusant; **disagreeing, differing; opposing** 790.8, in opposition; alienated; counterculture, antiestablishment, underground; breakaway [Brit]; at variance with, at odds with; schismatic(al), sectarian, sectary; nonconforming 83.5.

.7 **protesting,** protestant; **objecting,** expostulative, expostulatory, remonstrative, remonstrant; under protest.

523. AFFIRMATION

.1 NOUNS **affirmation,** affirmance, **assertion, asseveration,** averment, **declaration,** vouch [archaic], allegation; **avouchment, avowal; position, stand,** stance; profession, **statement, word,** say, saying, say-so [informal], positive declaration *or* statement; manifesto, position paper; **creed** 501.3; **pronouncement, proclamation,** announcement, annunciation, enunciation; proposition, conclusion; predication, predicate; protest, protestation; utterance, dictum, *ipse dixit* [L].

.2 **deposition, sworn statement,** statement under oath, notarized statement, sworn testimony, affirmation; **vouching, swearing; attestation;** certification; **testimony** 505.3; **affidavit.**

.3 **oath, vow,** avow [archaic], **word, assurance, guarantee, warrant,** solemn oath *or* affirmation *or* word *or* declaration; **pledge** 770.1; Bible oath, ironclad oath; judicial oath, extrajudicial oath; oath of office, official oath; oath of allegiance, loyalty oath, test oath.

.4 VERBS **affirm, assert,** assever [archaic], asseverate, **aver,** protest, lay down, avouch, avow, **declare,** say, have one's say, speak, speak up *or* out, **state,** set down, express, put, put it; allege, profess; stand on *or* for; predicate; issue a manifesto *or* position paper, manifesto; announce, **pronounce,** annunciate, enunciate, **proclaim; maintain,** have, **contend,** argue, **insist, hold,** submit, maintain with one's last breath.

.5 **depose,** depone; **testify** 505.10; **warrant, attest,** certify, **guarantee, assure; vouch, swear, swear to,** swear the truth, **assert under oath;** make *or* take one's oath, **vow;** swear by bell, book, and candle; call heaven to witness, declare *or* swear to God, swear on the Bible, kiss the book, swear to goodness, hope to die, cross one's heart and hope to die [informal]; swear till one is black *or* blue in the face [informal].

.6 administer an oath, **place** *or* **put under oath,** put to one's oath, put upon oath; **swear, swear in,** adjure [archaic].

.7 ADJS **affirmative,** affirming, affirmatory; **assertive,** assertative, assertional; **declarative,** declaratory; predicative, predicational; **positive,** absolute, emphatic, decided.

.8 **affirmed, asserted,** asseverated, avouched, avowed, averred, **declared; alleged,** professed; **stated,** pronounced, announced, enunciated; predicated; manifestoed; **deposed,** warranted, **attested, certified,** vouched, **vouched for,** vowed, pledged, **sworn, sworn to.**

.9 ADVS **affirmatively,** assertively, declaratively, predicatively; **positively,** absolutely, decidedly; emphatically, with emphasis; without fear of contradiction; under oath.

524. NEGATION, DENIAL

.1 NOUNS **negation,** abnegation; negativeness, negativity, **negativism,** negative attitude, naysaying; **negative, no,** nay, nix [slang].

.2 **denial, disavowal, disaffirmation, disownment,** disallowance; disclamation, disclaimer; **renunciation, retraction,** retractation, **repudiation,** recantation; revocation, nullification, annulment, abrogation; abjuration, abjurement, forswearing; **contradiction,** flat *or* absolute contradiction, contravention, contrary assertion, controversion, countering, crossing, gainsaying, impugnment; **refutation, disproof** 506.

.3 VERBS **negate,** abnegate, negative; **say 'no';** shake the head.

.4 **deny, not admit, not accept,** refuse to admit *or* accept; **disclaim, disown, disaffirm, disavow, disallow,** abjure, forswear, **renounce, retract,** take back, recant; revoke, nullify, **repudiate; contradict,** cross,

assert the contrary, contravene, controvert, impugn, **dispute,** gainsay, **oppose, counter,** contest, take issue with, join issue upon; belie, give the lie to, give one the lie direct *or* in his throat; **refute** 506.5, **disprove** 506.4.

.5 ADJS **negative,** negatory, abnegative; **denying, disclaiming,** disowning, disaffirming, disallowing, disavowing, renunciative, renunciatory, repudiative, recanting, abjuratory, revocative *or* revocatory; **contradictory,** contradicting, **opposing, contrary,** adversative, repugnant; a– *or* an–, dis–, e– *or* ef– *or* ex–, in– *or* il– *or* im– *or* ir–, mis–, non–, nulli–, un–.

.6 ADVS **negatively, in the negative;** in denial, in contradiction.

.7 CONJS **neither,** not either, **nor,** nor yet, or not, and not, also not.

.8 INTERJS **no, nay,** negative, *non* [Fr], *nein* [Ger], *nyet* [Russ]; certainly not, absolutely no; no sir, no ma'am; **not,** not a bit *or* whit *or* jot, I think not, not really; to the contrary, *au contraire* [Fr], quite the contrary, far from it; no such thing, nothing of the kind *or* sort, not so.

.9 **by no means, by no manner of means; on no account,** in no respect, **in no case, under no circumstances, on no condition,** no matter what; **not at all,** not in the least, **never;** in no wise, noways, noway, nohow [dial]; out of the question; **not for the world,** not if one can help it, not if I know it, not at any price, not for love or money, not for the life of me; to the contrary, *au contraire* [Fr], quite the contrary, far from it; God forbid 969.27.

.10 [slang or informal terms] **nope,** nix, **unh-unh,** no sirree; **no way, not on your life,** not by a long chalk, not by a long shot *or* sight, not by a darn *or* damn sight, not a bit of it, not much, not a chance, fat chance, **nothing doing, forget it.**

525. MENTAL ATTITUDE

.1 NOUNS **attitude,** mental attitude; psychology; **position, posture,** stance; **way of thinking,** way of looking at things; **feeling, sentiment,** the way one feels; feeling tone, affect, affectivity, emotion, emotivity; opinion 501.6.

.2 **outlook,** mental outlook; *Anschauung* [Ger], **point of view, viewpoint, standpoint;** position, stand, place, situation; side; footing, basis; where one is *or* sits *or* stands; **view,** sight, light, eye; respect, regard; angle, angle of vision, slant; **frame of reference,** framework, universe of discourse, universe, system, reference system.

.3 **disposition, character, nature, temper, temperament,** mettle, constitution [archaic], makeup, stamp, type, stripe, kidney, make, mold; **turn of mind, inclination,** mind, **tendency,** grain, set, mental set, mind-set, **leaning,** animus, propensity, proclivity, predilection, preference, predisposition; **bent, turn, bias,** slant, cast, warp, twist; idiosyncrasy, eccentricity, individualism; diathesis, aptitude; strain, streak.

.4 **mood, humor, temper, frame of mind, state of mind, morale,** cue *or* frame [both archaic], tone, note, **vein; mind,** heart, spirit *or* **spirits.**

.5 (pervading attitudes) **climate,** mental *or* intellectual climate, spiritual climate, moral climate, mores, norms, climate of opinion, **ethos,** ideology, *Weltanschauung* [Ger], world view.

.6 VERBS **take the attitude,** feel about it, look at it, **view,** look at in the light of; **be disposed to,** tend *or* incline toward, prefer, lean toward.

.7 ADJS **temperamental, dispositional,** constitutional; emotional, affective; mental, intellectual; spiritual; characteristic 80.13; innate 5.7.

.8 **disposed,** dispositioned, **predisposed, prone, inclined, given,** bent, apt, likely, –tempered, **minded, in the mood** *or* **humor.**

.9 ADVS **temperamentally, dispositionally,** constitutionally; emotionally; mentally, intellectually; morally, spiritually; **by temperament** *or* **disposition,** by virtue of mind-set, by the logic of character *or* temperament; from one's standpoint *or* viewpoint *or* angle; within the frame of reference *or* framework *or* reference system *or* universe of discourse.

526. BROAD-MINDEDNESS

.1 NOUNS **broad-mindedness,** wide-mindedness, large-mindedness, "the result of flattening high-mindedness out" [George Saintsbury]; **breadth,** broadness, broad gauge, latitude; **unbigotedness,** unhide-boundness, unprovincialism, noninsularity, unparochialism, cosmopolitanism; ecumenicity, ecumenicism, ecumenicalism, ecumenism; broad mind, spacious mind.

.2 **liberalness, liberality,** catholicity, **liberal-mindedness;** liberalism, libertarianism, latitudinarianism; freethinking, free thought.

.3 **open-mindedness, openness,** receptiveness, receptivity; persuadableness, persuadability, persuasibility; open mind.

.4 **tolerance,** toleration; **indulgence,** lenience *or* **leniency,** condonation, lenity; **forbearance, patience,** long-suffering; easiness, permissiveness; **charitableness,** charity, **generousness, magnanimity** 979.2.

.5 **unprejudicedness, unbiasedness; impartiality,** evenhandedness, equitability, **fairness,** justness, objectivity, **detachment, dispassionateness, disinterestedness;** indifference, neutrality; unopinionatedness.

.6 **liberal,** liberalist; libertarian; freethinker, latitudinarian, ecumenist, ecumenicist; big person, broad-gauge person.

.7 VERBS **keep an open mind,** be big [informal], judge not, not write off, suspend judgment, listen to reason, open one's mind to, see both sides; **live and let live;** lean over backwards, **tolerate** 861.5; **accept,** be easy with, **view with indulgence, condone,** brook, abide with, be content with; **live with** [informal]; shut one's eyes to, look the other way, wink at, blink at, **overlook, disregard, ignore;** "swear allegiance to the words of no master" [Horace].

.8 ADJS **broad-minded,** wide-minded, large-minded, **broad, wide,** broad-gauged, catholic, spacious of mind; **unbigoted,** unfanatical, **unhidebound,** unprovincial, cosmopolitan, noninsular, unparochial; ecumenistic, ecumenical.

.9 **liberal, liberal-minded,** liberalistic; libertarian; freethinking, latitudinarian.

.10 **open-minded, open, receptive,** admissive; **persuadable,** persuasible.

.11 **tolerant,** tolerating; **indulgent, lenient, condoning;** forbearing, forbearant [archaic], **patient, long-suffering; charitable, generous, magnanimous** 979.6.

.12 **unprejudiced, unbiased, unprepossessed, unjaundiced; impartial,** evenhanded, **fair,** just, equitable, objective, **dispassionate, impersonal, detached, disinterested;** indifferent, neutral; **unswayed, uninfluenced,** undazzled.

.13 **unopinionated,** unopinioned, unwedded to an opinion; **unpositive, undogmatic;** uninfatuated, unbesotted, unfanatical.

.14 **broadening,** enlightening.

527. NARROW-MINDEDNESS

.1 NOUNS **narrow-mindedness,** narrowness, illiberality, uncatholicity; little-mindedness, **small-mindedness, smallness, littleness, meanness, pettiness; bigotry,** bigotedness, fanaticism, *odium theologicum* [L]; insularity, insularism, provincialism, parochialism; **hideboundness,** straitlacedness, stuffiness [informal]; authoritarianism; **shortsightedness,** nearsightedness, purblindness; blind side, blind spot, blinders; closed mind, mean mind, petty mind, shut mind; narrow views *or* sympathies, cramped ideas.

.2 **intolerance,** intoleration; **uncharitableness,** ungenerousness; unforbearance.

.3 **prejudice,** prejudgment, forejudgment, **predilection, prepossession,** preconception; **bias,** bent, leaning, inclination, twist; **jaundice,** jaundiced eye; **partiality,** partialism, partisanship, favoritism, one-sidedness, undispassionateness, undetachment.

.4 **discrimination,** social discrimination, minority prejudice; xenophobia, know-nothingism; **chauvinism,** ultranationalism, superpatriotism; fascism; **class consciousness,** class prejudice, class distinction, class hatred, class war; anti-Semitism; red-baiting [informal]; **racism,** racialism, race hatred, **race prejudice,** race snobbery, racial discrimination; white *or* black supremacy, white *or* black power; **color line,** color bar; **social barrier,** Jim Crow, Jim Crow law; **segregation,** apartheid, sex discrimination, sexism, male chauvinism.

.5 **bigot,** intolerant, illiberal, little person; **racist;** pig [slang]; **chauvinist,** ultranationalist, jingo, superpatriot; male chauvinist, sexist; **dogmatist, doctrinaire** 513.7; fanatic 473.17.

.6 VERBS **close one's mind,** shut the eyes of one's mind, take narrow views, put on blinders, blind oneself, have a blind side *or* spot, constrict one's views; not see beyond one's nose *or* an inch beyond one's nose; **view with a jaundiced eye,** see but one side of the question, look only at one side of the shield.

.7 **prejudge,** forejudge, judge beforehand, precondemn, prejudicate [archaic], take one's opinions ready-made, accede to prejudice.

.8 **discriminate against, draw the line,** draw the color line, red-bait.

.9 **prejudice,** prejudice against, prejudice the issue, prepossess, **jaundice, influence, sway, bias,** bias one's judgment; warp, twist, bend, distort.

.10 ADJS **narrow-minded,** narrow, narrow-gauged, closed, closed-minded, cramped, constricted, *borné* [Fr], little-minded, small-minded, mean-minded, petty-

minded, narrow-hearted, narrow-souled, narrow-spirited, mean-spirited, small-souled; **small, little, mean, petty;** uncharitable, ungenerous; bigot, **bigoted,** fanatical; **illiberal,** unliberal, uncatholic; provincial, insular, parochial; **hidebound,** creedbound, **straitlaced,** stuffy [informal]; authoritarian; **shortsighted,** nearsighted, purblind; deaf, deaf-minded, deaf to reason.

.11 **intolerant,** untolerating; **unindulgent,** uncondoning, unforbearing.

.12 **prejudiced,** prepossessed, **biased, jaundiced,** colored; **partial,** one-sided, partisan; influenced, swayed, warped, twisted; interested, nonobjective, **undetached,** undispassionate; xenophobic, know-nothing; **chauvinistic,** ultranationalist, superpatriotic; **racist,** anti-Negro, antiblack; anti-Semitic; sexist; dogmatic, doctrinaire, **opinionated** 513.22.

528. CURIOSITY

.1 NOUNS **curiosity,** curiousness, **inquisitiveness; interest,** interestedness, lively interest; thirst *or* desire *or* lust *or* itch for knowledge, mental acquisitiveness, inquiring *or* curious mind; nosiness *or* snoopiness [both informal], prying; officiousness, meddlesomeness 238.2; morbid curiosity, ghoulishness; voyeurism, scopophilia, prurience, prurient interest.

.2 inquisitive, quidnunc; **inquirer,** questioner, querier, querist, inquisitor, inquisitress; **busybody,** gossip, *yenta* [Yid], **pry,** Paul Pry, **snoop,** snooper, nosy Parker [informal]; sightseer; rubbernecker *or* rubberneck [slang]; eavesdropper; Peeping Tom, voyeur, scopophiliac; Lot's wife.

.3 VERBS **be curious, want to know, take an interest in,** take a lively interest, burn with curiosity; prick up the ears; interrogate, quiz, question, inquire, query; stare, gape, peer, gawk, rubber *or* rubberneck [both slang]; seek, dig up, dig around for, nose out, nose around for.

.4 **pry, snoop,** peep, peek, spy, nose, have a long *or* big nose, poke *or* stick one's nose in; meddle 238.7.

.5 ADJS **curious, inquisitive,** inquiring, interested, quizzical; burning with curiosity, eaten up *or* consumed with curiosity, curious as a cat; agape, agog, all agog, open-mouthed, open-eyed; gossipy; overcurious, supercurious; morbidly curious, morbid, ghoulish; prurient, itchy, voyeuristic, scopophiliac.

.6 **prying,** snooping, **nosy** *or* **snoopy** [both informal]; meddlesome 238.9.

529. INCURIOSITY

.1 NOUNS **incuriosity,** incuriousness, **uninquisitiveness;** boredom; **uninterestedness,** disinterest, disinterestedness, **unconcern,** uninvolvement, **indifference** 636, indifferentness, indifferentism, **apathy,** impassivity, impassiveness, listlessness, stolidity, **lack of interest;** carelessness, heedlessness, regardlessness, insouciance, unmindfulness; aloofness, detachment, withdrawal; intellectual inertia.

.2 VERBS **take no interest in, not care;** mind one's own business, pursue the even tenor of one's way, glance neither to the right nor to the left.

.3 ADJS **incurious, uninquisitive,** uninquiring; bored; **uninterested,** unconcerned, disinterested, uninvolved, **indifferent, apathetic,** impassive, stolid, phlegmatic, listless; careless, heedless, regardless, insouciant, mindless, unmindful; aloof, detached, distant, withdrawn.

530. ATTENTION

.1 NOUNS **attention, attentiveness,** mindfulness, regardfulness, heedfulness; **attention span; heed,** ear; consideration, thought; awareness, consciousness, alertness 533.5; **observation,** observance, advertence, advertency, **note, notice,** remark, **regard,** respect; **intentness,** intentiveness, concentration; diligence, assiduity, assiduousness, earnestness; **care** 533.1.

.2 **interest, concern,** concernment; **curiosity** 528; **enthusiasm,** passion; cathexis; matter of interest, special interest.

.3 **engrossment, absorption, intentness,** single-mindedness, **concentration, application,** study, studiousness, **preoccupation,** engagement, **involvement, immersion,** submersion; obsession, monomania; rapt attention, absorbed attention *or* interest; deep study, deep *or* profound thought, contemplation, meditation.

.4 **close attention,** close study, scrutiny, fixed regard, rapt *or* fascinated attention, whole *or* total *or* undivided attention; minute *or* meticulous attention, attention to detail, finicalness, finickiness; constant *or* unrelenting attention, harping, strict attention; special consideration.

.5 VERBS **attend to,** look to, **see to,** advert to, be aware of; **pay attention to,** pay regard to, give mind to, pay mind to [infor-

mal], not forget, spare a thought for, **give heed to**; have a look at; **turn to**, give thought to, trouble one's head about; give one's mind to, direct one's attention to, turn *or* bend *or* set the mind *or* attention to; **devote oneself to**, devote the mind *or* thoughts to, fix *or* rivet *or* focus the mind *or* thoughts on, set one's thoughts on, apply the mind *or* attention to, apply oneself to, **occupy oneself with, concern oneself with**, give oneself up to, be absorbed *or* engrossed in, **lose oneself in; hang on one's words**, hang on the lips; **drink in**, drink in with rapt attention.

.6 **heed, attend**, tend, **mind, watch, observe, regard**, look, see, view, mark, remark, animadvert [archaic], **note, notice**, take note *or* notice.

.7 **hearken to**, hark, **listen, hear**, give ear to, lend an ear to, incline *or* bend an ear to, prick up the ears, strain one's ears, **keep one's ears open**, unstopper one's ears, have *or* keep an ear to the ground, listen with both ears, **be all ears**.

.8 **pay attention** *or* heed, **take heed**, give heed, **look out, watch out** [informal], **take care** 533.7; look lively *or* alive, **look sharp**, stay *or* be alert, sit up and take notice; be on the ball *or* keep one's eye on the ball *or* not miss a trick *or* not overlook a bet [all informal]; miss nothing; keep one's eyes open 533.8; attend to business, mind one's business; pay close *or* strict attention, strain one's attention, not relax one's concern, give one's undivided attention, give special attention to; keep in the center of one's attention, keep uppermost in one's thought; **concentrate on**, focus *or* fix on; **study**, scrutinize; be obsessed with.

.9 **take cognizance of, take note** *or* **notice of**, take heed of, **take account of, take into consideration** *or* **account, bear in mind**, keep *or* hold in mind, reckon with, keep in sight *or* view, not lose sight of, have in one's eye, have an eye to, have regard for.

.10 **call attention to**, direct attention to, **bring under** *or* **to one's notice**, bring to attention, pick out, focus on, call *or* bring to notice, direct to the attention; **direct to**, address to; **mention**, specify, mention in passing, touch on, cite, **refer to**, allude to; **point out, point to**, point at, put *or* lay one's finger on.

.11 **meet with attention**, fall under one's notice; **catch the attention**, draw *or* hold *or* focus the attention, catch *or* meet *or* strike the eye, attract notice *or* attention, arrest *or* engage attention, fix *or* rivet one's attention, arrest the thoughts, awaken the mind *or* thoughts, **excite notice**, arouse notice, arrest one's notice, invite *or* solicit attention, claim *or* demand attention.

.12 **interest, concern**, involve in *or* with, affect the interest; **pique, titillate**, tantalize, tickle, **attract**, invite, **fascinate, provoke, stimulate, excite**, pique one's interest, excite interest, excite *or* whet one's interest, arouse one's passion *or* enthusiasm, turn one on [slang].

.13 **engross, absorb**, immerse, **occupy, preoccupy, engage**, involve, monopolize, exercise, take up; **obsess; grip, hold, arrest, hold the interest, fascinate, enthrall**, spellbind, **hold spellbound**, grab [slang], charm, enchant, mesmerize, hypnotize, catch; absorb the attention, claim one's thoughts, engross the mind *or* thoughts, engage the attention, involve the interest, occupy the attention, monopolize one's attention, engage the mind *or* thoughts.

.14 **come to attention**, stand at attention.

.15 ADJS **attentive, heedful, mindful, regardful**, advertent; intent, intentive, diligent, assiduous, intense, earnest, concentrated; **careful** 533.10; **observing**, observant; watchful, aware, conscious, alert 533.13,14; agog, openmouthed; open-eared, open-eyed, **all eyes, all ears**, all eyes and ears; on the job [informal], on the ball, Johnny on the spot [both slang]; meticulous, nice, finical, finicky, finicking, niggling.

.16 **interested**, concerned; **curious** 528.5; tantalized, piqued, titillated, tickled, **attracted**, fascinated, excited, turned-on [slang]; keen on *or* about, enthusiastic, passionate; cathectic.

.17 **engrossed, absorbed**, totally absorbed, single-minded, **occupied, preoccupied, engaged**, devoted, devoted to, intent, intent on, monopolized, obsessed, monomaniacal, swept up, taken up with, **involved, caught up in**, wrapped in, **wrapped up in**, engrossed in, **absorbed in** *or* with *or* by, **lost in, immersed in**, submerged in, buried in; over head and ears in, head over heels in [informal], up to one's elbows in, up to one's ears in; contemplating, contemplative, studying, studious, meditative, meditating.

.18 **gripped, held, fascinated, enthralled, rapt, spellbound**, charmed, enchanted,

mesmerized, **hypnotized**, fixed, caught, **arrested**.

.19 **interesting, stimulating, provocative,** provoking, thought-provoking, thought-challenging, thought-inspiring; **titillating,** tickling, **tantalizing, inviting, exciting; piquant,** lively, racy, juicy, succulent, spicy, rich; readable.

.20 **engrossing, absorbing,** consuming, **gripping,** holding, **arresting,** engaging, attractive, **fascinating, enthralling, spellbinding,** enchanting, magnetic, hypnotic, mesmerizing, mesmeric; obsessive, obsessing.

.21 ADVS **attentively,** with attention; **heedfully,** mindfully, regardfully, advertently; observingly, observantly; **interestedly,** with interest; **raptly,** with rapt attention; engrossedly, absorbedly, preoccupiedly; devotedly, **intently,** without distraction, **with undivided attention.**

.22 INTERJS **attention!, look!,** see!, look you!, look here!, looky! [informal], witness!; lo!, behold!, lo and behold!; **hark!,** listen!, hark ye!, hear ye!, oyez!; *nota bene* [L, note well], NB.

.23 **hey!, hail!, ahoy!, hello!,** hollo!, hallo!, halloo!, halloa!, ho!, heigh!, hi!, hist!; hello there!, ahoy there!, etc.

531. INATTENTION

.1 NOUNS **inattention,** inattentiveness, **heedlessness, unheedfulness, unmindfulness, thoughtlessness,** inconsideration; **incuriosity** 529, **indifference** 636; inadvertence *or* inadvertency; unintentness, unintentiveness; disregard, disregardfulness, regardlessness; **flightiness** 532.5, giddiness 532.4, lightmindedness; levity, frivolousness, flippancy; shallowness, superficiality; **inobservance,** unobservance, nonobservance; **unalertness,** unwariness, unwatchfulness; **obliviousness,** unconsciousness, unawareness; **carelessness,** negligence 534.1–4; distraction, **absentmindedness** 532.2.

.2 VERBS **be inattentive, pay no attention,** pay no mind [dial], not attend, not notice, **take no note** *or* **notice of,** take no thought *or* account of, miss, not heed, give no heed, pay no regard to, not listen, hear nothing, not hear a word; **disregard, overlook, ignore,** pass over *or* by, have no time for, let pass *or* get by *or* get past; think little of, **slight,** make light of; **close** *or* **shut one's eyes to,** see nothing, be blind to, turn a blind eye, **look the other way, blink at, wink at,** connive at; stick one's head in the sand; **turn a deaf ear to,** stop one's ears, let come in one ear and go out the other; let well enough alone; not trouble oneself with, not trouble one's head with *or* about; **be unwary,** be off one's guard, be caught out.

.3 **wander, stray,** divagate, wander from the subject; have no attention span, have a short attention span, let one's attention wander, get off the track [informal].

.4 **dismiss,** dismiss *or* drive from one's thoughts; **put out of mind,** put out of one's head *or* thoughts, wean one's thoughts from, think nothing of, force one's thoughts from, **think no more of, forget, forget it,** forget about it, **let it go** [informal], let slip, not give it another *or* a second thought, **drop the subject,** give it no more thought; turn one's back upon, turn away from, turn one's attention from, abandon, leave out in the cold [informal]; put *or* set *or* lay aside, push *or* thrust aside *or* to one side, put on the back burner [informal]; **turn up one's nose at,** sneeze at; **shrug off, brush off** *or* **aside;** laugh off *or* away, dismiss with a laugh.

.5 **escape notice** *or* **attention,** escape one, get by, be missed, pass one by, not enter one's head, fall on deaf ears, not register.

.6 ADJS **inattentive, unmindful,** inadvertent, thoughtless, **incurious** 529.3, **indifferent** 636.6,7; **heedless,** unheeding, unheedful, regardless, *distrait* [Fr], **disregardful,** disregardant; **unobserving,** inobservant, unobservant, unnoticing, unnoting, unremarking, unmarking; **distracted** 532.10; **careless, negligent** 534.10.

.7 **oblivious, unconscious,** insensible, dead to the world; blind, deaf; **preoccupied** 532.11.

.8 **unalert, unwary, unwatchful, unvigilant,** uncautious, incautious; **unprepared,** unready; unguarded, **off one's guard,** off-guard; **asleep,** sleeping, nodding, napping, **asleep at the switch** [informal], asleep on the job *or* **not on the job** [both informal], goofing off *or* looking out the window [both slang].

532. DISTRACTION, CONFUSION

.1 NOUNS **distraction,** distractedness, **diversion,** separation *or* withdrawal of attention, divided attention; **inattention** 531.

.2 **abstractedness, abstraction, preoccupation, absorption,** engrossment, depth of thought, fit of abstraction; **absentmindedness, absence of mind; bemusement,** musing, musefulness [archaic]; **woolgath-**

ering, mooning [informal], moonraking [archaic], stargazing, **dreaming, daydreaming,** fantasying, pipe-dreaming [informal], castle-building; **brown study,** study, reverie, muse, dreamy abstraction, quiet *or* muted ecstasy, trance; dream, **daydream,** fantasy, pipe dream [informal]; daydreamer, Walter Mitty.

.3 **confusion, fluster,** flummox [informal], **flutter,** flurry, ruffle; disorientation, **muddle, muddlement,** fuddle *or* fuddlement [both informal], befuddlement, daze, maze [dial]; unsettlement, disorganization, **disorder,** chaos, **mess** [informal], shuffle, jumble, **discomfiture, discomposure, disconcertion,** discombobulation [informal], **bewilderment, embarrassment, disturbance,** perturbation, **upset,** frenzy, pother, bother, botheration *or* stew [both informal], pucker [archaic]; tizzy *or* swivet *or* sweat [all informal]; haze, fog, mist, cloud; maze; **perplexity** 514.3.

.4 **dizziness, vertigo,** vertiginousness, spinning head, swimming, swimming of the head, **giddiness,** wooziness [informal], **lightheadedness;** tiddliness [Brit informal], **drunkenness** 996.1–4.

.5 **flightiness, giddiness,** volatility, mercuriality; **thoughtlessness,** witlessness, brainlessness, empty-headedness, foolishness 470.

.6 VERBS **distract, divert,** detract, distract the attention, divert *or* detract attention, divert the mind *or* thoughts, draw off the attention, call away, take the mind off of, relieve the mind of, cause the mind to stray *or* wander, put off the track, throw off the scent, lead the mind astray, beguile; throw off one's guard.

.7 **confuse,** throw into confusion, **fluster;** flummox, fuss *or* fuss up [all informal], **flutter,** put into a flutter, **flurry, rattle, ruffle,** moider [Brit dial], **mix up,** ball up [slang], entangle, **muddle,** fuddle [informal], **befuddle, addle,** addle the wits, **daze,** maze, **dazzle,** bedazzle; **upset, unsettle,** raise hell, disorganize; throw into a tizzy *or* swivet, etc.; **disconcert, discomfit, discompose,** discombobulate [informal], disorient, **bewilder, embarrass, put out, disturb, perturb, bother,** pother, bug [slang]; fog, mist, cloud, becloud; **perplex** 514.13.

.8 **dizzy, make one's head swim,** cause vertigo, send one spinning, whirl the mind, swirl the senses, make one's head reel *or* whirl *or* spin *or* revolve, go to one's head; **intoxicate** 996.21,22.

.9 **muse, moon** [informal], **dream, daydream,** pipe-dream [informal], fantasy; abstract oneself, be lost in thought, let one's attention wander, let one's mind run on other things, dream of *or* muse on other things; **wander, stray,** divagate, let one's thoughts *or* mind wander, give oneself up to reverie, **go woolgathering,** let one's wits go bird's nesting, **be in a brown study,** be absent, be somewhere else, stargaze.

.10 ADJS **distracted, distraught,** *distrait* [Fr]; **wandering, rambling; wild, frantic, beside oneself.**

.11 **abstracted, bemused,** museful [archaic], **musing, preoccupied, absorbed, engrossed,** taken up; **absentminded, absent,** faraway, elsewhere, somewhere else, not there; pensive, meditative; lost, **lost in thought,** wrapped in thought; rapt, transported, ecstatic; dead to the world, **unconscious, oblivious; dreaming, dreamy,** drowsing, nodding, half-awake, betwixt sleep and waking, napping; **daydreaming,** daydreamy, pipe-dreaming [informal]; **woolgathering,** mooning *or* moony [both informal], moonraking [archaic], castle-building, in the clouds, off in the clouds, stargazing, in a reverie.

.12 **confused, mixed-up,** balled-up [slang]; **flustered,** fluttered, **ruffled, rattled,** fussed [informal]; **upset, unsettled,** disorganized, **disordered,** chaotic, jumbled, in a jumble, shuffled; shaken, shook [slang], **disconcerted, discomposed,** discombobulated [informal], **embarrassed, put-out, disturbed, perturbed,** bothered, all hot and bothered [informal]; in a stew *or* botheration [informal], in a pucker [archaic]; in a tizzy *or* swivet *or* sweat [informal], in a pother; **perplexed** 514.24.

.13 **muddled,** in a muddle; fuddled [informal], **befuddled;** muddleheaded, fuddlebrained [informal]; puzzleheaded, puzzlepated; **addled,** addleheaded, addlepated, addlebrained; foggy, fogged, in a fog, hazy, muzzy [informal], misted, misty, cloudy, beclouded.

.14 **dazed,** mazed, **dazzled,** bedazzled, in a daze; **silly,** knocked silly; **groggy** [informal], **dopey** [slang], woozy [informal]; **punch-drunk** [informal], punchy, **slaphappy** [both slang].

.15 **dizzy, giddy,** vertiginous, swimming, turned around, going around in circles; lightheaded, tiddly [Brit informal], **drunken** 996.30–33.

.16 **scatterbrained,** shatterbrained *or* shatter-

pated [both archaic], rattlebrained, rattleheaded, rattlepated, scramblebrained, harebrain, harebrained, **giddy, dizzy,** gaga [informal], giddy-brained, giddy-headed, giddy-pated, giddy-witted, giddy as a goose, fluttery, frivolous, featherbrained, featherheaded; **thoughtless, witless, brainless, empty-headed** 469.19.

.17 **flighty,** volatile, mercurial.

533. CAREFULNESS

(close or watchful attention)

.1 NOUNS **carefulness, care, heed, concern, regard; attention** 530; **heedfulness,** regardfulness, mindfulness, **thoughtfulness; consideration,** solicitude, loving care, tender loving care, TLC [informal]; circumspectness, circumspection; forethought, anticipation, preparedness; **caution** 895.

.2 **painstakingness,** painstaking, **pains; diligence,** assiduousness, assiduity, sedulousness, industriousness, industry; **thoroughness,** thoroughgoingness.

.3 **meticulousness,** exactingness, **scrupulousness,** scrupulosity, **conscientiousness,** punctiliousness, attention to detail, **particularness,** particularity, circumstantiality; **fussiness, criticalness,** criticality; **finicalness,** finickingness, finickiness, finicality; **exactness, exactitude, accuracy, preciseness, precision,** precisionism, precisianism, punctuality, correctness; **strictness,** rigidness, **rigor,** rigorousness; nicety, niceness, delicacy, detail, subtlety, refinement, minuteness, exquisiteness.

.4 **vigilance, wariness,** prudence, **watchfulness,** watching, observance, **surveillance; watch, vigil, lookout;** *qui vive* [Fr]; invigilation, proctoring, monitoring; watch and ward; custody, custodianship, guardianship, stewardship; **guard,** guardedness; watchful eye, weather *or* peeled eye [informal], sharp eye, eagle eye, lidless *or* sleepless *or* unblinking *or* unwinking eye.

.5 **alertness, attentiveness; attention** 530; **wakefulness,** sleeplessness; **readiness,** promptness, promptitude, punctuality; **quickness,** agility, nimbleness; **smartness,** brightness, keenness, sharpness, acuteness, acuity.

.6 VERBS **care, mind, heed,** reck, think, consider, regard, take heed *or* thought of; **take an interest,** be concerned; **pay attention** 530.8.

.7 **be careful, take care** *or* good care, take heed, have a care, exercise care; **be cautious** 895.5; **take pains,** take trouble, be **painstaking,** go to great pains, go to great lengths, bend over backwards [informal]; mind what one is doing *or* about, mind one's business, **mind one's P's and Q's** [informal]; **watch one's step** [informal], pick one's steps, tread on eggs, place one's feet carefully, feel one's way; treat gently, **handle with gloves** *or* **kid gloves.**

.8 **be vigilant,** be watchful, never nod *or* sleep, **be on the watch** *or* **lookout,** be on the *qui vive,* keep a good *or* sharp lookout, keep in sight *or* view; **keep watch,** keep watch and ward, keep vigil; **watch, look sharp,** look about one, look with one's own eyes, **be on one's guard,** sleep with one eye open, have all one's eyes *or* wits about one, keep one's eyes open, keep a weather eye open [informal], **keep one's eyes peeled** [informal], keep the ears on *or* to the ground, keep a nose to the wind; keep alert, **be on the alert; look out, watch out** [informal]; look lively *or* alive; stop, look, and listen.

.9 look after, **tend, take care of** 699.19.

.10 ADJS **careful, heedful, regardful, mindful, thoughtful, considerate,** solicitous, loving, tender, curious [archaic]; circumspect; **attentive** 530.15; **cautious** 895.8.

.11 **painstaking, diligent, assiduous,** sedulous, **thorough, thoroughgoing,** operose, industrious, elaborate.

.12 **meticulous, exacting, scrupulous, conscientious,** religious, punctilious, punctual, **particular, fussy, critical, attentive,** scrutinizing; **finical,** finicking, finicky; **exact, precise,** precisionistic, precisianistic, **accurate, correct;** close, narrow; **strict,** rigid, **rigorous,** exigent, demanding; nice, delicate, subtle, fine, refined, minute, detailed, exquisite.

.13 **vigilant, wary,** prudent, **watchful,** lidless, sleepless, observant; **on the watch, on the lookout,** *aux aguets* [Fr]; **on guard,** on one's guard, guarded; with open eyes, with one's eyes open, with one's eyes peeled *or* with a weather eye open [both informal]; open-eyed, sharp-eyed, keen-eyed, Argus-eyed, eagle-eyed, hawk-eyed; all eyes, all ears, **all eyes and ears;** custodial.

.14 **alert, on the alert,** on the *qui vive,* **on one's toes, on the job** *or* on the ball [both informal], **attentive; awake,** wakeful, **wide-awake,** sleepless, unsleeping, unblinking, unwinking, unnodding, alive, ready, prompt, quick, agile, nimble, quick on the trigger *or* draw [informal]; **smart, bright, keen, sharp.**

.15 ADVS **carefully, heedfully,** regardfully, **mindfully,** thoughtfully, **considerately,** solicitously, tenderly, lovingly; circumspectly; **cautiously** 895.12; **with care,** with great care; **painstakingly, diligently,** assiduously, industriously, sedulously, thoroughly, thoroughgoingly.

.16 **meticulously, exactingly, scrupulously, conscientiously,** religiously, punctiliously, punctually, fussily; strictly, rigorously; exactly, **accurately, precisely, with exactitude, with precision;** nicely, with great nicety, refinedly, minutely, in detail, exquisitely.

.17 **vigilantly, warily,** prudently, **watchfully,** observantly; **alertly,** attentively; sleeplessly, unsleepingly, unwinkingly, unblinkingly, lidlessly, unnoddingly.

534. NEGLECT

.1 NOUNS **neglect,** neglectfulness, **negligence,** inadvertence *or* inadvertency, dereliction, *culpa* [L], culpable negligence; **remissness,** laxity, laxness, slackness, looseness, laches; unrigorousness, permissiveness; noninterference, *laissez-faire* [Fr], nonrestriction; **disregard,** slight; **inattention** 531; **oversight,** overlooking; omission, nonfeasance, nonperformance, lapse, failure, default; poor stewardship *or* guardianship *or* custody; procrastination 132.5.

.2 **carelessness, heedlessness, unheedfulness,** disregardfulness, regardlessness; unsolicitude, unsolicitousness, **thoughtlessness,** tactlessness, inconsiderateness, **inconsideration;** unthinkingness, unmindfulness, oblivion, forgetfulness; **unpreparedness,** unreadiness, lack of foresight *or* forethought; **recklessness** 894.2; **indifference** 636; **laziness** 708.5; perfunctoriness; cursoriness, hastiness, offhandedness, casualness; easiness; nonconcern, insouciance; abandon, careless abandon, *sprezzatura* [Ital].

.3 **slipshodness,** slipshoddiness, **slovenliness,** slovenry, sluttishness, untidiness, **sloppiness** *or* **messiness** [both informal]; haphazardness; slapdash, slapdashness, a lick and a promise [all informal], loose ends; bad job, sad work, botch, slovenly performance; bungling 734.4.

.4 **unmeticulousness,** unexactingness, **unscrupulousness,** unrigorousness, **unconscientiousness,** unpunctiliousness, unpunctuality, unparticularness, unfussiness, unfinicalness, **uncriticalness;** inexactness, **inexactitude,** inaccuracy, imprecision, unpreciseness.

.5 **neglecter,** negligent [archaic], ignorer, disregarder; **procrastinator,** waiter on Providence, Micawber [Dickens]; slacker, shirker, malingerer, dodger, goof-off *or* goldbrick [both slang], idler; skimper [informal]; trifler 673.9; sloven, slut; bungler 734.8.

.6 VERBS **neglect, overlook, disregard,** not heed, take for granted, **ignore;** not care for, not take care of; **pass over,** gloss over; **let slip, let slide** [informal], **let go,** let ride [slang], let take its course; let the grass grow under one's feet; not think *or* consider, not give a thought to, take no thought *or* account of, blind oneself to, turn a blind eye to, leave out of one's calculation; lose sight of, lose track of; **be neglectful** *or* **negligent,** fail in one's duty, **fail,** lapse, **default,** let go by default; not get involved; nod, sleep [archaic], be caught napping, be asleep at the switch [informal].

.7 **leave undone,** leave, **let go,** leave half-done, pretermit, **skip,** jump, **miss, omit,** cut [informal], let be *or* alone, pass over, pass up [informal], abandon; leave a loose thread, leave loose ends, let dangle; slack, shirk, malinger, goof off *or* goldbrick [both slang]; trifle 673.13; **procrastinate** 132.11.

.8 **slight;** turn one's back on, turn a cold shoulder to, cold-shoulder [informal], leave out in the cold; scamp, skimp [informal]; slur, **slur over,** pass over, slubber over, slip *or* **skip over,** dodge, fudge, blink, carefully ignore; skim, **skim over,** skim the surface, **touch upon,** touch upon lightly *or* in passing, pass over lightly, go once over lightly, **hit the high spots** *or* **give a lick and a promise** [both informal]; **cut corners,** cut a corner.

.9 **do carelessly,** do by halves, do in a slipshod fashion, do anyhow, do in any old way [informal]; botch, **bungle** 734.11; **trifle with,** play *or* play at fast and loose with, mess around *or* about with [informal]; **do offhand,** dash off, knock off *or* throw off [both informal], **toss off** *or* **out** [informal]; **roughhew,** roughcast, rough out; **knock out** [informal], hammer *or* pound out, bat out [slang]; toss *or* **throw together,** knock together, patch together, patch, patch up, fudge up, fake up, whomp up [informal], lash up [Brit informal], slap up [informal]; jury-rig.

.10 ADJS **negligent, neglectful,** neglecting,

derelict, culpably negligent; inadvertent, uncircumspect; **inattentive** 531.6; unwary, unwatchful, off-guard, unguarded; **remiss,** slack, lax, relaxed, loose, unrigorous, permissive, overly permissive; noninterfering, *laissez-faire* [Fr], nonrestrictive; slighting; slurring, scamping, skimping [informal]; procrastinating 132.17.

.11 **careless, heedless, unheeding, unheedful, disregardful,** disregardant, regardless, **unsolicitous,** tactless, respectless, **thoughtless, unthinking, inconsiderate,** untactful, undiplomatic, mindless of, **unmindful,** forgetful, oblivious; **unprepared,** unready; **reckless** 894.8; **indifferent** 636.6,7; lazy 708.18; perfunctory, cursory, casual, offhand; easygoing, *dégagé* [Fr], airy, flippant, insouciant, free and easy.

.12 **slipshod,** slipshoddy, **slovenly,** sloppy *or* **messy** [both informal], sluttish, untidy; **clumsy, bungling** 734.20; **haphazard, promiscuous, hit-or-miss,** hit-and-miss; deficient, half-assed [slang], botched.

.13 **unmeticulous, unexacting, unpainstaking, unscrupulous,** unrigorous, **unconscientious,** unpunctilious, unpunctual, **unparticular, unfussy, unfinical, uncritical;** inexact, inaccurate, unprecise.

.14 **neglected,** unattended to, untended, unwatched, unchaperoned, uncared-for; **disregarded,** unconsidered, unregarded, **overlooked, missed,** omitted, passed by, passed over, passed up [informal], **ignored, slighted;** unasked, unsolicited; half-done, undone, left undone; deserted, abandoned; in the cold *or* out in the cold [both informal]; shelved, pigeonholed, **put** *or* **laid aside,** sidetracked *or* sidelined [both informal], shunted.

.15 **unheeded, unobserved, unnoticed, unnoted, unperceived, unseen,** undiscerned, undescried, unmarked, unremarked, unregarded, unminded, unconsidered, unthought-of, unmissed.

.16 **unexamined, unstudied,** unconsidered, unsearched, unscanned, unweighed, unsifted, unexplored, unconned.

.17 ADVS **negligently, neglectfully,** inadvertently; **remissly,** laxly, slackly, loosely; **unrigorously,** permissively; nonrestrictively; **slightingly,** lightly, slurringly; scampingly, skimpingly [informal].

.18 **carelessly, heedlessly,** unheedingly, unheedfully, disregardfully, regardlessly, **thoughtlessly, unthinkingly, unsolicitously,** tactlessly, **inconsiderately,** unmindfully, forgetfully; **inattentively, unwarily,** unvigilantly, unguardedly, unwatchfully; **recklessly** 894.11; perfunctorily; once over lightly, cursorily; casually, offhand, offhandedly, airily; clumsily, bunglingly 734.24; **sloppily** *or* **messily** [both informal]; haphazardly, promiscuously, hit or miss, hit and miss, helter-skelter, slapdash [both informal], anyhow, any old way, any which way [both informal].

.19 **unmeticulously, unscrupulously, unconscientiously,** unfussily, **uncritically;** inexactly, inaccurately, unprecisely, imprecisely, unpunctually.

535. IMAGINATION

.1 NOUNS **imagination,** imagining, imaginativeness, **fancy, fantasy,** conceit [archaic]; mind's eye, "that inward eye which is the bliss of solitude" [Wordsworth]; flight of fancy, fumes of fancy; fantasticism.

.2 **creative thought,** conception; productive *or* constructive *or* creative imagination, creative power *or* ability, esemplastic imagination *or* power, shaping imagination, poetic imagination, artistic imagination; mythopoeia, *mythopoesis* [Gk]; mythification, mythicization; inspiration, muse; Muses: Calliope (epic poetry), Clio (history), Erato (lyric and love poetry), Euterpe (music), Melpomene (tragedy), Polyhymnia (sacred song), Terpsichore (dancing and choral song), Thalia (comedy), Urania (astronomy); genius 467.8.

.3 **invention, inventiveness, originality, creativity,** creativeness, **ingenuity;** productivity, prolificacy, **fertility,** fecundity; rich *or* teeming imagination, fertile *or* pregnant imagination, seminal *or* germinal imagination, fertile mind.

.4 **lively imagination,** active fancy, **vivid imagination,** colorful *or* highly colored *or* lurid imagination, warm *or* ardent imagination, fiery *or* heated imagination, excited imagination, bold *or* daring *or* wild *or* fervent imagination; verve, vivacity of imagination.

.5 **figment of the imagination,** creature of the imagination, creation *or* coinage of the brain, fiction of the mind, maggot, whim, whimsy, figment, imagination, invention; brainchild; **imagining,** fancy, idle fancy, vapor, fantasque, "thick-coming fancies" [Shakespeare], imagery; **fantasy, make-believe;** phantom, vision, apparition, insubstantial image, eidolon, **phantasm** 519.4; **fiction,** myth, romance; wildest dreams, stretch of the imagination; **chimera, bubble, illusion** 519; hallucina-

tion, delirium, sick fancy; trip *or* drug trip [both slang].

.6 **visualization, envisioning,** envisaging, picturing, objectification, imaging, calling to *or* before the mind's eye, figuring *or* portraying *or* representing in the mind; depicting *or* delineating in the imagination; conceptualization; **picture, vision, image,** mental image, mental picture, visual image, vivid *or* lifelike image, eidetic image, concept, **conception,** mental representation *or* presentation, *Vorstellung* [Ger]; **imagery,** word-painting; poetic image, poetic imagery; imagery study; imagism, imagistic poetry.

.7 **idealism, idealization; ideal,** ideality; visionariness, **utopianism;** flight of fancy, play of fancy, imaginative exercise; **romanticism,** romance; **quixotism,** quixotry; dreamery; **impracticality,** unpracticalness, **unrealism,** unreality; **wishful thinking,** wish fulfillment, wish-fulfillment fantasy, autistic thinking, dereistic thinking, autism, dereism, autistic distortion.

.8 **dreaminess,** dreamfulness, musefulness, pensiveness; dreamlikeness; **dreaming, musing; daydreaming,** pipe-dreaming [informal], dreamery, fantasying, castle-building.

.9 **dream,** oneir(o)– *or* onir(o)–; **reverie, daydream, pipe dream** [informal]; **brown study** 532.2; **vision; nightmare,** incubus, bad dream.

.10 **air castle, castle in the air,** castle in the sky *or* skies, castle in Spain; Xanadu, pleasure dome of Kubla Khan [both Coleridge].

.11 **utopia** *or* Utopia [Sir Thomas More], **paradise, heaven** 1018, **heaven on earth;** millennium, kingdom come; dreamland, lotus land, land of dreams, land of enchantment, land of heart's desire, wonderland, cloudland, fairyland, land of faerie, faerie; Eden, Garden of Eden; promised land, land of promise, land of plenty, land of milk and honey, Canaan, Goshen; Shangri-la, New Atlantis [Francis Bacon], Arcadia, Agapemone, Happy Valley [Samuel Johnson], land of Prester John, Eldorado, Seven Cities of Cibola, Quivira; Laputa [Swift]; Cockaigne, Big Rock-Candy Mountain, Fiddler's Green, Never-Never-land [J. M. Barrie], Neverland, Cloudcuckooland *or* Nephelococcygia [Aristophanes], Erewhon [Samuel Butler], Land of Youth; dystopia *or* kakotopia; Pandemonium.

.12 **imaginer, fancier,** fantast; fantasist; mythmaker, mythopoet; mythifier, mythicizer; **inventor; creative artist,** poet.

.13 **visionary, idealist;** prophet, **seer; dreamer, daydreamer,** dreamer of dreams, castle-builder, lotus-eater, **wishful thinker; romantic,** romanticist, romancer; Quixote, Don Quixote; utopian, utopianist, utopianizer; escapist; enthusiast, rhapsodist.

.14 VERBS **imagine, fancy, conceive,** conceit [archaic], conceptualize, ideate, figure to oneself; **invent, create, originate,** think up, dream up, shape, mold, coin, hatch, concoct, fabricate, produce; **suppose** 499.10; fantasize; fictionalize; give free rein to the imagination, let one's imagination riot *or* run riot *or* run wild, allow one's imagination to run away with one; experience imaginatively *or* vicariously.

.15 **visualize,** vision, **envision, envisage, picture, image,** objectify; picture in one's mind, picture to oneself, **view with the mind's eye,** contemplate in the imagination, form a mental picture of, represent, **see,** just see, have a picture of; **call up,** summon up, conjure up, **call to mind,** realize.

.16 **idealize,** utopianize, quixotize, rhapsodize; **romanticize,** romance; paint pretty pictures of, paint in bright colors; see through rose-colored glasses; **build castles in the air.**

.17 **dream;** dream of, dream on; **daydream,** pipe-dream [informal], indulge in wish-fulfillment; fantasy, conjure up a vision, "see visions and dream dreams" [Bible]; blow one's mind *or* go on a trip *or* trip *or* freak out [all slang].

.18 ADJS **imaginative,** conceptual, conceptive, ideational, ideative, notional; **inventive, original,** originative, esemplastic, shaping, **creative, ingenious; productive, fertile,** fecund, prolific, seminal, germinal, teeming, pregnant; **inspired,** visioned.

.19 **imaginary,** imaginational, notional; **imagined, fancied; unreal,** unactual, nonexistent; fictive, visional, supposititious, **all in the mind; illusory** 519.9.

.20 **fanciful, notional,** notiony [dial], whimsical, maggoty [Brit]; brain-born; fancy-bred, fancy-born, fancy-built, fancy-framed, fancy-woven, fancy-wrought; dream-born, dream-built, dream-created; **fantastic(al),** fantasque, extravagant, preposterous, outlandish, wild, baroque, rococo, florid; bizarre, grotesque, Gothic.

.21 **fictitious, make-believe, figmental,** fictional, fictive, pseud(o)–; nonhistorical, nonfactual, nonactual, nonrealistic; **fabu-**

lous, mythic(al), mythological, legendary; mythified, mythicized.

.22 **chimeric(al), aerial, ethereal,** phantasmal; vaporous, vapory; air-built, cloud-built, cloud-born, cloud-woven.

.23 **ideal, idealized;** utopian, Arcadian, Edenic, paradisal; pie in the sky [informal]; heavenly, celestial; millennial.

.24 **visionary, idealistic, quixotic(al); romantic, romanticized,** romancing, romantico–; poetic(al); storybook; **impractical, unpractical, unrealistic;** wish-fulfilling, autistic, dereistic; starry-eyed, dewy-eyed; in the clouds, with one's head in the clouds; airy, **otherworldly,** transmundane, transcendental.

.25 **dreamy, dreamful; dreamy-eyed,** dreamy-minded, dreamy-souled; dreamlike; daydreamy, **dreaming, daydreaming,** pipe-dreaming [informal], castle-building; **entranced,** tranced, in a trance, dream-stricken, enchanted, spellbound, spelled, charmed.

.26 **imaginable, fanciable, conceivable, thinkable,** cogitable; **supposable** 499.15.

536. UNIMAGINATIVENESS

.1 NOUNS **unimaginativeness,** unfancifulness; **prosaicness,** prosiness, prosaism, prosaicism, unpoeticalness; **staidness, stuffiness** [informal]; stolidity; **dullness, dryness;** aridness, aridity, barrenness, infertility, infecundity; **unoriginality,** uncreativeness, uninventiveness, dearth of ideas.

.2 (practical attitude) **realism,** realisticness, **practicalness, practicality, practical-mindedness,** sober-mindedness, **hardheadedness, matter-of-factness;** down-to-earthness, earthiness, worldliness, secularism; pragmatism, pragmaticism, positivism, scientism; unidealism, unromanticalness, unsentimentality; sensibleness, saneness, reasonableness, rationality; freedom from illusion, lack of sentimentality; lack of feelings 856.

.3 **realist,** pragmatist, positivist, practical person.

.4 VERBS **keep both feet on the ground,** stick to the facts, call a spade a spade; **come down to earth,** come down out of the clouds.

.5 ADJS **unimaginative, unfanciful;** unideal, unidealized, unromantic, unromanticized; **prosaic,** prosy, prosing, unpoetic(al); **literal,** literal-minded; earthbound, mundane; **staid, stuffy** [informal]; stolid; **dull, dry;** arid, barren, infertile, infecund; **unoriginal,** uninspired; uninventive 166.5.

.6 **realistic,** realist, **practical;** pragmatic(al), scientific, scientistic, positivistic; **unidealistic,** unideal, **unromantic, unsentimental, practical-minded,** sober-minded, **hardheaded,** straight-thinking, **matter-of-fact, down-to-earth, with both feet on the ground;** worldly, earthy, secular; sensible, sane, reasonable, rational, sound, sound-thinking.

537. MEMORY

.1 NOUNS **memory,** –mnesia; **remembrance, recollection,** mind, *souvenir* [Fr]; memory trace, engram; mind's eye, eye of the mind, mirror of the mind, tablets of the memory; corner *or* recess of the memory, inmost recesses of the memory; Mnemosyne, mother of the Muses; computer memory, information storage, disk memory, tape memory, drum memory, memory bank, memory circuit; collective memory, mneme, race memory; atavism; cover *or* screen memory, affect memory; anterograde memory; eye *or* visual memory, kinesthetic memory; skill, verbal response, emotional response.

.2 "that inward eye" [Wordsworth], "the warder of the brain" [Shakespeare], "the treasury and guardian of all things" [Cicero], "storehouse of the mind, garner of facts and fancies" [M. F. Tupper], "the hearing of deaf actions, and the seeing of blind" [Plutarch], "the diary that we all carry around with us" [Oscar Wilde].

.3 **retention, retentiveness,** retentivity, memory span; good memory, retentive memory *or* mind; total memory, eidetic memory *or* imagery, photographic memory, total recall; camera-eye.

.4 **remembering, remembrance, recollection,** recollecting, exercise of memory, **recall,** recalling; reflection, reconsideration; **retrospect,** retrospection, hindsight, looking back; flashback, **reminiscence,** review, contemplation of the past, review of things past; **memoir; memorization,** memorizing, **rote,** rote memory, rote learning, study, learning by heart, commitment to memory.

.5 **recognition, identification, reidentification,** distinguishment; realization 475.2.

.6 **reminder, remembrance,** remembrancer; **prompt,** prompter, tickler; prompting, cue, hint; jogger [informal], flapper; *aide-mémoire* [Fr], **memorandum** 570.4.

.7 **memento, remembrance, token, trophy,**

souvenir, keepsake, relic, remembrancer, favor, token of remembrance; commemoration, memorial 570.12; *memento mori* [L]; **memories, memorabilia,** memorials.

.8 memorability, rememberability.

.9 mnemonics, memory training, mnemotechny, mnemotechnics, mnemonization; mnemonic, mnemonic device, *aide-mémoire* [Fr].

.10 VERBS **remember, recall, recollect,** mind [dial]; reflect; **think of,** bethink oneself [archaic]; **call** *or* **bring to mind,** recall to mind, call up, summon up, conjure up, evoke, reevoke, revive, recapture, call back, bring back, "call back yesterday, bid time return" [Shakespeare]; **think back,** go back, **look back,** cast the eyes back, carry one's thoughts back, look back upon things past, use hindsight, retrospect, **see in retrospect,** go back over, hark back, retrace; review, review in retrospect.

.11 **reminisce,** rake *or* dig up the past.

.12 **recognize, know, tell, distinguish, make out; identify, place,** have; spot *or* nail *or* peg [all informal], **reidentify,** know again, recover *or* recall knowledge of; realize 475.12.

.13 **keep in memory, bear in mind,** keep *or* hold in mind, hold *or* retain the memory of, **keep in view,** have in mind, hold in the thoughts, carry in one's thoughts, retain in the thoughts, store in the mind, **retain, keep;** tax *or* burden the memory, **treasure, cherish,** treasure up in the memory, enshrine *or* embalm in the memory, cherish the memory of; keep up the memory of, keep the memory alive, keep alive in one's thoughts; brood over, dwell on *or* upon, fan the embers.

.14 **be remembered,** sink in the mind, sink in, penetrate, make an impression; live *or* dwell in one's memory, be easy to recall, remain in one's memory, be green *or* fresh in one's memory, remain indelibly impressed on the memory, be stamped on one's memory, **never be forgotten; haunt one's thoughts,** obsess, run in the head, be in one's thoughts, be on one's mind; be burnt into one's memory, plague one; **rankle,** rankle in the breast.

.15 **recur,** recur to the mind, return to mind, come back.

.16 **come to mind,** pop into one's head, come to one, come into one's head, flash on the mind, pass in review.

.17 **memorize, commit to memory,** con; study; **learn by heart,** get by heart, learn *or* get by rote, get letter-perfect, learn word for word, learn verbatim, swot up [Brit informal]; know by heart, have by heart *or* rote, have at one's fingers' ends *or* tips; repeat by heart *or* rote, give word for word, recite, repeat, parrot, repeat like a parrot, say one's lesson.

.18 **fix in the mind** *or* memory, instill, infix, inculcate, impress, imprint, stamp, inscribe, etch, grave, engrave; **impress on the mind, get into one's head,** drive *or* hammer into one's head; **burden the mind with,** task the mind with, load *or* stuff *or* cram the mind with; inscribe *or* stamp *or* rivet in the memory, set in the tablets of memory, etch indelibly in the mind.

.19 **refresh the memory, review,** restudy, **brush up, rub up,** polish up [informal], get up on.

.20 **remind, put in mind,** remember, put in remembrance, bring back to the memory, bring to recollection, refresh the memory of; **remind one of, recall,** suggest, **put one in mind of; take one back,** carry back, carry back in recollection; **jog the memory,** awaken *or* arouse the memory, flap the memory, give a hint *or* suggestion; **prompt,** prompt the mind, give the cue, hold the promptbook; nudge, pull by the sleeve, nag.

.21 **try to recall,** think hard, rack *or* ransack one's brains, **cudgel one's brains,** crack one's brains [informal]; have on the tip of one's tongue, have on the edge of one's memory *or* consciousness.

.22 ADJS **recollective, memoried;** mnemonic; retentive; **retrospective,** in retrospect; **reminiscent, mindful, remindful, suggestive,** redolent, evocative.

.23 **remembered, recollected, recalled; retained,** pent-up in the memory, kept in remembrance, enduring, lasting, **unforgotten;** present to the mind, lodged in one's mind, stamped on the memory; vivid, eidetic, fresh, green, alive.

.24 **remembering, mindful,** keeping *or* bearing in mind, holding in remembrance; unable to forget, haunted, plagued, obsessed, nagged, rankled.

.25 **memorable, rememberable, recollectable;** notable 672.18.

.26 **unforgettable,** never to be forgotten, never to be erased from the mind, **indelible,** indelibly impressed on the mind, fixed in the mind; haunting, persistent, recurrent, nagging; obsessive.

.27 **memorial, commemorative.**

.28 ADVS **by heart,** *par cœur* [Fr], **by rote, by** *or* **from memory,** without book; **memorably;** rememberingly.

.29 **in memory of,** to the memory of, in remembrance *or* commemoration, *in memoriam* [L]; *memoria in aeterna* [L], in perpetual remembrance.

538. FORGETFULNESS

.1 NOUNS **forgetfulness,** unmindfulness, absentmindedness, **memorylessness;** short memory, short memory span, little retentivity *or* recall, mind *or* memory like a sieve; loose memory, vague *or* fuzzy memory, dim *or* hazy recollection; **lapse of memory,** decay of memory; **obliviousness, oblivion,** nirvana; obliteration; Lethe, Lethe water, waters of Lethe *or* oblivion, river of oblivion; nepenthe; **forgetting;** heedlessness 534.2; forgiveness 947.

.2 **amnesia,** failure *or* loss of memory, **memory gap,** blackout [informal]; fugue; anterograde amnesia, retrograde amnesia, retroanterograde amnesia; infantile amnesia; lacunar amnesia, partial amnesia; agnosia, unrecognition; paramnesia, false memory, misremembrance; auditory *or* verbal amnesia, word deafness *or* blindness, amnesic *or* amnestic aphasia; tactile amnesia, astereognosis; systematic amnesia; amnesiac.

.3 **block,** blocking, **mental block,** memory obstruction; repression, suppression, defense mechanism, conversion, sublimation, symbolization.

.4 VERBS **be forgetful,** be absentminded, have a short memory, have a mind *or* memory like a sieve, have a short memory span, be unable to retain, have little recall, forget one's own name.

.5 **forget,** clean forget [informal]; **not remember,** disremember *or* disrecollect [both informal], fail to remember, forget to remember, **have no remembrance** *or* **recollection of,** be unable to recollect *or* recall, draw a blank [informal]; lose, lose sight of; have on the tip of the tongue; blow *or* fluff one's lines; misremember, misrecollect.

.6 efface *or* erase from the memory, consign to oblivion, unlearn, obliterate, **dismiss from one's thoughts** 531.4; **forgive** 947.3–5.

.7 **be forgotten, escape one, slip one's mind,** fade *or* die away from the memory, slip *or* escape the memory, drop from one's thoughts; fall *or* sink into oblivion, go in one ear and out the other.

.8 ADJS **forgotten,** clean forgotten [informal], **unremembered,** disremembered *or* disrecollected [both informal], **unrecollected, unretained, unrecalled,** past recollection *or* recall, out of the mind, lost, erased, effaced, obliterated, gone out of one's head *or* recollection, consigned to oblivion, buried *or* sunk in oblivion; out of sight out of mind; misremembered, misrecollected.

.9 **forgetful, forgetting,** inclined to forget, **memoryless, unremembering, unmindful,** absentminded, **oblivious,** insensible to the past, with a mind *or* memory like a sieve; suffering from *or* stricken with amnesia, amnesic, amnestic; blocked, repressed, suppressed, sublimated, converted; heedless 534.11; Lethean.

.10 **forgettable,** unrememberable, unrecollectable.

.11 ADVS **forgetfully,** forgettingly, unmindfully, absentmindedly, **obliviously.**

539. EXPECTATION

.1 NOUNS **expectation,** expectance *or* **expectancy,** state of expectancy; **anticipation,** prospect, thought; contemplation; probability 511; confidence, reliance 501.1; certainty 513; imminence 152; unastonishment 921.

.2 sanguine *or* cheerful expectation, optimism, **hope** 888.

.3 **suspense,** state of suspense, cliff-hanging [informal]; **waiting,** expectant waiting; uncertainty 514; anxiety, dread, pessimism, apprehension 890.1.

.4 **expectations,** prospects, outlook, hopes, apparent destiny *or* fate, future prospects; likelihoods, probabilities.

.5 VERBS **expect,** be expectant, **anticipate, have in prospect,** face, think, **contemplate,** have in contemplation *or* mind, envisage; **hope** 888.7; presume 499.10; dread 891.18; **take for granted;** not be surprised *or* a bit surprised; foresee 542.5.

.6 **look forward to,** reckon *or* calculate *or* count on; look to, **look for, watch for,** look out for, watch out for, be on the watch *or* lookout for, keep a good *or* sharp lookout for; be ready for; forestall.

.7 **be expected,** be one's probable fate *or* destiny, be one's outlook *or* prospect, be in store.

.8 **await,** wait, wait for, wait on *or* upon, stay *or* tarry for; lie in wait for; watch, watch and wait; **bide one's time,** bide, abide, **mark time;** cool one's heels [informal]; be in suspense, hold one's breath,

bite one's nails; sweat *or* sweat out *or* sweat it *or* sweat it out [all slang]; **wait up for,** stay up for, sit up for.

.9 **expect to, plan on** 653.4–7.

.10 **be as expected,** be as one thought *or* looked for, turn out that way, come as no surprise; **be just like one,** be one all over [slang]; **expect it of,** think that way about, **not put it past** [informal]; **impend,** be imminent 152.2; lead one to expect 544.13.

.11 ADJS **expectant,** expecting, in expectation *or* anticipation; **anticipative,** anticipant, anticipating, anticipatory; **waiting,** awaiting, waiting for; forewarned, forearmed, forestalling, ready, prepared; **looking forward to,** looking for, watching for, on the watch *or* lookout for; gaping, agape, agog, all agog, eager 635.9; sanguine, optimistic, hopeful 888.11; sure, confident 501.21, 513.21; certain 513.13; unsurprised, not surprised.

.12 **in suspense, on tenterhooks,** on tiptoe, **on edge, with bated breath,** tense, taut, with muscles tense, quivering, keyed-up, biting one's nails; anxious, **apprehensive** 890.6.

.13 **expected, anticipated, awaited, foreseen;** presumed 499.14; probable 511.6; **looked-for,** hoped-for; **due, promised;** long-expected, overdue; **in prospect, prospective; in view,** in one's eye, on the horizon; imminent 152.3.

.14 **to be expected,** as expected, up to *or* according to expectation, just as one thought, just as predicted, on schedule, **as one may have suspected,** as one might think *or* suppose; **expected of,** counted on, **taken for granted;** just like one, one all over [slang], in character.

.15 ADVS **expectantly,** expectingly; anticipatively, **anticipatingly,** anticipatorily; hopefully 888.14; **with bated breath,** with breathless expectation; with ears pricked up, with eyes *or* ears strained.

540. INEXPECTATION

.1 NOUNS **inexpectation,** nonexpectation, inexpectance *or* inexpectancy, no expectation, **unanticipation; unexpectedness;** unforeseeableness, unpredictableness, unpredictability; unreadiness, unpreparedness; the unforeseen, the unlooked-for, the last thing one expects; **improbability** 512.

.2 **surprise,** surprisal; **astonishment** 920.1–2; surpriser, startler, shocker, **blow,** staggerer [informal], **eye-opener,** revelation; **bolt out of** *or* **from the blue,** thunderbolt, thunderclap; **bombshell,** bomb; blockbuster, earthshaker; sudden turn *or* development, *peripeteia* [Gk], switch; surprise ending, kicker *or* joker *or* catch [all informal]; surprise package; surprise party.

.3 **start, shock, jar, jolt, turn.**

.4 VERBS **not expect,** hardly expect, **not anticipate, not look for,** not bargain for, **not foresee,** not think of, have no thought of, have no expectation, think unlikely *or* improbable.

.5 **be startled, be taken by surprise,** be given a start, be given a turn *or* jar *or* jolt; **start,** startle, **jump,** jump a mile [informal], jump out of one's skin; **shy,** start aside, flinch.

.6 **be unexpected, come unawares,** come as a surprise *or* shock, appear unexpectedly, turn up, pop up *or* bob up [both informal], drop from the clouds, appear like a bolt out of the blue, come *or* burst like a thunderclap *or* thunderbolt, burst *or* flash upon one, come *or* fall *or* pounce upon, steal *or* creep up on.

.7 **surprise, take by surprise,** do the unexpected, spring a surprise [informal], **open one's eyes,** give one a revelation; **catch** *or* **take unawares,** catch *or* take short, pull up short, **catch off-guard** 488.7; come from behind, come from an unexpected quarter, come upon unexpectedly *or* without warning, spring *or* pounce upon; spring a mine under, ambush, bushwhack; drop in on [informal]; give a surprise party; **astonish** 920.6,7.

.8 **startle, shock, electrify, jar, jolt, shake,** stun, **stagger, give one a turn** [informal], make one jump out of his skin, take aback, take one's breath away, throw on one's beam ends, bowl down *or* over [informal], strike all of a heap [informal]; frighten 891.23.

.9 ADJS **inexpectant,** nonexpectant, unexpecting; **unanticipative,** unanticipating; **unsuspecting, unaware,** unguessing; uninformed, unwarned, unforewarned, unadvised, unadmonished; unready, unprepared; off one's guard 531.8.

.10 **unexpected, unanticipated, unlooked for,** unhoped for, unprepared for, undivined, unguessed, unpredicted, **unforeseen;** unforeseeable, unpredictable; **improbable** 512.3; contrary to expectation, beyond *or* past expectation, out of one's reckoning, more than expected, more than one bargained for; out of the blue, dropped from the clouds, from out in left field

[slang]; without warning, unheralded, unannounced; sudden 113.5; out-of-the-way, **extraordinary.**

.11 **surprising, astonishing** 920.12; **startling, shocking,** electrifying, staggering, stunning, jarring, jolting.

.12 **surprised,** struck with surprise; **astonished** 920.9; **taken by surprise,** taken unawares, caught short.

.13 **startled, shocked, electrified,** jarred, jolted, shaken, shook [slang], staggered, **given a turn** *or* **jar** *or* **jolt,** taken aback, bowled down *or* over [informal], struck all of a heap [informal], able to be knocked down with a feather.

.14 ADVS **unexpectedly,** unanticipatedly, improbably, implausibly, unpredictably, **unforeseeably,** *à l'improviste* [Fr], **by surprise, unawares,** against *or* contrary to all expectation, as no one would have predicted, without notice *or* warning, in an unguarded moment, like a thief in the night; **out of a clear sky, out of the blue, like a bolt from the blue;** suddenly 113.9.

.15 **surprisingly, startlingly, to one's surprise,** to one's great surprise; shockingly, staggeringly, stunningly, **astonishingly** 920.16.

541. DISAPPOINTMENT

.1 NOUNS **disappointment,** sad *or* sore disappointment, bitter *or* cruel disappointment, failed *or* blasted expectation; **dashed hope, blighted hope,** betrayed hope, hope deferred, forlorn hope; **dash** [archaic], dash to one's hopes; blow, buffet; **frustration,** discomfiture, bafflement, defeat, balk, foiling; **comedown,** setback, **letdown** [informal]; failure, fizzle [informal], fiasco; **disillusionment** 520; tantalization, mirage, tease; dissatisfaction 869.1; fallen countenance.

.2 VERBS **disappoint,** defeat expectation *or* hope; **dash,** dash *or* blight *or* blast *or* crush one's hope; **balk,** bilk, **thwart, frustrate, baffle, defeat,** foil, cross; put one's nose out of joint; **let down,** cast down; **disillusion** 520.2; tantalize, tease; dissatisfy 869.4.

.3 **be disappointing, not come up to expectation,** not live *or* measure up to expectation, go wrong, turn sour, disappoint one's expectations, come *or* fall short; peter out *or* fizzle *or* fizzle out [all informal], not make it *or* not hack it [both slang].

.4 **be disappointed,** not realize one's expectations, fail of one's hopes *or* ambitions, be let down; look blue, laugh on the wrong side of one's mouth [informal]; be crestfallen *or* chapfallen.

.5 ADJS **disappointed,** bitterly *or* sorely disappointed; **let down,** betrayed, ill-served, ill done-by; **dashed,** blighted, blasted, crushed; **balked,** bilked, **thwarted, frustrated,** baffled, crossed, dished [Brit], defeated, foiled; hoist by one's own petard, caught in one's own trap; disillusioned 520.5; crestfallen, chapfallen, out of countenance; soured; dissatisfied 869.5; regretful 873.8.

.6 **disappointing,** not up to expectation, falling short, out of the running, not up to one's hopes, second- *or* third-best; tantalizing, teasing; **unsatisfactory** 869.6.

542. FORESIGHT

.1 NOUNS **foresight,** foreseeing, looking ahead, **prevision,** forecast [archaic]; **prediction** 543; **foreglimpse,** foreglance, foregleam; preview, prepublication; **prospect,** prospection; **anticipation,** contemplation, envisionment, envisagement; **foresightedness; farsightedness,** longsightedness, farseeingness; sagacity, providence, discretion, preparation, provision, forehandedness, readiness, prudence 467.4–7.

.2 **forethought, premeditation,** predeliberation, preconsideration 653.3; caution 895.

.3 **foreknowledge,** foreknowing, forewisdom, **precognition,** prescience, presage, presentiment, foreboding 544; clairvoyance 1034.8; foreseeability 543.8.

.4 **foretaste,** antepast [archaic], prelibation.

.5 VERBS **foresee,** see beforehand *or* ahead, foreglimpse, foretaste, **anticipate,** contemplate, envision, envisage, **look forward to,** look ahead, look beyond, look *or* pry *or* peep into the future; **predict** 543.9.

.6 **foreknow,** know beforehand, precognize; smell in the wind, scent from afar; **have a presentiment, have a premonition** 544.11; feel in one's bones [informal], just know, intuit 481.4.

.7 ADJS **foreseeing, foresighted; foreknowing, precognizant,** precognitive, prescient; divinatory 543.11; **forethoughted,** forethoughtful; anticipant, anticipatory; **farseeing, farsighted,** longsighted; sagacious, provident, providential, forehanded, prepared, ready, prudent 467.16–19; intuitive 481.5; clairvoyant 1034.23.

.8 foreseeable 543.13; foreseen 543.14.

.9 ADVS **foreseeingly, foreknowingly,** with foresight; against the time when, for a rainy day.

543. PREDICTION

.1 NOUNS **prediction, foretelling,** foreshowing, forecasting, **prognosis,** prognostication, presage [archaic], presaging; **prophecy,** prophesying, vaticination; **soothsaying,** soothsay; prefiguration, prefigurement, prefiguring; preshowing, presignifying, presigning [archaic]; **forecast, promise;** apocalypse; prospectus; foresight 542; presentiment, foreboding 544; omen 544.3,6; **guesswork,** speculation, hariolation; **probability** 511, statistical prediction, actuarial prediction; improbability 512.

.2 **divination,** divining, –mancy; **augury,** haruspication, haruspicy, pythonism, mantic, mantology [archaic]; **fortunetelling,** crystal gazing, palm-reading, palmistry; crystal ball; horoscopy, astrology 375.20; sorcery 1035; clairvoyance 1034.8.

.3 dowsing, witching, water witching; **divining rod** *or* stick, wand, witch *or* witching stick, dowsing rod, doodlebug; dowser, water witch *or* witcher.

.4 **predictor, foreteller, prognosticator,** seer, foreseer, foreshower, foreknower, presager [archaic], prefigurer; **forecaster;** prophet, prophesier, soothsayer, *vates* [L]; **diviner,** divinator; augur; psychic 1034.13; prophetess, seeress, divineress, pythoness; Druid; **fortuneteller;** crystal gazer; palmist; geomancer; haruspex, astrologer 375.23; weather prophet 402.7; prophet of doom, calamity howler, Cassandra; religious prophets 1022.

.5 [slang terms] **dopester, tipster, tout** *or* touter.

.6 **sibyl;** Pythia, Pythian, Delphic sibyl; Babylonian *or* Persian sibyl, Cimmerian sibyl, Cumaean sibyl, Erythraean sibyl, Hellespontine *or* Trojan sibyl, Libyan sibyl, Phrygian sibyl, Samian sibyl, Tiburtine sibyl.

.7 **oracle;** Delphic *or* Delphian oracle, Python, Pythian oracle; Delphic tripod, tripod of the Pythia; Dodona, oracle *or* oak of Dodona.

.8 **predictability,** divinability, foretellableness, **calculability, foreseeability,** foreknowableness.

.9 VERBS **predict,** make a prediction, **foretell, soothsay,** prefigure, **forecast, prophesy, prognosticate,** make a prophecy *or* prognosis, vaticinate, forebode, presage, see *or* tell the future, read the future, see in the crystal ball; **foresee** 542.5; dope *or* dope out [both slang]; call the turn *or* call one's shot [both informal]; **divine;** witch *or* dowse for water; **tell fortunes,** fortune-tell, cast one's fortune; read one's hand, read palms, read tea leaves, cast a horoscope *or* nativity; **guess,** speculate, hariolate.

.10 **portend,** foretoken 544.10–12.

.11 ADJS **predictive,** predictory, predictional; **foretelling,** forewarning, forecasting; prefiguring, prefigurative, presignifying, presignificative; **prophetic(al),** fatidic(al), apocalyptic(al); vaticinatory, vaticinal, mantic, sibyllic, sibylline; **divinatory, oracular,** auguring, augural; haruspical; **foreseeing** 542.7; presageful, presaging; **prognostic,** prognosticative, prognosticatory; fortunetelling; weather-wise.

.12 **ominous,** premonitory, foreboding 544.16-17.

.13 **predictable, divinable, foretellable, calculable,** anticipatable; **foreseeable, foreknowable,** precognizable; **probable** 511.6; improbable 512.3.

.14 **predicted,** prophesied, presaged, **foretold, forecast,** foreshown; foreseen, foreglimpsed, **foreknown.**

.15 **forms of divination**

aeromancy
alectryomancy
aleuromancy
alphitomancy
anthracomancy
anthropomancy
arithmomancy
aspidomancy
astrodiagnosis
astrology 375.20
astromancy
augury
austromancy
axinomancy
belomancy
bibliomancy
botanomancy
capnomancy
cephalomancy
ceromancy
chalcomancy
chirognomy
chiromancy
chronomancy
cleidomancy
cleromancy
coscinomancy
crithomancy
crystallomancy
cubomancy
dactyliomancy
extispicy
gastromancy
geloscopy
genethlialogy, genethliacs
geomancy
gyromancy
halomancy
haruspicy
hieromancy
hieroscopy
hippomancy
horoscopy
hydromancy
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lithomancy
logomancy
margaritomancy
meteoromancy
molybdomancy
myomancy
necromancy
nomancy
numerology
oenomancy
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onychomancy
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osteomancy
palmistry
podomancy
psephomancy
psychomancy
pyromancy
rhabdomancy
scapulimancy
scatomancy
sciomancy
scyphomancy
sideromancy

sortes Biblicae [L]
sortes Homericae [L]
sortes Praenestinae [L]
sortes Vergilianae [L]
sortilege
spatulamancy
spodomancy
stichomancy
sycomancy
theomancy
xylomancy
zoomancy

544. PRESENTIMENT

.1 NOUNS **presentiment, premonition,** preapprehension, forefeeling, presage, presagement; hunch 481.3; prediction 543.

.2 foreboding, boding; **apprehension, misgiving;** chill *or* quiver along the spine, shudder of the flesh.

.3 **omen, portent; augury,** auspice, soothsay, prognostic, prognostication; **premonitory sign** *or* **symptom,** premonitory shiver *or* chill, **foretoken,** foretokening, tokening, betokening, betokenment, foreshowing, prefiguration, presigning [archaic], presignifying, presignification, **preindication,** indicant, indication, **sign, token,** type, **promise,** sign of the times; **foreshadow,** foreshadowing, shadow, adumbration.

.4 **warning, forewarning,** "warnings, and portents and evils imminent" [Shakespeare], handwriting on the wall, *"mene, mene, tekel, upharsin"* [Aramaic; Bible].

.5 **harbinger, forerunner, precursor,** messenger [archaic], **herald,** announcer, *buccinator novi temporis* [L]; presager, premonitor, foreshadower.

.6 (omens) bird of ill omen, owl, raven, stormy petrel, Mother Carey's chicken; gathering clouds, clouds on the horizon, dark *or* black clouds, angry clouds, storm clouds, thundercloud, thunderhead; black cat; broken mirror; rainbow; ring around the moon; shooting star; halcyon bird.

.7 **ominousness, portentousness, portent,** bodefulness, presagefulness, suggestiveness, significance, **meaning** 545; fatefulness, fatality, doomfulness, sinisterness, banefulness, balefulness, direness.

.8 **inauspiciousness, unpropitiousness, unfavorableness, unfortunateness, unluckiness,** ill-fatedness, ill-omenedness; fatality.

.9 **auspiciousness, propitiousness, favorableness; luckiness, fortunateness,** prosperousness, beneficence, benignity, benignancy, benevolence; brightness, cheerfulness, cheeriness; good omen, good auspices, *auspicium melioris aevi* [L].

.10 VERBS **foreshow, presage;** omen, be the omen of, auspicate [archaic]; **foreshadow,** shadow, adumbrate, shadow forth, cast their shadows before; **predict** 543.9; have an intimation, have a hunch [informal].

.11 **forebode, bode,** portend, croak; **threaten, menace, lower,** look black; **warn, forewarn;** have a premonition *or* presentiment, apprehend, preapprehend.

.12 **augur,** hint, divine [archaic]; **foretoken, preindicate,** presignify, presign, presignal, pretypify, **prefigure,** betoken, token, typify, **signify, mean** 545.8, spell, **indicate,** point to, **be a sign of.**

.13 **promise, suggest, hint, imply,** give prospect of, make likely, give ground for expecting, raise expectation, **lead one to expect,** hold out hope, make fair promise, **bid fair, stand fair to.**

.14 **herald, harbinger, forerun,** run before; announce, proclaim, preannounce; give notice, notify.

.15 ADJS augured, **foreshadowed, foreshown; indicated, signified; preindicated,** prognosticated, **foretokened,** prefigured, pretypified, presignified, presigned [archaic]; presignaled; **presaged; promised, threatened;** predicted 543.14.

.16 **premonitory, forewarning,** augural, monitory, warning, presageful, presaging, **foretokening, preindicative,** indicative, prognostic, prognosticative, presignificant, prefigurative; **significant, meaningful** 545.10; **foreshowing, foreshadowing;** big *or* pregnant *or* heavy with meaning; forerunning, precursory, precursive; intuitive 481.5; predictive 543.11.

.17 **ominous, portentous,** portending; **foreboding,** boding, **bodeful; inauspicious, ill-omened,** ill-boding, of ill *or* fatal omen, of evil portent, loaded *or* laden *or* freighted *or* fraught with doom; fateful, doomful; apocalyptic; **unpropitious, unpromising, unfavorable, unfortunate, unlucky; sinister,** dark, black, gloomy, somber, dreary; **threatening, menacing, lowering;** bad, evil, ill, untoward; dire, baleful, baneful, **ill-fated,** ill-starred, evil-starred.

.18 **auspicious,** of good omen, of happy portent; **propitious, favorable,** favoring, fair, good; **promising,** of promise, full of promise; **fortunate, lucky,** prosperous; benign, benignant, bright, happy, golden.

.19 ADVS **ominously, portentously, bodefully, forebodingly;** significantly, sinisterly; **threateningly, menacingly,** loweringly.

.20 **inauspiciously, unpropitiously, unpromisingly, unfavorably, unfortunately, unluckily.**

.21 **auspiciously, propitiously, promisingly, favorably; fortunately, luckily;** brightly.

545. MEANING

.1 NOUNS **meaning, significance, signification,** *significatum* [L], *signifié* [Fr], point, **sense,** idea, **purport, import; implication, connotation,** reference, referent; intension, extension; **denotation;** dictionary meaning, lexical meaning; emotive *or* affective meaning, undertone, overtone, coloring; relevance, bearing, **relation,** pertinence; **substance, gist,** pith, spirit, essence; **drift,** tenor; sum, sum and substance; **literal meaning, true** *or* **real meaning, unadorned meaning; effect,** force, impact, consequence, practical consequence; totality of associations *or* references *or* relations, value; syntactic *or* structural meaning, grammatical meaning; symbolic meaning; metaphorical *or* transferred meaning; semantic field, semantic cluster; range *or* span of meaning, scope.

.2 **intent, intention, purpose, aim, object, design,** plan.

.3 **explanation, definition,** construction, **interpretation** 552.

.4 **acceptation,** acception, accepted *or* received meaning; **usage,** acceptance.

.5 **meaningfulness,** suggestiveness, expressiveness, pregnancy; **significance,** significancy, significantness; intelligibility, interpretability, readability; pithiness, meatiness, sententiousness.

.6 (units) sign, symbol, signifiant, significant, type, token, icon, lexeme, sememe, morpheme, glosseme, **word,** term, phrase, lexical form *or* item, semantic *or* semiotic *or* semasiological unit.

.7 **semantics,** semiotic, semiotics, significs, semasiology; lexicology.

.8 VERBS **mean, signify, denote, connote,** import, spell, have the sense of, be construed as, have the force of; **stand for, symbolize; imply,** suggest, argue, breathe, bespeak, betoken, **indicate; refer to.**

.9 **intend,** have in mind 653.7.

.10 ADJS **meaningful,** meaning, **significant,** significative; **denotative, connotative,** denotational, connotational, intensional, extensional, associational; **referential; symbolic, metaphorical,** figurative, allegorical; transferred, extended; intelligible, interpretable, definable, readable; **suggestive,** indicative, **expressive; pregnant,** full of meaning, loaded *or* laden *or* fraught *or* freighted *or* heavy with significance; **pithy, meaty,** sententious, substantial, full of substance; pointed, full of point.

.11 **meant,** implied 546.7, **intended** 653.9.

.12 **semantic,** semantological, semiotic, semasiological; lexologic(al); **symbolic,** signific, iconic, lexemic, sememic, glossematic, morphemic, **verbal,** phrasal, lexical.

.13 ADVS **meaningfully,** meaningly, **significantly;** suggestively, indicatively; **expressively.**

546. LATENT MEANINGFULNESS

.1 NOUNS latent meaningfulness, **latency,** latentness, delitescence, latent content; **potentiality,** virtuality, possibility; dormancy 268.4.

.2 **implication, connotation, import,** latent *or* underlying *or* implied meaning, ironic suggestion *or* implication; meaning 545; **suggestion,** allusion; coloration, tinge, undertone, overtone, undercurrent, more than meets the eye *or* ear, something between the lines, intimation, touch, nuance, innuendo, **hint** 557.4; **inference, supposition,** presupposition, assumption, presumption; secondary *or* transferred *or* metaphorical sense, undermeaning; subsidiary sense, subsense; hidden *or* esoteric *or* arcane meaning, occult meaning; **symbolism, allegory.**

.3 VERBS **be latent, underlie, lie under the surface, lurk,** lie hid *or* low, lie beneath, hibernate, lie dormant, smolder; make no sign, escape notice.

.4 **imply, implicate, involve,** import, connote, entail 76.4; mean 545.8; **suggest,** bring to mind; **hint, insinuate, infer, intimate** 557.10; **allude to,** point indirectly to; write between the lines; allegorize; **suppose, presuppose,** assume, presume, take for granted; mean to say *or* imply *or* suggest.

.5 ADJS **latent, lurking,** lying low, delitescent, **hidden** 615.11, obscured, obfuscated, veiled, muffled, covert, occult, mystic [archaic], cryptic; esoteric; **underlying, under the surface,** submerged; **between the lines;** hibernating, sleeping, dormant 268.14; **potential,** unmanifested, virtual, possible.

.6 **suggestive, allusive,** allusory, **indicative, inferential; insinuating,** insinuative, insinuatory; ironic; **implicative,** implicatory, implicational; referential.

.7 **implied,** implicated, involved; **meant,** indicated; **suggested, intimated, insinuated, hinted; inferred, supposed,** assumed, presumed, presupposed.

.8 **tacit, implicit, implied, understood,** taken for granted.

.9 **unexpressed,** unpronounced, **unsaid, unspoken, unuttered,** undeclared, unbreathed, unvoiced, wordless, silent; **unmentioned,** untalked-of, **untold,** unsung, unproclaimed, unpublished; unwritten, unrecorded.

.10 **symbolic(al),** allegoric(al), figurative, **metaphoric(al);** anagogic(al).

.11 ADVS **latently,** underlyingly; **potentially,** virtually.

.12 **suggestively, allusively, inferentially,** insinuatingly; impliedly.

.13 **tacitly, implicitly,** unspokenly, wordlessly, silently.

547. MEANINGLESSNESS

.1 NOUNS **meaninglessness,** unmeaningness, **senselessness,** nonsensicality; **insignificance,** unsignificancy; **noise,** mere noise, empty sound, talking to hear oneself talk, phatic communion; inanity, emptiness, nullity; "sounding brass and a tinkling cymbal" [Bible], "a tale told by an idiot, full of sound and fury, signifying nothing" [Shakespeare]; purposelessness, aimlessness, futility; dead letter.

.2 **nonsense, stuff and nonsense,** pack of nonsense, **folderol, balderdash,** *niaiserie* [Fr], flummery, trumpery, **rubbish,** trash, *narrishkeit* [Yid], vaporing, fudge; **humbug,** gammon, hocus-pocus; rant, claptrap, fustian, rodomontade, bombast, absurdity 470.3; stultiloquence, **twaddle,** twattle [Brit dial], twiddle-twaddle, fiddle-faddle, fiddledeedee, waffling [Brit], **blather, babble,** babblement, bibble-babble, **gabble,** gibble-gabble, **blabber, gibber, jabber,** prate, **prattle,** palaver, rigmarole *or* rigamarole, galimatias, skimble-skamble, drivel, drool; **gibberish,** jargon, mumbo jumbo, **double-talk,** amphigory, gobbledygook [informal].

.3 [slang terms] **bullshit, shit, crap, bull,** poppycock, bosh, bunkum, **bunk, guff,** gup [Brit], scat, bop, bilge, piffle, moonshine, flapdoodle, tommyrot, **rot, hogwash,** malarkey, hokum, hooey, bushwa, **blah** *or* blah-blah, baloney, tripe, **hot air,** gas, wind.

.4 VERBS **be meaningless, mean nothing,** signify nothing, not mean a thing, not convey anything; not register, not ring any bells.

.5 **talk nonsense, twaddle,** twattle [Brit dial], **piffle,** waffle [Brit], **blather, blabber, babble, gabble,** gibble-gabble, **jabber, gibber,** prate, **prattle,** rattle; talk through one's hat; gas, bull, **bullshit, throw the bull** [all slang]; **drivel,** vapor, drool, run off at the mouth.

.6 ADJS **meaningless,** unmeaning, **senseless,** purportless, importless, nondenotative, nonconnotative; **insignificant,** unsignificant; empty, inane, null; phatic, garbled, scrambled; **purposeless, aimless,** designless, **without rhyme or reason.**

.7 **nonsensical,** silly, poppycockish [informal]; **foolish, absurd** 470.8,10; twaddling, twaddly; rubbishy, trashy; skimble-skamble; Pickwickian.

.8 ADVS **meaninglessly,** unmeaningly, nondenotatively, nonconnotatively, **senselessly, nonsensically;** insignificantly, unsignificantly; **purposelessly,** aimlessly.

548. INTELLIGIBILITY

.1 NOUNS **intelligibility, comprehensibility, apprehensibility,** prehensibility, **understandability,** knowability, cognizability, scrutability, penetrability, fathomableness; recognizability, readability; articulateness.

.2 **clearness, clarity; plainness, distinctness,** explicitness, clear-cutness, definition; **lucidity,** limpidity, pellucidity, crystallinity, perspicuity, transpicuity, transparency; **simplicity,** straightforwardness, directness; unmistakableness, unequivocalness, unambiguousness; **coherence,** connectedness, consistency, structure; plain style, plain English, plain speech, unadorned style.

.3 **legibility,** decipherability, **readability.**

.4 VERBS **be understandable, make sense;** be plain *or* clear; **speak for itself,** tell its own tale, speak volumes, have no secrets, put up no barriers; read easily [informal].

.5 (be understood) **get over** *or* **across** [informal], come through, **register** [informal], **penetrate, sink in,** soak in; dawn on, be glimpsed.

.6 **make clear,** make it clear, **let it be understood,** make oneself understood, get *or* put over *or* across [informal]; **simplify,** put in plain words *or* plain English, put in words of one syllable, spell out [informal]; elucidate, **explain,** explicate, **clarify** 552.10; put one in the picture [Brit]; make available to all, popularize, vulgarize.

.7 **understand, comprehend, apprehend,** have, **know, conceive, realize,** appreciate, ken [Scot], savvy [slang], sense, **read,** dig [slang], **fathom, follow,** get the idea, be with one *or* with it [informal], get the picture [informal], get into *or* through

one's head *or* thick head [informal]; **grasp, seize,** get hold of, grasp *or* seize the meaning, **get** [slang], take, **take in,** catch, **catch on** [informal], get the meaning of, get the hang of, catch *or* **get the drift** [informal]; **master, learn,** have it taped [Brit informal], **assimilate, absorb, digest.**

.8 **perceive, see, discern, make out,** descry; see the light, see daylight [informal], come alive; **see through,** see to the bottom of, penetrate, see into, pierce, plumb; see at a glance, see with half an eye.

.9 ADJS **intelligible, comprehensible, apprehensible,** prehensible, **knowable,** cognizable, scrutable, **fathomable,** plumbable, penetrable; **understandable,** easily understood, easy to understand, exoteric; readable; articulate.

.10 **clear, crystal-clear,** clear as crystal, clear as day, clear as the nose on one's face; **plain, distinct; definite,** defined, well-defined, **clear-cut,** clean-cut, crisp; **direct,** simple, **straightforward; explicit, express; unmistakable, unequivocal,** univocal, unambiguous, unconfused; **loud and clear; lucid,** pellucid, limpid, crystalline, perspicuous, transpicuous, **transparent,** translucent, luminous; **coherent,** connected, consistent.

.11 **legible, decipherable, readable,** fair; uncoded, unenciphered, in the clear.

.12 ADVS **intelligibly, understandably, comprehensibly,** apprehensibly; articulately; **clearly, lucidly,** limpidly, pellucidly, perspicuously, **simply, plainly, distinctly,** definitely; **coherently; explicitly, expressly; unmistakably, unequivocally,** unambiguously; in plain terms *or* words, in plain English, in no uncertain terms.

.13 **legibly,** decipherably, readably, fairly.

549. UNINTELLIGIBILITY

.1 NOUNS **unintelligibility, incomprehensibility,** inapprehensibility, **ununderstandability,** unknowability, incognizability, inscrutability, impenetrability, unfathomableness, unsearchableness, numinousness; **incoherence,** unconnectedness, ramblingness; inarticulateness; **ambiguity** 550.

.2 **abstruseness,** reconditeness; crabbedness, crampedness, knottiness; **complexity,** intricacy, **complication** 46.1; **hardness, difficulty; profundity,** profoundness, deepness; esoterica.

.3 **obscurity,** obscuration, obscurantism, obfuscation, mumbo jumbo [informal], mystification; perplexity; **unclearness,** unclarity, unplainness, opacity; **vagueness,** indistinctness, indeterminateness, fuzziness, shapelessness, amorphousness; murkiness, murk, mistiness, mist, fogginess, fog, darkness, dark.

.4 **illegibility,** unreadability; undecipherability, indecipherability; scribble, scrawl.

.5 **unexpressiveness,** inexpressiveness, **expressionlessness,** impassivity; straight face, dead pan [slang], poker face [informal].

.6 **inexplicability,** unexplainableness, uninterpretability, indefinability, undefinability, unaccountableness; insolvability, inextricability; **enigmaticalness,** mysteriousness, mystery.

.7 (something unintelligible) Greek, Choctaw, double Dutch; gibberish, babble, jargon, gobbledygook, noise, Babel; scramble, jumble, garble; argot, cant, slang, secret language, Aesopian language, code, cipher, cryptogram; glossolalia, gift of tongues.

.8 **enigma, mystery, puzzle,** puzzlement; Chinese puzzle, crossword puzzle, jigsaw puzzle; **problem,** puzzling *or* baffling problem, why; question, question mark, vexed *or* perplexed question, enigmatic question, sixty-four dollar question [informal]; **perplexity;** knot, knotty point, crux, point to be solved; **puzzler,** poser, brain twister *or* teaser [informal], sticker [slang]; mind-boggler, **floorer** *or* **stumper** [all informal]; nut to crack, **hard** *or* **tough nut to crack;** tough proposition [informal], "a perfect nonplus and baffle to all human understanding" [Southey].

.9 **riddle, conundrum,** charade, rebus; logogriph, anagram; riddle of the Sphinx.

.10 VERBS **be incomprehensible, not make sense,** be too deep, go over one's head, be beyond one, beat one [informal], elude *or* escape one, lose one, need explanation *or* clarification *or* translation, be Greek to, pass comprehension *or* understanding, not penetrate; **baffle, perplex** 514.13, riddle, be sphinxlike, speak in riddles; speak in tongues; talk double Dutch, babble, gibber.

.11 **not understand, be unable to comprehend,** not have the first idea, be unable to get into *or* through one's head *or* thick skull; be out of one's depth, be at sea, be lost; **not know what to make of,** make nothing of, not be able to account for, not be able to make head or tail of; be unable to see, not see the wood for the trees; give up, pass [informal].

.12 **make unintelligible, scramble,** jumble,

garble; **obscure,** obfuscate, mystify, shadow; **complicate** 46.3.

.13 ADJS **unintelligible, incomprehensible,** inapprehensible, **ununderstandable,** unknowable, incognizable; **unfathomable, inscrutable,** impenetrable, unsearchable, numinous; **ambiguous** 550.3; **incoherent,** unconnected, rambling; **inarticulate; past comprehension,** beyond one's comprehension, beyond understanding; Greek to one.

.14 **hard to understand, difficult, hard,** tough [informal], beyond one, **over one's head,** beyond *or* out of one's depth; knotty, cramp, crabbed; intricate, **complex,** overtechnical, perplexed, **complicated** 46.4; **scrambled,** jumbled, **garbled; obscure,** obscured, obfuscated.

.15 **obscure, vague, indistinct,** indeterminate, fuzzy, shapeless, amorphous; unclear, unplain, opaque, muddy, **clear as mud** *or* clear as ditch water [both informal]; **dark,** dim, blind [archaic], shadowy; **murky,** cloudy, foggy, hazy, misty, nebulous; transcendent.

.16 **recondite,** abstruse, abstract, transcendental; **profound, deep; hidden** 615.11; arcane, **esoteric,** occult; **secret** 614.11.

.17 **enigmatic(al),** cryptic(al); sphinxlike; **perplexing, puzzling** 514.25; riddling, logogriphic.

.18 **inexplicable, unexplainable,** uninterpretable, undefinable, indefinable, **unaccountable; insolvable,** unsolvable, insoluble, inextricable; mysterious, **mystic(al),** shrouded *or* wrapped *or* enwrapped in mystery.

.19 **illegible, unreadable, unclear; undecipherable,** indecipherable.

.20 **inexpressive,** unexpressive, impassive; **expressionless; vacant, empty, blank;** glassy, fishy, wooden; deadpan, poker-faced [informal].

.21 ADVS **unintelligibly, incomprehensibly,** inapprehensibly, ununderstandably.

.22 **obscurely, vaguely, indistinctly,** indeterminately; **unclearly,** unplainly; illegibly.

.23 reconditely, **abstrusely;** esoterically, occultly.

.24 **inexplicably, unexplainably,** undefinably, **unaccountably, enigmatically; mysteriously,** mystically.

.25 **expressionlessly, vacantly, blankly, emptily,** woodenly, glassily, fishily.

.26 PREPS **beyond,** past, above; **too deep for.**

.27 PHRS **I don't understand, I can't see,** I don't see how *or* why, **it beats me** [informal], you've got me [informal], **it's beyond me,** it's too deep for me, it has me guessing, I don't have the first idea, it's Greek to me; **I give up,** I pass [informal].

550. AMBIGUITY

.1 NOUNS **ambiguity,** ambiguousness; **equivocalness,** equivocacy, equivocality; **double meaning,** amphibology, multivocality, polysemy, polysemousness; punning, paronomasia; double reference, double entendre; uncertainty 514; irony; levels of meaning, richness of meaning, complexity of meaning.

.2 (ambiguous word or expression) **ambiguity,** equivoque, equivocal, equivocality; equivocation, amphibology, double entendre; counterword, portmanteau word; polysemant; weasel word; squinting construction; pun 881.8.

.3 ADJS **ambiguous, equivocal,** equivocatory; multivocal, polysemous, polysemantic, amphibolous, amphibological; uncertain 514.15; ironic; obscure, mysterious, enigmatic 549.14–18.

551. FIGURE OF SPEECH

.1 NOUNS **figure of speech,** figure, image, trope, turn of expression, manner *or* way of speaking, ornament, device, flourish, flower; purple passage; imagery, nonliterality, nonliteralness, figurativeness, figurative language; figured *or* florid *or* flowery style, asiaticism, floridity, euphuism.

.2 VERBS metaphorize, figure [archaic]; similize; personify, personalize; symbolize 572.6.

.3 ADJS **figurative,** tropological; **metaphorical,** trolatitious; allusive, referential; mannered, figured, ornamented, flowery 601.11.

.4 ADVS **figuratively,** tropologically; **metaphorically;** symbolically; **figuratively speaking,** so to say *or* speak, in a manner of speaking, **as it were.**

.5 **figures of speech**

agnomination
alliteration
allusion
anacoluthon
anadiplosis
analogy
anaphora
anastrophe
antiphrasis
antithesis
antonomasia
apophasis
aporia
aposiopesis
apostrophe
catachresis
chiasmus
circumlocution
climax
conversion
ecphonesis
emphasis
enallage
epanaphora
epanodos
epanorthosis
epidiplosis
epiphora
eroteme
exclamation

gemination
hendiadys
hypallage
hyperbaton
hyperbole
hypozeugma
hypozeuxis
hysteron-proteron
inversion
irony
kenning
litotes
malapropism
meiosis
metalepsis
metaphor
metonymy
onomatopoeia, onomatopy
oxymoron
paradiastole
paralepsis
paregmenon
parenthesis
periphrasis
personification
pleonasm
ploce
polyptoton
polysyndeton
preterition
prolepsis
prosopopoeia
regression
repetition
rhetorical question
sarcasm
simile, similitude
spoonerism
syllepsis
symploce
synecdoche
Wellerism
zeugma

552. INTERPRETATION

.1 NOUNS **interpretation, construction, reading,** way of seeing *or* understanding *or* putting; **diagnosis; definition,** description; **meaning** 545.

.2 **rendering, rendition; text,** edited text, diplomatic text, normalized text; **version;** reading, lection, variant, variant reading; **edition,** critical *or* scholarly edition; conflation, composite reading *or* text.

.3 **translation,** transcription, transliteration; **paraphrase,** loose *or* free translation; decipherment, decoding; amplification, restatement, rewording; metaphrase, literal *or* verbal *or* faithful *or* word-for-word translation; **pony** *or* trot *or* crib [all informal]; interlinear, interlinear translation, bilingual text *or* edition; **gloss, glossary;** key, *clavis* [L].

.4 **explanation,** explication, **elucidation,** illumination, enlightenment, light, **clarification,** *éclaircissement* [Fr], simplification; **exposition,** expounding, exegesis; **illustration, demonstration,** exemplification; **reason,** rationale; euhemerism, demythologization, allegorization; decipherment, decoding, cracking, unlocking, **solution** 487; editing, emendation.

.5 (explanatory remark) **comment, word of explanation; annotation,** notation, **note,** note of explanation, footnote, gloss, scholium; exegesis; *apparatus criticus* [L]; commentary, commentation [archaic].

.6 **interpretability,** construability; **definability, describability;** translatability; **explicability,** explainableness, accountableness.

.7 **interpreter,** exegete, exegetist, exegesist, hermeneut; commentator, annotator, scholiast; critic, textual critic, **editor,** diaskeuast, emender, emendator; cryptographer, cryptologist, decoder, decipherer, cryptanalyst; **explainer,** lexicographer, definer, **explicator,** exponent, expositor, expounder, clarifier; demonstrator, euhemerist, demythologizer, allegorist; go-between 781.4; **translator,** metaphrast, paraphrast; oneirocritic; guide, *cicerone* [Ital], dragoman.

.8 (science of interpretation) exegetics, hermeneutics; tropology; criticism, literary criticism, textual criticism; paleography, epigraphy; cryptology, cryptography, cryptanalysis; lexicography; diagnostics, symptomatology, semeiology, semeiotics; pathognomy; physiognomics, physiognomy; metoposcopy; oneirology, oneirocriticism.

.9 VERBS **interpret, diagnose; construe,** put a construction on, **take;** understand, **understand by, take to mean,** take it that; **read; read into,** read between the lines; see in a special light, read in view of, take an approach to, **define, describe.**

.10 **explain, explicate, expound,** exposit; **give the meaning,** tell the meaning of; **spell out,** unfold; **account for,** give reason for; **clarify, elucidate,** clear up, **make clear,** make plain; **simplify,** popularize; **illuminate,** enlighten, **shed** *or* **throw light upon;** rationalize, euhemerize, demythologize, allegorize; tell *or* show how, show the way; **demonstrate, show, illustrate,** exemplify; decipher, crack, unlock, find the key to, unravel, **solve** 487.2; explain oneself; explain away.

.11 **comment upon,** commentate, remark upon; **annotate,** gloss; **edit,** make an edition.

.12 **translate, render,** transcribe, transliterate, put *or* turn into, transfuse the sense of; construe; English.

.13 **paraphrase, rephrase, reword, restate,** rehash; give a free *or* loose translation.

.14 ADJS **interpretative,** interpretive, interpretational, exegetic(al), hermeneutic(al); constructive, constructional; **diagnostic;** symptomatological, semeiological; tropological; **definitional, descriptive.**

.15 **explanatory,** explaining, exegetic(al), **explicative,** explicatory; **expository,** expositive; **clarifying, elucidative; illuminating,** illuminative, enlightening; **demonstrative, illustrative,** exemplificative; glossarial, annotative, critical, editorial, scholiastic; rationalizing, rationalistic, euhemeristic, demythologizing, allegorizing.

.16 **translational,** translative; paraphrastic, metaphrastic.

.17 **interpretable, construable; definable,** describable; translatable, renderable; Englishable [archaic]; explainable, explicable, accountable.

.18 ADVS **by interpretation,** as here interpreted, as here defined, according to this reading; **in explanation, to explain; that is,** that is to say, *id est* [L], i.e.; **to wit, namely,** *videlicet* [L], viz., *scilicet* [L], sc.; **in other words,** in words to that effect.

553. MISINTERPRETATION

.1 NOUNS **misinterpretation, misunderstanding,** *malentendu* [Fr], misintelligence, **misapprehension, misreading, misconstruction,** malobservation, **misconception; misrendering,** mistranslation, eisegesis; misexplanation, misexplication, misexposition; misapplication; gloss; **perversion, distortion,** wrenching, twisting, contorting, torturing, squeezing, garbling; abuse of terms, misuse of words, catachresis; misquotation, miscitation; "blunders round about a meaning" [Pope]; misjudgment 496; error 518.

.2 VERBS **misinterpret, misunderstand,** misconceive, **mistake, misapprehend; misread, misconstrue,** put a false construction on, **take wrong, get wrong,** get one wrong; misapply; misexplain, misexplicate, misexpound; **misrender,** mistranslate; quote out of context; misquote, miscite, give a false coloring, give a false impression *or* idea, gloss; **garble, pervert, distort,** wrench, contort, torture, squeeze, twist the words *or* meaning, stretch *or* strain the sense *or* meaning, misdeem, **misjudge** 496.2.

.3 ADJS **misinterpreted, misunderstood, mistaken, misapprehended, misread,** eisegetical, misconceived, **misconstrued; garbled, perverted, distorted,** catachrestic(al).

.4 **misinterpretable, misunderstandable,** mistakable.

554. COMMUNICATION

.1 NOUNS **communication,** communion, congress, **commerce, intercourse; speaking, speech, talking,** linguistic intercourse, speech situation, speech circuit, converse, conversation 597; **contact, touch, connection; intercommunication,** intercommunion, **interplay,** interaction; **exchange,** interchange; answer, response, reply; one-way communication, two-way communication; **dealings,** dealing, **traffic, truck** [informal]; information 557; message 558.4; ESP, telepathy 1034.8,9; correspondence 604; social intercourse 922.4.

.2 **impartation,** impartment, imparting, **conveyance, telling, transmission,** transmittal, transfer, transference, sharing, giving; notification, **announcement** 559.2, publication 559, **disclosure** 556.

.3 **communicativeness, talkativeness** 596, **sociability** 922; **unreserve,** unreservedness, **unreticence, unrestraint, unconstraint,** unrestriction; **unrepression,** unsuppression; **unsecretiveness,** untaciturnity; candor, **frankness** 974.4; **openness,** plainness, freeness, outspokenness, plainspokenness; **accessibility,** approachability, conversableness; **extroversion,** outgoingness.

.4 **communicability, impartability, conveyability, transmittability,** transmissibility, transferability; contagiousness 686.3.

.5 **communications,** electronic communications, communications industry, media, communications medium *or* media, communications network; telecommunication 560.1–3; radiocommunication, wire communication; communication *or* information theory 557.7.

.6 VERBS **communicate, be in touch** *or* **contact,** be in connection *or* intercourse, have intercourse, hold communication; **intercommunicate,** interchange, commune with; commerce with, **deal with, traffic with, have dealings with, have truck with** [informal]; **speak, talk,** be in a speech situation, **converse** 597.9.

.7 **communicate, impart,** render, **convey, transmit,** transfer, send, **disseminate,** broadcast, pass, **pass on** *or* **along, hand on; report, make known,** get across *or* over; give *or* send *or* leave word; **signal;** share, share with; **give** 818.12; tell 557.8.

.8 **communicate with, get in touch** *or* **contact with, contact** [informal], **make contact with,** raise, reach, get to, make *or* establish connection, get in connection with; **make advances,** make overtures, **approach,** make up to [informal]; relate to; keep in touch *or* contact with, maintain connection; **answer,** respond *or* reply to; **question,** interrogate; **correspond** 604.11.

.9 ADJS **communicational, communicating,** communional; transmissional; speech, **verbal,** linguistic, oral; **conversational** 597.13; **intercommunicational,** intercommunicative, intercommunional, interactional, interactive, interacting, interresponsive, responsive, answering; question-

ing, interrogative, interrogatory; telepathic 1034.23.

.10 **communicative, talkative** 596.9, gossipy, newsy; **sociable** 922.18; **unreserved, unreticent,** unshrinking, **unrestrained, unconstrained,** unhampered, unrestricted; demonstrative, expansive, effusive; **unrepressed, unsuppressed; unsecretive,** unsilent, untaciturn; candid, **frank** 974.17; self-revealing, self-revelatory; **open,** free, outspoken, free-speaking, free-spoken, free-tongued; **accessible, approachable,** conversable, easy to speak to; **extroverted,** outgoing.

.11 **communicable, impartable, conveyable, transmittable,** transmissible, transferable; contagious 686.58.

555. MANIFESTATION

.1 NOUNS **manifestation, appearance,** –phany; **expression,** evincement; **indication, evidence,** proof 505; embodiment, incarnation, materialization 376.7; epiphany, theophany, angelophany, Satanophany, Christophany, pneumatophany, avatar; **revelation, disclosure** 556; dissemination, **publication** 559.

.2 **display, demonstration, show, showing,** phen(o)– *or* phaeno–; **presentation,** presentment, ostentation [archaic], **exhibition, exhibit, exposition,** retrospective; production, performance, representation, enactment, projection; opening, unfolding, unfoldment; unveiling, exposure, varnishing day, *vernissage* [Fr].

.3 **manifestness, apparentness, obviousness, plainness, clearness,** crystal-clearness, perspicuity, distinctness, patentness, palpability, tangibility; evidentness, evidence [archaic], **self-evidence; openness,** openness to sight, overtness; visibility 444; unmistakableness, unquestionability 513.3.

.4 **conspicuousness, prominence, salience** *or* saliency, bold *or* high *or* strong relief, boldness, **noticeability,** pronouncedness, strikingness, outstandingness; obtrusiveness; **flagrance** *or* flagrancy, arrantness, blatancy, notoriousness, notoriety; ostentation 904.

.5 VERBS **manifest, show, exhibit, demonstrate, display,** breathe, unfold, develop, **present,** represent [archaic], **evince, evidence; indicate,** give sign *or* token, token, betoken, mean 545.8; **express,** show forth, set forth; **make plain, make clear;** produce, bring out, roll out, trot out [informal], bring forth, bring forward *or* to the front, bring to notice, expose to view, bring to *or* into view; **reveal, divulge, disclose** 556.4; **illuminate,** highlight, spotlight, bring to the fore, place in the foreground, bring out in bold *or* strong *or* high relief; **flaunt,** dangle, wave, **flourish,** brandish, parade; affect, make a show of; perform, enact, dramatize; **embody,** incarnate, **materialize** 376.8.

.6 (manifest oneself) **come out into the open,** come forth; **show one's colors** *or* true colors, wear one's heart upon one's sleeve; **speak up, speak out,** raise one's voice, **assert oneself,** let one's voice be heard, **stand up and be counted,** take a stand; open up, show one's mind, have no secrets; **appear, materialize.**

.7 **be manifest,** be there for all to see, be no secret *or* revelation, lie on the surface, be seen with half an eye; need no explanation, **speak for itself,** tell its own story *or* tale; **go without saying,** *aller sans dire* [Fr]; **leap to the eye,** *sauter aux yeux* [Fr], **stare one in the face,** hit one in the eye, strike the eye, glare, shout; come across, project; stand out, stick out, stick out a mile, stick out like a sore thumb, hang out [slang].

.8 ADJS **manifest, apparent, evident, self-evident,** axiomatic, indisputable, **obvious, plain, clear,** perspicuous, distinct, palpable, patent, tangible; **visible, perceptible, perceivable, discernible,** seeable, observable, **noticeable; to be seen,** easy to be seen, plain to be seen; plain as day, plain as the nose on one's face, plain as a pikestaff; **crystal-clear,** clear as crystal; **express, explicit, unmistakable,** not to be mistaken, open-and-shut [informal]; self-explanatory, self-explaining; **indubitable** 513.15.

.9 **manifesting, manifestative,** showing, displaying, demonstrating, **demonstrative,** presentational, expository, expositional, exhibitive, exhibitional, **expressive;** evincive, evidential; **indicative,** indicatory; appearing, incarnating, incarnational, materializing; epiphanic, theophanic, angelophanic, Satanophanic, Christophanic, pneumatophanic; **revelational,** revelatory, **disclosive** 556.10; promulgatory 559.18.

.10 **open,** overt, open to all, open as day; unclassified; **revealed, disclosed, exposed;** bare, bald, naked.

.11 **unhidden, unconcealed,** unscreened, uncurtained, unshaded, veilless; **unobscure,** unobscured, undarkened, unclouded; **undisguised,** uncamouflaged.

.12 **conspicuous, noticeable, notable,** ostensi-

ble, **prominent, bold, pronounced, salient,** in relief, in bold *or* high *or* strong relief, **striking, outstanding,** in the foreground, sticking *or* hanging out [slang]; obtrusive; **flagrant,** arrant, blatant, notorious; **glaring,** staring, stark-staring.

.13 **manifested,** demonstrated, exhibited, shown, displayed; **manifestable,** demonstrable, exhibitable, displayable.

.14 ADVS **manifestly, apparently, evidently, obviously, patently, plainly, clearly,** distinctly, **unmistakably,** expressly, explicitly, palpably, tangibly; **visibly, perceptibly,** perceivably, discernibly, observably, **noticeably.**

.15 **openly, overtly,** before one, **before one's eyes** *or* very eyes, under one's nose [informal]; to one's face, face to face; **publicly,** in public; **in the open,** out in the open, in open court, **in plain sight,** in broad daylight, in the face of day *or* heaven, for all to see, in public view, in plain view, in the marketplace; aboveboard, on the table.

.16 **conspicuously, prominently, noticeably,** ostensibly, **notably, markedly, pronouncedly, saliently, strikingly, boldly, outstandingly;** obtrusively; arrantly, flagrantly, blatantly, notoriously; glaringly, staringly.

556. DISCLOSURE

.1 NOUNS **disclosure,** disclosing; **revelation,** revealment, revealing, patefaction [archaic]; apocalypse; discovery, discovering; manifestation 555; unfolding, unfoldment, **uncovering,** unwrapping, uncloaking, taking the wraps off, taking from under wraps, removing the veil, unveiling, **unmasking; exposure,** exposition, **exposé; baring,** stripping, stripping *or* laying bare; **showing up,** showup.

.2 **divulgence, divulging,** divulgement, divulgation, evulgation, letting out [Brit]; **betrayal,** unwitting disclosure, indiscretion; leak, communication leak; **giveaway** *or* dead giveaway [both informal]; telltale, telltale sign, obvious clue; **blabbing** *or* blabbering [both informal], babbling; **tattling.**

.3 **confession,** shrift, **acknowledgment, admission,** concession, avowal, owning, owning up [informal], unbosoming, unburdening oneself, making a clean breast; rite of confession 1040.4.

.4 VERBS **disclose, reveal, let out, show,** impart, discover, develop [both archaic]; manifest 555.5; unfold, unroll; **open,** open up, lay open, break the seal, bring into the open; **expose, show up; bare,** strip *or* lay bare; take the lid off, **bring to light,** hold up to view; hold up the mirror to; **unmask,** dismask, tear off the mask, **uncover,** unveil, take out from under wraps, take the wraps off, lift *or* draw the veil, raise the curtain, let daylight in, unscreen, uncloak, undrape, unshroud, unfurl, unsheathe, unwrap, unpack, unkennel; show one's hand *or* cards, put *or* lay one's cards on the table.

.5 **divulge,** divulgate, evulgate; **reveal, make known, tell,** breathe, utter, vent, ventilate, air, give vent to, **give out, let out** [Brit], let get around, out with [informal], come out with; break it to, **break the news;** let in on *or* to, **confide,** confide to, let into the secret; **publish** 559.10,11.

.6 **betray,** inform, **inform on** 557.12, talk *or* peach [both informal]; rat *or* stool *or* sing *or* squeal [all slang], turn state's evidence; leak [informal], spill [slang], **spill the beans** [informal]; **let the cat out of the bag** [informal], speak before one thinks, be unguarded *or* indiscreet, **give away** *or* give the show away [both informal], betray a confidence, tell secrets, reveal a secret; have a big mouth *or* bazoo [slang], **blab** *or* blabber [both informal]; babble, **tattle,** tell *or* tattle on, tell tales, **tell tales out of school;** talk out of turn, let slip, let fall *or* drop; **blurt, blurt out.**

.7 **confess,** break down and confess, **admit, acknowledge,** allow, avow, concede, grant, **own, own up** [informal], let on, implicate *or* incriminate oneself, come clean [slang]; spill *or* spill it *or* spill one's guts [all slang]; **tell the truth,** tell all, admit everything, let it all hang out [informal], throw off all disguise; **plead guilty,** own oneself in the wrong, cop a plea [slang]; **unbosom oneself, make a clean breast, get it off one's chest** [informal], **get it out of one's system** [informal], disburden *or* unburden one's mind *or* conscience *or* heart, **take the load off one's mind;** out with it *or* spit it out *or* open up [all informal].

.8 **be revealed, become known, come to light,** appear, manifest itself, come to one's ears, transpire, **leak out, get out, come out,** out, break forth, show its face; show its colors, be seen in its true colors, stand revealed, blow one's cover [slang].

.9 ADJS **revealed, disclosed** 555.10.

.10 **disclosive, revealing,** revelatory, revelational, apocalyptic(al); **disclosing,** show-

ing, exposing, betraying; eye-opening; **talkative** 554.10, 596.9.

.11 confessional, admissive.

557. INFORMATION

.1 NOUNS **information,** info [informal], **facts,** datum [sing], **data, knowledge** 475; general information, gen [Brit informal]; factual information, hard information; **evidence, proof** 505; **enlightenment,** light; incidental information, sidelight; **acquaintance,** familiarization, briefing; **instruction** 562.1; **intelligence;** the know *or* **the dope** *or* the goods *or* **the scoop** [all slang]; transmission, **communication** 554; **report, word,** message, presentation, account, **statement,** mention; white paper, white book, blue book, command paper [Brit]; dispatch, bulletin, communiqué, handout [informal], release; publicity, promotional material; **notice,** notification; announcement, publication 559; directory, guidebook 748.10.

.2 **inside information,** private *or* confidential information; **the lowdown** *or* **inside dope** *or* inside wire *or* **hot tip** [all slang]; insider; pipeline [informal].

.3 **tip** *or* tip-off *or* **pointer** [all informal], clue, cue; **steer** *or* office [both slang]; **advice;** whisper, passing word, **word to the wise,** word in the ear, bug in the ear [informal]; warning, caution, monition, alerting.

.4 **hint,** gentle hint, **intimation, indication, suggestion, suspicion, inkling,** whisper, **glimmer, glimmering; cue, clue,** index, symptom, sign, spoor, track, scent, telltale; **implication, insinuation, innuendo;** broad hint, gesture, signal, nod, wink, look, nudge, kick, prompt.

.5 **informant, informer, source,** teller, interviewee, enlightener; **adviser,** monitor; **reporter,** notifier, **announcer,** annunciator; spokesman, mouthpiece; communicator, communicant, publisher; **authority,** witness, expert witness; **tipster** [informal], **tout** [slang]; newsmonger, gossipmonger; **information medium** *or* **media,** press, radio, television; channel, grapevine; information center; public relations officer.

.6 **informer, betrayer,** delator; **snitch** *or* snitcher [both slang]; whistle-blower [informal]; **tattler, tattletale, telltale, talebearer; blab** *or* blabber *or* blabberer *or* blabbermouth [all informal]; **squealer** *or* peacher *or* **stool pigeon** *or* stoolie *or* **fink** *or* **narc** [all slang]; **spy** 781.9.

.7 information *or* communication theory; data storage *or* retrieval, EDP, electronic data processing; signal, noise; encoding, decoding; bit; redundancy, entropy; channel; information *or* communication explosion.

.8 VERBS **inform, tell, speak,** apprize, **advise, advertise,** advertise of, **give word,** mention to, **acquaint, enlighten,** familiarize, brief, verse, wise up [slang], give the facts, give an account of, give by way of information; **instruct** 562.11; possess *or* seize one of the facts; **let know, have one to know, give one to understand;** tell once and for all; notify, give notice *or* notification, serve notice; **communicate** 554.6,7; bring *or* send *or* leave word; **report** 558.11; **disclose** 556.4–7; put in a new light, shed new *or* fresh light upon.

.9 **post** *or* **keep one posted** [both informal]; fill one in, bring up to date, put one in the picture [Brit].

.10 **hint, intimate, suggest, insinuate, imply, indicate,** adumbrate, lead *or* leave one to gather, justify one in supposing, give *or* drop *or* throw out a hint, give an inkling of, **hint at; allude to,** make an allusion to, glance at [archaic]; **prompt,** give the cue; put in *or* into one's head.

.11 **tip** *or* tip off *or* **give one a tip** [all informal], alert; **give a pointer to** [informal]; put hep *or* hip [slang], **let in on,** let in on the know [slang]; let next to *or* put next to *or* **put on to** *or* put on to something hot [all slang]; **confide,** confide to, entrust with information, give confidential information, mention privately *or* confidentially, whisper, buzz, breathe, whisper in the ear, **put a bug in one's ear** [informal].

.12 **inform on** *or* **against, tell on** [informal], **betray; tattle, blab** [informal]; **snitch** *or* **squeal** *or* peach *or* sell out *or* rat *or* stool *or* fink *or* narc *or* put the finger on *or* snitch on *or* squeal on [all slang]; turn informer; blow the whistle [informal]; testify against, **bear witness against;** turn state's evidence, turn king's *or* queen's evidence [Brit].

.13 come to know, have it reported, get the facts, **get wise to** [informal], **get hep to** *or* **next to** *or* **on to** [all slang]; learn; become conscious *or* aware of, become alive *or* awake to, awaken to, open one's eyes to.

.14 be informed *or* apprised, have the facts; **come to one's knowledge,** come to *or* reach one's ears; be told, **hear, overhear,** hear tell of *or* hear say [both informal];

get scent *or* wind of; **know** 475.12; **know well** 475.13.

.15 **keep informed,** keep posted [informal], stay briefed, **keep up on,** keep up to date *or* au courant, keep abreast of the times; **keep track of,** keep count *or* account of, keep tab *or* tabs on [informal], keep a check on, keep an eye on.

.16 ADJS informed 475.18–20; informed of, in the know 475.16.

.17 **informative,** informing, informational; **instructive, enlightening;** educative, educational 562.19; advisory, monitory; **communicative** 554.11.

.18 telltale, tattletale.

.19 ADVS from information received, according to reports *or* rumor, from notice given, as a matter of general information, by common report, from what one can gather.

558. NEWS

.1 NOUNS **news, tidings, intelligence, information, word,** advice; newsiness [informal]; newsworthiness; a nose for news; **journalism,** reportage; **the press,** the fourth estate, broadcast journalism; **news medium** *or* **media,** newspaper, newsletter, newsmagazine, radio, television, press association, news service, news agency, wire service, telegraph agency.

.2 **good news,** good word, **glad tidings;** gospel, evangel; bad news.

.3 **news item,** piece *or* budget of news; **article, story,** piece; copy; scoop *or* beat [both slang], exclusive; spot news.

.4 **message, dispatch, word, communication, communiqué,** advice, release; express [Brit]; embassy, embassage [archaic]; **letter** 604.2; **telegram** 560.14; pneumatogram, *petit bleu* [Fr].

.5 **bulletin,** news report, **flash.**

.6 **report, rumor,** flying rumor, unverified *or* unconfirmed report, **hearsay,** *on-dit* [Fr], **scuttlebutt** *or* latrine rumor [both informal]; **talk, whisper, buzz, rumble,** bruit, cry; idea afloat, news stirring; **common talk,** town talk, **talk of the town,** topic of the day, *cause célèbre* [Fr]; **grapevine; canard,** roorback.

.7 **gossip,** gossiping, gossipry, gossipmongering, back-fence gossip [informal], newsmongering; **talebearing,** taletelling; **tattle,** tittle-tattle, chitchat, **talk,** idle talk; "putting two and two together, and making it five" [Pascal]; piece of gossip, groundless rumor, tale, story.

.8 **scandal, dirt** [informal], **malicious gossip,** "gossip made tedious by morality" [Oscar Wilde]; juicy morsel, tidbit, choice bit of dirt [informal]; **scandalmongering;** gossip column; character assassination, **slander** 971.3; whispering campaign.

.9 **newsmonger, rumormonger, scandalmonger, gossip,** gossipmonger, gossiper, *yenta* [Yid], quidnunc, **busybody,** tabby [informal]; **talebearer,** taleteller, telltale, **tattletale** [informal], tattler, tittle-tattler, "a tale-bearing animal" [J. Harrington]; gossip columnist; reporter, newspaperman 605.22.

.10 (secret news channel) **grapevine, grapevine telegraph,** bush telegraph [Austral]; **pipeline.**

.11 VERBS **report,** give a report, give an account of, tell, relate, rehearse [archaic]; write up, make out *or* write up a report; bring word, tell the news, break the news, give tidings of; bring glad tidings, give the good word; announce 559.12; **rumor** 559.10; **inform** 557.8.

.12 **gossip,** talk over the back fence [informal]; **tattle,** tittle-tattle; clatter [Scot], **talk;** retail gossip, **dish the dirt** [informal], tell idle tales.

.13 ADJS **newsworthy,** front-page, with news value, newsy.

.14 **gossipy,** gossiping, newsy; **talebearing,** taletelling.

.15 **reported, rumored,** whispered; rumored about, talked about, whispered about, bruited about, bandied about; **in the news, in circulation, in the air, going around,** going about, **current, rife,** afloat, in every one's mouth, on all tongues, all over the town; made public 559.17.

.16 ADVS as they say, as it is said, **as the story goes** *or* runs, as the fellow says [informal], it is said.

559. PUBLICATION

.1 NOUNS **publication, publishing, promulgation,** evulgation, **propagation, dissemination, diffusion, broadcast, broadcasting, spread, spreading,** spreading abroad, **circulation,** ventilation, airing, noising, bandying, bruiting, bruiting about; **display;** issue, issuance; telecasting, videocasting; printing 603; book, periodical 605.

.2 **announcement,** annunciation, enunciation; **proclamation,** pronouncement, pronunciamento; **report,** communiqué, **declaration, statement;** program, programma, **notice, notification,** public notice; circular, encyclical, encyclical letter; manifesto, position paper; white pa-

per, white book; ukase, edict 752.4; bulletin board.

.3 **press release,** release, handout, bulletin, notice.

.4 **publicity,** publicness, **notoriety, fame,** famousness, **celebrity,** *réclame, éclat* [both Fr]; **limelight** *or* **spotlight** [both informal], daylight, bright light, glare, public eye *or* consciousness, **exposure, currency,** common *or* public knowledge, widest *or* maximum dissemination; **ballyhoo** *or* hoopla [both slang]; report, public report; cry, hue and cry; **public relations,** PR; **publicity story,** press notice; **write-up, puff** [informal], **plug** [slang], **blurb** [informal].

.5 **promotion, buildup** [informal], flack [informal], publicization, publicizing, promoting, advocating, advocacy, bruiting, drumbeating, tub-thumping, press-agentry; **advertising,** salesmanship 829.2, advertising campaign; advertising agency; advertising medium *or* media.

.6 **advertisement, ad** [informal], notice; **commercial,** message, important message, message from the sponsor; spot commercial *or* spot, network commercial; reader, reading notice; display ad; want ad [informal], classified ad; spread, two-page spread; testimonial.

.7 **poster, bill, placard, sign,** show card, banner, *affiche* [Fr]; **signboard, billboard,** highway sign, hoarding [Brit]; sandwich board; marquee.

.8 **advertising matter,** promotional material, public relations handout *or* release, **literature** [informal]; **leaflet,** leaf, **folder, handbill, bill, flier, throwaway, handout, circular,** broadside, broadsheet.

.9 **publicist,** publicizer, public relations man, public relations officer, PR man, public relations specialist, **publicity man** *or* agent, **press agent,** flack [slang]; **advertiser; adman,** huckster, pitchman [all informal]; ad writer [informal], copywriter; **promoter, booster** [informal], plugger [slang]; **ballyhooer** *or* **ballyhoo man** [both slang]; **barker,** spieler [slang], skywriter; billposter; sandwich boy *or* man.

.10 VERBS **publish, promulgate, propagate, circulate,** circularize, **diffuse, disseminate,** distribute, **broadcast,** televise, telecast, videocast, air, **spread,** spread around *or* about, spread far and wide, publish abroad, **pass the word around,** bruit, **bruit about, advertise,** repeat, retail, put about, **bandy about, noise about,** cry about *or* abroad, noise *or* sound abroad, set news afloat, **spread a report; rumor,** launch a rumor, voice [archaic], whisper, buzz, **rumor about,** whisper *or* buzz about.

.11 **make public,** bring *or* lay *or* drag before the public, **display,** take one's case to the public, **give** *or* **put out,** give to the world, **make known; divulge** 556.5; **ventilate,** air, give air to, bring into the open, open up, broach.

.12 **announce,** annunciate, enunciate; **declare, state,** declare roundly, affirm, pronounce, give notice; **report,** make an announcement *or* report, make *or* issue a statement, publish *or* issue a manifesto, present a position paper, issue a white paper, hold a press conference.

.13 **proclaim,** cry, cry out, **promulgate,** celebrate, **herald,** herald abroad; **blazon,** blaze, blaze *or* blazon about *or* abroad, blare, blare forth *or* abroad, thunder, declaim, shout, trumpet, trumpet *or* thunder forth, announce with flourish of trumpets *or* beat of drum; shout from the housetops, proclaim at the crossroads *or* market cross, proclaim at Charing Cross [Brit].

.14 **issue, bring out, put out, get out,** get off, emit, put *or* give *or* send forth, offer to the public.

.15 **publicize,** give publicity; bring *or* drag into the limelight, throw the spotlight on [informal]; **advertise, promote,** build up, cry up, sell, puff [informal], **boost** [informal], **plug** [slang], **ballyhoo** [slang]; put on the map, make a household word of, establish; bark, spiel [both slang]; make a pitch for *or* beat the drum for *or* thump the tub for [all informal]; **write up,** give a write-up, press-agent [informal]; circularize; bulletin; bill; **post bills,** post, post up, placard; skywrite.

.16 (be published) **come out,** break, **issue,** go *or* come forth, find vent, **see the light,** become public; **circulate, spread,** spread about, have currency, **get around** *or* about, get abroad, get afloat, get exposure, go *or* fly *or* buzz *or* blow about, **go the rounds,** pass from mouth to mouth, be on everyone's lips, go through the length and breadth of the land; spread like wildfire.

.17 ADJS **published, public,** made public, **circulated,** in circulation, promulgated, propagated, **disseminated,** spread, diffused, distributed; in print; **broadcast,** telecast, televised; **announced,** proclaimed, declared, **stated,** affirmed; **re-**

ported, brought to notice; common knowledge, common property, current; **open,** accessible, open to the public.

.18 publicational, promulgatory, propagatory; proclamatory, annunciatory, enunciative; declarative, declaratory; heraldic.

.19 ADVS **publicly, in public; openly** 555.15; in the public eye, in the glare of publicity, in the limelight *or* spotlight [informal].

560. COMMUNICATIONS

.1 NOUNS **communications,** signaling, telecommunication, tel(e)– *or* telo–; electronic communication, electrical communication; wire communication, wireless communication; communication engineering, communication technology; communications engineer; media, communications medium *or* media; communication *or* information theory 557.7; communication *or* information explosion.

.2 **telegraphy,** telegraphics; railroad telegraphy, submarine telegraphy; simplex telegraphy, multiplex telegraphy, duplex telegraphy, quadruplex telegraphy; single-current telegraphy, closed-circuit telegraphy; **teleprinter,** teletypewriter, Teletype, typotelegraph, teleprinter exchange *or* telex; TelAutograph, facsimile telegraph; wire service, Teletype network, Teletyping, teletypewriting, typotelegraphy, TelAutography; **ticker,** stock ticker, news ticker; code 614.6; electricity 342; **key,** interrupter, transmitter, sender; receiver, **sounder.**

.3 **radio** 344, **radiotelephony, radiotelegraphy,** wireless [Brit], wireless telephony, wireless telegraphy; line radio, wire *or* wired radio, wired wireless [Brit], wire wave communication; radiophotography; **television** 345; electronics 343.

.4 **telephone, phone** [informal], telephone set; telephony, telephonics, telephone mechanics, telephone engineering; high-frequency telephony; receiver, telephone receiver; mouthpiece, transmitter; telephone extension, extension; wall telephone, desk telephone; dial telephone, push-button telephone; telephone booth, call box [Brit], public telephone, coin telephone, pay station.

.5 **radiophone, radiotelephone,** wireless telephone, wireless; headset, headphone 450.8.

.6 **intercom** [informal], Interphone, intercommunication system.

.7 **telephone exchange,** telephone office, central office, **central;** automatic exchange, machine-switching office; step-by-step switching, panel switching, crossbar switching, electronic switching.

.8 **switchboard; PBX,** private branch *or* business exchange; in *or* A board, out *or* B board.

.9 **telephone operator, operator,** switchboard operator, telephonist, **central;** long distance; PBX operator.

.10 **telephone man;** telephone mechanic; telephonic engineer; lineman 342.19.

.11 **telephoner,** phoner [informal], caller, **party,** calling party.

.12 telephone number, **phone number** [informal]; telephone directory, phone book [informal]; telephone exchange, exchange; telephone area, area code.

.13 telephone call, **phone call** [informal], **call, ring** *or* buzz [both informal]; local call, toll call, long-distance call; long distance, direct distance dialing, DDD; station-to-station call, person-to-person call; collect call; mobile call; dial tone, busy signal.

.14 **telegram, telegraph, wire** [informal], telex; **cablegram, cable; radiogram,** radiotelegram; **day letter, night letter;** fast telegram.

.15 **Telephoto,** Wirephoto, facsimile, telephotograph, radiophotograph, Photoradiogram.

.16 **telegrapher,** telegraphist, telegraph operator; **sparks** *or* brass pounder *or* dit-da artist [all informal]; radiotelegrapher; wireman, wire chief.

.17 **line,** wire line, telegraph line, telephone line; private line, party line; trunk, trunk line; WATS *or* wide area telecommunications service, WATS line; cable, telegraph cable; concentric cable, coaxial cable, co-ax [informal].

.18 VERBS **telephone, phone** [informal], **call,** call on the phone [informal], put in *or* make a call, **call up, ring,** ring up, give a ring *or* buzz [informal], buzz [informal]; dial; listen in; hold the phone *or* wire; hang up, ring off [Brit].

.19 **telegraph,** telegram, flash, **wire** *or* send a wire [both informal], telex; **cable;** Teletype; radio; sign on, sign off.

.20 ADJS **communicational,** telecommunicational, **communications,** communication, signal; **telephonic,** magnetotelephonic, microtelephonic, monotelephonic, thermotelephonic; **telegraphic; Teletype;** Wirephoto, facsimile; phototelegraphic,

telephotographic; **radio,** wireless [Brit]; radiotelegraphic.

.21 **telephones**

carbon telephone
dial telephone
extension phone
field telephone
French telephone, hand set
light-beam telephone
magnetotelephone
mechanical telephone
microtelephone
monotelephone
pantelephone
Picturephone
push-button telephone
radiotelephone
sound-powered telephone
string telephone
thermophone, thermotelephone
wall telephone
wireless telephone

.22 **telegraphs**

autotelegraph
dial telegraph
disk telegraph
electric telegraph
engine-room telegraph
facsimile telegraph
field telegraph
heliograph
indicator telegraph
magnetotelegraph
marconigraph
Morse telegraph
multiple telegraph
multiplex
needle telegraph
pantelegraph
phototelegraph
quadruplex
radiotelegraph
semaphore telegraph
solar telegraph
TelAutograph
telectrograph
telegraphoscope
typewriting telegraph
writing telegraph

.23 **teleprinters**

news ticker
printer
printing telegraph
stock ticker
telecon
teleprinter
Teletype
Teletypesetter
teletypewriter
TFX
ticker
typewriting telegraph
typotelegraph

.24 **telegraph recorders**

phototransceiver
siphon recorder
telegraphone
telegraphonograph
telegraphophone

561. MESSENGER

.1 NOUNS **messenger,** message-bearer, **dispatch-bearer,** commissionaire [Brit], nuncio [archaic], **courier,** diplomatic courier, carrier, **runner,** express [Brit], dispatch-rider, post [archaic], postboy, postrider, *estafette* [Fr]; **go-between** 781.4; **emissary** 781.6; Mercury, Hermes, Iris, Pheidippides, Paul Revere.

.2 **herald, harbinger,** forerunner; evangel, evangelist, bearer of glad tidings; herald angel, Gabriel.

.3 **announcer,** annunciator, enunciator; nunciate [archaic]; **proclaimer; crier, town crier,** bellman.

.4 errand boy, office boy, copyboy; bellhop [slang], bellboy, bellman, callboy, caller.

.5 **postman, mailman,** mail carrier, letter carrier; postmaster, postmistress; postal clerk.

.6 (mail carriers) carrier pigeon, carrier, homing pigeon, homer [informal]; pigeon post; post-horse, poster; post coach, mail coach; post boat, packet boat *or* ship, mail boat, mail packet, mailer [archaic]; mail train, mail car, post car, post-office car, railway mail car; mail truck; mailplane.

562. TEACHING

.1 NOUNS **teaching, instruction, education, schooling, tuition; edification, enlightenment,** illumination; tutelage, tutorage, tutorship; tutoring, coaching, private teaching; spoon-feeding; direction, guidance; **pedagogy,** pedagogics, didactics; catechization; programmed instruction; self-teaching, self-instruction; information 557; reeducation 145.4.

.2 **inculcation, indoctrination,** catechization, inoculation, **implantation,** infixation, infixion, **impression, instillment,** instillation, impregnation, **infusion,** imbuement; absorption and regurgitation; dictation; conditioning, brainwashing; reindoctrination 145.5.

.3 **training, preparation,** readying [informal], **conditioning, grooming,** cultivation, development, improvement; **discipline;** breaking, housebreaking; **upbringing, bringing-up,** fetching-up [dial], **rearing, raising, breeding, nurture,** nurturing, fostering; **practice,** rehearsal, **exercise, drill,** drilling; **apprenticeship,** in-service training, on-the-job training; military training, basic training; manual training, sloyd; vocational training *or* education.

.4 preinstruction, pre-education; **priming,** cramming [informal].

.5 **elementary education; initiation, introduction,** propaedeutic; **rudiments,** first steps, elements, **ABC's;** reading, writing, and arithmetic, **three R's;** primer, hornbook, abecedarium, abecedary.

.6 **instructions, directions, orders; briefing,** final instructions.

.7 **lesson, teaching, instruction, lecture,** lecture-demonstration, harangue, **discourse,** disquisition, exposition, **talk;** homily, **sermon,** preachment; chalk talk [informal]; skull session [informal]; **recitation,** recital; **assignment, exercise,** task, set task, homework; **moral,** morality, moralization, moral lesson; object lesson.

.8 **study,** branch of learning; **discipline,** subdiscipline; **field, specialty,** academic specialty, area; **course,** course of study, **curriculum; subject; major, minor;** elective; refresher course; **seminar,** proseminar;

classical education; scientific education, technical education; religious education; liberal arts, humanities, trivium, quadrivium; general education, general studies, core curriculum.

.9 physical education, physical culture, gymnastics, calisthenics, eurythmics.

.10 primary education, elementary education; secondary education, higher education; vocational education; liberal education; graduate education, professional education, graduate-professional education; postgraduate education; continuing education, adult education.

.11 VERBS **teach, instruct,** give instruction, give lessons in, **educate, school; edify, enlighten,** civilize, illumine; **direct, guide;** inform 557.8; **show,** show how, demonstrate; give an idea of; put in the right, set right; improve one's mind, enlarge *or* broaden the mind; sharpen the wits, open the eyes *or* mind; teach a lesson, give a lesson to; **ground,** teach the rudiments *or* elements; catechize; teach an old dog new tricks; reeducate 145.14.

.12 **tutor, coach; prime, cram** [informal], cram with facts, stuff with knowledge.

.13 **inculcate, indoctrinate,** catechize, inoculate, **instill, infuse,** imbue, impregnate, **implant,** infix, impress; **impress upon the mind** *or* **memory,** urge on the mind, beat into, beat *or* knock into one's head; condition, brainwash, program.

.14 **train; drill, exercise; practice,** rehearse; keep in practice, keep one's hand in; **prepare,** ready, **condition, groom,** fit, put in tune, form, **lick into shape** [informal]; **rear, raise, bring up,** fetch up [dial], bring up by hand, **breed; cultivate,** develop, improve; **nurture, foster,** nurse; **discipline,** take in hand; put through the mill *or* grind [informal]; break, break in, housebreak, house-train [Brit]; put to school, send to school, apprentice.

.15 **preinstruct,** pre-educate; **initiate,** introduce.

.16 **give instructions,** give directions; **brief,** give a briefing.

.17 **expound,** exposit; explain 552.10; **lecture, discourse,** harangue, hold forth, give *or* read a lesson; **preach,** sermonize; **moralize,** point a moral.

.18 **assign,** give *or* make an assignment, give homework, set a task, set hurdles; lay out a course, make a syllabus.

.19 ADJS **educational,** educative, educating, teaching, **instructive,** instructional, **tuitional,** tuitionary; **cultural, edifying, enlightening,** illuminating; informative 557.17; didactic, preceptive; self-instructional, self-teaching, autodidactic; lecturing, preaching, hortatory, exhortatory, homiletic(al); initiatory, introductory, propaedeutic; **disciplinary;** coeducational.

.20 **scholastic, academic, schoolish; scholarly; pedagogical** 565.12; graduate, professional, graduate-professional, postgraduate; interdisciplinary, cross-disciplinary; curricular.

.21 extracurricular, extraclassroom; nonscholastic, noncollegiate.

563. MISTEACHING

.1 NOUNS **misteaching,** misinstruction; **misguidance,** misdirection, misleading; sophistry 483; perversion, corruption; mystification, obscuration, obfuscation, obscurantism; **misinformation,** misknowledge; the blind leading the blind; college of Laputa.

.2 **propaganda;** propagandism, indoctrination; **propagandist,** agitprop.

.3 VERBS **misteach,** misinstruct, miseducate; **misinform;** misadvise, **misguide,** misdirect, **mislead;** pervert, corrupt; mystify, obscure, obfuscate.

.4 **propagandize,** carry on a propaganda; indoctrinate.

.5 ADJS **mistaught,** misinstructed; **misinformed;** misadvised, **misguided,** misdirected, **misled.**

.6 misteaching, misinstructive, miseducative, **misinforming; misleading,** misguiding, misdirecting.

564. LEARNING

.1 NOUNS **learning,** intellectual acquirement *or* acquisition *or* attainment, stocking *or* storing the mind, mental cultivation, mental culture, improving *or* broadening the mind; mastery of skills; **self-education,** self-instruction; **knowledge, erudition** 475.5,6; education 562.1; memorization 537.4.

.2 **absorption,** ingestion, imbibing, assimilation, taking-in, soaking-up, digestion.

.3 **study, studying,** application, conning; **reading, perusal,** –lexia; restudy, restudying, **review; contemplation** 478.2; **inspection** 485.3; **engrossment** 330.3; **brainwork, headwork, lucubration,** mental labor; exercise, **practice, drill;** grind *or* grinding *or* boning [all informal], **cramming** *or* cram [both informal], swotting [Brit informal]; extensive study, wide reading; subject 562.8.

.4 **studiousness, scholarliness,** scholarship; bookishness 475.4, diligence 707.6.

.5 **teachableness, teachability, educability,** trainableness; **aptness, aptitude,** quickness, **readiness; receptivity,** mind like a blotter; **willingness, motivation;** docility, **malleability,** moldability, pliability, facility, plasticity, **impressionability,** susceptibility, formability; brightness, cleverness, **intelligence** 467.

.6 VERBS **learn,** get, get hold of [informal], get into one's head; **gain knowledge,** pick up information, gather *or* collect *or* glean knowledge *or* learning; stock *or* store the mind, improve *or* broaden the mind; stuff *or* cram the mind; burden *or* load the mind; **find out, ascertain, discover,** find, determine; **become informed,** gain knowledge *or* understanding of, acquire information *or* intelligence about, **learn about, find out about;** acquaint oneself with, make oneself acquainted with, become acquainted with; be informed 557.14.

.7 **absorb, get by osmosis, take in,** ingest, imbibe, **assimilate, digest, soak up,** drink in; **soak in, seep in,** percolate in.

.8 **memorize** 537.17; fix in the mind 537.18.

.9 **master,** attain mastery of, make oneself master of, **gain command of, become adept in,** become familiar *or* conversant with, become versed *or* well-versed in, **get up in** *or* **on,** gain a good *or* thorough knowledge of, **learn all about, get down pat** [informal], get down cold [slang], get taped [Brit informal]; **get the hang** *or* **knack of; learn the ropes,** learn the ins and outs; know well 475.13.

.10 **learn by experience,** learn by doing, **live and learn,** go through the school of hard knocks; **learn a lesson,** be taught a lesson.

.11 **receive instruction, undergo schooling,** pursue one's education, attend classes, go to *or* attend school, take lessons; **train,** prepare oneself, ready oneself, go into training; serve an apprenticeship; apprentice oneself to; **study with,** read with, sit at the feet of, learn from, have as one's master.

.12 **study,** regard studiously, apply oneself to, con; **read, peruse,** go over; restudy, **review; contemplate** 478.12; **examine** 485.23; give the mind to 530.5; **pore over,** vet [Brit informal]; bury oneself in, wade through, plunge into; **dig** *or* **grind** *or* **bone** [all informal], swot [Brit informal]; lucubrate, elucubrate, **burn the midnight oil;** make a study of; **practice, drill.**

.13 **browse, scan, skim, dip into,** thumb over *or* through, run over *or* through, glance *or* run the eye over *or* through, turn over the leaves, have a look at, hit the high spots.

.14 **study up, brush up,** polish up [informal], rub up, **get up; study up on, read up on, get up on; cram** *or* cram up [both informal], **bone up** [slang].

.15 **study to be, study for, read for,** read law, etc.; **specialize in, go in for,** make one's field; major in, minor in.

.16 ADJS educated, **learned** 475.18–23; self-taught, self-instructed, autodidactic.

.17 **studious,** devoted to studies, **scholarly,** scholastic, academic, professorial, donnish; owlish; rabbinic, mandarin; pedantic, dryasdust; bookish 475.22; diligent 707.22.

.18 **teachable, instructable, educable,** schoolable, trainable; **apt,** quick, **ready,** ripe for instruction; **receptive, willing,** motivated; thirsty for knowledge; docile, **malleable, moldable,** pliable, facile, plastic, **impressionable,** susceptible, formable; bright, clever, **intelligent** 467.12.

565. TEACHER

.1 NOUNS **teacher, instructor, educator,** educationist, preceptor, **mentor;** rabbi, *melamed* [Heb], pandit, pundit, guru, *mullah* [Per], *starets* [Russ]; **master,** maestro; **pedagogue,** pedagogist; **schoolteacher, schoolmaster,** schoolkeeper; dominie [Scot], abecedarian [archaic], certified teacher; professor, docent, don [Brit], doctor, fellow; guide 748.7.

.2 **instructress,** educatress, preceptress, **mistress; schoolmistress; schoolma'am** *or* **schoolmarm,** dame, schooldame; tutoress; **governess,** duenna.

.3 **schoolman, academician.**

.4 (academic ranks) professor, associate professor, assistant professor, instructor, tutor, associate, assistant, lecturer, reader [Brit]; visiting professor; emeritus, professor emeritus, retired professor.

.5 teaching fellow, teaching assistant; teaching intern, intern; practice teacher, apprentice teacher, student *or* pupil teacher; teacher's aide, paraprofessional; monitor, proctor, prefect, praepostor [Brit]; student assistant, graduate assistant.

.6 **tutor,** tutorer; **coach,** coacher; **private instructor,** *Privatdocent, Privatdozent* [both Ger]; crammer [Brit informal].

.7 **trainer, handler, groomer;** driller, drillmaster; **coach,** athletic coach.

.8 **lecturer,** lector, **reader** [Brit], praelector, **preacher,** homilist.

.9 **principal, headmaster,** headmistress; president, chancellor, vice-chancellor, rector, provost, master; **dean,** academic dean, dean of the faculty, dean of women, dean of men; administrator, educational administrator; administration.

.10 **faculty,** faculty members, professorate, professoriate, professors, professordom, teaching staff.

.11 **instructorship, teachership,** preceptorship, schoolmastery; **tutorship,** tutorhood, tutorage, tutelage; **professorship,** professorhood, professorate, professoriate; **chair,** chair of English, etc.; lectureship, readership [Brit]; fellowship.

.12 ADJS **pedagogic(al),** preceptorial, tutorial; **teacherish,** teachery, teacherlike, teachy, **schoolteacherish,** schoolteachery, **schoolmasterish,** schoolmasterly, schoolmastering, schoolmasterlike; schoolmistressy, schoolmarmish [dial]; **professorial,** professorlike, academic, donnish; pedantic 475.22.

566. STUDENT

.1 NOUNS **student, pupil, scholar,** learner, studier, educatee, **trainee,** *élève* [Fr]; inquirer; self-taught person, autodidact; auditor; monitor, prefect, praepostor [Brit]; –log *or* –logue.

.2 **disciple, follower,** apostle; convert, proselyte 145.7.

.3 self-taught man, autodidact.

.4 **school child,** school kid [informal]; **schoolboy,** school lad; **schoolgirl;** preschool child, preschooler, nursery school child, infant [Brit]; kindergartner, grade schooler, primary schooler, intermediate schooler; secondary schooler, prep schooler, preppie [informal], high schooler; schoolmate, schoolfellow, fellow student, classmate.

.5 **college student, collegian,** collegiate, **varsity student** [Brit informal], college boy *or* girl; co-ed [informal]; seminarian, seminarist; *bahur* [Heb], *yeshiva bocher* [Yid].

.6 **undergraduate,** undergrad [informal], cadet, midshipman; underclassman, **freshman,** freshie [informal], plebe, **sophomore,** soph [informal]; **upperclassman, junior, senior.**

.7 [Brit terms] commoner, pensioner, sizar, servitor [archaic], exhibitioner, fellow commoner; sophister, questionist [both archaic]; wrangler, optime; passman.

.8 **graduate,** grad [informal]; **alumnus,** alumni [pl], alumna [fem], alumnae [fem pl]; **graduate student,** master's degree candidate, doctoral candidate; **postgraduate,** postgrad [informal]; degrees 917.6,9; college graduate, college man, educated man, educated class; meritocracy.

.9 **novice,** novitiate, **tyro,** abecedarian, alphabetarian, **beginner** 68.2, entrant, **neophyte, tenderfoot** *or* **greenhorn** [both informal], freshman, **fledgling;** catechumen, initiate, debutant; new boy, newcomer 78.4; ignoramus 477.8; **recruit, raw recruit,** inductee, **rookie** [informal], boot; **probationer,** probationist, postulant; **apprentice,** articled clerk.

.10 **grind** *or* greasy grind [both informal], swotter *or* mugger [both Brit informal]; bookworm 476.4; overachiever; failing student, flunkee [informal], underachiever.

.11 **class, form** [Brit], **grade;** track.

.12 ADJS **studentlike,** schoolboyish, schoolgirlish; undergraduate, graduate, postgraduate; **collegiate,** college-bred; sophomoric(al); autodidactic; **studious** 564.17; **learned, bookish** 475.21,22.

.13 **probationary,** probational, on probation.

567. SCHOOL

.1 NOUNS **school, educational institution,** teaching institution, academic *or* scholastic institution, teaching and research institution, **institute, academy,** seminary, *Schule* [Ger], *école* [Fr], *escuela* [Sp].

.2 **public school,** common school, district school; union school, regional school, **central school, consolidated school; private school;** day school, country day school; **boarding school,** *pensionat* [Fr]; **finishing school;** dame school, blab school; **special school,** school for the handicapped; **night school,** evening school; **summer school,** vacation school; correspondence school, extension, university extension; school of continuing education, continuation school; platoon school; progressive school; free school, nongraded school, informal school, open classroom school; alternate *or* alternative school, street academy, storefront school, school without walls.

.3 [Brit terms] provided school, council school, board school; voluntary school, nonprovided school, national school, charity school.

.4 **preschool,** infant school [Brit], nursery,

nursery school; day nursery, **day-care center,** crèche; **kindergarten.**

.5 **elementary school, grade school** *or* graded school, the grades; **primary school;** junior school [Brit]; **grammar school;** folk school, *Volksschule* [Ger].

.6 **secondary school,** middle school, **academy,** *Gymnasium* [Ger]; *lycée* [Fr], lyceum; **high school,** high [informal]; **junior high school,** junior high [informal], intermediate school; **senior high school,** senior high [informal]; **preparatory school,** prep school [informal], public school [Brit], seminary; **grammar school** [Brit], Latin school, *Progymnasium* [Ger]; *Realschule* [Ger]; *Realgymnasium* [Ger].

.7 **college,** four-year college, degree-granting institution, institution of higher learning; alma mater; college of general studies, university college, college of liberal arts, liberal-arts college; **university,** varsity [Brit informal], *université* [Fr]; multiversity; **junior college,** two-year college; community college; **graduate school,** postgraduate school; teachers' college, college *or* school of education; normal school, normal; law school, medical school, library school, journalism school, school of communications, school *or* college of business administration; engineering school, college of engineering, institute of technology; coeducational school; academe, academia, the groves of Academe, **the campus,** the halls of learning, ivied halls.

.8 **vocational school, trade school,** occupational school; business college *or* school, commercial school, secretarial school; industrial school; technical school, technical training institute, technological school *or* institute; polytechnic school, polytechnic; manual arts school; school of arts and crafts.

.9 **conservatory,** *conservatoire* [Fr]; school of fine arts; **art school,** school of art, school of graphic arts, school of design; school *or* college of architecture; school of the performing arts; **music school,** college *or* academy of music; singing school, choir school, schola cantorum; **dancing school,** *salle de danse* [Fr]; acting school, school *or* college of dramatic arts, school of drama.

.10 **religious school,** denominational school, **church school, parochial school,** parish school; convent school; Hebrew school, *heder* [Yid], Talmud Torah; yeshiva, mesivta; **seminary, divinity school, theological seminary,** theological school; **Bible school,** Bible institute; **Sunday school,** Sabbath school; vacation church school.

.11 **gymnasium,** palaestra; wrestling school; fencing school, *salle d'armes* [Fr].

.12 **riding school** *or* academy, manège.

.13 **military school** *or* **academy;** US Military Academy, West Point; Royal Military Academy (at Woolwich); Royal Military College, Sandhurst; *Ecole Speciale Militaire Interarmes,* St. Cyr; naval school *or* academy; US Naval Academy, Annapolis; US Coast Guard Academy (at New London); US Merchant Marine Academy, Kings Point; Royal Naval College, Dartmouth; *École Navale* (at Brest); US Air Force Academy (at Colorado Springs); Royal Air Force College, Cranwell; *École de l'Air* (at Salon-de-Provence); war college, naval college, staff college, command and general staff school, air university.

.14 **reform school, reformatory,** industrial school, training school; borstal *or* borstal school *or* remand school [all Brit].

.15 **schoolhouse,** school building; little red schoolhouse; classroom building; hall; campus.

.16 **schoolroom, classroom;** recitation room; lecture room *or* hall; auditorium; theater, amphitheater.

.17 **governing board, board;** board of education, school board; college board, board of regents, board of trustees, board of visitors.

.18 ADJS **scholastic, academic,** institutional, **school,** classroom; **collegiate; university;** preschool; interscholastic, intercollegiate, extramural; intramural.

568. INDICATION

.1 NOUNS **indication,** signification, identification, differentiation, denotation, **designation,** denomination; characterization, highlighting; specification, naming, pointing, pointing out *or* to, fingering [informal], picking out, selection; symptomaticness, indicativeness; **meaning** 545; hint, suggestion 557.4; **expression, manifestation** 555; show, showing, disclosure 556.

.2 **sign,** telltale sign, sure sign, **index,** indicant, **indicator,** signal [archaic], measure; **symptom;** note, keynote, **mark, earmark,** hallmark, **badge,** device, banner, stamp, signature, sigil, seal, trait, **characteristic,** character, peculiarity, idiosyncrasy, **property,** differentia; image, picture, **representation,** representative; **insignia** 569.

.3 **symbol, emblem, token,** cipher [archaic], type; **allegory; symbolism, symbology,** iconology, charactery; conventional symbol; symbolic system; **symbolization; ideogram,** logogram, pictogram; logotype; **totem,** totem pole; love knot.

.4 **pointer,** index, **lead; direction, guide;** fist, index finger *or* mark; **arrow;** hand, hour hand, minute hand, **needle,** compass needle, lubber line; **signpost,** guidepost, finger post, direction post; milepost; blaze; guideboard, signboard 559.7.

.5 **mark, marking;** watermark; **scratch,** scratching, engraving, graving, **score,** scotch, cut, hack, gash, blaze; nick, notch 262; **scar,** cicatrix, scarification, cicatrization; **brand, earmark; stigma; stain, discoloration** 679.2,3; blemish, macula, **spot,** blotch, splotch, flick, patch, splash; mottle, dapple; **dot,** point; polka dot; tittle, jot; **speck, speckle,** fleck; tick, **freckle,** lentigo, mole; birthmark, strawberry mark, nevus; caste mark; **check,** checkmark; prick, puncture; tattoo, tattoo mark.

.6 **line,** score, **stroke,** slash, virgule, diagonal, **dash, stripe, strip, streak, striation,** striping, streaking, bar, band; hairline; dotted line; lineation, delineation; sublineation, **underline,** underlining, underscore, underscoring; hatching, cross-hatching, hachure.

.7 **print, imprint, impress, impression;** dint, dent, indent, indentation, indention, concavity; sitzmark; **stamp,** seal, sigil, signet; colophon; **fingerprint,** thumbprint, thumbmark, dactylogram, dactylograph; **footprint,** footmark, footstep, step, vestige; pad, paw print, pawmark, pug, pugmark; fossil print *or* footprint, ichnite, ichnolite; **bump,** boss, stud, pimple, lump, excrescence, convexity, embossment.

.8 **track, trail, path, course,** *piste* [Fr], **line, wake;** vapor trail, contrail, condensation trail; **spoor,** signs, traces, **scent.**

.9 **clue, cue, key,** tip-off [informal], telltale, straw in the wind; **trace, vestige, spoor,** scent, whiff; **lead** [informal], hot lead [informal]; catchword, cue word, key word; **evidence** 505; **hint, intimation, suggestion** 557.4.

.10 **marker, mark;** bookmark; **landmark,** seamark; bench mark; **milestone,** milepost; cairn, menhir, catstone; lighthouse, lightship, tower, platform, watchtower, pharos; monument 570.12.

.11 **identification,** identification mark; **badge,** identification badge, identification tag, dog tag [mil], **ID card,** tessera, **card,** calling card, visiting card, *carte de visite* [Fr], press card; letter of introduction; signature, initials, monogram, calligram; credentials; serial number; countersign, countermark.

.12 **password, watchword, countersign,** tessera; token; open sesame; secret grip; shibboleth.

.13 **label, tag;** ticket, docket [Brit], tally; **stamp, sticker; seal,** sigil, signet; cachet; stub, counterfoil; **token,** check; **brand, trade name,** trademark name; **trademark,** registered trademark; government mark, government stamp, broad arrow [Brit]; **hallmark,** countermark; price tag; plate, bookplate, book stamp, colophon, *ex libris* [L], logotype *or* logo; masthead, imprint, title page; letterhead, billhead; running head *or* title.

.14 **gesture, gesticulation; motion,** movement; carriage, bearing, posture, poise, pose, stance, way of holding oneself; body language, kinesics; beck, beckon; shrug; charade, dumb show, **pantomime;** sign language, gesture language; dactylology, deaf-and-dumb alphabet; hand signal; chironomy.

.15 **signal, sign; high sign** *or* the wink *or* the nod [all informal]; wink, flick of the eyelash, glance, leer; look in one's eyes, tone of one's voice; nod; nudge, elbow in the ribs, poke, kick, touch; **alarm** 704; **beacon,** signal beacon, marker beacon, radio beacon; signal light, signal lamp *or* lantern; blinker; signal fire, beacon fire, watch fire, balefire; **flare,** parachute flare; rocket, signal rocket, Roman candle; signal gun, signal shot; signal siren *or* whistle, signal bell, bell, signal gong, **police whistle,** watchman's rattle; aid to navigation, sailing aid; fog signal *or* alarm, fog bell, **foghorn,** fog whistle; **buoy,** spar buoy, bell buoy, gong buoy; **traffic signal,** traffic light, red *or* stop light, amber *or* caution light, green *or* go light; heliograph; signal flag; **semaphore,** semaphore telegraph, semaphore flag; **wigwag,** wigwag flag; international alphabet flag, international numeral pennant; red flag; white flag; yellow flag, quarantine flag; blue peter; pilot flag *or* jack; signal post, signal mast, signal tower; telecommunications 560.1–3.

.16 call, summons; whistle; moose call, birdcall, duck call, hog call, goose call, crow call, hawk call, dog whistle; **bugle call,**

trumpet call; **reveille, taps,** last post [Brit]; alarm, alarum; **battle cry,** war cry, rebel yell, rallying cry; Angelus, Angelus bell.

.17 VERBS **indicate,** be indicative of, be an indication of, be significant of, connote, denominate, argue, bespeak, be symptomatic *or* diagnostic of, symptomize, symptomatize, **characterize, mark,** highlight, be the mark *or* sign of, give token, **betoken, signify,** stand for, identify, differentiate, note [archaic], **denote, mean** 545.8; testify, give evidence 505.10; **show, express, display, manifest** 555.5, **hint,** suggest 557.10, reveal, **disclose** 556.4; entail, involve 76.4.

.18 **designate, specify;** denominate, name, denote; stigmatize; **symbolize, stand for,** typify, be taken as, symbol, emblematize, figure [archaic]; **point to,** refer to, advert to, allude to, make an allusion to; pick out, select; **point out,** point at, put *or* lay one's finger on, finger [slang].

.19 **mark,** make a mark, put a mark on; pencil, chalk; mark out, demarcate, delimit, define; **mark off, check, check off,** tick, tick off, chalk up; punctuate, point; **dot, spot,** blotch, splotch, dash, **speck, speckle,** fleck, freckle; mottle, dapple; blemish; **brand,** stigmatize; **stain, discolor** 679.6; stamp, seal, punch, impress, imprint, **print, engrave** 578.12; **score, scratch,** gash, scotch, scar, scarify, cicatrize; nick, notch 262.4; **blaze,** blaze a trail; **line, seam,** trace, **stripe, streak, striate;** hatch; **underline, underscore;** prick, puncture, tattoo, riddle, pepper.

.20 **label, tag,** tab, ticket; stamp, seal; **brand, earmark;** hallmark.

.21 **gesture, gesticulate; motion,** motion to; beckon, wiggle the finger at; wave the arms, saw the air; shrug, shrug the shoulders; pantomime, mime.

.22 **signal,** signalize, sign, give a signal, make a sign; speak; flash; **give the high sign** *or* **the nod** [informal]; nod; nudge, poke, kick, dig one in the ribs, touch; wink, glance, raise one's eyebrows, leer; hold up the hand; **wave,** wave the hand, wave a flag, **flag,** flag down; **unfurl a flag,** hoist a banner, break out a flag; **show one's colors,** exchange colors; **salute,** dip; dip a flag, hail, hail and speak; half-mast; give *or* sound an alarm, raise a cry; beat the drum, sound the trumpet.

.23 ADJS **indicative,** indicatory; connotative, indicating, signifying, signalizing; **significant,** significative, meaningful; symptomatic, symptomatologic(al), diagnostic, pathognomonic(al); evidential, **designative,** denotative, denominative, naming; **suggestive,** implicative; **expressive,** demonstrative, exhibitive; representative 572.10, 11; identifying, identificational; individual, peculiar, idiosyncratic; **emblematic(al); symbolic(al),** symbolistic, symbological, typical; figurative, figural, metaphorical; ideographic; semiotic, semantic.

.24 **gestural,** gesticulative, gesticulatory; kinesic; pantomimic, **in pantomime,** in dumb show.

569. INSIGNIA

.1 NOUNS **insignia, regalia,** ensigns, **emblems, badges, symbols,** markings; badge, badge of office, mark of office, chain, chain of office, collar; wand, verge, *fasces* [L], mace, staff, baton; livery, uniform, mantle, dress; tartan, tie, old school tie, regimental tie; ring, school ring, class ring; pin, button, lapel pin *or* button; cap and gown, mortarboard; cockade; brassard; figurehead, eagle; cross 221.4, skull and crossbones, swastika, hammer and sickle, rose, thistle, shamrock, fleur-de-lis; medal, **decoration** 916.5,6; **heraldry,** armory, blazonry, sigillography, sphragistics.

.2 [her terms] heraldic device, achievement, bearings, coat of arms, arms, armorial bearings, armory, blazonry, blazon; hatchment; shield, escutcheon, scutcheon, lozenge; charge, field; crest, torse, wreath, garland, bandeau, chaplet, mantling, helmet; crown, coronet; device, motto; pheon, broad arrow; animal charge, lion, unicorn, griffin, yale, cockatrice, falcon, alerion, eagle, spread eagle; marshaling, quartering, impaling, impalement, dimidiating, differencing, difference; ordinary, bar, bend, bar sinister, bend sinister, baton, chevron, chief, cross, fess, pale, paly, saltire; subordinary, billet, bordure, canton, flanch, fret, fusil, gyron, inescutcheon, mascle, orle, quarter, rustre, tressure; fess point, nombril point, honor point; cadency mark, file, label, crescent, mullet, martlet, annulet, fleur-de-lis, rose, cross moline, octofoil; tincture, gules, azure, vert, sable, purpure, tenne; metal, or, argent; fur, ermine, ermines, erminites, erminois, pean, vair; heraldic officials 749.21.

.3 (royal insignia) regalia; scepter, rod, rod of empire; orb; armilla; purple, ermine, robe of state *or* royalty; purple pall;

crown, royal crown, coronet, tiara, diadem; cap of maintenance *or* dignity *or* estate, triple plume, Prince of Wales's feathers; uraeus; seal, signet, great seal, privy seal.

.4 (ecclesiastical insignia) tiara, triple crown; ring, keys; miter, crosier, crook, pastoral staff; pallium; cardinal's hat, red hat.

.5 (military insignia) insignia of rank, grade insignia, chevron, stripe; star, bar, eagle, spread eagle, chicken [slang], pip [Brit], oak leaf; branch of service insignia, insignia of branch *or* arm; unit insignia, organization insignia, shoulder patch, patch; shoulder sleeve insignia, badge, aviation badge *or* wings; parachute badge, submarine badge; service stripe, hash mark [informal], overseas bar, Hershey bar [slang]; epaulet.

.6 **flag, banner,** oriflamme, **standard,** gonfalon *or* gonfanon, guidon, *vexillum* [L], *labarum* [L]; **pennant,** pennon, pennoncel, banneret, banderole, swallowtail, burgee, **streamer; bunting;** coachwhip, long pennant; **national flag, colors;** royal standard; **ensign,** merchant flag, jack, Jolly Roger, black flag; house flag; (US) Old Glory, Stars and Stripes, Star-Spangled Banner, red, white, and blue; (Confederacy) Stars and Bars; (France) tricolor, *le drapeau tricolore* [Fr]; (Britain) Union Jack, Union Flag, white *or* red *or* blue ensign; (Denmark) Dannebrog; signal flag 568.15.

570. RECORD

.1 NOUNS **record, recording,** documentation, –gram; **chronicle, annals,** history; roll, **rolls,** pipe roll [Brit]; **account; register, registry,** rota, roster, scroll, catalog, inventory, table, list 88; letters, correspondence; **vestige, trace,** memorial, token, relic, remains.

.2 **archives,** public records, government archives, government papers, presidential papers, historical documents, historical records, memorabilia; cartulary; biographical records, life records, biographical material, papers, ana; parish rolls *or* register *or* records.

.3 registry, register office; archives, files; chancery.

.4 **memorandum, memo** [informal], memoir, *aide-mémoire* [Fr], memorial; **reminder** 537.6; **note, notation,** annotation, jotting, docket, marginal note, marginalia, scholium, scholia, adversaria, footnote; **entry,** register, **registry,** item; **minutes.**

.5 **document,** official document, legal document, legal paper, legal instrument, **instrument,** writ, **paper,** parchment, scroll, roll, **writing,** script, scrip; holograph, chirograph; **papers,** ship's papers; docket, **file,** personal file, **dossier;** blank, form.

.6 **certificate,** certification, **ticket; authority,** authorization; **credential, voucher, warrant,** warranty, testimonial; note; **affidavit,** sworn statement, notarized statement, deposition, witness, attestation, *procès-verbal* [Fr]; **visa,** *visé* [Fr]; **bill of health,** clean bill of health; navicert [Brit]; **diploma,** sheepskin [informal]; certificate of proficiency, testamur [Brit].

.7 **report, bulletin, brief, statement, account,** accounting; account rendered, *compte rendu* [Fr]; **minutes,** the record, proceedings, transactions, acta; **yearbook,** annual; **returns,** census report *or* returns, election returns, tally.

.8 (official documents) state paper, white paper; blue book, green book, Red Book [Brit], white book, yellow book, *livre jaune* [Fr]; gazette, official journal, Congressional Record, Hansard.

.9 (registers) genealogy, pedigree, studbook; Social Register, blue book; directory; Who's Who; Almanach de Gotha, Burke's Peerage; Red Book, Royal Kalendar; Lloyd's Register.

.10 (recording media) bulletin board; scoresheet, scorecard, scoreboard; tape, magnetic tape, videotape, ticker tape; phonograph record, disc, platter [informal]; film, motion-picture film; slip, card, index card, filing card; library catalog, catalog card; microcard, microfiche, microdot, microfilm; **file** 88.3.

.11 (record books) **notebook, pocketbook,** pocket notebook, blankbook; loose-leaf notebook, spiral notebook; **memorandum book,** memo book [informal], commonplace book, adversaria; address book; workbook; **blotter,** police blotter; docket, court calendar; **calendar,** desk calendar, appointment calendar, appointment schedule, engagement book; **tablet,** table [archaic], writing tablet; diptych, triptych; pad, **scratch pad; scrapbook,** memory book, **album; diary, journal; log,** ship's log, **logbook; account book, ledger,** daybook; **cashbook,** petty cashbook; Domesday Book; catalog, classified catalog; yearbook, annual.

.12 **monument,** monumental *or* memorial

record, **memorial;** necrology, obituary, **memento,** remembrance, testimonial; cup, trophy, prize, ribbon, plaque; **marker;** inscription; **tablet,** stone, hoarstone [Brit], boundary stone, memorial stone; **pillar,** stela, shaft, column, memorial column, rostral column; cross; arch, memorial arch; memorial statue, bust; monolith, obelisk, **pyramid; tomb,** grave 410.16; **gravestone, tombstone;** memorial tablet, brass; headstone, footstone; mausoleum; cenotaph; cairn, mound, barrow, cromlech, dolmen, megalith, menhir, cyclolith; **shrine,** reliquary, tope, stupa.

.13 recorder, registrar 571.1.

.14 register, recording instruments 571.3.

.15 **registration, register, registry; recording,** record keeping, recordation; minuting, **enrollment,** matriculation, enlistment; impanelment; **listing, tabulation, cataloging,** inventorying, indexing; chronicling; **entry,** insertion, entering, posting; docketing, inscribing, **inscription; booking, logging.**

.16 VERBS **record,** put *or* place upon record; **inscribe,** enscroll; **register, enroll,** matriculate, check in; impanel; poll; **file,** index, **catalog,** calendar, **tabulate, list,** docket; **chronicle;** minute, put in the minutes *or* on the record, spread on the record; **write,** commit *or* reduce to writing, put in writing, put in black and white, put on paper; **write out; make out,** fill out; **write up,** chalk, chalk up; **write down, mark down, jot down, put down, set down, take down; note, note down,** make a note, make a memorandum; **post,** post up; **enter,** make an entry, insert, write in; **book, log;** cut, carve, grave, engrave, incise; put on tape, tape, tape-record; record, cut; videotape.

.17 ADJS **recording,** recordative [archaic], registrational; self-recording.

.18 **recorded,** registered; inscribed, written down, down; **filed,** indexed, enrolled, **entered,** logged, booked, posted; documented; minuted; **on record,** on file, on the books; official, legal, of record.

.19 **documentary,** documentational, documental, archival; epigraphic, inscriptional; necrological, obituary; testimonial.

571. RECORDER

.1 NOUNS **recorder,** recordist; **registrar,** register, prothonotary; archivist, documentalist; master of the rolls [Brit], *custos rotulorum* [L]; librarian; **clerk,** record clerk, filing clerk; bookkeeper, accountant; **scribe,** scrivener; **secretary,** amanuensis; **stenographer** 602.17; notary, notary public; marker; scorekeeper, scorer, official scorer, timekeeper; engraver, stonecutter.

.2 **annalist,** genealogist, chronicler, historian 608.11.

.3 **recording instruments**

anemograph
autograph, autographic recorder
barograph camera
cash register
chronograph
Dictaphone
differential recorder
dynagraph
electrograph
facsimile telegraph
frequency recorder
Gramophone
Graphophone
hydrograph
hygrograph
kymograph
odometer
oscillograph
pari-mutuel, pari-mutuel machine
pedometer, passometer
pluviograph
pneumatograph, pneumograph
recording barometer, potentiometer, pyrometer, etc.
recording meter
register
seismochronograph
seismograph
seismoscope
self-registering barometer, thermometer, etc.
siphon recorder
sound recorder
spectrograph
sphygmograph
stethograph
tape recorder
TelAutograph
telegraphone
Teletype, teletypewriter
telltale
thermograph, thermometrograph
ticker
time clock
totalizator
turnstile
videotape recorder
voting machine
votograph
wire recorder

572. REPRESENTATION

.1 NOUNS **representation, delineation,** presentment, drawing, **portrayal, portraiture, depiction,** depictment, rendering, rendition, characterization, charactering [archaic], picturization, figuration, limning, imaging; prefigurement; **illustration,** exemplification, demonstration; projection, **realization;** imagery, iconography; **art** 574; **drama** 611.1,4–6; conventional representation, plan, diagram, schema, blueprint, chart, map; **notation,** mathematical notation, musical notation, score, tablature, dance notation, choreography; writing, script, alphabet, syllabary; letter, ideogram, pictogram, logogram, logograph, hieroglyphic; printing 603; **symbol** 568.3.

.2 **impersonation,** personation; mimicry, mimicking, miming, pantomime, pantomiming, aping, dumb show; mimesis, **imitation** 22; personification, embodiment, incarnation; **characterization,** portrayal; **acting,** playing, enacting, enactment, performing, performance; **posing,** masquerade.

.3 **image, likeness,** eid(o)–; **resemblance,** semblance, similitude, simulacrum; **effigy,** icon, idol; **copy** 24; **picture** 574.12; **portrait** 574.16; **photograph** 577.3–7; **perfect** *or* **exact likeness, duplicate, double;** match, fellow, mate, companion, **twin;** living image, very image, very picture, living picture, dead ringer [informal], spitting image *or* spit and image [both slang]; miniature, model; **reflection,** shadow, mirroring; trace, tracing; rubbing.

.4 **figure, figurine; doll,** dolly [informal]; **puppet, marionette,** fantoccini [pl]; **mannequin** *or* manikin, model, dummy, lay figure; wax figure, waxwork; scarecrow, man of straw, snowman, gingerbread man; **sculpture, bust, statue, statuette,** statuary, monument [archaic]; portrait bust *or* statue; carving, wood carving; figurehead.

.5 **representative,** representation, **type, specimen,** typification, embodiment; **cross section;** exponent; **example** 25.2.

.6 VERBS **represent, delineate, depict,** render, characterize, hit off, character [archaic], **portray, picture,** picturize, limn, draw, paint 574.20; register, convey an impression of; take *or* catch a likeness; notate, write, print, map, chart, diagram, schematize; trace, trace out, trace over; rub, take a rubbing; **symbolize** 568.18.

.7 **go for, pass for,** count for, answer for, stand in the place of, be taken as, be regarded as, be the equivalent of; **pass as, serve as,** go as, be accepted for.

.8 **image, mirror,** hold the mirror up to nature, reflect, figure; **embody,** body forth, incarnate, **personify,** personate, impersonate; **illustrate,** demonstrate, exemplify; project, realize; shadow, shadow forth; **prefigure, pretypify,** foreshadow, adumbrate.

.9 **impersonate,** personate; **mimic,** mime, pantomime, take off, do *or* give an impression of; ape, copy; **pose as, masquerade as,** affect the manner *or* guise of, pass for, pretend to be, represent oneself to be; **act,** enact, perform, do; **play, act as,** act *or* play a part, act the part of, act out.

.10 ADJS **representational, representative, depictive, delineatory; illustrative,** illustrational; pictorial, graphic, vivid; ideographic, pictographic, figurative; **representing, portraying,** limning, illustrating; **typifying, symbolizing,** personifying, incarnating, embodying; imitative, mimetic, simulative, apish, mimish; echoic, onomatopoeic.

.11 **typical,** typic, typal; exemplary, sample; **characteristic,** distinctive, distinguishing, quintessential; **realistic, naturalistic; natural, normal,** usual, regular; **true to type, true to form,** the nature of the beast [informal].

573. MISREPRESENTATION

.1 NOUNS **misrepresentation, perversion, distortion,** deformation, garbling, twisting, slanting; inaccuracy; **coloring,** miscoloring, **false coloring; falsification** 616.9; misteaching 563; injustice, unjust representation; misdrawing, mispainting; misstatement, misreport, misquotation; nonrepresentationalism, nonrealism, abstractionism, expressionism, calculated distortion; overstatement, exaggeration, hyperbole, overdrawing; understatement, litotes.

.2 bad likeness, **daub,** botch; scribble, scratch; distortion, distorted image, anamorphosis; travesty, parody, caricature, burlesque.

.3 VERBS **misrepresent, belie,** give a wrong idea; put in a false light, **pervert, distort, garble, twist,** warp, wrench, slant, twist the meaning of; **color,** miscolor, **give a false coloring,** put a false construction *or* appearance upon, falsify 616.16–23; misteach 563.3; **disguise,** camouflage; misstate, misreport, misquote; overstate, exaggerate, overdraw; understate; travesty, parody, caricature, burlesque.

.4 **misdraw, mispaint;** daub, botch, scribble, scratch.

574. ART

.1 NOUNS **art,** the arts; **fine arts,** *beaux arts* [Fr]; arts of design, **design,** designing; art form; abstract art, representative art; **graphic arts;** plastic art; **arts and crafts;** primitive art, cave art; folk art; calligraphy; sculpture 575; ceramics 576; photography 577; etching, engraving 578.2; decoration 901.1; artist 579.

.2 "a treating of the commonplace with the feeling of the sublime" [J. F. Millet], "the conveyance of spirit by means of matter" [Salvador de Madariaga], "the expression of one soul talking to another" [Ruskin], "an instant arrested in eternity" [James Huneker], "a handicraft in flower" [George Iles], "science in the flesh" [Jean Cocteau], "life upon the larger scale" [E. B. Browning], "the per-

fection of nature" [Sir Thomas Browne], "the conscious utterance of thought, by speech or action, to any end" [Emerson], "the wine of life" [Jean Paul Richter], "a shadow of the divine perfection" [Michelangelo], "life seen through a temperament" [Zola], "a form of catharsis" [Dorothy Parker].

.3 **craft, manual art,** industrial art, **handicraft,** artisan work, craftwork, artisanship; industrial design; woodcraft, metalcraft, stonecraft; techno–.

.4 **architecture,** "frozen music", "music in space" [both Schelling], "the art of significant forms in space" [Claude Bragdon], "the printing press of all ages" [Lady Morgan]; landscape architecture, landscape gardening; civil architecture; functionalism.

.5 (act or art of painting) **painting,** coloring, –chromy, "a noble and expressive language" [Ruskin]; the brush; **portraiture** 572.1; **illustration,** picturization; watercoloring, *gouache* [Fr], oil painting, acrylic painting, tempera painting, encaustic painting, encaustic cerography, wash, wash drawing; grisaille, impasto; finger painting; monochrome; portrait painting, historical painting, still-life painting, nude painting, landscape painting, marine painting, genre painting; mural painting, fresco painting, poster painting, decorative painting, flower painting, miniature painting; illumination; sand painting.

.6 (art of drawing) **drawing, sketching, delineation; black and white,** charcoal; mechanical drawing, drafting; freehand drawing.

.7 scenography, ichnography, orthographic *or* orthogonal projection.

.8 **artistry, art, talent,** artistic skill, flair, artistic flair, artistic invention; artiness *or* arty-craftiness *or* artsy-craftsiness [all informal]; artistic temperament; virtu, artistic quality.

.9 **style,** pencil; lines; genre; **school,** movement; the grand style.

.10 **treatment; technique,** draftsmanship, brushwork, painterliness; **composition, design,** arrangement; grouping, balance; **color,** values; atmosphere, tone; shadow, shading; **line;** perspective.

.11 **work of art, object of art,** *objet d'art* [Fr], art object, art work, artistic production, piece, **work, study, design, composition;** creation, brainchild; virtu, article *or* piece of virtu; **masterpiece,** *chef d'œuvre* [Fr], masterwork, master [archaic], old master, classic; museum piece; grotesque; statue 572.4; mobile, stabile; nude, still life; pastiche, *pasticcio* [Ital]; artware, artwork; bric-a-brac; kitsch.

.12 **picture,** picto–; **image, likeness, representation,** tableau; "a poem without words" [Horace]; photograph 577.3; **illustration,** illumination; miniature; copy, reproduction; print, color print; engraving 578.2, stencil 578.5, block print; daub; abstraction, abstract; mural, fresco, wall painting; cyclorama, panorama, montage, collage; still life, study in still life; tapestry, mosaic, stained glass window, **icon,** altarpiece, diptych, triptych.

.13 **scene, view, scape; landscape;** waterscape, riverscape, seascape, seapiece; airscape, skyscape, cloudscape; snowscape; cityscape, townscape; farmscape; pastoral; treescape; diorama; exterior, interior.

.14 **drawing,** –gram; **delineation;** line drawing; **sketch, draft; black and white,** chiaroscuro; **charcoal, crayon, pen-and-ink,** pencil drawing, charcoal drawing, pastel, pastel painting; silhouette; vignette; doodle; rough draft *or* copy, rough outline, cartoon, sinopia, **study,** design; *brouillon, ébauche, esquisse* [all Fr]; diagram, graph; silver-print drawing, tracing.

.15 **painting, canvas,** easel-picture, "a pretty mocking of the life" [Shakespeare], "silent poetry" [Simonides], "the intermediate somewhat between a thought and a thing" [Coleridge]; **oil painting,** oil; **watercolor,** water, aquarelle, wash, wash drawing; finger painting; tempera, egg tempera; *gouache* [Fr].

.16 **portrait, portraiture, portrayal;** head; profile; silhouette, shadow figure; miniature.

.17 **cartoon, caricature; comic strip;** comic section, comics [both informal], funny paper *or* funnies [both slang]; comic book; animated cartoon.

.18 **studio,** *atelier* [Fr]; **gallery** 660.9.

.19 (art equipment) palette; easel; paintbox; art paper, drawing paper; sketchbook, sketchpad; canvas, artists' canvas; canvas board; scratchboard; lay figure; camera obscura, camera lucida; maulstick; palette knife, spatula; brush, paintbrush; air brush, spray gun; pencil, drawing pencil; crayon, charcoal, chalk, pastel; stump; painter's cream; ground; pigments, medium; siccative; drier; fixative, varnish; **paint** 362.8,23.

.20 VERBS **portray, picture,** picturize, **depict, limn,** draw *or* paint a picture; **paint**

362.13; color, tint; spread *or* lay on a color; **daub** [informal]; scumble; **draw, sketch, delineate; draft;** pencil, chalk, crayon, charcoal; dash off, scratch [informal]; doodle; design; diagram; cartoon; copy, trace; stencil; hatch, crosshatch, shade.

.21 ADJS **artistic,** painterly; **arty** *or* arty-crafty *or* artsy-craftsy [all informal]; **art-minded,** art-conscious; **aesthetic; tasteful; beautiful** 900.16; **ornamental** 901.10; **well-composed,** well-grouped, well-arranged, well-varied; of consummate art; in the grand style.

.22 **pictorial,** pictural, **graphic, picturesque;** picturable; photographic 577.17; scenographic; painty, pastose; scumbled; monochrome, polychrome; freehand.

.23 **art schools, groups, movements**

American
Art Nouveau
Ashcan school, the Eight
Barbizon
Bauhaus
Bolognese
British
classical abstraction
Cobra
Der Blaue Reiter
De Stijl
Die Brücke
Dutch
eclectic
Flemish
Florentine
Fontainebleau
French
Honfleur
Hudson River
Italian
L'Age d'or
letrist
Lombard
Madinensor
Madrid
Mannerist
Milanese
Modenese
Momentum
'N'
Neapolitan
New Objectivity
New York
Origine
Paduan
Parisian
Phases
plein-air
Pre-Raphaelite
Raphaelite
Reflex
Restany
Roman
Scottish
Sienese
Spur
Suprematism
The Ten
Tuscan
Umbrian
Venetian
Washington

.24 **art styles**

abstract classicism
abstract expressionism
abstractionism
action painting
activist art
analytical cubism
art autre [Fr]
art brut [Fr]
art deco
art nouveau
attitude art
baroque
baroque formalism
classicism, classicalism
cloisonnism
conceptual art
concrete art
constructivism
conventionalism
cubism
Dadaism
display art
divisionism
earth art
elementarism
existentialism
expressionism
expressionistic abstraction
Fauvism
free abstraction
free expressionism
futurism
geometricism
gesture calligraphy
gesture painting
Gothicism
hallucinatory painting
idealism
impressionism
informalism
intimism
intuitionism
invisible painting
kinetic art
linear chromatism
luminodynamism
lyrical abstraction
magic realism
matter informalism
matter painting
minimal art
modernism
mysticism
naturalism
neoclassicism
neoconcrete art
neoconstructivism
neocubism
neodadaism
neoexpressionism
neofigural postsurrealism
neoimpressionism
neoplasticism
neotraditionalism
nonaction calligraphy
nonobjectivism
nonrepresentationalism
nuagism
objectivism
op art
ornamentalism
photomontage
poetic kinetics
poetic realism
poetic tachism
pointillism
pop art
poptical art
postconcretism
postexpressionism
postimpressionism
postpainterly abstraction
pre-Columbian art
preimpressionism
primitivism
purism
quietistic painting
realism
representationism, representationalism
romanticism
social realism
spatialism
suprarational automatism
suprematism
surrealism
surrealist tachism
symbolism
synchromism
synthesism
tachism
traditionalism
unism
vorticism

.25 **architecture styles**

academic
baroque
Bauhaus
Beaux Arts
Byzantine
early Renaissance
Egyptian
English
French
German
Gothic
Greco-Roman
Greek
Greek Revival
high Renaissance
international
Italian
medieval
Mesopotamian
modern
Neo-Gothic
new brutalism
Persian
Renaissance
Roman
Romanesque
Spanish

575. SCULPTURE

.1 NOUNS **sculpture, sculpturing;** plastic art, **modeling; statuary;** monumental sculpture, architectural sculpture, decorative sculpture, garden sculpture, portrait sculpture; stone sculpture, clay sculpture, glass sculpture, metal sculpture, wire sculpture, paper sculpture, CYSP sculpture, earth art; **stonecutting;** gem-cutting; **wood carving,** xyloglyphy; whittling; bone-carving, shell-carving, ivory-carving, scrimshaw; wax modeling, ceroplastics; relief-carving, relief, relievo, glyptic, anaglyphy, anaglyptics, anaglyptography; embossing, **engraving** 578.2, **chasing,** toreu-

tics, founding, casting, molding, plaster casting, lost-wax process, *cire perdue* [Fr]; sculptor 579.6,14.

.2 (sculptured piece) **sculpture; statue** 572.4; marble, bronze, terra cotta; mobile, stabile; cast 24.6.

.3 **relief,** relievo; **embossment,** boss; half relief, *mezzo-rilievo* [Ital]; high relief, *alto-rilievo* [Ital]; low relief, bas-relief, *basso-rilievo* [Ital], *rilievo stiacciato* [Ital]; sunk relief, *cavo-rilievo* [Ital], coelanaglyphic sculpture, **intaglio,** *intaglio rilievo, intaglio rilevato* [both Ital]; *repoussé* [Fr]; glyph, anaglyph; glyptograph; **mask;** plaquette; **medallion; medal; cameo,** cameo glass, sculptured glass; cut glass.

.4 (tools, materials) chisel, point, mallet, modeling tool, spatula; cutting torch, welding torch, soldering iron; solder; modeling clay, Plasticine, sculptor's wax.

.5 VERBS **sculpture,** sculp *or* sculpt [both informal], insculpture [archaic]; **carve,** chisel, cut, grave, engrave, chase; weld, solder; assemble; **model, mold;** cast, found.

.6 ADJS **sculptural,** sculpturesque, sculptitory; statuary; **statuesque,** statuelike; **monumental,** marmoreal.

.7 **sculptured,** sculpted; sculptile; **molded, modeled,** ceroplastic; **carved,** chisled; **graven,** engraven; in relief, in high *or* low relief; glyphic, glyptic, anaglyphic, anaglyptic; anastatic; embossed, chased, hammered, toreutic; *repoussé* [Fr].

576. CERAMICS

.1 NOUNS **ceramics, pottery.**

.2 **ceramic ware, ceramics; pottery, crockery; china, porcelain;** enamelware; refractory, cement; bisque, biscuit; pot, crock, vase, urn, jug, bowl; tile, tiling; brick, firebrick, refractory brick, adobe; glass 339.2.

.3 (materials) clay, argill(o)– *or* argilli–; potter's clay *or* earth, fireclay, refractory clay; porcelain clay, kaolin, china clay; china stone, petuntse; flux; slip; glaze.

.4 **potter's wheel,** wheel; kick wheel, pedal wheel, power wheel.

.5 **kiln, oven, stove, furnace;** acid kiln, brick-kiln, cement kiln, enamel kiln, muffle kiln, limekiln, reverberatory, reverberatory kiln; pyrometer, pyrometric cone, Seger cone.

.6 VERBS pot, shape, **throw,** throw *or* turn a pot; mold; **fire,** bake; glaze.

.7 ADJS **ceramic,** clay, enamel, china, porcelain; refractory.

.8 **ceramics**

Albion ware
Allervale pottery
basalt, basaltes
Belleek ware
Berlin ware
biscuit ware
blackware
bone china
Castleford ware
Castor ware
champlevé, champlevé enamel
china, chinaware
clayware
cloisonné, cloisonné enamel
cottage china
crackle, crackleware
crouch ware
Crown Derby ware
delft, delftware
Dresden china
earthenware
eggshell porcelain
enamel, enamelware
faience
glassware 339.2,7
glazed ware
gombroon
hard-paste porcelain
Hirado ware
Hizen porcelain
Imari ware
ironstone, ironstone china
Jackfield ware
jasper, jasper ware
Kinkozan ware
Leeds pottery
Limoges, Limoges ware
Lowestoft ware
lusterware, luster pottery
majolica
Meissen ware
Nabeshima ware
Old Worcester ware
Palissy ware
Parian ware
porcelain
queensware
refractory ware
Rockingham ware
salt-glazed ware
Satsuma ware
Seto ware
Sèvres, Sèvres ware
soft-paste porcelain
Spode
spongeware
Staffordshire ware
stoneware
terra cotta
ting ware
Toft ware
Wedgwood ware
whiteware, white pottery
Worcester ware
yi tsing ware

577. PHOTOGRAPHY

.1 NOUNS **photography,** picture-taking; **cinematography,** motion-picture photography; color photography; photochromy, heliochromy; **3-D,** three-dimensional photography; photofinishing; photogravure; radiography, X-ray photography; photogrammetry, phototopography.

.2 photographer 579.5.

.3 **photograph, photo** [informal], heliograph, **picture,** shot [informal]; **snapshot,** snap [informal]; black-and-white photograph; color photograph, color print, heliochrome; slide, diapositive, transparency; candid photograph; still, still photograph; photomural; montage, photomontage; aerial photograph, photomap; telephotograph, Telephoto, Wirephoto; photomicrograph, microphotograph; metallograph; microradiograph; electron micrograph; photochronograph, chronophotograph; **portrait;** pinup [informal], cheesecake *or* beefcake [both slang]; **mug** *or* mug shot [both slang]; rogues' gallery; photobiography.

.4 **tintype** *or* ferrotype, ambrotype, da-

guerreotype, calotype *or* talbotype, collotype, photocollotype, autotype, vitrotype.

.5 **print,** photoprint, positive; glossy, matte, semi-matte; **enlargement, blowup;** photocopy, Photostat, photostatic copy, Xerox, Xerox copy; microprint, microcopy; blueprint, cyanotype; **slide,** transparency, lantern slide; contact printing, projection printing; photogravure; hologram.

.6 shadowgraph, shadowgram, skiagraph, skiagram; radiograph, radiogram, scotograph; **X ray,** X-ray photograph, roentgenograph, roentgenogram; photofluorogram; photogram.

.7 spectrograph, spectrogram; spectroheliogram.

.8 (motion pictures) **shot; take, retake;** close-up, long shot, medium shot, full shot, group shot, deuce shot, matte shot, process shot, boom shot, travel shot, trucking shot, follow-focus shot, pan shot *or* panoramic shot, rap shot, reverse *or* reverse-angle shot, wild shot, zoom shot; motion picture 611.16; kinescope.

.9 **exposure,** time exposure; shutter speed; f-stop, lens opening; film rating, **film speed,** film gauge, ASA exposure index, DIN number; exposure meter, light meter.

.10 **film; negative;** printing paper, photographic paper; **plate;** dry-plate; vehicle; motion-picture film, panchromatic film, monochromatic film, orthochromatic film, black-and-white film, color film, color negative film, color reversal film; microfilm, bibliofilm; sound-on-film, sound film; sound track, soundstripe; roll, cartridge; pack, bipack, tripack; frame; emulsion, dope, backing.

.11 **camera,** Kodak; motion-picture camera, cinematograph *or* kinematograph [both Brit].

.12 **projector;** motion-picture projector, cinematograph *or* kinematograph [both Brit], vitascope; **slide projector,** magic lantern, stereopticon; slide viewer.

.13 **processing solution;** developer, soup [informal]; fixer, fixing bath, sodium thiosulfate *or* sodium hyposulfite *or* hypo; stop bath, short-stop, short-stop bath.

.14 VERBS **photograph, shoot** [informal], take a photograph, **take a picture,** take one's picture; **snap,** snapshot, snapshoot; **film,** get *or* capture on film; **mug** [slang]; daguerreotype, talbotype, calotype; Photostat; Xerox; microfilm; photomap; pan; **X-ray,** radiograph, roentgenograph.

.15 **process; develop; print;** blueprint; **blow up, enlarge.**

.16 **project, show, screen.**

.17 ADJS **photographic,** photo; **photogenic;** photosensitive, photoactive; panchromatic; telephotographic, telephoto; tintype; three-dimensional, 3-D.

.18 **types of photography**

aerophotography, aerial photography, air photography
animation photography
astrophotography
candid photography
chronophotography
cinematography
cinephotomicrography
color photography
electrophotography
heliophotography
holography
infrared photography
integral photography
laser photography
macrophotography
microphotography
miniature photography
phonophotography
photoheliography
photomacrography
photomicrography
pyrophotography
radiography
schlieren photography
skiagraphy
spectroheliography
spectrophotography
stereophotography
stroboscopic photography
telephotography
uranophotography
xerography
X-ray photography

.19 **photographic equipment**

burning-in tool
changing bag
closeup lens
darkroom
darkroom timer
developing tank
diaphragm
dodging tool
dryer
drying blotter
easel
electronic-flash unit
enlarger
exposure meter
filter
finder
fisheye lens
flashbulb
flashcube
flashgun
flashlight
flash powder
flash synchronizer
flash tube
gadget bag
incident light meter
iris diaphragm
lens
lens cover
lens hood
light meter
periscopic lens
photoelectric cell meter
photoflash, photoflash lamp
photoflood, photoflood lamp
photographometer
photometer
polarizing filter
portrait lens
range finder
reflected light meter
reflector
safelight
self-timer
shutter
stroboscopic *or* strobe light
telephoto lens
timer
tripod
varifocal lens
viewfinder
wide-angle lens
zoom lens

.20 **cameras**

aerial reconnaissance camera
astrograph
box camera
camera obscura
candid camera
cinematograph [Brit]
color camera
electron-diffraction camera
flash camera
folding camera
hand camera
Iconoscope
image orthicon
laboratory camera
magazine camera
microcamera
miniature camera, minicam

motion-picture camera, movie camera
photochronograph
photocopier
photographic telescope
photomicrographic camera
photomicroscope
photopitometer
photospectroscope
Photostat
pinhole camera
Polaroid Land camera
portrait camera
precision camera
press camera
reflex camera
single-lens reflex, SLR
spectroscopic camera
stereo camera
still camera
telescopic camera
television camera
tripod camera
twin-lens reflex
vest-pocket camera
Xerox machine
X-ray diffraction camera
X-ray machine

578. GRAPHIC ARTS

.1 NOUNS **graphic arts, graphics; printmaking; painting** 574.5; **drawing** 574.6; **relief-carving** 575.1; **photography** 577; **printing** 603; graphic artist 579.8.

.2 **engraving,** engravement, graving, enchasing, **tooling,** chiseling, incising, incision, lining, scratching, slashing, scoring; **inscription,** inscript; gem-engraving, glyptic, glyptography; glass-cutting; type-cutting; **marking,** line, scratch, slash, score; hatching, cross-hatching; etch, etching; stipple, stippling; tint, demitint, half tint; burr.

.3 (engraving processes) steel engraving, zincography, plate engraving, copperplate engraving, chalcography; relief method; woodcut, wood engraving, xylography; linocut; metal cut, *manière criblée* [Fr], cribbling; relief etching, zinc etching; intaglio; drypoint, etching, soft-ground etching, aquatint, mezzotint, stipple engraving, crayon engraving; cerography; pyrography, pyrogravure, woodburning, xylopyrography; photoengraving 603.1.

.4 **lithography,** planography, autolithography, artist lithography; chromolithography; photolithography, offset lithography 603.1.

.5 stencil printing, stencil; silk-screen printing, serigraphy; monotype; glass printing, decal, decalcomania; cameography.

.6 **print,** imprint, impression, impress; negative; color print; engraving, engravement; **etching;** aquatint, mezzotint; **lithograph;** autolithograph; chromolithograph; lithotype; copperplate, copperplate print *or* engraving; crayon engraving, graphotype; **block, block print,** linoleum-block print, rubber-block print, wood engraving, **woodprint,** xylograph, **cut, woodcut,** woodblock; vignette.

.7 **plate,** steel plate, copperplate, chalcograph; zincograph; stone, lithographic stone; printing plate 603.8.

.8 **proof,** artist's proof, proof before letter, open-letter proof, remarque proof.

.9 **engraving tool, graver,** burin, style, point, etching point, needle, etching needle; etching ball; etching ground *or* varnish; scorper; rocker; **die,** punch, stamp, intaglio, seal.

.10 VERBS **engrave, grave, tool, enchase, incise, sculpture, inscribe,** character, **mark,** line, crease, score, scratch, scrape, cut, carve, chisel; groove, furrow 263.3; stipple, cribble; hatch, crosshatch; lithograph, autolithograph; **be a printmaker** *or* graphic artist; make prints *or* graphics; print 603.14.

.11 **etch,** eat, eat out, corrode, bite, bite in.

.12 ADJS **engraved, graven,** graved, glypt(o)–; tooled, enchased, inscribed, incised, marked, lined, creased, cut, carved, glyphic, **sculptured,** insculptured, "insculp'd upon" [Shakespeare]; grooved, furrowed 263.4; **printed, imprinted, impressed, stamped.**

.13 glyptic(al), glyptographic, lapidary, lapidarian; xylographic, wood-block; lithographic, autolithographic, chromolithographic; aquatint, aquatinta, mezzotint.

579. ARTIST

.1 NOUNS **artist,** *artiste* [Fr], "a dreamer consenting to dream of the actual world" [Santayana], creator, maker; master, **old master;** dauber, daubster; copyist; **craftsman, artisan** 718.6.

.2 **limner,** delineator, depicter, picturer, portrayer, imager; **illustrator;** illuminator; calligrapher; commercial artist.

.3 **drawer, sketcher, delineator; draftsman,** architectural draftsman; crayonist, charcoalist, pastelist; **cartoonist, caricaturist.**

.4 **painter,** *artiste-peintre* [Fr]; **colorist;** luminist, luminarist; **oil painter,** oil-colorist; **watercolorist;** aquarellist; finger painter; monochromist, polychromist; genre painter, historical painter, landscapist, miniaturist, portrait painter, portraitist, marine painter, still-life painter; pavement artist; scene painter, scenewright, scenographer.

.5 **photographer,** photographist, **cameraman; cinematographer;** snapshotter, snap shooter, shutterbug [informal]; daguerreotypist, calotypist, talbotypist; skiagrapher, shadowgraphist, radiographer, X-ray photographer.

.6 **sculptor,** sculptress, sculpturer; earth artist; statuary; figurer, *figuriste* [Fr], **modeler,** molder, wax modeler, clay modeler;

graver, chaser, carver; stonecutter, mason, monumental mason, wood carver, xyloglyphic artist, whittler; ivory carver, bone carver, shell carver; gem carver, glyptic *or* glyptographic artist.

.7 **ceramist, ceramicist, potter;** china decorator *or* painter, tile painter, majolica painter; glassblower, glazer, glass decorator, pyroglazer, glass cutter; enamelist, enameler.

.8 **printmaker,** graphic artist; **engraver,** graver, burinist; inscriber, carver; **etcher;** line engraver; **lithographer,** autolithographer, chromolithographer; serigrapher, silk-screen artist; cerographer, cerographist; chalcographer; gem engraver, glyptographer, lapidary; wood engraver, xylographer; pyrographer, xylopyrographer; zincographer.

.9 **designer, stylist,** styler; costume designer, dress designer, *couturier* [Fr], *couturière* [Fr fem]; furniture designer, rug designer, textile designer.

.10 **architect,** civil architect; landscape architect, landscape gardener; city *or* urban planner, urbanist; functionalist.

.11 **decorator,** expert in decor, ornamentist, ornamentalist; **interior decorator,** house decorator, room decorator, floral decorator, table decorator; window decorator *or* dresser; confectionery decorator.

.12 **stylists**

abstract classicist
abstract expressionist
abstractionist
actionist
action painter
activist
analytical cubist
attitudist
baroque formalist
classicist
conceptual artist
concretist
constructivist
conventionalist
cubist
Dadaist
divisionist
earth artist
eclectic
elementarist
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expressionistic abstractionist
Fauvist
free abstractionist
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nonaction calligraphist
nonobjectivist
nonrepresentationist
nuagist
objectivist
op artist
plein-airist
poetic kineticist
poetic realist
poetic tachist
pointillist
pop artist
poptical artist
postconcretist
postexpressionist
postimpressionist
postpainterly abstractionist
preimpressionist
primitive, primitivist
purist
realist
representationist, representationalist
romanticist
social realist
spatialist
suprarational automatist
suprematist
surrealist
surrealist tachist
symbolist
synchromist
synthesist
tachist
traditionalist
unist
vorticist

.13 **painters**

Albright
Bacon
Baziotes
Bellini
Bellows
Benton
Blake
Boccioni
Bonnard
Botticelli
Boucher
Braque
Brueghel
Buffet
Carrà
Cassatt
Cézanne
Chagall
Chardin
Chirico
Constable
Copley
Corot
Correggio
Courbet
Dali
Daumier
David
da Vinci
Degas
de Kooning
Delacroix
Dubuffet
Duchamp
Dufy
Dürer
Eakins
El Greco
Ensor
Ernst
Feininger
Fra Angelico
Fragonard
Friesz
Gainsborough
Gauguin
Giotto
Gleizes
Goya
Graves
Greuze
Gris
Grosz
Guardi
Hals
Hobbema
Hodler
Hogarth
Hokusai
Holbein
Homer
Hopper
Ingres
Jongkind
Kandinsky
Kent
Kirchner
Klee
Kline
Kokoschka
Kollwitz
LeBrun
Léger
Leonardo
Limburg
Lippi
Lorenzetti
Manet
Mantegna
Marc
Marin
Marquet
Masaccio
Masolino
Masson
Matisse
Michelangelo
Millet
Miró
Modigliani
Mondrian
Monet
Moses
Motherwell
Munch
Murillo
Nolde
Orozco
Ozenfant
Picabia
Picasso
Pissarro
Pollock
Poussin

Raphael
Redon
Rembrandt
Remington
Renoir
Reynolds
Riley
Rivera
Rockwell
Romney
Rosa
Rossetti
Rothko
Rouault
Rousseau
Rubens
Ryder
Sargent
Schmidt-Rottluff
Seurat
Severini
Signac
Siqueiros
Sisley
Soutine
Stella
Stuart
Tintoretto
Titian
Tobey
Toulouse-Lautrec
Turner
Utrillo
van der Weyden
Vandyke
van Eyck
van Gogh
van Ruisdael
Velázquez
Vermeer
Veronese
Vlaminck
Vuillard
Warhol
Watteau
Whistler
Wood
Wyeth
Zadkine

.14 **sculptors**

Arp
Borglum
Brancusi
Calder
Cellini
della Robbia
Donatello
Epstein
French
Ghiberti
Giacometti
Lipchitz
Maillol
Michelangelo
Milles
Moore
Oldenburg
Phidias
Picasso
Pisano
Praxiteles
Rodin
Saint-Gaudens

580. LANGUAGE

.1 NOUNS **language, speech, tongue,** *lingua* [L], lingu(o)– *or* lingui–, gloss(o)–, glott(o)–; **talk, parlance, locution,** phraseology, **idiom, lingo** [informal]; dialect; idiolect, personal usage, individual speech habits *or* performance, parole; code *or* system of oral communication, individual speech competence, langue; **usage.**

.2 **dead language,** ancient language, lost language; parent language; classical language; living language, vernacular.

.3 **mother tongue,** native language *or* tongue, native speech, vernacular.

.4 **standard language,** standard *or* prestige dialect; national language, official language; educated speech *or* language; literary language, written language, formal written language; classical language; correct *or* good English, **Standard English, the King's** *or* **Queen's English,** Received Standard, Received Pronunciation.

.5 **informal language** *or* **speech,** informal standard speech, **spoken language, colloquial language** *or* **speech,** vernacular language *or* speech, vernacular; colloquialism, colloquial usage, conversationalism, vernacularism; informal English, conversational English, colloquial English, English as it is spoken.

.6 **substandard language** *or* **speech,** nonstandard language *or* speech; vernacular language *or* speech, **vernacular,** vulgate, vulgar tongue, common speech; uneducated speech, illiterate speech; substandard usage; **slang.**

.7 **dialect,** idiom; class dialect; regional *or* local dialect; subdialect; folk speech *or* dialect, patois; **provincialism, localism, regionalism,** regional accent 594.9; Canadian French, French Canadian; Pennsylvania Dutch, Pennsylvania German; Yankee, New England dialect; Brooklynese; Cockney; Yorkshire; Midland, Midland dialect; Anglo-Indian; Australian English; Gullah; Acadian, Cajun; dialect atlas, linguistic atlas; isogloss, bundle of isoglosses; speech community; linguistic community, linguistic ambience; speech *or* linguistic island, relic area; dialect dictionary, Dictionary of American Regional English.

.8 (idioms) Anglicism, Briticism, Englishism; Americanism, Yankeeism; Gallicism, Frenchism; Irishism, Hibernicism; Canadianism, Scotticism, Germanism, Russianism, Latinism, etc.

.9 **jargon, lingo** [informal], **cant, argot, patois, patter, vernacular; vocabulary, phraseology;** gobbledygook, mumbo jumbo, gibberish; **slang;** taboo language, vulgar language; obscene language, scatology.

.10 (jargons) Academese, cinemese, collegese, economese, sociologese, legalese, pedagese, societyese, stagese, telegraphese, Varietyese, Wall Streetese, journalese, newspaperese, officialese, federalese, Pentagonese, Washingtonese, medical Greek, medicalese, businessese, computerese, commercialism, business English; shoptalk.

.11 **lingua franca,** jargon, **pidgin,** trade language; auxiliary language, interlanguage; creolized language, creole language, creole; koine; pidgin English, talkee-talkee, Bêche-de-Mer, Beach-la-mar; Kitchen Kaffir; Chinook *or* Oregon Jargon; Sabir; artificial international languages 580.24.

.12 **linguistics,** linguistic science, science of language; glottology, glossology [archaic]; linguistic analysis; historical linguistics,

comparative linguistics, general linguistics, descriptive linguistics, structural linguistics, structuralism, theoretical linguistics, areal linguistics, dialectology, geolinguistics, dialect *or* linguistic geography, glottochronology *or* lexicostatistics, computational *or* mathematical linguistics, psycholinguistics, sociolinguistics, metalinguistics; transformational linguistics, glossematics; etymology, derivation; **philology;** bowwow theory, dingdong theory, pooh-pooh theory; lexicology 582.15; semantics 545.7; syntactics, linguistic structure; **grammar** 586; phonology, phonemics, phonetics 594.14; morphophonemics, morphology 582.3; graphemics, paleography; language study, foreign-language study.

.13 **linguist,** linguistic scientist, linguistician, linguistic scholar; philologist, philologer, philologian; philologaster; **grammarian,** grammatist; grammaticaster; **etymologist,** etymologer; **lexicologist; lexicographer,** glossographer, glossarist; phoneticist, phonetician, phonemicist, phonologist, orthoepist; dialectician, dialectologist; semanticist, semasiologist; paleographer.

.14 **polyglot,** linguist, **bilingual** *or* diglot, trilingual, multilingual, –glot.

.15 **colloquializer;** jargonist, jargoneer, jargonizer; slangster.

.16 VERBS **speak, talk,** use language, communicate orally *or* verbally; use informal speech *or* style, colloquialize, vernacularize; jargon, jargonize, cant; patter.

.17 ADJS **linguistic,** lingual, glottological; descriptive, structural, glottochronological, lexicostatistical, psycholinguistic, sociolinguistic, metalinguistic; **philological;** lexicological, lexicographic(al); syntactic(al), **grammatic(al);** semantic 545.12; phonetic 594.31, phonemic, phonological; morphological 582.22; morphophonemic, graphemic, paleographic(al).

.18 **vernacular, colloquial, conversational, unliterary, informal,** spoken; unstudied, familiar, common, everyday; **substandard,** nonstandard, uneducated.

.19 **jargonish,** jargonal; **slang,** slangy; taboo; scatological.

.20 **idiomatic; dialect,** dialectal, dialectological; provincial, regional, local.

.21 **types of languages**

affixing
agglutinative
analytic
fusional
incorporative
inflectional
isolating
monosyllabic
polysyllabic
polysynthetic
polytonic
symbolic
synthetic

.22 **groups of languages**

Adamawa-Eastern
Afro-Asiatic
Algonquian
Anatolic, Anatolian
Annam-Muong
Araucanian
Arawakan
Aryan
Athapaskan
Austric
Austroasiatic
Austronesian
Aymara
Baltic
Balto-Slavic
Bantu
Berber
Brythonic
Bushman
Caddoan
Cariban
Caspian
Caucasian
Celtic
Chad
Chari-Nile
Chibchan
Chinookan
Cushitic
Dard
Dravidian
Eskimo-Aleut
Finnic
Finno-Ugric, Finno-Ugrian
Germanic
Goidelic
Gur
Haida
Hamitic
Hamito-Semitic
Hellenic
Hokan
Hokan-Coahuiltecan, Hokaltecan
Hokan-Siouan
Indic, Indo-Aryan
Indo-Chinese
Indo-European, Indo-Germanic
Indo-Hittite
Indo-Iranian
Indonesian
Iranian
Iroquoian
Italic
Jicaquean
Karankawa
Kartvelian
Kechumaran
Keresan
Khoin
Khoisan
Kitunahan
Koluschan
Kuki-Chin
Kunama
Kwa
Latinian
Luorawetlan
Malayo-Polynesian, Malayo-Indonesian
Manchu
Mande
Mayan
Melanesian
Micronesian
Mongolic
Mon-Khmer
Munda
Muran
Muskogean
Na-dene
Nahuatlan
Niger-Congo
Nilotic
Osco-Umbrian
Otomanguean
Paleo-Asiatic, Paleo-Siberian
Papuan
Penutian
Permian
Piman
Polynesian
Quechuan
Ritwan
Romance, Romanic
Sabellian
Salish
Samoyed, Samoyedic
Sanskritic
Scandinavian
Semitic
Shahaptian
Shoshonean
Sino-Tibetan
Siouan
Skittagetan
Slavic, Slavonic
Sudanic
Tagala
Takilman
Tanoan
Taracahitian
Tarascan
Teutonic
Thraco-Illyrian
Thraco-Phrygian
Tibeto-Burman, Tibeto-Burmese
Tsimshian
Tungusic
Tupi-Guaranian
Turanian
Turkic, Turko-Tartar
Ugric
Ural-Altaic
Uralian
Uto-Aztecan
Xincan
Yeniseian
Yukaghir
Yukian
Zuñian

.23 languages

Abnaki
Afghan, Afghani
Afrikaans
Ainu
Akan
Akkadian
Albanian
Aleut
Algonquin
Amharic
Andaman
Anglo-French, Anglo-Norman
Anglo-Saxon
Annamese
Anzanite
Apache
Arabic
Aramaic
Araucanian
Arawak
Armenian
Assamese
Austral
Avestan
Aymara
Aztec
Balinese
Baluchi
Bashkir
Basque
Batak
Bellacoola
Bengali
Berber
Bhili
Bihari
Bikol
Bini
Blackfoot
Brahui
Breton
Buginese
Bulgarian
Burmese
Burushaski
Buryat
Byelorussian
Cantonese
Carib
Carolinian
Castilian
Catalan
Cham
Chamorro
Cheremis
Cherokee
Chibcha
Chin
Chinese
Choctaw
Chukchi
Chuvash
Coptic
Cornish
Cuman
Czech
Dafla
Dagomba
Dakota
Dalmatian
Danish
Dinka
Dutch
Dyak
Edo
Efatese
Egyptian
Elamitic
English
Eskimo
Estonian
Ethiopic
Euskarian
Ewe
Faeroese
Faliscan
Fijian
Finnish
Flemish
Fox
French
Frisian
Fulani, Fula
Gadaba
Gaelic
Galcha
Galla
Garo
Gaulish
Geez
Georgian
German
Gilbertese
Gold, Goldi
Gondi
Gothic
Greek
Guanche
Guarani
Gujarati
Gypsy
Haida
Haitian Creole
Hausa
Hawaiian
Hebrew
High German
Hindustani
Hittite
Ho
Hopi
Hottentot
Iban
Ibanag
Ibo
Icelandic
Igorot
Illyrian
Ilocano
Irish, Irish Gaelic
Italian
Ivatan
Jagatai
Jakun
Japanese
Javanese
Juang
Judeo-German
Judeo-Spanish
Kabyle
Kachin
Kafiri
Kalmuck
Kamasin
Kamchadal, Kamchatkan
Kanarese
Kara-Kalpak
Karamojong
Karankawa
Karelian
Karen
Kashmiri
Kashubian
Kazan Tatar
Keres
Ket
Khamti
Kharia
Khasi
Khmer
Khondi
Khosa
Khotanese
Khowar
Kickapoo
Kiowa
Kiowa Apache
Kiranti
Kirghiz
Kiriwina
Kodagu
Kohistani
Koiari
Kolami
Komi
Kongo
Konkani
Korean
Korwa
Koryak
Kui
Kuki
Kumyk
Kunama
Kurdish
Kurukh
Kutchin
Kutenai
Ladino
Lahnda
Lampong
Lamut
Lao
Lapp
Latin
Latvian, Lettish
Libyan
Ligurian
Limbu
Lithuanian
Livonian
Loucheux
Low German
Lusatian
Luwian
Lycian
Lydian
Macedonian
Madurese
Magyar
Makassar
Malagasy
Malay
Malayalam
Maltese
Malto
Manchu
Mandarin
Mandingo
Mangarevan
Manobo
Manx
Maori
Marathi
Marquesan
Marshall, Marshallese
Maya
Meithei
Mende
Messapian
Middle English
Middle Greek
Middle High German
Middle Persian
Mishmi
Mishongnovi
Misima
Miskito
Mon
Mongolian
Mordvin, Mordvinian
Moro
Mru
Mundari
Muong
Mura
Murmi
Muskogee
Naga
Nepali
Newari
Ngala
Ngbaka
Niasese
Nicobarese
Niuean
Nogai
Nootka
Norwegian
Old English
Oraon
Oriya
Oscan
Osmanli
Ossetic
Ostyak
Pahari
Pahlavi
Palaic
Palau
Palaung
Pali
Pampango
Pangasinan
Panjabi, Punjabi
Pashto
Paya
Persian
Phrygian
Plattdeutsch
Polabian
Polish

Portuguese
Prakrit
Provençal, *langue d'oc* [Fr]
Punic
Punjabi
Puyi
Quechua
Quiché
Rajasthani
Riffian
Romaic
Romansh, Rhaeto-Romanic, Rhaetian
Romany
Ronga
Ruanda
Rumanian
Rundi
Russian
Ruthenian
Sabellian
Saharan
Saho
Sakai
Salar
Samoan
Sanskrit
Santali
Sardinian
Sasak
Savara
Scottish Gaelic
Selung
Semang
Serbo-Croatian
Shan
Shina
Shluh, Shilha
Siamese
Sindhi
Sinhalese
Slovak
Slovene, Slovenian
Sogdian
Somali
Sorbian
Soyot
Spanish
Sumerian
Susian
Swahili
Swedish
Syriac
Syryenian
Taal
Tagalog
Tagula
Tahitian
Tajiki
Takelma
Talamanca
Talishi
Tamashek
Tamaulipec
Tamil
Tatar
Tavgi
Taw-Sug
Teleut
Telugu
Thracian
Tibetan
Tigre
Tigrinya
Tino
Tipura
Tocharian
Toda
Tonga
Tuamotu
Tuareg
Tulu
Tungus
Tupi
Turkish
Turkoman
Ugaritic
Uighur
Ukrainian
Umbrian
Urdu
Uzbek
Venetic
Veps
Vietnamese
Visayan
Vogul
Vote
Votyak
Wa
Welsh
Wendish
White Russian
Xhosa
Yakut
Yenisei
Yiddish
Yoruba
Yurak
Zenaga
Zulu
Zuñi

.24 artificial languages

Antido
Arulo
Blaia Zimondal
Esperantido
Esperanto
Europan
Idiom Neutral
Ido
Interlingua
Latinesce
Latino, Latino sine flexione
Lingualumina
Lingvo Kosmopolita
Monario
Nov-Esperanto
Novial
Nov-Latin
Occidental
Optez
Pasigraphy
Ro
Romanal
Solresol
Volapük

581. LETTER

.1 NOUNS **letter, written character, character, sign, symbol,** graph, grapheme, allograph, alphabetic character *or* symbol, phonetic character *or* symbol; logographic *or* lexigraphic character *or* symbol; ideographic *or* ideogrammic *or* ideogrammatic character *or* symbol; syllabic character *or* symbol, syllabic, syllabogram; pictographic character *or* symbol; cipher, device; monogram; graphy, *mater lectionis* [L]; **writing** 602.

.2 (phonetic and ideographic symbols) **phonogram;** phonetic symbol; **logogram,** logograph, grammalogue; word letter; **ideogram,** ideograph, phonetic, radical, determinative; **pictograph,** pictogram; **hieroglyphic,** hieroglyph, hieratic symbol, demotic character; **rune,** runic character *or* symbol; **cuneiform, character;** wedge, arrowhead, ogham; kana, hiragana, katakana; **shorthand** 602.8; hieroglyphics.

.3 **writing system, script, letters; alphabet,** letters of the alphabet, **ABC's;** christ-cross-row; **phonetic alphabet,** International Phonetic Alphabet, IPA; Initial Teaching Alphabet, ITA; phonemic alphabet; runic alphabet, futhark; alphabetism; **syllabary;** alphabetics, alphabetology, graphemics; paleography; speech sound 594.13.

.4 **spelling,** orthography; phonetic spelling, phonetics, phonography; spelling reform; spelling match *or* bee, spelldown; bad spelling, cacography; spelling pronunciation.

.5 **lettering,** initialing; **inscription,** epigraph, graffito; alphabetization; transliteration, transcription.

.6 VERBS **letter, initial, inscribe,** character, sign, mark; **capitalize; alphabetize,** alphabet; transliterate, transcribe.

.7 **spell,** orthographize; spell out, write out, trace out; spell backward; outspell, spell down; syllabify, syllabize, syllable, syllabicate.

.8 ADJS **literal, lettered; alphabetic(al);** abecedarian; graphemic, allographic; large-lettered, majuscule, majuscular, uncial; **capital,** capitalized, upper-case; small-lettered, minuscule, minuscular, lower-case; logographic, logogrammatic, lexigraphic, ideographic, ideogrammic, ideogrammatic, pictographic; transliterated, transcribed.

.9 writing systems

Arabic
Armenian
Assyrian
Avestan
Babylonian
Berber
Brahmi
Chalcidian
Cherokee
Coptic
Cretan
Cypriot
Cypro-Minoan
Cyrillic
Devanagari
Egyptian demotic
Egyptian hieratic
Egyptian hieroglyphic
Elamitic
Ethiopian
Etruscan
Georgian
Glagolitic
Gothic
Grantha
Greek
Hebrew
hiragana
Hittite hieroglyphic
Iberian
Indus Valley
Initial Teaching Alphabet
International Phonetic Alphabet
Ionian
Irish
Kalmuck
kana
kanji
katakana
Kharoshthi
Korean
Latin
Lemnian
Libyan
Linear A
Linear B
Lycian
Lydian
Manchu
Mayan
Minoan
Mitannic
Mongolian
Nagari
Nubian
ogham
Oscan
Pahlavi
Permian
Persian
Phoenician
Phrygian
runic
Sanskrit
Scandinavian
Semitic
Sinaitic
Sogdian
Sumerian
Szeklian
Tuareg
Turkish runic
Uighur
Umbrian
Vietnamese

582. WORD

.1 NOUNS **word,** log(o)–, onomato–, –onym, –onymy; **term,** expression, locution, linguistic form, lexeme, free form, minimum free form, *logos* [Gk], *verbum* [L]; verbalism, vocable, utterance, articulation; **usage;** syllable, polysyllable; homonym, homophone, homograph; monosyllable; synonym; metonym; antonym.

.2 **root,** etymon, primitive; eponym; derivative, derivation; cognate; doublet.

.3 **morphology,** morphemics; morphophonemics; **morpheme;** morph, allomorph; bound morpheme *or* form, free morpheme *or* form; difference of form, formal contrast; accidence; **inflection,** conjugation, declension; paradigm; derivation, word-formation; formative; root, radical; theme, stem; **affix, suffix, prefix,** infix; proclitic, enclitic; affixation, infixation, suffixation, prefixation; morphemic analysis, immediate constituent *or* IC analysis, cutting; morphophonemic analysis.

.4 **word form,** formation, construction; back formation; clipped word; spoonerism; **compound;** *tatpurusha, dvandva, karmadharaya, dvigu, avyayibhava, bahuvrihi* [all Skt]; endocentric compound, exocentric compound; acronym, acrostic; paronym, conjugate.

.5 **technical term,** technicality; jargon word.

.6 **barbarism, corruption, vulgarism, impropriety,** taboo word; **colloquialism, slang, localism** 582.6.

.7 **loan word,** borrowing, borrowed word, paronym; loan translation, calque; foreignism.

.8 **neologism,** neology, neoterism, new word *or* term, newfangled expression; **coinage;** new sense *or* meaning; nonce word; ghost word *or* name.

.9 **catchword,** catch phrase, shibboleth, slogan, cry; **pet expression,** byword; vogue word, fad word, cliché.

.10 long word, hard word, jawbreaker [informal], polysyllable; sesquipedalian, sesquipedalia [pl]; lexiphanicism, grandiloquence 601.

.11 hybrid word, **hybrid;** macaronicism, macaronic; hybridism, contamination; blend-word, blend, portmanteau word, portmanteau, portmantologism, telescope word.

.12 **portmanteau word,** portmanteau, **counterword.**

.13 **archaism,** archaicism, antiquated word *or* expression; obsoletism, obsolete.

.14 **vocabulary, lexis, words, wordage, verbiage,** wordhoard, stock of words; phraseology; thesaurus; lexicon 605.7.

.15 **lexicology; lexicography,** lexigraphy, glossography; onomastics, onomatology; onomasiology; semantics, semasiology.

.16 **etymology, derivation, origin,** word history, semantic history; historical linguistics, comparative linguistics; eponymy, folk etymology.

.17 echoic word, onomatopoeic word, onomatope; onomatopoeia; bowwow theory.

.18 **neologist, word-coiner,** neoterist; phraser, phrasemaker, phrasemonger.

.19 ADJS **verbal,** vocabular, vocabulary.

.20 lexical, lexicologic(al); lexigraphic(al), **lexicographic(al),** glossographic(al); etymologic(al), derivative; onomastic, onomatologic; onomasiologic(al); echoic, onomatopoeic; conjugate, paronymous, paronymic.

.21 neological, neoteric(al).

.22 **morphological,** morphemic; morphophonemic; inflective, inflectional, paradig-

matic, derivational; affixal, prefixal, infixal, suffixal.

583. NOMENCLATURE

.1 NOUNS **nomenclature, terminology,** orismology, glossology [archaic]; onomatology, onomastics; toponymy, place-names, place-naming; antonomasia; polyonymy; **taxonomy,** classification, systematics, biosystematy, biosystematics, cytotaxonomy, binomial nomenclature, binomialism, Linnaean method, trinomialism; kingdom, phylum, class, order, family, genus, species.

.2 **naming, calling, denomination,** appellation, designation, styling, terming, definition, identification; **christening,** baptism; dubbing; nicknaming.

.3 **name,** onomato–, –onym, –onymy; **appellation,** appellative, **denomination, designation, style,** *nomen* [L], **cognomen,** cognomination; proper name *or* noun; moniker *or* handle [both slang]; **title,** honorific; empty title *or* name; **label, tag; epithet,** byword; **scientific name,** trinomen, trinomial name, binomen, binomial name; nomen nudum, hyponym; tautonym; typonym; middle name; eponym; namesake; secret name, cryptonym, euonym.

.4 **first name,** forename, **Christian name, given name,** baptismal name.

.5 **surname, last name, family name, cognomen,** byname; **maiden name;** married name; patronymic, matronymic.

.6 (Latin terms) *praenomen, nomen, agnomen, cognomen.*

.7 **nickname, sobriquet,** byname, cognomen; **pet name,** diminutive, hypocoristic, affectionate name.

.8 **alias, pseudonym,** anonym, **assumed name,** false *or* fictitious name, *nom de guerre* [Fr]; **pen name, nom de plume;** stage name, *nom de theatre* [Fr], professional name; John Doe, Jane Doe, Richard Roe.

.9 **misnomer,** wrong name.

.10 **signature,** sign manual, **autograph, hand, John Hancock** [informal]; mark, mark of signature, cross, christcross, X; initials; subscription; countersignature, countersign, countermark, counterstamp; endorsement; visa, *visé* [Fr]; monogram, cipher, device; seal, sigil, signet.

.11 VERBS **name, denominate,** nominate, **designate, call, term, style, dub;** specify; define, identify; **title,** entitle; **label, tag; nickname; christen,** baptize.

.12 **misname,** misnomer, **miscall,** misterm, misdesignate.

.13 **be called, be known by** *or* as, go by, go as, **go by the name of,** go *or* pass under the name of, bear the name of, rejoice in the name of; go under an assumed *or* false name, have an alias.

.14 ADJS **named, called,** yclept [archaic], **styled, titled,** denominated, denominate [archaic], **known as,** known by the name of, designated, termed, dubbed, identified as; christened, baptized; what one may well *or* fairly *or* properly *or* fitly call.

.15 **nominal,** cognominal; **titular, in name only,** nominative, formal; **so-called,** quasi; would-be, *soi-disant* [Fr]; **self-called, self-styled,** self-christened; honorific; epithetic(al); hypocoristic, diminutive; by name, by whatever name, under any other name.

.16 denominative, nominative, appellative; eponymous, eponymic.

.17 **terminological,** nomenclatural, orismological; onomastic; toponymic, toponymous; taxonomic, classificatory, binomial, Linnaean, trinomial.

584. ANONYMITY

.1 NOUNS **anonymity, anonymousness, namelessness; incognito;** anonym.

.2 **what's-its-name** *or* **what's-his-name** *or* what's-his-face *or* what's-her-name *or* **what-you-may-call-it** *or* what-you-may-call-'em *or* what-d'ye-call-'em *or* what-d'ye-call-it *or* whatzit [all informal]; *je ne sais quoi* [Fr], I don't know what; such-and-such; **so-and-so,** certain person, Mr. X; you-know-who.

.3 ADJS **anonymous, anon.; nameless, unnamed,** unidentified, undesignated, unspecified, innominate, without a name, **unknown;** undefined; unacknowledged; **incognito;** cryptonymous, cryptonymic.

585. PHRASE

.1 NOUNS **phrase, expression, locution, utterance,** usage, term, verbalism, –logy *or* –logia; **word-group,** construction, endocentric construction, headed group, syntagm; syntactic structure; noun phrase, verb phrase, verb complex, adverbial phrase, adjectival phrase, prepositional phrase; **clause; sentence,** period, periodic sentence; **paragraph; idiom,** idiotism, phrasal idiom; turn of phrase *or* expression, peculiar expression, manner *or* way of speaking; set phrase *or* term; conven-

tional *or* common *or* standard phrase; phraseogram, phraseograph.

.2 **diction, phrasing** 588.1.

.3 **phraser, phrasemaker,** phrasemonger, phraseman.

.4 ADJS **phrasal,** phrase; phrasey.

.5 ADVS in set phrases *or* terms, in good set terms, in round terms.

586. GRAMMAR

.1 NOUNS **grammar,** rules of language; "the rule and pattern of speech" [Horace]; grammaticalness, grammaticality, grammatical theory; traditional grammar, school grammar; descriptive grammar, structural grammar, phrase-structure grammar; generative grammar, transformational grammar, transformational generative grammar; tagmemic analysis; glossematics; stratificational grammar; **parsing,** grammatical analysis; **morphology** 582.3; **phonology** 594.14.

.2 **syntax, structure, syntactic structure,** word order, word arrangement; syntactics, syntactic analysis; immediate constituent analysis, IC analysis, cutting; phrase structure; surface structure, shallow structure, deep structure, underlying structure; levels, ranks, strata; tagmeme, form-function unit, slot, filler, slot and filler; **function, subject, predicate, complement, object,** direct object, indirect object, **modifier,** qualifier, sentence *or* construction modifier, appositive, attribute, attributive.

.3 **part of speech,** form class, major form class, function class; function *or* empty *or* form word; **adjective,** adjectival, attributive; **adverb,** adverbial; **preposition;** verbal adjective, gerundive; **participle,** present participle, past participle, perfect participle; **conjunction,** subordinating conjunction, coordinating conjunction, conjunctive adverb, adversative conjunction, copulative, copulative conjunction, correlative conjunction, disjunctive, disjunctive conjunction; **interjection,** exclamatory noun *or* adjective; **particle.**

.4 **verb,** transitive, transitive verb, intransitive, intransitive verb, impersonal verb, neuter verb, deponent verb, defective verb, finite verb, linking verb, copula; verbal; **infinitive; auxiliary verb,** auxiliary, modal auxiliary; verb phrase.

.5 **noun, pronoun,** substantive, common noun, proper noun, abstract noun, collective noun, quotation noun, hypostasis, adherent noun, adverbial noun; verbal noun, gerund; nominal; noun phrase.

.6 **article,** definite article, indefinite article; determiner, noun determiner, determinative.

.7 **person;** first person; second person, proximate; third person; fourth person, obviative.

.8 number; singular, dual, trial, plural.

.9 **case;** common case, subject case, nominative; object *or* objective case, accusative, dative, possessive case, genitive; local case, locative, essive, superessive, inessive, adessive, abessive, lative, allative, illative, sublative, elative, ablative, delative, terminative, approximative, prolative, perlative, translative; comitative, instrumental, prepositional, vocative; oblique case.

.10 **gender,** masculine, feminine, neuter, common gender; grammatical gender, natural gender; animate, inanimate.

.11 **mood,** mode; indicative, subjunctive, imperative, conditional, potential, obligative, permissive, optative, jussive.

.12 **tense; present;** historical present; **past,** preterit; aorist; imperfect; future; **perfect,** present perfect, future perfect; past perfect, **pluperfect;** progressive tense, durative; point tense.

.13 **aspect;** perfective, imperfective, inchoative, iterative, frequentative, desiderative.

.14 **voice;** active voice, active, passive voice, passive; middle voice, middle; medio-passive; reflexive.

.15 **punctuation,** punctuation marks; diacritical mark *or* sign; reference mark, reference; point, tittle; stop, end stop.

.16 VERBS grammaticize; **parse,** analyze; inflect, **conjugate, decline; punctuate,** mark, point; parenthesize, hyphenate, bracket.

.17 ADJS **grammatic(al), correct, syntactic(al),** formal, structural; tagmemic, glossematic; **functional;** substantive, nominal, pronominal; verbal, transitive, intransitive; linking, copulative; attributive, adjectival, adverbial, participial; prepositional, postpositional; conjunctive.

.18 **punctuation marks**

ampersand (&)
angle brackets (⟨ ⟩)
apostrophe (')
braces ({ })
brackets ([ ])
colon (:)
comma (,)
dash (—, –)
ellipsis, suspension periods (. . . *or* * * *)
exclamation mark *or* point (!)
hyphen (-)
parentheses, parens [informal] ( )
period, full stop [Brit], point, deci-

mal point, dot (.)
question mark, interrogation mark *or* point (?)
quotation marks, quotes (" ")
semicolon (;)
single quotation marks, single quotes (' ')
virgule, diagonal, solidus, slash mark (/)

.19 **diacritical marks**

acute accent (´)
breve (˘)
cedilla (¸)
circumflex accent (ˆ, ˆ, *or* ˜)
diaeresis, umlaut (¨)
grave accent (`)
haček [Cz], wedge (ˇ)
macron (¯)
tilde (˜)

.20 **reference marks**

asterisk, star (*)
asterism (⁂)
bullet, centered dot (•)
caret (∧)
dagger, obelisk (†)
ditto mark (〃)
double dagger, diesis (‡)
double prime (″)
index, fist (☞)
leaders (. . . .)
paragraph (¶)
parallels (||)
prime (′)
section (§)

587. UNGRAMMATICALNESS

.1 NOUNS **ungrammaticalness,** bad *or* faulty grammar, faulty syntax; lack of concord *or* agreement, faulty reference, misplaced *or* dangling modifier, shift of tense, shift of structure, anacoluthon, faulty subordination, faulty comparison, faulty coordination, faulty punctuation, lack of parallelism, sentence fragment, comma fault, comma splice; abuse of terms, corruption of speech, broken speech, talkee-talkee.

.2 **solecism,** ungrammaticism, **misusage, missaying, misconstruction,** barbarism, infelicity; corruption; antiphrasis, malapropism 518.7.

.3 VERBS solecize, commit a solecism, use faulty *or* inadmissible *or* inappropriate grammar, ignore *or* disdain *or* violate grammar, murder the King's *or* Queen's English, break Priscian's head [archaic].

.4 ADJS **ungrammatic(al),** solecistic(al), **incorrect,** barbarous; faulty, erroneous 518.16; infelicitous, improper 27.7; careless, slovenly, slipshod 62.15; loose, imprecise 518.17.

588. DICTION

.1 NOUNS **diction,** use *or* choice of words, **phraseology,** phrase, **phrasing, wording, wordage, verbiage,** rhetoric, speech, talk [informal], **language,** dialect, parlance, locution, expression, formulation; **grammar;** usage, *usus loquendi* [L]; **idiom;** composition.

.2 **style; mode, manner,** strain, vein; fashion, way 657; **rhetoric; manner of speaking,** mode of expression, literary style, style of writing, command of language *or* idiom, form of speech, expression of ideas; feeling for words *or* language, sense of language, *Sprachgefühl* [Ger]; power *or* grace of expression; linguistic tact *or* finesse; personal style; mannerism, trick, peculiarity; affectation; "the dress of thoughts" [Dickens], "a certain absolute and unique manner of expressing a thing, in all its intensity and color" [Walter Pater]; inflation, exaggeration, grandiloquence 601; the grand style, the sublime style, the sublime; the plain style; **stylistics,** stylistic analysis.

.3 stylist, master of style; rhetorician, rhetor, rhetorizer [archaic]; mannerist.

.4 VERBS **phrase, express,** find a phrase for, give expression *or* words to, **word,** state, **frame,** conceive, style, couch, **put in words,** clothe *or* embody in words, couch in terms, express by *or* in words, find words to express; put, present, set out; **formulate,** formularize; paragraph; rhetorize [archaic].

.5 ADJS **phrased,** expressed, worded, formulated, styled, put, presented, couched.

589. ELEGANCE

(of language)

.1 NOUNS **elegance,** elegancy; **grace,** gracefulness, gracility; **taste,** tastefulness, good taste; **correctness,** seemliness, comeliness, **propriety; refinement,** discrimination, **restraint; polish, finish,** terseness, neatness; smoothness, flow, **fluency; felicity,** felicitousness, **ease;** clarity, clearness, lucidity, limpidity, pellucidity, perspicuity; distinction, dignity; **purity,** chastity, chasteness; **plainness,** straightforwardness, directness, **simplicity,** naturalness, unaffectedness, Atticism, Attic quality; classicism, classicalism; well-rounded *or* well-turned periods, flowing periods; the right word in the right place, fittingness, appropriateness.

.2 **harmony, proportion,** symmetry, **balance,** equilibrium, order, orderedness, measure, measuredness, concinnity; rhythm; **euphony,** sweetness, beauty.

.3 (affected elegance) **affectation,** affectedness, studiedness, **pretentiousness, mannerism,** manneredness, artifice, artfulness, **artificiality,** unnaturalness; **euphuism,** Gongorism, Marinism; **preciousness,** preciosity; euphemism; purism; overelegance, overelaboration, overniceness, overrefinement, hyperelegance, etc.

.4 purist, classicist, Atticist, plain stylist.

.5 euphuist, Gongorist, Marinist, *précieux* [Fr], *précieuse* [Fr fem]; phrasemaker, phrasemonger.

.6 ADJS **elegant, tasteful, graceful,** gracile, **polished,** finished, round, terse; neat, trim, **refined, restrained; clear,** lucid, limpid, pellucid, perspicuous; **simple, unaffected, natural,** unlabored, **easy; pure,** chaste; **plain,** straightforward, direct; classic(al); Attic, Ciceronian.

.7 **appropriate, fit, fitting,** just [archaic], **proper, correct, seemly,** comely; **felicitous,** happy, **apt,** well-chosen, **well-put,** well-expressed, inspired.

.8 **harmonious, balanced,** symmetrical, orderly, ordered, measured, concinnate, concinnous; **euphonious,** euphonic, euphonical [archaic], sweet; **smooth,** tripping, smooth-sounding, fluent, flowing.

.9 (affectedly elegant) **affected,** euphuistic(al); elaborate, elaborated; **pretentious, mannered, artificial, unnatural,** studied; precious, *précieux, précieuse* [both Fr], overnice, overrefined, overelegant, overelaborate, hyperelegant, etc.; Gongoristic, Gongoresque, Marinistic.

590. INELEGANCE

(of language)

.1 NOUNS **inelegance,** inelegancy; inconcinnity, infelicity; **clumsiness,** cumbrousness, leadenness, heaviness, stiltedness, **ponderousness,** unwieldiness; sesquipedalianism, sesquipedality; turgidity, bombasticness, pompousness 601.1; **gracelessness,** ungracefulness; **tastelessness,** bad taste, **impropriety,** indecorousness, unseemliness; incorrectness, impurity; **vulgarity,** vulgarism, Gothicism [archaic], barbarism, barbarousness, **coarseness, unrefinement,** roughness, grossness, rudeness, crudeness, uncouthness; dysphemism; cacology, poor diction; cacophony, uneuphoniousness, harshness; loose *or* slipshod construction, ill-balanced sentences; lack of finish *or* polish.

.2 ADJS **inelegant, clumsy, graceless,** ungraceful, inconcinnate, inconcinnous, infelicitous, unfelicitous; **tasteless,** in bad taste, offensive to ears polite; **incorrect, improper; indecorous, unseemly,** uncourtly, undignified; **unpolished, unrefined;** impure, unclassical; **vulgar,** barbarous, barbaric, rude, **crude, uncouth,** Doric, outlandish; low, gross, **coarse,** dysphemistic, doggerel; cacologic(al), cacophonous, uneuphonious, harsh, ill-sounding.

.3 **stiff, stilted, formal,** Latinate, *guinde* [Fr], **labored,** ponderous, elephantine, lumbering, cumbrous, leaden, heavy, unwieldy, sesquipedalian, inkhorn, turgid, bombastic, pompous 601.8; **forced,** awkward, cramped, halting.

591. PLAIN SPEECH

.1 NOUNS **plain speech,** plain speaking, plain style, unadorned style, **plain English,** plain words, common speech, vernacular, household words; **plainness,** simpleness, simplicity; soberness, restrainedness; severity, austerity; spareness, leanness, baldness, bareness, starkness, unadornedness; naturalness, unaffectedness; directness, straightforwardness, calling a spade a spade, making no bones about it [informal]; unimaginativeness, prosaicness, matter-of-factness, prosiness, unpoeticalness; homespun, rustic style; candor, frankness, openness.

.2 VERBS **speak plainly,** waste no words, **call a spade a spade,** come to the point, not beat about the bush, make no bones about it *or* talk turkey [both informal].

.3 ADJS **plain-speaking,** simple-speaking; **plain,** common; **simple,** unadorned, unvarnished, pure, neat; sober, severe, austere, ascetic, spare, lean, bald, bare, stark, Spartan; **natural, unaffected;** direct, straightforward; commonplace, homely, homespun, rustic; candid, plain-spoken, frank, open; **prosaic,** prosing, prosy; unpoetical, unimaginative, dull, dry, **matter-of-fact.**

.4 ADVS **plainly, simply,** naturally, unaffectedly, matter-of-factly; in plain words, **in plain English,** in words of one syllable; point-blank, to the point.

592. CONCISENESS

.1 NOUNS **conciseness,** concision, briefness, brachylogy, **brevity,** "the soul of wit" [Shakespeare]; shortness, compactness; **curtness,** brusqueness, **crispness, terseness,** summariness; taciturnity 613.2, reserve 613.3; **pithiness,** succinctness, pointedness, sententiousness; compendiousness.

.2 laconicness, laconism, laconicism, economy of language; laconics.

.3 **aphorism, epigram** 517.1; **abridgment** 607.

.4 **abbreviation,** shortening, clipping, cutting, pruning, truncation; ellipsis, aposiopesis, contraction, syncope, apocope, elision, crasis, syneresis [all gram].

.5 VERBS **be brief, come to the point, make a long story short,** cut the matter short, be telegraphic, waste no words, put it in few words, give more matter and less art; shorten, condense, **abbreviate** 203.6.

.6 ADJS **concise, brief, short,** "short and sweet" [Thomas Lodge]; **condensed, compressed,** tight, close, compact; compendious 203.8; **curt,** brusque, **crisp, terse,** summary; taciturn 613.9; reserved 613.10; **pithy, succinct; laconic,** Spartan; **abridged, abbreviated,** synopsized, shortened, clipped, cut, pruned, contracted, truncated, docked; elliptic, aposiopestic; sententious, epigrammatic(al), gnomic, aphoristic(al) 517.6, **pointed,** to the point.

.7 ADVS **concisely, briefly,** shortly; laconically; **curtly,** brusquely, **crisply, tersely,** summarily; **pithily, succinctly,** pointedly; sententiously, aphoristically, epigrammatically.

.8 **in brief, in short,** in substance, in epitome, in outline, **in a nutshell,** in a capsule; **in a word,** in two words, in a few words, without wasting words; **to be brief,** to come to the point, to cut the matter short, **to make a long story short.**

593. DIFFUSENESS

.1 NOUNS **diffuseness,** diffusiveness, diffusion; **formlessness** 247; **profuseness,** profusiveness, profusion; **effusiveness,** effusion, gush, gushing; outpour, tirade; logorrhea, talkativeness 596, cloud of words; **copiousness, exuberance,** rampancy, amplitude, extravagance, prodigality, fertility, fecundity, rankness, teemingness, prolificity, prolificacy, productivity, abundance, overflow, fluency [archaic]; superfluity, superflux, superabundance; redundancy, pleonasm, repetitiveness, reiterativeness, reiteration, tautology, macrology; repetition for effect *or* emphasis, palilogy.

.2 **wordiness, verbosity,** verbiage, verbalism, verbality; **prolixity, long-windedness,** longiloquence; flow *or* flux of words, cloud of words; logorrhea, talkativeness 596.

.3 discursiveness, desultoriness, digressiveness, aimlessness; rambling, maundering, meandering, wandering, roving.

.4 **digression, departure,** deviation, **discursion,** excursion, excursus, sidetrack, side path, side road, byway, bypath; episode.

.5 **circumlocution, roundaboutness,** circuitousness, ambages [archaic]; deviousness, obliqueness, **indirection;** periphrase, periphrasis.

.6 **expatiation, amplification, enlargement, expansion,** dilation; elaboration; **development,** explication, unfolding, working-out.

.7 VERBS **expatiate, amplify, dilate, expand,** enlarge, **enlarge upon,** elaborate; relate *or* rehearse in extenso; detail, particularize; **develop,** evolve, unfold; work out, explicate; descant, relate at large.

.8 **protract, extend, spin out,** string out, draw out, stretch out, **drag out,** run out; pad, fill out; perorate, **speak at length,** spin a long yarn, never finish; chatter, talk one to death 596.5,6.

.9 **digress,** wander, **get off the subject, wander from the subject,** get sidetracked, excurse, ramble, maunder, stray, go astray; depart, deviate, turn aside; **go off on a tangent,** go up blind alleys.

.10 circumlocute [informal], **go round about,** go around and around, **beat around** *or* **about the bush,** go round Robin Hood's barn; periphrase.

.11 ADJS **diffuse,** diffusive; **formless** 247.4; **profuse,** profusive; **effusive,** gushing, gushy; copious, exuberant, extravagant, prodigal, fecund, teeming, prolific, productive, abundant, superabundant, overflowing; redundant, pleonastic, repetitive, reiterative, tautologous.

.12 **wordy, verbose; talkative** 596.9; **prolix,** windy [informal], **long-winded,** longiloquent; **protracted,** extended, *de longue haleine* [Fr], lengthy, long, **long-drawn-out,** long-spun, spun-out, endless, unrelenting; padded, filled out.

.13 **discursive, aimless,** loose; **rambling, maundering, wandering,** roving; excursive, **digressive,** deviative, **desultory,** episodic; by the way.

.14 **circumlocutory,** circumlocutional, **roundabout, circuitous,** ambagious [archaic], oblique, indirect; periphrastic.

.15 **expatiating,** dilative, dilatative, enlarging, amplifying, expanding; **developmental.**

.16 ADVS **at length,** at large, in full, *in extenso* [L], in detail.

594. SPEECH

(utterance)

.1 NOUNS **speech,** log(o)–, lalo–, phon(o)–; **language** 580, **talk,** talking, speaking, **discourse,** oral communication, comment, parole, **palaver, prattle, gab** [informal]; rapping *or* yakking *or* yakkety-yak [all slang]; **words, accents;** chatter 596.3; conversation 597; elocution 599.1.

.2 "the mirror of the soul" [Publilius Syrus],

"the image of life" [Democritus], "a faculty given to man to conceal his thoughts" [Talleyrand], "but broken light upon the depth of the unspoken" [George Eliot].

.3 **utterance, speaking,** locution [archaic], phonation; parole, speech act, linguistic act *or* behavior; string, utterance string, sequence of phonemes; **voice, tongue;** word of mouth, parol, the spoken word; vocable, **word** 582.

.4 **remark, statement, comment,** crack [slang], one's two cents' worth [informal], **word,** say, **saying, utterance, observation, reflection, expression; note,** thought, **mention; assertion,** averment, allegation, affirmation, pronouncement, position, dictum; **declaration;** interjection, exclamation; question 485.10; answer 486; address, greeting, apostrophe; sentence, phrase; subjoinder, Parthian shot.

.5 **articulateness,** articulacy, readiness *or* facility of speech; eloquence 600.

.6 **articulation,** phonation, voicing, **vocalization; pronunciation, enunciation,** utterance; **delivery, attack.**

.7 **intonation, inflection, modulation;** intonation pattern *or* contour, intonation *or* inflection of voice, speech tune *or* melody; suprasegmental, suprasegmental phoneme; **tone, pitch;** pitch accent.

.8 manner of speaking, way of saying, mode of expression; **tone of voice, voice,** *voce* [Ital], **tone;** voice quality, **timbre;** voice qualifier; paralinguistic communication.

.9 regional accent, foreign accent, **accent;** brogue, twang, burr, drawl, broad accent.

.10 juncture, open juncture, close juncture; terminal, clause terminal, rising terminal, falling terminal; sandhi; word boundary, clause boundary; pause.

.11 **accent,** accentuation, stress accent; **emphasis, stress;** ictus, beat, rhythmical stress; rhythm, rhythmic pattern, **cadence;** prosody, prosodics, metrics 609.8; stress pattern; level of stress; primary stress, secondary stress, tertiary stress, weak stress.

.12 vowel quantity, **quantity,** mora; long vowel, short vowel, full vowel, reduced vowel.

.13 **speech sound,** phone, vocable; articulation, manner of articulation; **stop,** plosive, explosive, mute, check, occlusive, **affricate,** continuant, **liquid,** lateral, **nasal;** point *or* place of articulation; labial, bilabial, labiodental, labiovelar, dental, apico-dental, alveolar, apico-alveolar, palatal, cerebral, cacuminal, retroflex, velar, guttural, pharyngeal, glottal, laryngeal; lingual; voice, voicing; sonority; aspiration, palatalization, labialization, pharyngealization, glottalization; surd, voiceless sound; sonant, voiced sound; **consonant; semivowel,** glide, transition sound; vocalic, syllabic nucleus, syllabic peak, peak; vocoid; **vowel;** monophthong, **diphthong,** triphthong; **phoneme,** segmental phoneme, morphophoneme; modification, assimilation, dissimilation; **allophone;** parasitic vowel, epenthetic vowel, svarabhakti vowel, prothetic vowel; **syllable.**

.14 **phonetics,** articulatory phonetics, acoustic phonetics; phonology; morphophonemics; orthoepy; sound *or* phonetic law; sound shift, *Lautverschiebung* [Ger]; umlaut, mutation, ablaut, gradation; rhotacism, betacism; Grimm's law, Verner's law, Grassmann's law.

.15 **phonetician,** phonetist, phoneticist; orthoepist.

.16 **ventriloquism,** ventriloquy; **ventriloquist.**

.17 talking machine, sonovox, voder, vocoder.

.18 **talker, speaker,** sayer, utterer, patterer; chatterbox 596.4; conversationalist 597.8.

.19 **vocal** *or* **speech organ,** articulator; tongue, apex, tip, blade, dorsum, back; vocal cords *or* bands, vocal processes, vocal folds; voice box, larynx, Adam's apple, laryng(o)–; syrinx; arytenoid cartilages; glottis, vocal chink; lips, teeth, palate, hard palate, soft palate, velum, alveolus, teeth ridge, alveolar ridge; nasal cavity, oral cavity; pharynx, throat *or* pharyngeal cavity.

.20 VERBS **speak, talk; patter** *or* **gab** *or* wag the tongue [all informal]; mouth; chatter 596.5; converse 597.9; declaim 599.10.

.21 [slang terms] **yap,** yak, yakkety-yak, spiel, **chin,** jaw, shoot off one's face, shoot *or* bat the breeze, beat the gums.

.22 **speak up, speak out, pipe up, open one's mouth,** open one's lips, say out, lift *or* raise one's voice, break silence; take the floor; put in a word, get in a word edgewise.

.23 **say, utter, breathe,** sound, **voice,** vocalize, phonate, **articulate, enunciate, pronounce,** lip, give voice, give tongue, give utterance; whisper; **express,** give expression, verbalize, put in words, find words to express; **word,** formulate, phrase 588.4; **present,** deliver; **emit,** give, raise, **let out,** out with, come *or* give out with, put *or* set forth, pour forth; throw off, fling off;

chorus, chime; **tell, communicate** 554.6,7; **convey, impart, disclose** 556.4,5; have *or* say one's say, speak one's mind.

.24 **state, declare, assert,** aver, affirm, asseverate, allege; **relate, recite;** quote; proclaim, nuncupate.

.25 **remark, comment, observe, note; mention,** speak [archaic], let drop *or* fall, say by the way, make mention of; refer to, allude to, make reference to, call attention to; muse, reflect; opine [dial]; interject; blurt, blurt out, exclaim.

.26 (utter in a certain way) murmur, mutter, mumble, whisper, breathe, buzz, sigh; gasp, pant; exclaim, yell 459.6–9; sing, lilt, warble, chant, coo, chirp; pipe, flute; cackle, crow; bark, yelp, yap; growl, snap, snarl; hiss, sibilate; grunt, snort; roar, bellow, blare, trumpet, bray, blat, bawl, thunder, rumble, boom; scream, shriek, screech, squeal, squawk, yawp, squall; whine, wail, keen, blubber, sob; drawl, twang.

.27 **address, speak to, talk to,** bespeak, beg the ear of; **appeal to,** invoke; apostrophize; **approach; buttonhole,** take by the button *or* lapel; take aside, talk to in private, closet oneself with; **accost, call to, hail,** halloo, greet, salute, speak, speak fair.

.28 **pass one's lips, escape one's lips,** fall from the lips *or* mouth.

.29 inflect, modulate, intonate.

.30 ADJS **speech, linguistic,** lingual; **spoken, uttered, said,** vocalized, **voiced, pronounced, sounded, articulated, enunciated;** vocal, voiceful; **oral, verbal, unwritten,** *viva voce* [L], nuncupative, parol; acroamatic(al).

.31 **phonetic,** phonic; intonated; pitched, pitch, **tonal,** tonic, oxytone, oxytonic, paroxytonic, barytone; **accented, stressed,** strong, heavy; unaccented, unstressed, weak, light, pretonic, atonic, posttonic; articulated; stopped, muted, checked, occlusive, nasal, nasalized, twangy, continuant, liquid, lateral, affricated; labial, bilabial, labiodental, labiovelar, dental, apico-dental, alveolar, apico-alveolar, palatal, cerebral, cacuminal, retroflex, velar, guttural, throaty, thick, pharyngeal, glottal; lingual, glossal; apical, laminal, dorsal; low, high, mid, open, broad, close; front, back, central; wide, lax, tense, narrow; voiced, sonant, voiceless, surd; rounded, unrounded, flat; aspirated; labialized; palatalized, soft, *mouillé* [Fr]; unpalatalized, hard; pharyngealized, glottalized; **consonant,** consonantal, semivowel, glide, **vowel;** vowellike, vocoid, vocalic, syllabic; monophthongal, diphthongal, triphthongal; **phonemic;** assimilated, dissimilated.

.32 **speaking, talking;** articulate, talkative 596.9; eloquent 600.8, well-spoken; true-speaking, clean-speaking, plain-speaking, plain-spoken, **outspoken,** free-speaking, free-spoken, loud-speaking, loud-spoken, soft-speaking, soft-spoken; English-speaking, etc.

.33 ventriloquial, ventriloquistic.

.34 ADVS **orally, vocally, verbally, by word of mouth,** *viva voce* [L]; from the lips of, from his own mouth.

595. IMPERFECT SPEECH

.1 NOUNS **speech defect,** speech impediment, impairment of speech, –lalia *or* –laly, –phasia *or* –phasy, –phemia, –phonia, –phrasia; dysarthria, dysphasia, dysphrasia; dyslalia, dyslogia; idioglossia, idiolalia; **broken speech,** cracked *or* broken voice, broken tones *or* accents; indistinct *or* blurred *or* muzzy speech; loss of voice, aphonia; **nasalization,** nasal tone *or* accent, **twang,** nasal twang, talking through one's nose; **falsetto,** childish treble, artificial voice; **shake, quaver,** tremor; **lisp,** lisping; hiss, sibilation; **croak,** choked voice, hawking voice; crow; harshness, dysphonia, hoarseness 458.2.

.2 **inarticulateness,** inarticulacy; thickness of speech.

.3 **stammering, stuttering,** hesitation, faltering, traulism, dysphemia, *balbuties* [L]; palilalia; stammer, stutter.

.4 **mumbling, muttering,** maundering; droning, drone; mumble, mutter; jabber, jibber, gibber, gibbering, gabble; whispering, whisper, susurration; mouthing; murmuring.

.5 **mispronunciation,** misspeaking, cacology, cacoepy; lallation, lambdacism, paralambdacism; rhotacism, pararhotacism; gammacism; mytacism; **corruption.**

.6 **aphasia,** motor aphasia, paraphasia, jargon aphasia, paranomia; aphrasia; loss of speech, mutism, muteness 451.2.

.7 VERBS **speak poorly,** talk incoherently, be unable to put two words together; have an impediment in one's speech, have a bone in one's neck *or* throat; speak thickly; **croak; lisp; shake, quaver; drawl;** mince, clip one's words.

.8 **stammer, stutter,** hesitate, falter, halt,

mammer [Brit dial], stumble; hem, haw, hum, **hum and haw, hem and haw.**

.9 **mumble, mutter,** maunder; drone; swallow one's words, speak drunkenly *or* incoherently; jabber, gibber, gabble; splutter, sputter; blubber, sob; whisper, susurrate; murmur; mouth.

.10 nasalize, **speak through one's nose,** twang, snuffle.

.11 **mispronounce,** misspeak, missay, **murder the King's** *or* **Queen's English.**

.12 ADJS (imperfectly spoken) inarticulate, indistinct, blurred, muzzy; **mispronounced; shaky,** shaking, **quavering,** tremulous, titubant; **drawling,** drawly; **lisping; throaty, guttural,** thick, velar; stifled, choked, choking, strangled; **nasal, twangy,** breathy, adenoidal, snuffling; croaking, hawking; harsh, dysphonic, hoarse 458.12–16.

.13 **stammering, stuttering,** halting, hesitating, faltering, stumbling, balbutient.

596. TALKATIVENESS

.1 NOUNS **talkativeness, loquacity,** loquaciousness; overtalkativeness, loose tongue, big mouth [informal]; gabbiness *or* windiness *or* gassiness [all informal]; **garrulousness,** garrulity; **long-windedness, prolixity, verbosity** 593.2; multiloquence, multiloquy; **volubility, fluency, glibness;** fluent tongue, flowing tongue, **gift of gab** [informal]; openness, candor, frankness 974.4; effusion, gush, slush; gushiness, **effusiveness** 593.1; flow *or* flux *or* spate of words; *flux de bouche, flux de mots, flux de paroles* [all Fr]; **communicativeness** 554.3; gregariousness, sociability, conversableness 922.

.2 logomania, logorrhea, diarrhea of the mouth, verbal diarrhea, *cacoëthes loquendi, furor loquendi* [both L].

.3 **chatter, jabber,** gibber, **babble,** babblement, prate, **prating, prattle, palaver,** chat, natter [Brit], **gabble, gab** [informal], blab, **blabber, blather,** blether, blethers [Scot], clatter, clack, cackle, talkee-talkee; *caquet, caqueterie, bavardage* [all Fr], twaddle, twattle, **gibble-gabble, bibble-babble, chitter-chatter, prittle-prattle, tittle-tattle,** mere talk, idle talk *or* chatter, "the hare-brained chatter of irresponsible frivolity" [Disraeli]; **guff** *or* **gas** *or* **hot air** *or* blah-blah *or* yak *or* yakkety-yak [all slang]; **gossip;** nonsense talk 547.2.

.4 **chatterer, chatterbox, babbler, jabberer, prater, prattler, gabbler,** gibble-gabbler, **gabber** [informal], **blabberer,** blatherer, patterer, word-slinger, *moulin à paroles* [Fr], blab, rattle, "agreeable rattle" [Goldsmith]; magpie, jay; **windbag** *or* gasbag *or* windjammer *or* hot-air artist [all slang]; idle chatterer, talkative person, **big** *or* **great talker** [informal], spendthrift of one's tongue.

.5 VERBS **chatter, chat, prate, prattle, patter,** palaver, **babble, gab** [informal], natter [Brit], **gabble, gibble-gabble,** tittle-tattle, **jabber,** gibber, **blab, blabber, blather,** blether, clatter, twaddle, twattle, rattle, clack, waffle [Brit], haver [Brit], dither, spout *or* **spout off** [both informal], pour forth, **gush,** talk to hear one's head rattle [informal]; **jaw** *or* **gas** *or* yak *or* **yakkety-yak** *or* run off at the mouth *or* beat one's gums [all slang], **shoot off one's mouth** *or* **face** [slang]; reel off; **talk on,** talk away, **go on** [informal], run on, rattle on, run on like a mill race; ramble on; talk oneself hoarse, talk till one is blue in the face, talk oneself out of breath; "varnish nonsense with the charms of sound" [Charles Churchill]; **talk too much; gossip;** talk nonsense 549.5.

.6 **talk one to death, talk one's head** *or* **ear off,** talk one deaf and dumb, talk one into a fever, talk the hind leg off a mule.

.7 **outtalk,** outspeak, **talk down,** outlast; filibuster.

.8 be loquacious *or* garrulous, be a windbag or gasbag [slang]; have a big mouth *or* bazoo [slang].

.9 ADJS talkative, loquacious, talky, big-mouthed [informal], overtalkative, garrulous, chatty; gossipy, newsy; gabby *or* windy *or* gassy [all slang], all jaw [slang]; multiloquent, multiloquious; **long-winded, prolix, verbose** 593.12; **voluble, fluent; glib,** flip [informal], smooth; candid, frank 974.17; **effusive,** gushy; expansive, **communicative** 554.11; conversational; gregarious, sociable 922.18.

.10 **chattering, prattling, prating,** gabbling, jabbering, gibbering, blabbing, blabbering, blathering.

.11 ADVS **talkatively, loquaciously,** garrulously; **volubly, fluently,** glibly; effusively, gushingly.

597. CONVERSATION

.1 NOUNS **conversation, converse,** conversing, rapping [slang]; interlocution, colloquy; **exchange;** verbal intercourse, interchange of speech, give-and-take; **discourse,** colloquial discourse; **communion, intercourse, communication** 554.

.2 **the art of conversation,** "a game of circles", "our account of ourselves" [both Emerson]; "the sweeter banquet of the mind", "the feast of reason and the flow of soul" [both Pope].

.3 **talk, palaver, speech, words;** confabulation, **confab** [informal]; **chinfest** *or* **talkfest** *or* **bull session** [all informal]; **dialogue,** duologue, trialogue; question-and-answer session.

.4 **chat,** cozy chat, friendly chat *or* talk, **little talk,** coze, causerie, **visit** [informal], gam, *tête-à-tête* [Fr], **heart-to-heart talk.**

.5 **chitchat,** chitter-chatter, tittle-tattle, **small talk,** cocktail-party chitchat, beauty-parlor chitchat, tea-table talk, table talk, idle chat *or* gossip, backchat.

.6 **conference, congress, convention, parley, palaver, confab** [informal], confabulation, **conclave, powwow, huddle** [informal], **consultation,** *pourparler* [Fr], **meeting;** session, sitting, séance; exchange *or* interchange of views; **council,** council of war; **discussion; interview, audience; news conference,** press conference; high-level talk, conference at the summit, summit, summit conference; summitry; negotiations, bargaining, bargaining session; confrontation, eyeball-to-eyeball encounter [informal]; council fire.

.7 **discussion, debate,** debating, **deliberation, dialogue,** exchange of views, canvassing, ventilation, airing, review, **treatment, consideration,** investigation, **examination, study, analysis,** logical analysis; logical discussion, dialectic; buzz session [informal], rap *or* rap session [both slang]; panel discussion, open discussion, joint discussion, symposium, colloquium, conference, seminar; forum, open forum, town meeting.

.8 **conversationalist,** converser, conversationist; talker, discourser, confabulator; colloquist, colloquialist, collocutor; conversational partner; interlocutor, interlocutress *or* interlocutrice *or* interlocutrix; parleyer, palaverer; dialogist; Dr. Johnson.

.9 VERBS **converse, talk together, talk** *or* **speak with,** converse with, visit with [informal], discourse with, **commune with,** communicate with, take counsel with, commerce with, **have a talk with,** have a word with, **chin** [slang], **chew the rag** *or* **fat** [slang], **shoot the breeze** [slang], hold *or* carry on *or* join in *or* engage in a conversation; confabulate, confab [informal]; colloque, colloquize; "inject a few raisins of conversation into the tasteless dough of existence" [O. Henry]; **bandy words; communicate** 554.6,7.

.10 **chat, visit** [informal], gam, coze, have a friendly *or* cozy chat; **have a little talk,** have a heart-to-heart talk, let one's hair down; talk with one in private, talk with one *tête-à-tête,* be closeted with, make conversation *or* talk; **prattle,** prittle-prattle, tittle-tattle; **gossip.**

.11 **confer,** hold conference, parley, palaver, powwow, sit down together, meet around the conference table, **go into a huddle** [informal], deliberate, take counsel, counsel, **lay** *or* **put heads together;** collogue; **confer with,** sit down with, **consult with, advise with, discuss with, take up with,** reason with; **discuss,** talk over; **consult,** refer to, call in; **compare notes,** exchange observations *or* views; have conversations; negotiate, bargain.

.12 **discuss, debate, reason, deliberate,** deliberate upon, exchange views *or* opinions, talk, **talk over,** talk of *or* about, rap [slang], comment upon, reason about, discourse about, **consider, treat,** handle, deal with, take up, **go into, examine,** investigate, **analyze,** sift, **study,** canvass, review, pass under review, controvert, ventilate, air, thresh out, reason the point, consider pro and con; **kick** *or* **knock around** [slang].

.13 ADJS conversational, colloquial, confabulatory, interlocutory; communicative 554.11; chatty, chitchatty, cozy.

.14 ADVS conversationally, colloquially; *tête-à-tête* [Fr].

598. SOLILOQUY

.1 NOUNS **soliloquy,** monology; **monologue;** aside; solo; monodrama.

.2 **soliloquist,** soliloquizer, Hamlet; **monologist.**

.3 VERBS **soliloquize,** monologize; **talk to oneself,** say to oneself, tell oneself, think out loud *or* aloud; address the four walls; say aside; do all the talking, monopolize the conversation, hold forth without interruption.

.4 ADJS soliloquizing, monologic(al), apostrophic; soloistic; monodramatic.

599. PUBLIC SPEAKING

.1 NOUNS **public speaking, declamation, speechmaking, speaking,** speechification [informal], lecturing, speeching; **oratory,** platform oratory *or* speaking; campaign oratory, stump speaking; **elocution; rhet-**

oric, art of public speaking; eloquence 600; forensics, **debating;** speechcraft, wordcraft; homiletics; demagogism, demagoguery, rabble-rousing; **pyrotechnics.**

.2 **speech,** speeching, speechification [informal], **talk, oration, address,** declamation, harangue; public speech *or* address, formal speech, set speech, prepared speech *or* text; say; **tirade,** screed, **diatribe,** jeremiad, philippic, invective; after-dinner speech; funeral oration, eulogy; allocution, exhortation, hortatory address, forensic, forensic address; **recitation,** recital, reading; salutatory, salutatory address; valediction, valedictory, valedictory address; inaugural address, inaugural; chalk talk [informal]; pep talk [informal]; pitch, sales talk 829.5; talkathon, filibuster; peroration; debate.

.3 **lecture,** prelection, **discourse,** log(o)–, –log(ue), –logia, –logy; **sermon,** sermonette, homily, religious discourse; preachment, preaching, preachification [informal]; travelogue.

.4 **speaker, talker, public speaker, speechmaker,** speecher, speechifier [informal], spieler *or* jawsmith [both slang]; after-dinner speaker; **spokesman,** spokeswoman; **demagogue,** rabble-rouser; declaimer, ranter, tub-thumper [informal], haranguer, spouter [informal]; panelist, debater.

.5 **lecturer,** praelector, discourser, reader; **preacher;** sermonizer, sermonist, sermoner, homilist [archaic], pulpitarian, pulpiteer, Boanerges; **expositor,** expounder; chalk talker [informal].

.6 **orator, public speaker,** platform orator *or* speaker; rhetorician, rhetor; silver-tongued orator, **spellbinder;** Demosthenes, Cicero, Franklin D. Roosevelt, Winston Churchill, William Jennings Bryan; **soapbox orator,** soapboxer, stump orator.

.7 **elocutionist,** elocutioner; **recitationist,** reciter, diseur, diseuse; reader; improvisator, *improvvisatore* [Ital].

.8 **rhetorician,** teacher of rhetoric, rhetor, elocutionist.

.9 VERBS **make a speech, give a talk, deliver an address,** speechify [informal], **speak, talk, discourse; address;** stump [informal], go on *or* take the stump; platform, soapbox; take the floor.

.10 **declaim,** hold forth, **orate,** elocute [informal], spout [informal], spiel [informal], mouth; **harangue, rant,** "out-herod Herod" [Shakespeare], tub-thump, perorate, rodomontade; **recite,** read; debate; demagogue, rabble-rouse.

.11 **lecture,** prelect, read *or* deliver a lecture; **preach,** preachify [informal], **sermonize,** read a sermon.

.12 ADJS **declamatory, elocutionary, oratorical, rhetorical,** forensic; eloquent 600.8; demagogic(al).

600. ELOQUENCE

.1 NOUNS **eloquence, rhetoric, silver tongue,** eloquent tongue, facundity; **articulateness;** gift of gab [informal], **glibness,** smoothness, slickness; **felicitousness,** felicity; **oratory** 599.1; expression, **expressiveness,** command of words *or* language, gift of expression, vividness, graphicness; pleasing *or* effective style; **meaningfulness** 545.5.

.2 **fluency,** flow; **smoothness, facility, ease; grace,** gracefulness, poetry; **elegance** 589.

.3 **vigor, force,** power, strength, vitality, drive, sinew, sineweiness, nervousness, nervosity, vigorousness, forcefulness, effectiveness, impressiveness, punch *or* guts [both informal]; incisiveness, trenchancy, cuttingness, poignancy, bitingness, bite, mordancy; strong language, "thoughts that breathe and words that burn" [Thomas Gray].

.4 **spirit,** pep [informal], liveliness, raciness, sparkle, vivacity, dash, verve, vividness; piquancy, poignancy, pungency.

.5 **vehemence, passion,** impassionedness, enthusiasm, **ardor,** ardency, **fervor,** fervency, fire, fieriness, glow, warmth.

.6 **loftiness,** elevation, sublimity; grandeur, **nobility,** stateliness, majesty, gravity, solemnity, dignity.

.7 VERBS **have the gift of gab** [informal], have a tongue in one's head; spellbind; shine, "pour the full tide of eloquence along" [Pope].

.8 ADJS **eloquent, silver-tongued,** silver; well-speaking, well-spoken, **articulate,** facund; **glib, smooth,** smooth-spoken, smooth-tongued, **slick; felicitous;** spellbinding; Demosthenic, Demosthenian; Ciceronian, Tullian.

.9 **fluent, flowing,** tripping; **smooth,** pleasing, facile, **easy, graceful, elegant** 589.6.

.10 **expressive, graphic, vivid,** suggestive, imaginative; **meaningful** 545.10.

.11 **vigorous,** strong, **powerful,** imperative, **forceful,** forcible, vital, driving, sinewy, sinewed, nervous, punchy *or* gutsy [both informal], **striking, telling, effective,** impressive; incisive, trenchant, cutting, bit-

ing, piercing, poignant, penetrating, slashing, mordant, acid, corrosive; sensational.

.12 **spirited, lively,** peppy [informal], racy, sparkling, vivacious; piquant, poignant, pungent.

.13 **vehement,** emphatic, **passionate, impassioned,** enthusiastic, **ardent,** fiery, **fervent,** burning, glowing, warm; urgent, stirring, exciting, stimulating, provoking.

.14 **lofty, elevated, sublime, grand, majestic,** noble, stately, grave, solemn, dignified; serious, weighty; moving, inspiring.

.15 ADVS **eloquently; fluently,** smoothly, glibly, trippingly on the tongue; **expressively,** vividly, graphically; **meaningfully** 545.13; **vigorously,** powerfully, forcefully, spiritedly; tellingly, strikingly, effectively, impressively; **vehemently, passionately,** ardently, fervently, warmly, glowingly, in glowing terms.

601. GRANDILOQUENCE

.1 NOUNS **grandiloquence,** magniloquence, lexiphanicism, **pompousness,** pomposity, orotundity; **rhetoric,** mere rhetoric, rhetoricalness; high-flown diction, big *or* tall talk [informal]; grandioseness, grandiosity; loftiness, stiltedness; fulsomeness; **pretentiousness,** pretension, **affectation** 589.3; ostentation; showiness, flashiness, gaudiness, meretriciousness, bedizenment, garishness; sensationalism, luridness, Barnumism; **inflation, inflatedness,** swollenness, turgidity, turgescence, flatulence *or* flatulency, tumidness, tumidity; sententiousness, pontification; swollen phrase *or* diction, swelling utterance; platitudinous ponderosity, polysyllabic profundity, pompous prolixity; Johnsonese; prose run mad; convolution, tortuosity, tortuousness, ostentatious complexity *or* profundity.

.2 **bombast,** bombastry, **fustian,** highfalutin [informal], **rant,** rodomontade; **hot air** [slang]; balderdash, gobbledygook [slang].

.3 high-sounding words, lexiphanicism, hard words; **sesquipedalian word,** big *or* long word, two-dollar word [slang], **jawbreaker,** jawtwister, mouthful; antidisestablishmentarianism, honorificabilitudinitatibus [Shakespeare], pneumonoultramicroscopicsilicovolcanoconiosis; polysyllabism, sesquipedalianism, sesquipedality; Latinate diction; academic choctaw, technical jargon.

.4 **ornateness, floweriness,** floridness, floridity, lushness, luxuriance; flourish, flourish of rhetoric, flowers of speech *or* rhetoric, **purple patches** *or* **passages,** beauties, fine writing; **ornament,** ornamentation, **adornment, embellishment,** elegant variation, **embroidery, frill,** colors *or* colors of rhetoric [both archaic], figure, **figure of speech** 551.

.5 **phrasemonger,** rhetorician; phraseman, phrasemaker, fine writer, wordspinner; euphuist, Gongorist, Marinist; pedant.

.6 VERBS **talk big** [informal], talk highfalutin [informal], **pontificate, blow** [slang], **vapor,** Barnumize; inflate, bombast, lay *or* pile it on [informal], lay it on thick *or* lay it on with a trowel [both informal]; smell of the lamp.

.7 **ornament, decorate, adorn, embellish, embroider,** enrich; overcharge, overlay, overload, load with ornament, festoon, weight down with ornament, flourish [archaic]; **gild,** trick out, varnish; paint in glowing colors, tell in glowing terms; "to gild refined gold, to paint the lily, to throw a perfume on the violet" [Shakespeare]; elaborate, convolute, involve.

.8 ADJS **grandiloquent,** magniloquent, **pompous, orotund; grandiose;** fulsome; lofty, elevated, tall [informal], **stilted; pretentious, affected** 589.9; overdone, overwrought; **showy, flashy, ostentatious,** gaudy, meretricious, flamboyant, flaming, bedizened, flaunting, garish; lurid, sensational, sensationalistic; **high-flown, high-falutin** [informal], high-flying; high-flowing, **high-sounding, big-sounding,** great-sounding, grandisonant [archaic], sonorous; **rhetorical,** declamatory; **pedantic,** inkhorn, lexiphanic [archaic]; sententious, Johnsonian; convoluted, tortuous, labyrinthine, overelaborate, overinvolved; euphuistic, Gongoresque.

.9 **bombastic,** fustian, mouthy, **inflated, swollen,** swelling, turgid, turgescent, tumid, tumescent, flatulent, windy *or* gassy [both informal].

.10 sesquipedalian, sesquipedal, polysyllabic, jawbreaking [informal].

.11 **ornate,** purple [informal], colored, **fancy;** adorned, **embellished, embroidered,** decorated, festooned, overcharged, overloaded, befrilled; **flowery, florid,** lush, luxuriant; figured, **figurative** 551.3.

.12 ADVS **grandiloquently,** magniloquently, **pompously,** grandiosely, loftily, stiltedly, pretentiously; **ostentatiously,** showily; **bombastically,** turgidly, tumidly, flatulently, windily [informal].

.13 **ornately,** fancily; **flowerily,** floridly.

602. WRITING

.1 NOUNS **writing,** scrivening *or* scrivenery [both archaic], inscription, lettering, grapho–, –graphy, –graphia; engrossment; pen, **pen-and-ink;** inkslinging *or* ink spilling [both slang], pen *or* pencil driving *or* pushing [slang]; **typing, typewriting;** macrography, micrography; stroke *or* dash of the pen, *coup de plume* [Fr]; secret writing, cryptography 614.6.

.2 **authorship, writing,** authorcraft, pencraft, **composition,** inditement; pen; **creative writing,** literary composition, literary production, verse-writing, short-story writing, novel-writing, playwriting, drama-writing; essay-writing; **expository writing;** technical writing; journalism, editorial-writing, feature-writing, rewriting; songwriting, lyric-writing, libretto-writing; artistry, literary power, literary artistry, literary talent *or* flair, skill with words *or* language, facility in writing, ready pen; **writer's itch,** graphomania, scribblemania, graphorrhea, *cacoethes scribendi* [L]; automatic writing; writer's cramp, graphospasm.

.3 **handwriting, hand, script,** scription, fist [informal], chirography, **calligraphy,** autography; **manuscript,** scrive [Scot]; **penmanship,** penscript, pencraft; stylography; graphology, graphanalysis, graphometry; paleography.

.4 (style of handwriting) **longhand,** cursive; bold hand, round hand, slanting hand, perpendicular hand, letter hand, book hand, Spencerian writing, Italian hand, law hand, court hand, charter hand, chancery hand, text hand, copperplate hand; cursive hand, minuscule script; uncial, majuscule script; **printing,** handprinting, block letter, **lettering.**

.5 (good writing) **calligraphy,** fine writing, elegant penmanship, **good hand,** fine hand, good fist [informal], fair hand, copybook hand.

.6 (bad writing) **cacography, bad hand,** poor fist [informal], cramped *or* crabbed hand, botched writing, childish scrawl, illegible handwriting, *griffonage* [Fr].

.7 **scribbling,** scribblement; **scribble,** scrabble, **scrawl, scratch,** *barbouillage* [Fr]; *pattes de mouche* [Fr], hen tracks, hen scratches, pothookery, pothooks, pothooks and hangers.

.8 **stenography, shorthand,** brachygraphy, tachygraphy; Speedwriting; phonography, stenotypy; contraction.

.9 **letter, written character** 581.1; **alphabet, writing system** 581.3,9; punctuation 586.15, 18–20.

.10 (written matter) **writing, piece,** –graph, –gram; piece of writing, screed; **copy, matter;** printed matter, literature, reading matter; the written word, *literae scriptae* [L]; nonfiction; fiction 608.7,8; **composition, work,** opus, production, literary production, literary artefact *or* artifact, lucubration, brainchild; essay, article 606.1; poem 609.6; play 611.4–6; letter 604.2; **document** 570.5-8; **paper,** parchment, scroll; **script,** scrip, scrive [Scot]; **penscript, typescript; manuscript,** MS., Ms., ms., holograph, autograph; **draft,** first draft, second draft, etc., recension, **version;** edited version, finished version, final draft; transcription, transcript, fair copy, engrossment; flimsy; original, author's copy; printout, computer printout.

.11 (ancient manuscript) **codex;** scroll; palimpsest, *codex rescriptus* [L]; papyrus, parchment.

.12 **literature, letters, belles lettres,** polite literature, humane letters, *litterae humaniores* [L], republic of letters; serious literature; **classics,** ancient literature; medieval literature, Renaissance literature, etc.; national literature, English literature, French literature, etc.; contemporary literature; underground literature; pseudonymous literature; folk literature; travel literature; wisdom literature; erotic literature, erotica, pornographic literature, pornography, porn [slang], obscene literature, scatological literature; popular literature, pop literature [slang]; kitsch.

.13 **writer, scribbler** [slang], **penman,** pen, penner, –grapher; pen *or* pencil driver *or* pusher [slang], word-slinger, **inkslinger** *or* ink spiller [both slang], knight of the plume *or* pen *or* quill [informal]; **scribe, scrivener, amanuensis, secretary,** recording secretary, **clerk;** letterer; **copyist,** copier, transcriber; chirographer, calligrapher.

.14 **writing expert,** graphologist, handwriting expert, graphometrist; paleographer.

.15 **author, writer,** scribe [informal], composer, inditer; authoress, penwoman; **creative writer,** *littérateur* [Fr], literary artist, literary craftsman *or* artisan *or* journeyman, belletrist, man of letters, literary man; wordsmith, word painter; free lance, free-lance writer; ghostwriter, ghost [informal]; collaborator, coauthor; prose writer, logographer; story writer, **short-**

story writer; storyteller 608.10; **novelist,** novelettist; diarist; **newspaperman** 605.22; **annalist** 608.11; **poet** 609.13; **dramatist** 611.27, humorist 881.12; scriptwriter, scenario writer, scenarist; nonfiction writer; article writer, magazine writer; **essayist;** monographer; reviewer, critic, literary critic, music critic, art critic; drama critic, dance critic; columnist; pamphleteer; technical writer; copywriter, advertising writer; compiler, encyclopedist, bibliographer.

.16 **hack writer,** hack, literary hack, Grub Street writer [Brit], **penny-a-liner, scribbler** [slang], **potboiler** [informal].

.17 **stenographer,** brachygrapher, tachygrapher; phonographer, stenotypist.

.18 **typist;** printer.

.19 VERBS **write, pen, pencil,** drive *or* push the pen *or* pencil [slang]; stain *or* spoil paper [informal], shed *or* spill ink [informal], **scribe,** scrive [Scot]; inscribe, scroll; superscribe; enface; take pen in hand; **put in writing,** put in black and white; **draw up, draft, write out,** make out; **write down, record** 570.16; take down in shorthand; **type; transcribe,** copy out, engross, make a fair copy, copy; trace; **rewrite, revise, edit,** recense, make a recension, make a critical revision.

.20 **scribble,** scrabble, **scratch, scrawl;** doodle.

.21 **write,** author, **compose, indite,** formulate, produce, prepare; dash off, knock off *or* out [informal], throw on paper; free-lance; collaborate, coauthor; ghostwrite, ghost [informal]; novelize; scenarize; pamphleteer; editorialize.

.22 ADJS **written,** penned, penciled; **inscribed;** engrossed; **in writing, in black and white,** on paper; scriptural, scriptorial, graphic; calligraphic, chirographic(al); stylographic(al); manuscript, autograph, autographic(al), holograph, holographic(al), in one's own hand, under one's hand; **longhand,** in longhand; **shorthand,** in shorthand; italic, italicized; cursive, running, flowing; graphologic(al), graphometric(al); graphoanalytic(al); typewritten; printed.

.23 **scribbled,** scrabbled, **scratched, scrawled; scribbly, scratchy, scrawly.**

.24 **literary,** belletristic; classical.

.25 auctorial, authorial; polygraphic; graphomaniac(al), scribblemaniac(al), scripturient [archaic].

.26 **alphabetic,** ideographic, etc. 581.8.

.27 stenographic(al), tachygraphic(al), **shorthand,** in shorthand; phonographic(al).

.28 **clerical, secretarial.**

.29 **stationery**

biblus	paper
bond paper	papyrus
carbon paper	parchment
copy *or* copying paper	rice paper
demy	scratch pad
flimsy	scroll
foolscap	stencil
lambskin (parchment)	tracing paper
legal-size paper	typing paper
letter paper	vellum
note paper	writing paper
pad	

.30 **writing materials**

ballpoint pen	lettering pen
blackboard	nib
cartridge pen	pen
chalk	penpoint
China *or* Chinese ink	plume
copying ink	printer's ink
crayon	quill
drawing ink	reed
eraser	secret *or* invisible *or* sympathetic ink
felt-tip pen	slate
fountain pen	snorkel pen
India *or* Indian ink	stencil
ink	style
ink cartridge	stylograph, stylograph pen
ink eradicator	stylus
ink eraser	table
inkhorn	tablet
inkpot	typewriter ribbon
inkstand	writing brush
inkwell	
lead pencil	

.31 **writing machines**

addressing machine	stenotype
Addressograph	teleprinter
Composaline	Teletype, teletypewriter
electric typewriter	ticker, stock ticker
Flexowriter	typewriter
Selectric	VariTyper
stenograph	

603. PRINTING

.1 NOUNS **printing,** publishing, publication, –typy; photographic reproduction, photochemical process, phototypography, phototypy; **photoengraving; letterpress,** relief printing, **typography,** letterpress photoengraving; zincography, photozincography; line engraving, halftone engraving; stereotypy; wood-block printing, xylotypography, chromoxylography; intaglio printing, **gravure;** rotogravure, rotary photogravure; planographic printing, planography, **lithography,** typolithography, photolithography, lithogravure, lithophotogravure; offset lithography, offset, dry offset, photo-offset; photogelatin process, albertype, collotype; electronography, electrostatic printing, onset, xerography, xeroprinting; stencil, mimeograph, silk-screen

printing; color printing, chromotypography, chromotypy, two-color printing, three-color printing; book printing, job printing, sheetwork; history of printing, palaeotypography; photography 577; **graphic arts, printmaking** 578.1.

.2 composing, composition, typesetting, setting; hand composition, machine composition; hot-metal typesetting, cold-type typesetting, photosetting, photocomposition; imposition; justification; composing stick, galley chase, furniture, quoin; typesetting machine, Linotype, Intertype, Monotype, phototypesetter, phototypesetting machine; computerized typesetting; line of type, slug; layout, dummy.

.3 **print, imprint, stamp, impression, impress,** letterpress; reprint, reissue; offprint; offcut; offset, setoff, mackle.

.4 **copy,** printer's copy, manuscript, typescript; **matter;** composed matter, live matter, dead matter, standing matter.

.5 **proof,** proof sheet, pull [Brit], trial impression; galley, **galley proof,** slip; page proof, foundry proof, plate proof, stone proof, press proof, cold-type proof, color proof, computer proof, engraver's proof, reproduction *or* repro proof, blueprint, blue [informal], vandyke, progressive proof; author's proof; revise.

.6 **type, print, stamp, letter;** type body *or* shank *or* stem, body, shank, stem, shoulder, belly, back, bevel, beard, feet, groove, nick, face, counter; ascender, descender, serif; lower case, minuscule; upper case, majuscule; capital, cap [informal], small capital, small cap [informal]; ligature, logotype; bastard type, bottle-assed type, fat-faced type; **pi;** type lice; **font; face,** typeface; type class, roman, sans serif, script, italic, black letter; case, typecase; point, pica; en, em; typefounders, typefoundry.

.7 **space,** patent space, justifying space, justification space; spaceband, slug; quadrat, quad; em quad, en quad; em, en; three-em space, thick space; four-em space, five-em space, thin space; hair space.

.8 **printing surface, plate,** printing plate; typeform, locked-up page; duplicate plate, electrotype, stereotype, plastic plate, rubber plate; zincograph, zincotype; stone.

.9 **presswork,** makeready; **press, printing press,** printing machine [Brit]; platen press, flatbed cylinder press, cylinder press, rotary press, web press, rotogravure press; bed, platen, web.

.10 **printed matter; reading matter, text,** letterpress [Brit]; advertising matter; advance sheets.

.11 **press,** printing office, printshop, printery, printers; publishers, **publishing house; pressroom,** composing room, proofroom.

.12 **printer,** pressman; **compositor, typesetter,** typographer, Linotyper; keyboarder; stoneman, makeup man; proofer; stereotyper, stereotypist, electrotyper; apprentice printer, devil, **printer's devil.**

.13 **proofreader,** reader, printer's reader [Brit]; **copyreader,** copy editor, copyholder.

.14 VERBS **print; imprint, impress, stamp,** enstamp [archaic]; engrave 578.10; run, run off, strike; **publish, issue, bring out, put out, get out;** put to press, put to bed, see through the press; prove, proof, prove up, make *or* pull a proof, pull; overprint; reprint, reissue; mimeograph, hectograph; multigraph.

.15 autotype, electrotype, linotype, monotype, palaeotype, stereotype; keyboard.

.16 **compose,** set, set in print; **make up,** impose; justify, overrun; pi, pi a form.

.17 **copy-edit; proofread,** read, read *or* correct copy.

.18 (be printed) go to press, come out, appear in print.

.19 ADJS **printed, in print;** typeset.

.20 **typographic(al);** phototypic, phototypographic; chromotypic, chromotypographic; stereotypic, palaeotypographic(al); **boldface,** bold-faced, blackface, black-faced, full-faced; **lightface,** light-faced; **upper-case, lower-case.**

.21 **typesetting machines**

Alphatype
Composaline
Diatype
Elrod
Fotomatic
Fotosetter
Fototronic
Intertype
Linasec
Linofilm
Linotron
Linotype
Ludlow
Monophoto
Monotype
Monotype caster
Monotype keyboard
Photon
phototypesetter
Tapetron
VideoComp
V-I-P
Zip

.22 **type sizes**

3-point, excelsior
3½-point, brilliant
4-point, gem
4½-point, diamond
5-point, pearl
5½-point, agate, ruby
6-point, nonpareil
7-point, minion
8-point, brevier
9-point, bourgeois
10-point, elite *or* long primer
11-point, small pica
12-point, pica
14-point, English
16-point, Columbian
18-point, great primer
20-point, paragon
48-point, canon

.23 type styles, typefaces

antique
Baskerville
blackface
black letter
block-serifed
Bodoni
boldface, bold
Bulmer
Caledonia
Caslon
Caslon Old Style
Century
Clarendon
condensed
cursive
display
Doric
Egyptian
Electra
Elzevir
expanded
extended
extraboldface, extra-bold
extracondensed
Futura
Garamond
German text
Gothic
Goudy
Granjon
grotesque
Ionic
italic
Janson
lightface
modern
Old English
old style
roman
sans serif
script
Times Roman
Transitional
Typewriter

.24 presses

copying press
cylinder press
electrotype press
flatbed press, flat press
foundry press
four-color press
galley press
gravure press
hand press
letterpress
Multigraph
offset lithography press
perfecting press
platen press
proof press
rotary press
sheet-fed press
two-color press
web press, web-fed press

.25 copying machines

Ditto
duplicator
hectograph
mimeograph
Multigraph
pantograph
spirit duplicator
Xerox machine

.26 printing equipment

bearer
bed
bevel
blanket
boss
box
brayer
burr
case
chase
composing frame
composing rule
composing stick
drawsheet
footstick
form
frame
frisket
furniture
galley
gripper
guide
gutter, gutter stick
ink bell, inking bell
inking roller
line gauge
matrix
overlay
page gauge
platen
quoin
ratchet
reglet
rounce
turtle
tympan, tympan sheet
type mold
underlay

604. CORRESPONDENCE

.1 NOUNS **correspondence, letter writing,** written communication, epistolary intercourse *or* communication; personal correspondence, business correspondence.

.2 **letter, epistle, message, communication, dispatch, missive,** favor [archaic]; personal letter, business letter; **note, line,** chit, billet [archaic]; **reply, answer, acknowledgment,** rescript.

.3 air letter, aerogram; airgraph [Brit], V-mail; drop letter; fan letter; love letter, *billet-doux* [Fr]; poison-pen letter; open letter; chain letter; form letter; circular letter, newsletter, encyclical, encyclical letter; round robin; bull, apostolic *or* papal brief; monitory, monitory letter; pastoral letter, Pastoral Epistle; paschal letter; dimissory letter, dimissorial; letter of credence, letters credential, letters overt, letters patent, letters rogatory, letters testamentary; letters of marque; letter of delegation, letters of request, letter of credit; letter of introduction; dead letter, nixie; letter book.

.4 **card, postcard, postal card,** lettercard; picture postcard.

.5 **mail, post** [Brit], **letters, correspondence;** airmail, surface mail, seapost, sea mail; **parcel post,** PP; letter post, printed paper, halfpenny post, newspaper post, book post [all Brit]; first-class *or* second-class *or* third-class *or* fourth-class mail; junk mail [informal]; rural free delivery, RFD, rural delivery, RD; **special delivery,** special handling, express *or* express delivery [both Brit]; registered mail, certified mail; frank; letter bag; post day [Brit]; mailing list; direct mail, direct-mail advertising *or* selling, mail-order selling; fan mail.

.6 **postage;** stamp, postage stamp; frank; postmark, cancellation.

.7 **mailbox,** postbox, letter box, pillar box [Brit]; drop, letter drop; mailing machine; mailbag, postbag [Brit].

.8 **postal service, postal system; post office,** PO, general post office, GPO, sub post office, sea post office.

.9 **correspondent, letter writer,** writer, communicator; pen pal [informal]; addressee.

.10 **address,** name and address, direction [archaic], **destination,** superscription; zone, postal zone, zip code; letterhead, billhead.

.11 VERBS **correspond,** correspond with, **communicate with, write, write to,** write a letter, send a letter to, send a note, **drop a line** [informal]; use the mails; keep up a correspondence, exchange letters.

.12 **reply, answer, acknowledge;** reply by return mail.

.13 **mail, post,** dispatch, send; airmail.

.14 **address, direct,** superscribe.
.15 ADJS epistolary, epistolatory; **postal,** post.
.16 PHRS please reply, RSVP, *répondez s'il vous plaît* [Fr].

605. BOOK, PERIODICAL

.1 NOUNS **book, volume, tome,** biblio–; **publication, writing, work, opus, production; title;** opusculum, opuscule; magnum opus, great work, classic; standard work, definitive work; nonbook; folio; serial; paperback, pocket book, soft-cover, softbound book, limp-cover book; clothbound book, hardback, hard-cover book, hard book, bound book, cased book; playbook 611.26; songbook 462.28; notebook 570.11; storybook, **novel** 608.8; best seller; trade book; children's book, juvenile book, juvenile; picture book; coloring book, sketchbook; prayer book, psalter, psalmbook.

.2 **edition, issue; volume, number; printing, impression; copy; series,** set, collection, library; library edition; back number; **trade edition, trade book;** subscription edition, subscription book; school edition, text edition.

.3 **rare book,** early edition; first edition; Elzevir, Elzevir book *or* edition; Aldine, Aldine book *or* edition; manuscript, scroll, codex; incunabulum, cradle book.

.4 **compilation, omnibus; symposium; collection, collectanea, miscellany;** collected works, selected works, complete works, *œuvres* [Fr], canon; **miscellanea,** analects; ana; chrestomathy, delectus; **anthology,** garland, florilegium; flowers, beauties; garden; *Festschrift* [Ger]; quotation book; album, photograph album; scrapbook.

.5 **handbook, manual,** enchiridion, vade mecum, gradus, how-to book [informal]; cookbook, cookery book [Brit]; nature book, field guide; travel book, **guidebook** 748.10.

.6 **reference book,** work of reference; **encyclopedia,** cyclopedia; **concordance; catalog;** calendar; index; classified catalog, *catalogue raisonné* [Fr], dictionary catalog; **directory,** city directory; telephone directory, telephone book, phone book [informal]; **atlas, gazetteer;** studbook; polyglot, diatesseron, harmony; source book, casebook; record book 570.11.

.7 **dictionary, lexicon, wordbook, Webster's; glossary,** gloss, **vocabulary,** onomasticon, nomenclator; **thesaurus, Roget's,** storehouse *or* treasury of words, thesaurus dictionary, synonym dictionary, synonymy; phrase book; gradus; general dictionary, unabridged dictionary, semi-unabridged dictionary, desk dictionary, college dictionary; specialized dictionary; bilingual dictionary, foreign-language dictionary, polyglot dictionary; dialect dictionary; idiom dictionary, slang dictionary; rhyming dictionary; etymological dictionary; etymologicon; children's dictionary, juvenile dictionary, school dictionary, elementary dictionary; biographical dictionary; geographical dictionary, gazetteer; dictionary of quotations; science dictionary, electronics dictionary, geological dictionary, chemical dictionary, psychological dictionary, etc.

.8 **textbook, text, schoolbook, manual,** manual of instruction; **primer,** alphabet book, abecedary, abecedarium; hornbook, battledore; gradus, exercise book, workbook; **grammar, reader;** spelling book, speller, casebook.

.9 **booklet, pamphlet, brochure, chapbook, leaflet, folder, tract;** circular 559.8; comic book.

.10 **periodical, serial, journal,** gazette; ephemeris; **magazine,** pulp magazine, slick magazine, newsmagazine, women's magazine, men's magazine, children's magazine, trade magazine; pictorial; review; organ, **house organ;** daily, weekly, biweekly, bimonthly, fortnightly, monthly, quarterly; annual, yearbook; daybook, diary 570.11.

.11 **newspaper,** news, **paper,** sheet *or* rag [both slang], **gazette,** daily newspaper, daily, weekly newspaper, weekly, neighborhood newspaper, national newspaper; newspaper of record; **tabloid,** extra, special, extra edition, special edition.

.12 **makeup;** front matter, preliminaries, text, back matter; head, fore edge, back, tail; page, leaf, folio; type page; trim size; flyleaf, endpaper, endleaf, endsheet, signature; recto, verso *or* reverso; title page, half-title page; title, bastard title, binder's title, subtitle, running title; copyright page, imprint, printer's imprint, colophon; catchword, catch line; dedication, inscription; acknowledgments, preface, foreword, introduction; contents, contents page, table of contents; errata; bibliography; index.

.13 **part, section,** book, volume; article; serial, installment, *livraison* [Fr]; fascicle; **passage,** phrase, clause, verse, paragraph, chapter, column.

.14 (sizes) –mo; folio; quarto, 4to; octavo,

8vo; duodecimo, twelvemo, 12mo; sextodecimo, sixteenmo, 16mo; octodecimo, eighteenmo, 18mo; imperial, super, royal, medium, crown.

.15 **bookbinding,** bibliopegy; **binding, cover, book cover,** case, bookcase, hard binding, soft binding, mechanical binding, spiral binding, plastic binding; library binding; headband, footband, tailband; jacket, book jacket, dust jacket, dust cover, wrapper; slipcase, slipcover; book cloth, binder's cloth, binder's board, binder board; folding, tipping, gathering, collating, sewing; **signature;** collating mark, niggerhead; Smyth sewing, side sewing, saddle stitching, wire stitching, stapling, perfect binding; – smashing, gluing-off, trimming, rounding, backing, lining, lining-up; casemaking, stamping, casing-in.

.16 (bookbinding styles) Aldine, Arabesque, Byzantine, Canevari, cottage, dentelle, Etruscan, fanfare, Grolier, Harleian, Jansenist, Maioli, pointillé, Roxburgh.

.17 **library,** bookroom, bookery [archaic], *bibliothèque* [Fr], *bibliotheca* [L], athenaeum; **public library, circulating library, lending library** [Brit]; **rental library; book wagon, bookmobile;** Bibliothèque Nationale, Bodleian Library, British Museum, Deutsche Bücherei, Library of Congress, Vatican Library; American Library Association, ALA.

.18 **bookstore, bookshop,** *librairie* [Fr], bookseller's; **bookstall,** bookstand; **book club.**

.19 **bibliography,** bibliography of bibliographies, annual bibliography, annotated bibliography, critical bibliography; index, Art Index, Education Index, etc.; periodical index, Reader's Guide to Periodical Literature; Bibliography Index; Books in Print, Paperbound Books in Print; Cumulative Book Index; National Union Catalog, Library of Congress Catalog, General Catalogue of Printed Books [Brit], Union List of Serials; **publisher's catalog,** publisher's list, backlist.

.20 **bookholder, bookrest,** book support, **book end; bookcase,** revolving bookcase *or* bookstand, bookrack, bookstand, **bookshelf;** stack, bookstack; book table, book tray, book truck; folder, folio; **portfolio.**

.21 **bookman,** bibliographer, bibliognost; **bookmaker; publisher,** book publisher; **editor,** trade editor, reference editor, juvenile editor, textbook editor, dictionary editor, college editor, acquisitions editor, executive editor, managing editor, editor-in-chief, copy editor, production editor, permissions editor; **printer,** book printer; **bookbinder,** bibliopegist; **bookdealer, bookseller,** book agent, book salesman; bibliopole, bibliopolist; **librarian,** bibliothec, bibliothecary, *bibliothécaire* [Fr], reference librarian, cataloger, children's librarian; chief librarian, library director, curator; **booklover,** philobiblist, bibliophile, bibliolater, book collector, bibliomane, bibliomaniac, bibliotaph; **bookworm,** bibliophage; book-stealer, biblioklept.

.22 **journalist, newspaperman, newsman,** pressman [Brit], newswriter, gazetteer [archaic], gentleman *or* representative of the press; **reporter, leg man** [informal], interviewer; **cub reporter;** newspaperwoman, sob sister [slang]; **correspondent, foreign correspondent,** war correspondent, special correspondent, own correspondent; publicist; rewriter, **rewrite man;** reviser, diaskeuast; **editor,** subeditor, managing editor, city editor, news editor, sports editor, woman's editor, feature editor, **copy editor,** copyman, copy chief, slotman; reader, **copyreader;** editorial writer, leader writer [Brit]; **columnist,** paragrapher, paragraphist.

.23 **the press,** public press, **fourth estate;** print medium *or* media, public print; Fleet Street; **journalism;** Associated Press, AP; United Press International, UPI; Reuters; **publishing,** book publishing, magazine publishing; publishing industry, communications, communications industry.

.24 **bibliology,** bibliography; bookcraft, bookmaking, book production, book manufacturing, bibliogenesis, bibliogony; bookselling, bibliopolism.

.25 ADJS **bibliological,** bibliographic(al); bibliothecal, bibliothecary; bibliopolic; bibliopegic.

.26 **journalistic,** journalese [informal]; **periodical,** serial; magazinish, magaziny; newspaperish, newspapery; **editorial; reportorial.**

606. TREATISE

.1 NOUNS **treatise,** piece, treatment, tractate, tract, –logy *or* –logia; examination, survey, **discourse, discussion,** disquisition, descant, exposition, screed; homily; memoir; dissertation, **thesis; essay,** theme; pandect; excursus; **study,** lucubration, étude; **paper,** research paper, term paper; **sketch,** outline, aperçu; causerie; **monograph,** re-

search monograph; *morceau* [Fr], paragraph, **note**; preliminary study, introductory study, first approach, prolegomenon; **article**, feature, special article.

.2 **commentary**, commentation [archaic]; **comment, remark; criticism**, critique, *compte-rendu critique* [Fr], analysis; **review**, critical review, **report**, notice, **write-up** [informal]; **editorial**, leading article *or* leader [both Brit]; gloss, running commentary.

.3 **discourser**, disquisitor, expositor; descanter; **essayist**; monographer, monographist; tractation, tractator [archaic]; **writer, author** 602.15.

.4 **commentator**, commenter; expositor, expounder; annotator, scholiast; glossarist, glossographer; **critic**; **reviewer**, book reviewer; **editor**; editorial writer, editorialist, leader writer [Brit]; news analyst; publicist.

.5 VERBS **write upon**, touch upon, **discuss, treat, treat of, deal with**, take up, handle, go into, inquire into, survey; discourse, dissert, dissertate, descant; **comment upon**, remark upon; **criticize, review, write up**.

.6 ADJS dissertational, disquisitional, discoursive; expository, expositorial, expositive; essayistic; monographic(al); commentative, commentatorial; critical.

607. ABRIDGMENT

.1 NOUNS **abridgment**, compendium, compend, *abrégé* [Fr], **condensation**, short *or* shortened version, condensed version, abbreviation, abbreviature, brief, digest, **abstract**, epitome, **précis, capsule, sketch**, thumbnail sketch, **synopsis**, conspectus, syllabus, apercu, **survey, review**, overview, pandect, bird's-eye view; **outline**, skeleton, draft; topical outline; head, rubric.

.2 **summary, résumé, recapitulation, recap** [informal], rundown, run-through; **summation**; sum, substance, sum and substance; pith, meat, gist, core, essence, main point 672.6.

.3 **excerpt, extract, selection**, extraction, excerption; passage, selected passage.

.4 **excerpts**, *excerpta* [L], **extracts, gleanings**, cuttings, clippings, flowers, florilegium, **anthology** 605.4; fragments; analects; **miscellany**, miscellanea; **collection**, collectanea; ana.

.5 VERBS **abridge, condense; summarize**, brief, **outline, sketch**, sketch out, hit the high spots; capsule, capsulize; nutshell, **put in a nutshell**; synopsize; shorten 203.6.

.6 ADJS **abridged**, condensed; compendious, **brief** 203.8.

.7 ADVS in brief, in summary, in sum, in a nutshell 592.8.

608. DESCRIPTION

.1 NOUNS **description, portrayal**, portraiture, **depiction**, rendering, rendition, **delineation**, limning, **representation** 572; imagery; **word painting** *or* **picture, picture, portrait, image**, photograph; evocation, impression; **sketch**, vignette, cameo; **characterization**, character, character sketch, profile; vivid description, exact description, realistic *or* naturalistic description, slice of life, *tranche de vie* [Fr], graphic account; specification, particularization, details, itemization, catalog, cataloging.

.2 **narration, narrative, relation, recital**, rehearsal, telling, retelling, recounting, recountal, review; **storytelling**, tale-telling, yarn spinning *or* yarning [both informal].

.3 **account, statement, report, word**.

.4 **chronicle, record** 570; **history, annals**, chronicles, memorabilia, chronology; **biography, memoir**, memorial, **life**, story, **life story**, adventures, fortunes, experiences; life and letters; legend, saint's legend, hagiology, hagiography; **autobiography, memoirs**, memorials; **journal, diary**, confessions; **profile, biographical sketch**, résumé, curriculum vitae; obituary, necrology, martyrology; photobiography; case history; historiography, theory of history; Clio, Muse of history.

.5 (history) "a set of lies agreed upon" [Napoleon], "the unrolled scroll of prophecy" [Garfield], "the chart and compass for national endeavor" [Sir Arthur Helps], "a voice forever sounding across the centuries the laws of right and wrong" [J. A. Froude], "a cyclic poem written by Time upon the memories of man" [Shelley], "the crystallisation of popular belief" [Donn Piatt], "philosophy learned from examples" [Dionysius of Halicarnassus], "history is bunk" [Henry Ford], "history is merely gossip" [Oscar Wilde].

.6 **story, tale, yarn, account, narrative**, narration, chronicle; **anecdote**, anecdotage; **epic**, epos, **saga**.

.7 **fiction**, work of fiction; **fairy tale**, *Märchen* [Ger]; **legend, myth**, mythos, mythology, folktale, folk story, **fable**, *fabliau* [Fr], **parable, allegory**, apologue; **fantasy**;

romance, gest; love story; bedtime story; nursery tale; adventure story; suspense story, thriller *or* shocker [both informal]; detective story *or* yarn, whodunit [informal]; mystery story, mystery; ghost story; Western story, Western, Westerner, horse opera [informal]; **science fiction,** sci-fi; space fiction, space opera [informal], scientification [archaic].

.8 (fictional forms) **short story,** storiette; short-short; vignette; **novel,** *roman* [Fr]; novelette; novella, *nouvelle* [Fr]; **dime novel,** dreadful, penny dreadful, shilling shocker [Brit informal]; epistolary novel, historical novel, psychological novel, novel of ideas, comic novel, picaresque novel, *roman à clef* [Fr], *roman-fleuve* [Fr], river novel, thesis novel, novel of manners, detective novel, sociological novel, sentimental novel, propaganda novel, proletarian novel, novel of character, novel of incident, novel of the soil, regional novel, Gothic novel, problem novel, satirical novel, novel of sensibility, science-fiction novel, *Bildungsroman* [Ger], stream-of-consciousness novel; erotic novel, pornographic novel.

.9 (story elements) **plot,** fable, argument, story, line, subplot, secondary plot, mythos; plan, **structure,** architecture, architectonics, scheme, design; subject, topic, theme, motif; thematic development, development, continuity; **action,** movement; incident, episode; **complication;** rising action, falling action, *peripeteia* [Gk], switch [informal]; *anagnorisis* [Gk], recognition; denouement, catastrophe; *deus ex machina* [L]; device, contrivance, **gimmick** [informal]; angle *or* slant *or* twist [all informal]; **characterization; tone, atmosphere,** mood; background, color, **local color.**

.10 **narrator,** relator, reciter, recounter, *raconteur* [Fr]; **anecdotist; storyteller,** storier, taleteller, teller of tales, spinner of yarns *or* yarn spinner [both informal]; word painter; short-story writer; **novelist,** novelettist, fictionist; fabulist, fableist, fabler, mythmaker, mythopoet; romancer, romancist; sagaman.

.11 **chronicler, annalist; historian,** historiographer; **biographer,** memorialist, Boswell; autobiographer, autobiographist; diarist.

.12 VERBS **describe, portray, picture,** render, **depict, represent, delineate,** limn, **paint,** draw; evoke, bring to life, make one see; outline, sketch; **characterize,** character; **express,** set forth, give words to; **write** 602.21.

.13 **narrate, tell, relate, recount,** report, **recite,** rehearse, give an account of; tell a story, unfold a tale, fable, fabulize; storify, fictionalize; romance; novelize; mythicize, mythify, mythologize, allegorize; retell.

.14 **chronicle,** historify; biograph, biography, biographize; **record** 570.16.

.15 ADJS **descriptive, depictive,** expositive, **representative, delineative; expressive, vivid, graphic,** well-drawn; realistic, naturalistic, true to life, lifelike, faithful.

.16 **narrative, narrational;** storied, storified; **anecdotal,** anecdotic; epic(al).

.17 **fictional;** fictionalized; mythic(al), mythological, **legendary, fabulous;** mythopoeic, mythopoetic(al); parabolic(al), allegoric(al); **romantic,** romanticized.

.18 historic(al), historiographic(al), historied, historico–; chronologic(al); **traditional, legendary;** biographical, autobiographical; hagiographic(al), martyrologic(al); necrologic(al).

.19 ADVS **descriptively,** representatively; **expressively, vividly, graphically;** faithfully, realistically, naturalistically.

609. POETRY

.1 NOUNS **poetry, poesy, verse, song, rhyme;** "musical thought", "the harmonious unison of man with nature" [both Carlyle], "the supreme fiction" [Wallace Stevens], "the spontaneous overflow of powerful feelings recollected in tranquility" [Wordsworth], "the rhythmical creation of beauty" [Poe], "painting with the gift of speech" [Simonides], "the poet's innermost feeling issuing in rhythmic language" [John Keble], "the record of the best and happiest moments of the happiest and best minds" [Shelley], "the journal of a sea animal living on land, wanting to fly in the air", "the achievement of the synthesis of hyacinths and biscuits" [both Sandburg], "the best words in the best order" [Coleridge], "the rhythmic, inevitably narrative, movement from an overclothed blindness to a naked vision" [Dylan Thomas], "not the thing said but a way of saying it" [A. E. Housman], "the art of uniting pleasure with truth, by calling imagination to the help of reason" [Samuel Johnson], "the emotion of life rhythmically remembering beauty" [Fiona MacLeod], "the music of

the soul, and above all of great and of feeling souls" [Voltaire].

.2 **poetics,** poetcraft, versecraft, versification, versemaking, *ars poetica* [L]; "my craft and sullen art" [Dylan Thomas]; **poetic language,** poeticism; **poetic license, poetic justice.**

.3 **bad poetry,** versemongering, poetastering, poetastery; poesy.

.4 **lyric poetry,** melic poetry, elegiac poetry *or* verse; **narrative poetry,** epic poetry *or* verse, epos, *épopée* [Fr], runic verse, heroic poetry, –ad; mock-heroic poetry, Hudibrastic verse; dramatic poetry, amoebean verse, stichomythia; pastoral poetry, didactic poetry, metaphysical poetry, erotic poetry, satirical poetry, satire, Goliardic verse, light verse, society verse, *vers de société* [Fr], occasional verse; modernist verse, imagist verse, symbolist verse, cubist poetry, concrete poetry; oral poetry; polyphonic prose, prose poetry.

.5 **doggerel,** crambo, crambo clink *or* jingle [Scot], Hudibrastic verse; nonsense verse, amphigory; macaronics, macaronic verse; lame verses, limping meters, halting meters.

.6 **poem, verse, rhyme,** "imaginary gardens with real toads in them" [Marianne Moore]; verselet, versicle; **jingle;** anacreontic, ballad, ballade, cento, clerihew, dithyramb, epode, elegy, epigram, ghazel, limerick, lyric, madrigal, nursery rhyme, ode, Pindaric ode, Sapphic ode, Horatian ode, narrative poem, palinode, satire, sestina, sonnet, English sonnet, Shakespearean sonnet, Italian sonnet, Petrarchan sonnet, sonnet sequence, sloka, song, villanelle; troubadour poem, Provençal poem, canso, chanson, balada, tenso, tenzone, pastourelle, pastorela, alba; epic, epos, *épopée* [Fr], epopoeia; pastoral, eclogue, idyll, pastoral elegy, bucolic, georgic; rondeau, rondel, roundel, roundelay, triolet, virelay; haiku, tanka; epithalamium, prothalamium; dirge, threnody, monody.

.7 **book of verse,** garland, **anthology** 605.4; poetic works, poesy.

.8 **metrics, prosody, versification; scansion,** scanning; metrical pattern *or* form, prosodic pattern *or* form, meter, numbers, measure; quantitative meter, syllabic meter, accentual meter; free verse, *vers libre* [Fr]; alliterative meter, *Stabreim* [Ger].

.9 **meter, measure,** numbers; **rhythm, cadence,** movement, lilt, jingle, swing; sprung rhythm; **accent,** accentuation, metrical accent, stress, emphasis, ictus, **beat;** arsis, thesis; quantity, mora; metrical unit; foot, metrical foot; triseme, tetraseme; metrical group, metron, colon, period; dipody, syzygy, tripody, tetrapody, pentapody, hexapody, heptapody; iamb *or* iambus *or* iambic, anapest, trochee, dactyl, spondee, pyrrhic; amphibrach, antispast, bacchius, chloriambus *or* chloriamb, cretic *or* amphimacer, dochmiac, epitrite, ionic, molossus, paeon, proceleusmatic, tribrach; dimeter, trimeter, tetrameter, pentameter, hexameter, heptameter; **iambic pentameter, dactylic hexameter;** Alexandrine; Saturnian meter; elegiac, elegiac couplet *or* distich, elegiac pentameter; heroic couplet; counterpoint; caesura, diaeresis, masculine caesura, feminine caesura; catalexis; anacrusis; –stich.

.10 **rhyme;** clink, crambo; **consonance, assonance; alliteration;** eye rhyme; male *or* masculine *or* single rhyme, female *or* feminine *or* double rhyme; initial rhyme, end rhyme; tail rhyme, rhyme royal; near rhyme, slant rhyme; rhyme scheme; rhyming dictionary; unrhymed poetry, blank verse.

.11 (poetic divisions) **measure, strain; syllable; line; verse; stanza,** stave; strophe, antistrophe, epode; **canto,** book; **refrain, chorus,** burden; envoi; monostich, distich, tristich, tetrastich, pentastich, hexastich, heptastich, octastich; **couplet;** triplet, tercet, *terza rima* [Ital]; **quatrain;** sextet, sestet; septet; octave, octet, *ottava rima* [Ital]; rhyme royal; Spenserian stanza.

.12 **Muse;** the Muses, Pierides, *Camenae* [L]; Apollo, Apollo Musagetes; Calliope, Polyhymnia, Erato, Euterpe; Helicon, Parnassus; Castilian Spring, Pierian Spring, Hippocrene; Bragi; **poetic genius,** poesy, afflatus, fire of genius, **creative imagination** 535.2, **inspiration** 467.8.

.13 **poet,** poetess, poetress [archaic], maker [archaic]; "the painter of the soul" [Disraeli], "a nightingale who sits in darkness and sings to cheer its own solitude with sweet sounds", "the unacknowledged legislators of the world" [both Shelley], "all who love, who feel great truths, and tell them" [Philip James Bailey], "literalists of the imagination" [Marianne Moore]; ballad maker, balladmonger; **bard, minstrel,** scop, fili, skald, **jongleur, troubadour,** *trovatore* [Ital], trouveur, *trouvère* [Fr], *Meistersinger* [Ger], minnesinger;

minor poet, major poet, arch-poet; laureate, **poet laureate;** occasional poet; **lyric poet;** epic poet; pastoral poet, pastoralist, idyllist, bucoliast [archaic]; rhapsodist, rhapsode; vers-librist, *vers libriste* [Fr]; elegist, librettist; lyricist, lyrist; odist; satirist; sonneteer; modernist, imagist, symbolist; Parnassian; beat poet.

.14 **bad poet;** rhymester, rhymer; metrist; versemaker, versesmith, versifier, verseman, versemonger; poetling, **poetaster,** poeticule; balladmonger.

.15 VERBS **poetize, versify,** verse, write *or* compose poetry, build the stately rime, sing deathless songs, make immortal verse; tune one's lyre, climb Parnassus, mount Pegasus; **sing,** "lisp in numbers" [Pope]; elegize; poeticize.

.16 **rhyme,** assonate, alliterate; **scan;** jingle; cap verses *or* rhymes.

.17 ADJS **poetic(al),** poetlike; **lyric(al), narrative,** dramatic, lyrico-dramatic; bardic; runic, skaldic; epic, heroic; mock-heroic, Hudibrastic; pastoral, bucolic, eclogic, idyllic, Theocritean; didactic; elegiac(al); dithyrambic, rhapsodic(al), Alcaic, Anacreontic, Homeric, Pindaric, sapphic; Castalian, Pierian; poetico-mythological; poetico-mystical, poetico-philosophic.

.18 **metric(al), prosodic(al); rhythmic(al), measured,** cadenced, –semic; scanning; iambic, dactylic, spondaic, pyrrhic, trochaic, anapestic, antispastic; –stichous.

.19 **rhyming; assonant,** assonantal; **alliterative;** jingling.

.20 ADVS **poetically, lyrically; metrically, rhythmically,** in measure.

610. PROSE

.1 NOUNS **prose,** "words in their best order" [Coleridge]; prose fiction, nonfiction prose, expository prose; prose rhythm; prose style; poetic prose, polyphonic prose, prose poetry.

.2 **prosaism, prosaicism, prosaicness,** prosiness, **unpoeticalness; matter-of-factness,** unromanticism, unidealism; **unimaginativeness** 536; **plainness,** commonness, commonplaceness, unembellishedness; insipidness, flatness, vapidity; **dullness** 883.

.3 VERBS **prose,** write prose *or* in prose.

.4 ADJS **prose,** in prose; unversified, nonpoetic, nonmetrical.

.5 **prosaic, prosy, prosing;** unpoetic(al), poetryless; **plain, common, commonplace, ordinary,** unembellished, mundane; **matter-of-fact, unromantic, unidealistic,** unimpassioned; pedestrian, **unimaginative** 536.5; insipid, vapid, flat; humdrum, tiresome, **dull** 883.6.

611. SHOW BUSINESS

.1 NOUNS **show business,** show biz [informal], entertainment industry; **the theater, the footlights, the stage, the boards,** the scenes [archaic], traffic of the stage; stagedom, theater world, stage world, stageland, playland; **drama,** legitimate stage *or* theater, legit [slang], Broadway, off Broadway, off-off-Broadway; repertory drama *or* theater, stock; summer stock, strawhat *or* strawhat circuit [both informal]; **vaudeville,** variety; **burlesque; circus,** carnival; theatromania, theatrophobia.

.2 **dramatics;** dramaticism, dramatism; **theatrics,** theatricism, **theatricalism,** theatricality, staginess; theatricals, amateur theatricals; **histrionics,** histrionism; dramatic *or* histrionic *or* Thespian art; dramatic stroke, *coup de théâtre* [Fr]; **melodramatics,** sensationalism; **dramaturgy,** dramatic structure, play construction, dramatic form; dramatic irony.

.3 **theatercraft, stagecraft,** stagery, scenecraft; **showmanship.**

.4 **stage show, show; play,** stage play, piece, vehicle, work; **drama,** dramatic play; comedy drama; playlet, skit, sketch; well-made play, *pièce bien faite* [Fr]; closet drama; straight drama, legitimate drama; **melodrama,** sensational play; Grand Guignol; suspense drama, cliff hanger [slang]; Tom show; sociodrama, psychodrama; problem play; **pageant,** spectacle, extravaganza; mystery play, mystery, miracle play, miracle, morality play, morality; Passion play; pastoral, pastoral drama; masque, antimasque; charade; pantomime 568.14; improvisational drama, happening; experimental theater, total theater; epic theater; documentary drama; theater of the absurd; theater of cruelty; tableau, *tableau vivant* [Fr]; dramalogue; monologue, monodrama; duologue, duodrama, dialogue; **vaudeville show,** vaudeville; **variety show; revue** *or* review, musical revue; minstrel show; burlesque show; music drama, opera, ballet 462.35; television drama *or* play *or* show, teleplay; radio drama *or* play *or* show; broadcast drama; dramatic series, serial, daytime serial, soap opera *or* soap [both informal]; quiz show, giveaway, giveaway show, panel show, talk show [informal]; situation comedy, sitcom [informal]; tele-

thon; **hit** *or* hit show [both informal], gasser [slang], success, critical success, audience success, word-of-mouth success; failure, **flop** *or* bomb [both slang].

.5 **tragedy,** tragic drama; classical tragedy, Greek tragedy, Aeschylean tragedy, Sophoclean tragedy, Euripidean tragedy, Senecan tragedy; Renaissance tragedy; revenge tragedy, romantic tragedy, domestic tragedy; tragic flaw; buskin, cothurnus; tragic muse, Melpomene.

.6 **comedy;** tragicomedy; sentimental comedy, *comédie larmoyante* [Fr]; light comedy, comedietta; comedy of ideas, comedy of manners, realistic comedy, romantic comedy, comedy of humors, comedy of intrigue, domestic comedy, comedy of situation, **situation comedy,** black comedy, dark comedy, high comedy; comedy of character; genteel comedy; low comedy, broad *or* raw comedy, *comédie rosse* [Fr]; **burlesque;** mime, satyr play; **slapstick,** slapstick comedy; **farce,** farce comedy, exode; camp, high camp, low camp [all slang]; commedia dell'arte; harlequinade, *arlequinade* [Fr]; musical comedy, **musical** [informal]; comedy ballet; comic opera, burletta, *opera buffa* [Ital], *comédie bouffe* [Fr]; comic relief, comedy relief; comic muse, Thalia.

.7 (comedy symbols) sock, coxcomb, cap and bells, motley, bladder, slapstick.

.8 **act, scene, number, turn,** bit *or* shtick [both slang], routine [informal]; curtain raiser *or* lifter; introduction; expository scene; **prologue,** epilogue; **entr'acte,** intermezzo, intermission, interlude, *divertissement* [Fr], *divertimento* [Ital]; **finale,** afterpiece; exodus, exode; chaser [slang]; curtain call, curtain; hokum *or* hoke act [slang]; song and dance; burlesque act, striptease; stand-up comedy act; sketch, skit.

.9 **acting, playing,** playacting, performing, **performance,** taking a role *or* part; **representation, portrayal, characterization,** projection; **impersonation,** personation, miming, mimicking, mimicry, mimesis; pantomiming, mummery; ham *or* hammy acting *or* hamming *or* hamming up [all slang], overacting; stage presence; stage directions, **business,** stage business, *jeu de théâtre* [Fr], acting device; stunt *or* gag [both informal]; hokum *or* hoke [both slang]; buffoonery, slapstick; patter; stand-up comedy [informal].

.10 **repertoire, repertory;** stock.

.11 **role, part,** piece [slang]; cue, **lines,** side; cast; **character,** person, personage; lead, starring *or* lead role, fat part, leading man, leading woman *or* lady, hero, heroine; antihero; title role, protagonist, principal character; supporting role, supporting character; ingenue, *jeune première* [Fr]; soubrette; villain, heavy [informal], antagonist; bit, bit part, minor role; feeder, straight part; walking part, walk-on; **actor** 612.2.

.12 **engagement,** playing engagement, booking; **run; stand,** one-night stand; **circuit,** vaudeville circuit, borscht circuit; **tour;** date.

.13 theatrical performance, **performance, show, presentation,** presentment, **production,** entertainment, stage presentation *or* performance; bill; **exhibit, exhibition;** benefit performance, benefit; personal appearance, flesh show [slang]; tryout; premiere, premier performance, debut; farewell performance, swan song [slang].

.14 **production,** mounting, staging, putting on; stage management; **direction,** *mise-en-scène* [Fr]; **rehearsal,** dress rehearsal, walk-through, run-through.

.15 (shows) repertory show, rep show [slang]; **floor show;** variety show, vaudeville show; leg *or* girl *or* girly show [slang], burlesque show, hootchy-kootchy show, cooch *or* coochie show [slang]; magic show; **rodeo; circus,** the big top, **carnival, sideshow; puppet show,** fantoccini [pl], Punch-and-Judy show; peep show, raree-show; galanty show, shadow show, *ombres chinoises* [Fr]; light show.

.16 **motion picture, moving picture, movie** [informal], **picture,** picture show, motion-picture show, moving-picture show, **film,** flicker *or* flick [both informal], cinema [Brit], photoplay, photodrama, cine–; silent film, silent; talkie [informal], talking picture; **feature;** preview, sneak preview, trailer; selected short subject, **short;** documentary film, **documentary;** educational film; newsreel; Grade B movie; Western, horse opera *or* shoot-'em-up [both slang], spaghetti Western [informal]; horror picture; thriller *or* chiller *or* creepie [all slang]; pornographic film, nudie [informal], porno *or* skin flick [both slang]; animated cartoon, cartoon; 3-D; Cinemascope, Cinerama; black-and-white film, color film; Technicolor, underground film *or* movie; experimental film.

.17 **the cinema, the movies** *or* the pictures [both informal], the screen, the silver

screen; art film, *cinéma vérité, nouvelle vague* [both Fr].

.18 **theater,** theatr(o)–; **playhouse,** house, theatron, odeum; **auditorium; opera house,** opera; **hall,** music hall, concert hall; **amphitheater;** circle theater, arena theater, theater-in-the-round; vaudeville theater; burlesque theater; **little theater,** community theater; open-air theater, outdoor theater; Greek theater; Elizabethan theater, Globe Theatre; showboat; cabaret, nightclub, club, night spot, *boîte de nuit* [Fr].

.19 **motion-picture theater,** moving-picture theater, movie theater [informal], movie house, picture palace *or* picture house [both Brit], cinema *or* cinema theater [both Brit], cinematograph *or* kinematograph [both Brit]; drive-in, drive-in theater; nickelodeon.

.20 **auditorium;** parquet, orchestra, **pit** [Brit]; **orchestra circle,** parquet circle, parterre; **dress circle;** fauteuil *or* theatre stall *or* **stall** [all Brit]; **box,** box seat, **loge,** *baignoire* [Fr]; stage box; proscenium boxes, parterre boxes; balcony, gallery; **peanut gallery** *or* paradise *or* nigger heaven [all slang]; standing room.

.21 **stage,** the boards; acting area, playing *or* performing area; apron, apron stage, forestage; proscenium stage, proscenium arch, proscenium; bridge; revolving stage; orchestra, pit, orchestra pit; **bandstand,** shell, band shell; stage right, R; stage left, L; backstage; **wings,** coulisse; dressing room, greenroom; flies, fly gallery, fly floor; gridiron, grid [informal]; board, lightboard, switchboard; dock; prompter's box.

.22 (stage requisites) **property, prop;** practical piece *or* prop [informal]; costume 231.9; theatrical makeup, makeup, greasepaint, blackface, clown white; spirit gum.

.23 lights; **footlights,** foots [informal], floats; floodlight, flood; bunch light; **limelight,** spotlight, spot [informal], arc light, arc, klieg light; color filter, medium, gelatin; dimmer; marquee; light plot.

.24 **setting, stage setting,** stage set, **set,** *mise-en-scène* [Fr].

.25 **scenery,** decor; **scene;** screen, **flat;** cyclorama; stage screw; side scene, **wing,** coulisse; border; tormentor, **teaser;** wingcut, woodcut; transformation, transformation scene; flipper; batten; counterweight; **curtain,** rag [slang], hanging; **drop,** drop scene, drop curtain, scrim, cloth; **backdrop,** back cloth [Brit]; act drop *or* curtain; tab, tableau; fire curtain, curtain board, asbestos, asbestos board.

.26 **playbook, script,** text, **libretto;** promptbook; book; **score; scenario,** continuity, shooting script; scene plot; lines, actor's lines, cue, side.

.27 **dramatist; playwright,** playwriter, dramaturge; play doctor *or* play fixer [both informal]; dramatizer; **scriptwriter, scenario writer,** scenarist, **scenarioist, screenwriter; gagman,** joke writer, jokesmith; **librettist;** tragedian, comedian; farcist, *farceur, farceuse* [both Fr], farcer; melodramatist; monodramatist; mimographer; **choreographer.**

.28 **theater man,** theatrician; **showman,** exhibitor, **producer, impresario; director,** auteur; stage director, **stage manager;** set designer, scenewright; costume designer, costumer, *costumier, costumière* [both Fr]; wigmaker; makeup man *or* artist; prompter; callboy; playreader; master of ceremonies, MC *or* emcee [both informal]; ticket collector; usher, usherer, usherette; ringmaster, equestrian director; barker, ballyhoo man *or* spieler [both informal].

.29 **stage technician, stagehand,** machinist [archaic], sceneman, **sceneshifter;** flyman; carpenter; **electrician;** scene painter, scenic artist, scenewright.

.30 **agent, actor's agent,** playbroker, ten-percenter [slang]; **booking agent;** advance agent, advance man; publicity man *or* agent.

.31 **patron,** patroness; **backer, angel** [informal]; Dionysus.

.32 **playgoer, theatergoer;** attender 186.5, spectator 442, audience 448.6; moviegoer [informal], **motion-picture fan** [informal]; first-nighter; standee, groundling [archaic]; *claqueur* [Fr], hired applauder; pass holder, deadhead [informal].

.33 VERBS **dramatize,** theatricalize; melodramatize; scenarize; **present, stage, produce,** mount, **put on,** put on the stage; **put on a show;** try out, preview; give a performance; premiere; **open,** open a show, open a show cold [informal]; set the stage; ring up the curtain, ring down the curtain; **star, feature** [informal], bill, **headline,** give top billing to; succeed, make *or* be a hit [informal], be a gas *or* gasser [slang]; fail, flop *or* bomb [both slang].

.34 **act, perform, play,** playact, tread the boards, strut one's stuff [slang]; appear, **appear on the stage;** act like a trouper;

register; emotionalize, emote [informal]; pantomime, mime; patter; sketch; troupe, barnstorm [informal]; steal the show, upstage; make one's debut *or* bow, come out; act as foil *or* feeder, stooge [slang], be straight man for; **star,** play the lead, get top billing, have one's name in lights.

.35 **enact, act out; represent, depict, portray;** act *or* play *or* perform a part *or* role, take a part, sustain a part, act *or* play the part of; create a role *or* character; **impersonate,** personate; play opposite, support.

.36 **overact,** overdramatize, chew up the scenery [informal], act all over the stage; **ham** *or* ham it up [both informal]; **mug** [slang], grimace; spout, rant, roar, declaim, "out-herod Herod" [Shakespeare]; milk a scene; **underact,** throw away [informal].

.37 **rehearse, practice,** go through, run through, go over; go through one's part, read one's lines; con *or* study one's part; be a fast *or* slow study.

.38 ADJS **dramatic,** dramatical [archaic], **dramaturgic(al); theatrical, histrionic, thespian;** scenic; **stagy;** theaterlike, stagelike; **spectacular; melodramatic;** ham *or* hammy [both slang]; overacted, overplayed, milked [informal]; underacted, underplayed, thrown away; **film,** filmic, movie [informal], **cinematic,** cinematographic; monodramatic; vaudevillian; **operatic;** ballet, balletic; legitimate; stellar, all-star; stagestruck, starstruck; stageworthy, actor-proof.

.39 **tragic,** heavy; buskined, cothurned.

.40 **comic, light;** tragicomic(al), **farcical, slapstick;** camp *or* campy [both slang].

.41 ADVS **on the stage** *or* boards, before an audience, before the footlights; **in the limelight** *or* spotlight; onstage; downstage, upstage; backstage, off stage, behind the scenes; down left, DL; down right, DR; up left, UL; up right, UR.

612. ENTERTAINER

.1 NOUNS **entertainer,** public entertainer, performer; artist, artiste; impersonator, female impersonator; **vaudevillian,** vaudevillist; dancer 879.3, hoofer [slang]; song and dance man; chorus girl, show girl, chorine [informal]; coryphée; chorus boy *or* man; burlesque queen [informal], **stripteaser,** exotic dancer, ecdysiast; stripper *or* peeler *or* stripteuse [all slang]; dancing girl, nautch girl, belly dancer; go-go dancer; geisha, geisha girl; mountebank; **magician,** conjurer, prestidigitator, sleight-of-hand artist; mummer, guiser *or* guisard [both Scot]; singer, musician 464.

.2 **actor, player,** stage player *or* performer, playactor, histrion, histrio, thespian, Roscius, theatrical [informal], trouper; actress; child actor; mummer, pantomime, pantomimist; monologist, diseur, diseuse, reciter; dramatizer; mime, mimer, mimic; strolling player, stroller; barnstormer [informal]; character actor, character man *or* woman, character; **villain,** antagonist, **bad guy** *or* **heavy** [both informal]; juvenile, ingenue; soubrette; foil, feeder *or* stooge [both slang], straight man; utility man; protean actor; matinee idol [informal].

.3 circus artist *or* performer; trapeze artist, aerialist, flier [informal]; high-wire artist, tightrope walker, slack-rope artist, equilibrist; acrobat, tumbler; bareback rider; juggler; lion tamer, sword swallower; snake charmer; clown; ringmaster, equestrian director.

.4 **motion-picture actor,** movie actor [informal]; **movie star** [informal], film star; starlet.

.5 **ham** *or* ham actor [both informal]; grimacer.

.6 **lead,** leading man *or* lady, principal, **star,** superstar, headliner, headline *or* feature attraction; **hero, heroine,** protagonist; juvenile lead, *jeune premier, jeune première* [both Fr]; first tragedian, heavy lead [informal]; **prima donna,** diva, singer 464.13; première danseuse, prima ballerina, *danseur noble* [Fr].

.7 **supporting actor; support,** supporting cast; **supernumerary,** super *or* supe [both informal], spear-carrier [informal], **extra;** bit player; walking gentleman *or* lady [slang], walk-on, mute; figurant, figurante; **understudy, stand-in,** standby, substitute.

.8 **tragedian,** tragedienne.

.9 **comedian,** comedienne, **comic, funnyman;** farcist, farcer, *farceur, farceuse* [both Fr]; stand-up comic *or* comedian [informal], light comedian, genteel comedian, low comedian, slapstick comedian, hokum *or* hoke comic [slang].

.10 **buffoon,** *buffo* [Ital], **clown, fool, jester, zany, merry-andrew,** jack-pudding, pickle-herring, **motley fool,** motley, wearer of the cap and bells; harlequin; Pantaloon, Pantalone; Punch, Punchinello, Pulcinella, Polichinelle; Punch and Judy; Hanswurst; Columbine; Harlequin; Scaramouch.

.11 **cast,** cast of characters, characters, persons of the drama, *dramatis personae* [L]; supporting cast; **company,** acting company, **troupe;** repertory company, stock company; ensemble, chorus, *corps de ballet* [Fr]; circus troupe.

613. UNCOMMUNICATIVENESS

.1 NOUNS **uncommunicativeness,** closeness, indisposition to speak, disinclination to communicate; unconversableness, **unsociability** 923; **secretiveness** 614.1; lack of message *or* meaning, meaninglessness 547.

.2 **taciturnity, untalkativeness,** unloquaciousness; **silence** 451; **speechlessness,** wordlessness, dumbness, **muteness** 451.2; obmutescence; quietness, quietude; laconicalness, laconism, curtness, shortness, terseness; brusqueness, briefness, brevity, conciseness, economy *or* sparingness of words, pauciloquy [archaic].

.3 **reticence** *or* reticency; **reserve,** reservedness, restraint, **constraint;** guardedness, discreetness, discretion; suppression, repression; subduedness; backwardness, retirement; **aloofness, standoffishness,** distance, remoteness, **detachment,** withdrawal, withdrawnness; impersonality; **coolness,** coldness, frigidity, iciness, frostiness, chilliness; **inaccessibility, unapproachability; undemonstrativeness,** unexpansiveness, unaffability, uncongeniality; **introversion;** modesty, bashfulness 908.1–4; expressionlessness, blankness, impassiveness, impassivity.

.4 **prevarication, equivocation,** tergiversation, evasion, shuffle, fencing, dodging, parrying; *suppressio veri* [L]; weasel words.

.5 **man of few words,** clam [informal], laconic [archaic]; Spartan, Laconian.

.6 VERBS **keep to oneself,** keep one's own counsel; not open one's mouth, not say a word, stand mute, **hold one's tongue** 451.5; have little to say, refuse comment, say neither yes nor no, waste no words, save one's breath; retire; **keep one's distance,** keep at a distance, keep oneself to oneself, **stand aloof,** hold oneself aloof; keep secret 614.7.

.7 **prevaricate, equivocate,** waffle [informal], tergiversate, evade, dodge, sidestep, parry, duck, weasel [informal], palter; hum and haw, **hem and haw,** back and fill; **mince words,** mince the truth, euphemize.

.8 ADJS **uncommunicative,** indisposed *or* disinclined to communicate; unconversational, unconversable [archaic]; **unsociable** 923.5; **secretive** 614.15; meaningless 547.6.

.9 **taciturn, untalkative,** unloquacious, indisposed to talk; **silent, speechless,** wordless, **mum; mute** 451.12, dumb, quiet; close, **closemouthed,** close-tongued, snug [dial], **tight-lipped;** tongue-tied, word-bound; **laconic,** curt, brief, terse, brusque, short, concise, **sparing of words,** economical of words.

.10 **reticent, reserved,** restrained, constrained; **suppressed,** repressed; subdued; guarded, discreet; backward, **retiring,** shrinking; **aloof, standoffish,** offish [informal], standoff, **distant,** remote, removed, **detached,** Olympian, withdrawn; impersonal; **cool,** cold, frigid, icy, frosty, chilled, chilly; **inaccessible, unapproachable,** forbidding; **undemonstrative,** unexpansive, unaffable, uncongenial, ungenial; **introverted;** modest, bashful 908.9–12; expressionless, blank, impassive.

.11 **prevaricating, equivocal,** tergiversating, tergiversant, **evasive,** weasel-worded.

614. SECRECY

.1 NOUNS **secrecy,** secretness, airtight secrecy, close secrecy; crypticness; the dark; hiddenness, **concealment** 615; **secretiveness,** closeness; discreetness, discretion, **uncommunicativeness** 613; **evasiveness,** evasion, subterfuge; hugger-mugger, hugger-muggery.

.2 **privacy,** retirement, isolation, sequestration, seclusion; incognito, anonymity; **confidentialness,** confidentiality; closed meeting, executive session, private conference.

.3 **veil of secrecy, veil,** curtain, pall, wraps; iron curtain, "curtains of fog and iron" [Churchill], bamboo curtain; wall *or* barrier of secrecy; **suppression,** repression, stifling, smothering; **censorship,** blackout [informal], **hush-up; seal of secrecy,** official secrecy; security, ironbound security; pledge *or* oath of secrecy.

.4 **stealth,** stealthiness, **furtiveness, clandestineness,** clandestinity, clandestine behavior, **surreptitiousness, covertness,** slyness, shiftiness, sneakiness, slinkiness, underhand dealing, undercover *or* underground activity; prowl, prowling; stalking.

.5 **secret, confidence;** private *or* personal matter, privity [archaic]; confidential *or* **privileged communication;** deep, dark secret; solemn secret; guarded secret, classified information, restricted information;

mystery, enigma, arcanum; esoterica, cabala, the occult, hermetism, hermeticism, hermetics; deep *or* profound secret, sealed book, mystery of mysteries; skeleton in the closet *or* cupboard.

.6 **cryptography,** cryptoanalysis, cryptoanalytics; **code, cipher;** secret language; **secret writing,** coded message, cryptogram, cryptograph; secret *or* invisible *or* sympathetic ink; cryptographer.

.7 VERBS **keep secret, keep mum, veil,** keep dark; keep it a deep, dark secret; secrete, **conceal** 615.7; keep to oneself 613.6, keep *in petto,* bosom, keep close, keep snug [dial], keep back, keep from, **withhold,** hold out on [slang]; not let it go further, keep within these walls, keep within the bosom of the lodge, keep between us; **not tell,** hold one's tongue 451.5, never let on [informal], make no sign, not breathe a word, be the soul of discretion; **not give away** [informal], "tell it not in Gath" [Bible], **keep it under one's hat** [informal], keep under wraps [informal], keep buttoned up [informal], keep one's own counsel; play dumb; not let the right hand know what the left is doing; keep in ignorance, keep *or* leave in the dark; classify; file and forget.

.8 **hush up, hush,** hush-hush, shush, hugger-mugger; **suppress,** repress, **stifle,** muffle, **smother,** squash, quash, squelch, kill, sit on *or* upon, put the lid on [slang]; **censor,** black out [informal].

.9 **tell confidentially,** tell for one's ears only, mention privately, **whisper, breathe, whisper in the ear;** tell one a secret; take aside, see one alone, talk to in private, speak in privacy.

.10 code, encode, encipher, cipher.

.11 ADJS **secret,** close, closed, cryptic, dark; unuttered, unrevealed, undivulged, undisclosed, unspoken, untold; **hush-hush** [informal], **top secret,** classified, restricted, under wraps [informal], under security *or* security restrictions; **censored,** suppressed, stifled, smothered, hushed-up, under the seal *or* ban of secrecy; **unrevealable, undivulgable, undisclosable, untellable,** unwhisperable, unbreatheable, unutterable; latent, ulterior, concealed, hidden 615.11; arcane, esoteric, occult, cabalistic, hermetic; enigmatic, mysterious 549.18.

.12 **covert, clandestine,** quiet, unobtrusive, hugger-mugger, hidlings [Scot], **surreptitious, undercover,** underground, under-the-counter, under-the-table, back-door, hole-and-corner [informal], underhand, **underhanded; furtive, stealthy,** privy, backstairs, **sly, shifty, sneaky,** sneaking, skulking, slinking, slinky, feline.

.13 **private, privy; intimate, inmost,** innermost, interior, inward, **personal;** closet; **secluded, sequestered,** isolated, withdrawn, retired; incognito, anonymous.

.14 **confidential,** auricular, **inside** [slang], esoteric; *in petto* [Ital], close to one's chest [informal], under one's hat [informal]; **off the record,** not for the record, not to be minuted, within these four walls, in the bosom of the lodge, for no other ears, eyes-only, between us; not to be quoted, not for publication *or* release; not for attribution; unquotable, unpublishable, sealed; sensitive, privileged, under privilege.

.15 **secretive,** secret, close, dark; discreet; evasive, shifty; **uncommunicative, close-mouthed** 613.8,9.

.16 coded, encoded; ciphered, enciphered; cryptographic(al).

.17 ADVS **secretly, in secret,** in *or* up one's sleeve; nobody the wiser; **covertly,** in hidlings [Scot], **undercover,** *à couvert* [Fr], under the cloak of; **behind the scenes,** in the background, in a corner, in the dark, in darkness, behind the veil *or* curtain, behind the veil of secrecy; *sub rosa* [L], under the rose; underground; *sotto voce* [Ital], under the breath, with bated breath, in a whisper.

.18 **surreptitiously, clandestinely, secretively, furtively, stealthily, slyly,** shiftily, sneakily, sneakingly, skulkingly, slinkingly, slinkily; by stealth, **on the sly, on the quiet,** on the q.t. [both slang], *à la dérobée* [Fr], *en tapinois* [Fr], behind one's back, by a side door, **like a thief in the night,** underhand, underhandedly, under the table, in holes and corners *or* in a hole-and-corner way [both informal].

.19 **privately,** privily, **in private,** in privacy, in privy; apart, aside; **behind closed doors,** *januis clausis* [L], *à huis clos* [Fr], *in camera* [L], in chambers, in secret *or* closed meeting, in executive session, in private conference.

.20 **confidentially, in confidence,** in strict confidence, under the seal of secrecy, **off the record; between ourselves,** strictly between us, *entre nous* [Fr], *inter nos* [L], for your ears only, between you and me, from me to you, between you and me and the bedpost *or* lamppost [informal].

615. CONCEALMENT

.1 NOUNS **concealment, hiding, secretion;** burial, burying, interment, putting away; **covering,** covering up, masking, screening 228.1; mystification, obscuration; darkening, obscurement, clouding 337.6; hiddenness, concealedness, covertness, occultation; **secrecy** 614; uncommunicativeness 613; invisibility 445; **subterfuge, deception** 618.

.2 **veil,** curtain, **cover, screen** 228.2; wraps; **disguise** 618.10.

.3 **ambush,** ambushment, **ambuscade,** *guet-apens* [Fr]; surveillance, shadowing 485.9; lurking hole *or* place; blind, stalking-horse; booby trap, trap 618.11.

.4 **hiding place, hideaway, hideout,** hidey hole [slang], hiding, concealment, **cover,** secret place; recess, corner, dark corner, nook, cranny, niche; **hole,** bolt-hole, fox-hole, funk hole, dugout, lair, den; **asylum, sanctuary, retreat, refuge** 700; covert, coverture, undercovert; **cache,** stash [informal]; cubbyhole, cubby.

.5 **secret passage,** covert way, secret exit; **back way, back door, side door;** bolt-hole, escape route, escape hatch; secret staircase, *escalier dérobé* [Fr], **back stairs; underground,** underground route, underground railroad.

.6 VERBS **conceal, hide,** ensconce; **cover, cover up,** blind, **screen, cloak, veil,** curtain, blanket, shroud, enshroud, envelop; **disguise, camouflage, mask,** dissemble; whitewash [informal]; gloss over, varnish, slur over; distract attention from; **obscure,** obfuscate, cloud, becloud, befog, throw out a smoke screen, shade, throw into the shade; **eclipse,** occult; put out of sight, sweep under the rug, keep under cover; cover up one's tracks, lay a false scent, hide one's trail; hide one's light under a bushel.

.7 **secrete, hide away,** keep hidden, put away, store away, stow away, file and forget, bottle up, lock up, seal up, put out of sight; **keep secret** 614.7; **cache,** stash [informal], deposit, plant [slang]; **bury;** bosom, embosom [archaic].

.8 (hide oneself) **hide, conceal oneself, take cover, hide out** [informal], hide away, **go into hiding,** go to ground; stay in hiding, **lie hid** *or* **hidden, lie low** [informal], lie *perdue,* lie snug *or* close [dial], lie doggo *or* sit tight [both slang], burrow [archaic], **hole up** [slang], **go underground;** play peekaboo *or* bopeep *or* hide and seek; keep out of sight, retire from sight, drop from sight, disappear 447.2, crawl *or* retreat into one's shell, keep in the background, stay in the shade; **disguise oneself,** masquerade, take an assumed name, change one's identity, go under an alias, remain anonymous, be incognito, go under false colors, wear a mask.

.9 **lurk,** couch; **lie in wait,** lay wait; **sneak, skulk, slink, prowl,** nightwalk, **steal, creep,** pussyfoot [slang], gumshoe [slang], tiptoe; stalk, shadow 485.34.

.10 **ambush,** ambuscade, **waylay; lie in ambush,** lay wait for, **lie in wait for,** lay for [informal]; set a trap for 618.18.

.11 ADJS **concealed, hidden, hid,** occult, recondite [archaic], blind, adel(o)–, crypt(o)– *or* krypt(o)–; **covered** 228.31; **covert, under cover,** under wraps [informal]; **obscured,** obfuscated, clouded, clouded over, wrapped in clouds, in a cloud *or* fog *or* mist *or* haze, beclouded, befogged; eclipsed, in eclipse, under an eclipse; in the wings; buried; underground; close, secluded, secluse, sequestered; in purdah, under house arrest, incommunicado; **obscure,** abstruse, mysterious 549.15–18; **secret** 614.11,12; unknown 477.17, latent 546.5.

.12 **unrevealed, undisclosed,** undivulged, **unexposed;** unapparent, **invisible, unseen,** unperceived, unspied, undetected; undiscovered, unexplored, untraced, untracked; unexplained, unsolved.

.13 **disguised, camouflaged, in disguise;** masked, masquerading; **incognito,** incog [informal].

.14 **in hiding,** hidden out, **under cover,** in a dark corner, lying hid, doggo [slang]; in ambush *or* ambuscade; waiting concealed, lying in wait; in the wings; lurking, skulking, prowling, sneaking, stealing; pussyfooted, pussyfoot, on tiptoe; stealthy, furtive, surreptitious 614.12.

.15 **concealing, hiding,** obscuring; covering 228.34; unrevealing, nonrevealing, undisclosing.

616. FALSENESS

.1 NOUNS **falseness, falsehood,** falsity, inveracity, untruth, **truthlessness, untrueness; fallaciousness,** fallacy, **erroneousness** 518.1.

.2 **spuriousness, phoniness** [slang], bogusness [informal], **ungenuineness, unauthenticity,** unrealness, artificiality, factitiousness, syntheticness.

.3 **sham, fakery,** faking, falsity, feigning, pre-

tending; feint, pretext, **pretense,** hollow pretense, **pretension, false pretense** *or* **pretension;** humbug, humbuggery; **bluff,** bluffing, four-flushing [informal]; speciousness, meretriciousness; cheating, fraud; imposture 618.6; deception, delusion 618.1; acting, playacting; representation, **simulation,** simulacrum; dissembling, **dissemblance, dissimulation;** seeming, semblance, appearance, face, ostentation, **show, false show,** outward show, false air; window dressing, front, **false front, façade,** gloss, varnish; gilt; color, coloring, false color; masquerade, disguise 618.10; posture, pose, posing, attitudinizing; affectation 903.

.4 **falseheartedness, falseness,** doubleheartedness, doubleness of heart, doubleness, **duplicity, two-facedness,** double-facedness, **double-dealing,** ambidexterity; **dishonesty,** improbity, lack of integrity, Machiavellianism, bad faith; low cunning, **cunning,** artifice, wile 735.1–3; **deceitfulness** 618.3; faithlessness, treachery 975.5,6.

.5 **insincerity, uncandidness,** uncandor, **unfrankness,** disingenuousness; emptiness, hollowness; mockery, hollow mockery; crossed fingers, tongue in cheek, unseriousness; sophistry, jesuitry, casuistry 483.1.

.6 **hypocrisy,** hypocriticalness; Tartuffery, Tartuffism, Pecksniffery, pharisaism, **sanctimony** 1029, sanctimoniousness, religiosity, false piety, ostentatious devotion; **mealymouthedness, unctuousness,** oiliness; **cant,** mummery, snuffling [archaic], **mouthing; lip service;** tokenism; token gesture, empty gesture; sweet talk *or* soft soap [both informal]; crocodile tears.

.7 **quackery,** quackishness, quackism, **mountebankery, charlatanry,** charlatanism; **imposture; humbug,** humbuggery.

.8 **untruthfulness, dishonesty,** falsehood, **unveracity,** unveraciousness, truthlessness, **mendaciousness, mendacity;** credibility gap; **lying, fibbing,** fibbery, pseudology; pathological lying, mythomania, *pseudologia phantastica* [L].

.9 **falsification,** falsifying; confabulation; **perversion, distortion,** straining; **misrepresentation,** misconstruction, misstatement, coloring, false coloring, miscoloring; **exaggeration** 617; **prevarication,** equivocation 613.4; **perjury,** false swearing, oath breaking.

.10 **fabrication, invention, concoction;** canard; **forgery; fiction,** figment, **myth,** fable, romance, extravaganza.

.11 **lie, falsehood,** falsity, **untruth,** untruism, mendacity, **prevarication, fib,** taradiddle [informal], flimflam *or* flam, *blague* [Fr]; **fiction,** pious fiction, legal fiction; **story** [informal], **trumped-up story,** farrago; **yarn** [informal], **tale,** fairy tale [informal], ghost story; farfetched story, tall tale *or* **tall story** [both informal], **cock-and-bull story,** fish story [informal]; exaggeration 617; half-truth, stretching of the truth, slight stretching, white lie, little white lie; *suggestio falsi* [L]; a pack of lies.

.12 monstrous lie, consummate lie, deep-dyed falsehood, out-and-out lie, **whopper** [informal], gross *or* flagrant *or* shameless falsehood, **barefaced lie, dirty lie** [slang]; **slander, libel** 971.3; the big lie.

.13 **fake,** fakement [informal], **phony** [slang], **rip-off** [slang], **sham, mock, imitation,** simulacrum, dummy; paste, tinsel, *clinquant* [Fr], pinchbeck, shoddy, junk; **counterfeit, forgery;** put-up job *or* frame-up [both informal], put-on [informal]; **hoax, cheat, fraud, swindle** 618.7–9; whited sepulcher, whitewash job [informal]; impostor 619.6.

.14 **humbug,** humbuggery; **bunk** [slang], **bunkum;** hooey *or* hoke *or* **hokum** [all slang], **bosh** [informal], bull *or* **bullshit** *or* balls *or* crap [all slang], baloney [slang], flimflam, flam, claptrap, moonshine, eyewash, hogwash, gammon [informal], *blague* [Fr], jiggery-pokery [Brit].

.15 VERBS ring false, **not ring true.**

.16 **falsify, belie, misrepresent,** miscolor; misstate, misquote, misreport, miscite; overstate, understate; **pervert, distort,** strain, warp, **slant, twist;** garble; put a false appearance upon, give a false coloring, give a color to, **color, gild,** gloss, gloss over, whitewash, varnish; fudge [informal], dress up, titivate, embellish, embroider, trick *or* prink out; deodorize, make smell like roses; **disguise, camouflage, mask.**

.17 **tamper with, manipulate, fake, juggle,** sophisticate, **doctor** *or* **cook** [both informal], rig; pack, stack; **adulterate** 44.13; retouch; **load; salt,** plant [slang], salt a mine.

.18 **fabricate, invent, manufacture, trump up, make up, hatch, concoct, cook up** [informal], fudge [informal], fake, hoke up [slang]; **counterfeit, forge;** fantasize, fantasize about.

.19 **lie, tell a lie,** falsify, speak falsely, speak with forked tongue [informal], be untruthful, trifle with the truth, deviate from the truth, **fib, story** [informal]; **stretch the truth,** strain *or* bend the

truth; draw the longbow; **exaggerate** 617.3; lie flatly, lie in one's throat, lie through one's teeth, lie like a trooper, **prevaricate,** equivocate 613.7; deceive, mislead 618.13,15.

.20 swear falsely, forswear oneself [archaic], **perjure oneself, bear false witness.**

.21 **sham, fake** [informal], **feign, counterfeit, simulate,** gammon [informal]; **pretend,** make a pretense, **make believe, make a show of,** make like [informal], make as if *or* as though; go through the motions [informal]; let on, let on like [informal]; **affect,** profess, **assume,** put on; **dissimulate, dissemble,** cover up; **act, play,** playact, **put on an act** [informal], act *or* play a part; **put up a front** [informal], put on a front *or* false front [informal]; four-flush [slang], **bluff,** pull *or* put up a bluff [informal]; **play possum** [informal], roll over and play dead.

.22 **pose as, masquerade as,** impersonate, pass for, assume the guise *or* identity of, set up for, act the part of, represent oneself to be, claim *or* pretend to be, **make false pretenses,** go under false pretenses, **sail under false colors.**

.23 **be hypocritical, act** *or* **play the hypocrite;** cant, be holier than the Pope, reek of piety; snuffle [archaic], snivel, mouth; give mouth honor, render *or* give lip service; sweet-talk, soft-soap, blandish 970.5.

.24 **play a double game** *or* **role, play both ends against the middle,** work both sides of the street, have it both ways at once, have one's cake and eat it too, run with the hare and hunt with the hounds [Brit]; two-time [informal].

.25 ADJS **false, untrue, truthless, not true,** void *or* devoid of truth, contrary to fact, in error, **fallacious, erroneous** 518.16; unfounded 483.13.

.26 **spurious, ungenuine, unauthentic,** supposititious, bastard, **pseudo, quasi,** apocryphal, **fake** [informal], **phony** [slang], **sham, mock, counterfeit,** colorable, **bogus,** queer [slang], dummy, **make-believe,** so-called, **imitation** 22.8, noth(o)–; not what it is cracked up to be [slang]; **falsified;** dressed up, titivated, embellished, embroidered; garbled; twisted, distorted, warped, perverted; **simulated, faked, feigned,** colored, fictitious, fictive, **counterfeited, pretended, affected, assumed, put-on; artificial, synthetic,** ersatz; unreal; factitious, unnatural, man-made; illegitimate; *soi-disant* [Fr], self-styled; pinchbeck, brummagem [Brit], tinsel, shoddy, tin, junky.

.27 **specious, meretricious,** gilded, tinsel, **seeming,** apparent, colored, colorable, plausible, **ostensible.**

.28 **quack, quackish; charlatan, charlatanish,** charlatanic.

.29 **fabricated,** invented, manufactured, **concocted, hatched, trumped-up, made-up,** put-up, cooked-up [informal]; **forged;** fictitious, fictional, figmental, **mythical,** fabulous, legendary; fantastic, fantasied, fancied.

.30 **tampered** with, **manipulated, cooked** *or* **doctored** [both informal], juggled, **rigged,** engineered; packed.

.31 **falsehearted, false,** false-principled, false-dealing; double, duplicitous, ambidextrous, **double-dealing,** doublehearted, double-minded, double-tongued, double-faced, **two-faced,** Janus-faced; Machiavellian, dishonest; **crooked, deceitful** 618.20; artful, cunning, crafty 735.12; faithless, perfidious, treacherous 975.20,21.

.32 **insincere, uncandid, unfrank, mealymouthed,** disingenuous; dishonest; **empty, hollow;** tongue in cheek, unserious; sophistic(al), jesuitic(al), casuistic 483.10.

.33 **hypocritic(al), canting,** Pecksniffian, pharisaic(al), pharisean, **sanctimonious, goody-goody** [informal], holier than the Pope, holier-than-thou, simon-pure; **mealymouthed, unctuous, oily.**

.34 **untruthful, dishonest, unveracious,** unveridical, truthless, **lying, mendacious;** perjured, forsworn; prevaricating, equivocal 613.11.

.35 ADVS **falsely, untruly,** truthlessly; **erroneously** 518.20; **untruthfully,** unveraciously; **spuriously,** ungenuinely; artificially, synthetically; unnaturally, factitiously; speciously, seemingly, apparently, plausibly, ostensibly; nominally, in name only.

.36 **insincerely,** uncandidly; emptily, hollowly; unseriously; **hypocritically,** mealymouthedly, unctuously.

617. EXAGGERATION

.1 NOUNS **exaggeration,** exaggerating; **overstatement,** big *or* tall talk [informal], **hyperbole,** hyperbolism; **superlative; extravagance,** profuseness, **prodigality** 854; **magnification, enlargement,** amplification [archaic], dilation, dilatation, **inflation,** expansion, blowing up, puffing up, aggrandizement; **heightening,** enhancement; **stretching,** overemphasis; overestimation 497; exaggerated lengths, **extreme,**

overkill, exorbitance, inordinacy, **excess** 663; burlesque, travesty, caricature; sensationalism, puffery *or* ballyhoo [both informal], touting, huckstering; grandiloquence 601.

.2 **overreaction, much ado about nothing,** storm *or* tempest in a teapot, making a mountain out of a molehill.

.3 VERBS **exaggerate,** hyperbolize; **overstate,** overspeak [archaic], overreach, **overdraw,** overcharge; overstress; **overdo, carry too far, go to extremes;** overestimate 497.2; overpraise, oversell, tout, puff *or* ballyhoo [both informal]; **stretch,** stretch the truth, draw the longbow; **magnify,** amplify [archaic]; aggrandize, build up; pile *or* lay it on [informal], **lay it on thick** [informal], lay it on with a trowel [slang]; pile Pelion on Ossa; talk big [informal], talk in superlatives, deal in the marvelous, make much of; **overreact,** make a mountain out of a molehill; caricature, travesty, burlesque.

.4 ADJS **exaggerated,** hyperbolic(al), **magnified,** amplified [archaic], **inflated,** aggrandized; **stretched,** disproportionate, **blown up out of all proportion;** overpraised, oversold, touted, puffed *or* ballyhooed [both informal]; overemphasized, overemphatic, overstressed; **overstated, overdrawn; overdone,** overwrought; overestimated 497.3; overlarge, overgreat; **extreme,** exorbitant, inordinate, **excessive** 663.16; **superlative, extravagant,** profuse, **prodigal** 854.8; high-flown, grandiloquent 601.8.

.5 **exaggerating, exaggerative,** hyperbolic(al).

618. DECEPTION

.1 NOUNS **deception,** calculated deception, **deceptiveness, subterfuge,** snow job [slang], song and dance [informal], **trickiness; falseness** 616; fallaciousness, fallacy; self-deception, fond illusion, wishful thinking, willful misconception; vision, hallucination, phantasm, mirage, will-o'-the-wisp, **delusion,** delusiveness, illusion 519; deceiving, **victimization, dupery;** bamboozlement [informal], hoodwinking; swindling, defrauding, conning, flimflam *or* flimflammery [both informal]; **fooling,** befooling, tricking, **kidding** *or* putting on [both informal]; spoofing *or* spoofery [both informal]; bluffing; circumvention, overreaching, outwitting; ensnarement, entrapment, enmeshment, entanglement.

.2 **misleading, misguidance, misdirection;** bum steer [slang]; misinformation 563.1.

.3 **deceit, deceitfulness, guile, falseness,** insidiousness, **underhandedness; shiftiness, furtiveness,** surreptitiousness, indirection; **hypocrisy** 616.6; **falseheartedness, duplicity** 616.4; **treacherousness** 975.6; **artfulness,** craft, **cunning** 735; sneakiness 614.4; sneak attack.

.4 **chicanery,** chicane, **skulduggery** [informal], **trickery,** dodgery, pettifogging, pettifoggery, *supercherie* [Fr], **artifice,** sleight, machination; **sharp practice, underhand dealing, foul play;** connivery, connivance, collusion, conspiracy, covin.

.5 **juggling,** jugglery, **trickery,** *escamotage* [Fr], prestidigitation, conjuration, **legerdemain, sleight of hand;** mumbo jumbo, **hocus-pocus,** hanky-panky [informal], monkey business, hokey-pokey [informal], jiggery-pokery [Brit].

.6 **trick, artifice, device,** ploy, gambit, stratagem, **scheme,** design, *ficelle* [Fr], **subterfuge,** blind, **ruse, wile,** chouse [informal], shift, **dodge,** artful dodge, sleight, pass, feint, fetch, chicanery; **bluff;** gimmick, joker, catch; curve, curve-ball; googly *or* bosey *or* wrong'un [all Brit informal]; **dirty trick,** dirty deal, fast deal, scurvy trick; sleight of hand, sleight-of-hand trick, hocus-pocus [archaic]; juggle, juggler's trick; **bag of tricks,** tricks of the trade.

.7 **hoax, deception,** spoof [informal], **humbug,** flam, **fake** *or* fakement [both informal], **rip-off** [slang], **sham;** mare's nest.

.8 **fraud, fraudulence** *or* fraudulency, **dishonesty; imposture; imposition, cheat, cheating,** cozenage, diddle *or* diddling [both slang], **swindle,** scam [slang], flimflam *or* flam, dodge [slang], **gyp** [slang], ramp [Brit slang], fishy transaction, piece of sharp practice; **gyp joint** [slang]; **racket** [informal], illicit business 826; **graft** [informal], grift [slang]; bunco; cardsharping; ballot-box stuffing, gerrymandering.

.9 **confidence game, con game** [slang], **skin game** [slang], **bunco game; shell game,** thimblerig, thimblerigging; bucket shop, boiler room [slang]; goldbrick.

.10 **disguise, camouflage,** protective coloration; **false colors, false front** 616.3; **incognito;** smoke screen; **masquerade,** masque, mummery; **mask,** visor, vizard, vizard mask [archaic], false face, domino, domino mask.

.11 **trap, gin; pitfall,** trapfall, deadfall; flytrap, mousetrap, mole trap, rattrap, bear

trap; deathtrap, firetrap; Venus's flytrap, Dionaea; spring gun, set gun; baited trap; **booby trap, mine; decoy** 619.5, 650.2.

.12 **snare,** springe; noose, lasso, lariat; bola; **net,** trawl, dragnet, seine, purse seine, pound net, gill net; cobweb; **meshes, toils; fishhook, hook,** sniggle; **bait,** ground bait; **lure,** fly, jig, squid, plug, wobbler, spinner; lime, birdlime.

.13 VERBS **deceive, beguile, trick, hoax, dupe,** gammon, **gull,** pigeon, **bamboozle** [informal], snow [slang], **hornswaggle** [slang], diddle [slang], **humbug, take in,** hocus-pocus [informal], string along, **put something over** *or* **across,** slip one over on [informal], pull a fast one on; **delude,** mock; **betray,** let down, leave in the lurch, leave holding the bag, play one false, **double-cross** [informal], cheat on; two-time [informal]; juggle, conjure; **bluff;** cajole, **circumvent,** get around, forestall; **overreach,** outreach, outwit, outmaneuver, outsmart.

.14 **fool,** befool, make a fool of, practice on one's credulity, **pull one's leg,** make an ass of; **trick; spoof** *or* **kid** [both informal], put one on [informal]; **play a trick on,** play a practical joke upon, send on a fool's errand; fake out [slang].

.15 **mislead, misguide, misdirect,** lead astray, lead up the garden path, **give a bum steer** [slang]; throw off the scent, put on a false scent, drag *or* draw a red herring across the trail; throw a curve *or* curve ball, bowl a googly *or* bosey *or* wrong 'un [Brit informal]; misinform 563.3.

.16 **hoodwink,** blindfold, blind, blind one's eyes, blear the eyes of [archaic], throw dust in one's eyes, **pull the wool over one's eyes.**

.17 **cheat, victimize, gull,** pigeon, fudge, **swindle, defraud,** practice fraud upon, scam [slang], euchre, **con,** finagle, **fleece,** shave [dial], mulct, beat [informal], **rook** [informal], **gyp,** fob [archaic], **bilk,** flam *or* flimflam [both informal], **diddle** [slang], **screw, have** [informal], ramp [Brit slang], **stick** [informal], **sting** [slang], burn [informal], **gouge** [informal], **chisel** [slang], cozen, cog [archaic]; chouse *or* hocus *or* hocus-pocus [all informal]; **do out of,** chouse out of [informal], beguile of *or* out of; **play** *or* **take for a sucker** [slang], make a patsy of [slang], **sell one a bill of goods** [informal], do in [slang], obtain under false pretenses; live by one's wits; bunco, play a bunco game; sell gold bricks [informal]; shortchange, short-weight; stack the cards *or* deck, pack the deal [slang], deal off the bottom of the deck, play with marked cards; cog the dice, load the dice; thimblerig; crib [slang]; throw a fight *or* game [informal], take a dive [slang].

.18 **trap,** entrap, gin, catch, catch out, catch in a trap; **ensnare, snare,** hook, **hook in,** sniggle, noose; inveigle 650.4; net, mesh, enmesh, snarl [archaic], ensnarl, wind, tangle, entangle, entoil, enweb; trip, trip up; **set** *or* **lay a trap for,** bait the hook, spread the toils; lime, birdlime; **lure,** allure, **decoy** 650.4.

.19 ADJS **deceptive, deceiving, misleading,** beguiling, **false, fallacious,** delusive, delusory; hallucinatory, illusive, **illusory** 519.9; tricky, trickish, tricksy [archaic], catchy; **fishy** [informal], questionable, dubious.

.20 **deceitful, false; fraudulent, sharp, guileful, insidious,** slippery, **shifty, tricky,** trickish, finagling, chiseling [slang]; underhand, **underhanded, furtive, surreptitious,** indirect; collusive, covinous; **false-hearted, two-faced** 616.31; **treacherous** 975.21; sneaky 614.12; **cunning,** artful, **wily, crafty** 735.12; calculating, scheming 654.14.

.21 ADVS **deceptively,** beguilingly, **falsely,** fallaciously, delusively, **trickily, misleadingly,** with intent to deceive; under false colors, under cover of, under the garb of, in disguise.

.22 **deceitfully, fraudulently, guilefully,** insidiously, **shiftily, trickily; underhandedly,** furtively, surreptitiously, indirectly, like a thief in the night; **treacherously** 975.25.

619. DECEIVER

.1 NOUNS **deceiver, deluder,** duper, misleader, **beguiler, bamboozler** [informal]; actor, playactor [informal], role-player; **dissembler,** dissimulator; **double-dealer,** Machiavelli, Machiavel, Machiavellian; dodger, Artful Dodger [Dickens], **counterfeiter, forger, faker;** plagiarizer, plagiarist; entrancer, **enchanter,** charmer, befuddler, hypnotizer, mesmerizer; **seducer,** Don Juan, Casanova; tease, teaser; jilt, jilter; gay deceiver; **fooler, joker,** jokester, **hoaxer,** practical joker; spoofer, **kidder,** ragger, leg-puller [all informal].

.2 **trickster,** tricker; **juggler,** sleight-of-hand performer, magician, illusionist, conjurer, **prestidigitator,** *escamoteur* [Fr].

.3 **cheat, cheater; swindler, defrauder,** cozener, **gypper** *or* gyp artist [both slang], flimflammer *or* flimflam man [both informal], blackleg [informal], magsman

[Brit slang], **chiseler** [slang], bilker [informal], diddler [informal], **crook** [slang], juggler; two-timer [informal].

.4 **sharper, sharp,** sharpie [informal], **shark,** jackleg [informal], slicker [informal]; spieler, pitchman; **confidence man, con man** *or* **con artist** [both informal], **bunco artist, bunco steerer** [slang], carpetbagger; **horse trader,** horse coper [Brit]; **cardsharp,** cardsharper; thimblerigger; shortchanger; **shyster** *or* pettifogger [both informal]; land shark, land pirate, landgrabber, mortgage shark; crimp.

.5 **shill,** decoy, **come-on man** [slang], plant, capper, stool pigeon, stoolie [informal]; *agent provocateur* [Fr].

.6 **impostor, ringer; impersonator; pretender;** sham, shammer, **humbug,** *blagueur* [Fr], **fraud** [informal], **fake** *or* **faker** [both informal], **phony** [slang], **fourflusher** [slang], bluff, bluffer; **charlatan, quack,** quacksalver, quackster, **mountebank,** saltimbanco; **wolf in sheep's clothing,** ass in lion's skin, jackdaw in peacock's feathers; poser, poseur; malingerer.

.7 **masquerader,** masker; **impersonator,** personator; mummer, guiser *or* guisard [both Scot]; incognito, incognita.

.8 **hypocrite, phony** [slang], sanctimonious fraud, pharisee, whited sepulcher, **canter,** snuffler, mealymouth, "a saint abroad and a devil at home" [Bunyan]; Tartuffe, Pecksniff, Uriah Heep, Joseph Surface; false friend, fair-weather friend; summer soldier.

.9 **liar, fibber,** fibster, fabricator, fabulist, pseudologist; falsifier; **prevaricator,** equivocator, palterer; **storyteller;** yarner, yarn spinner, spinner of yarns [all informal]; Ananias; Satan, Father of Lies; Baron Munchausen; Sir John Mandeville; consummate liar, "liar of the first magnitude" [Congreve], *menteur à triple étage* [Fr], dirty liar; pathological liar, mythomaniac, pseudologue, confirmed *or* habitual liar; **perjurer,** false witness.

.10 **traitor,** treasonist, **betrayer, quisling, rat** [slang], serpent, snake, cockatrice, **snake in the grass, double-crosser** [slang], double-dealer; double agent; trimmer, timeserver 628.4; turncoat 628.5; informer 557.6; archtraitor; Judas, Judas Iscariot, Benedict Arnold, Quisling, Brutus; **schemer, plotter,** intriguer, *intrigant* [Fr], conspirer, **conspirator,** conniver, machinator.

.11 **subversive; saboteur, fifth columnist; fellow traveler,** crypto; security risk; **collaborationist,** collaborator, fraternizer; fifth column, underground; Trojan horse.

620. DUPE

.1 NOUNS **dupe, gull,** cull [Brit dial]; pigeon, patsy, fall guy [all slang]; mug [Brit slang], sucker *or* fish [both informal], gudgeon, *gobe-mouches* [Fr]; victim; gullible *or* dupable *or* credulous person, **easy mark** [informal], **sitting duck,** trusting soul, innocent, *naïf* [Fr], babe, babe in the woods; pushover *or* cinch *or* lead-pipe cinch [all informal], easy pickings, greenhorn, greeny *or* greener [both informal]; toy, plaything; monkey, chump [informal], boob [slang], schlemiel [slang], sap *or* saphead *or* prize sap [all slang], fool 471; stooge, **cat's-paw** 658.3.

621. WILL

.1 NOUNS **will, volition,** –boulia *or* –bulia; **choice,** determination, **decision** 637.1; **wish,** velleity, **mind, fancy, discretion, pleasure, inclination, disposition,** liking, appetence, appetency, desire 634; appetite, passion, lust, sexual desire 419.5; animus, **objective, intention** 653; **command** 752; free choice, one's own will *or* choice *or* discretion *or* initiative, free will 762.6; conation, conatus; will power, **resolution** 624.

.2 VERBS **will,** see *or* think fit, think good, think proper, **choose to, have a mind to; choose,** determine, **decide** 637.13–16; **resolve** 624.7; command, decree 752.9; wish, desire 634.14–20.

.3 have one's will, **have one's way, write one's own ticket,** have it all one's way, do *or* go as one pleases, please oneself; take the bit in one's teeth, take charge of one's destiny; stand on one's rights; take the law into one's own hands; have the last word, impose one's will.

.4 ADJS **volitional; willing, voluntary;** conative; –willed, –boulic *or* –bulic.

.5 ADVS **at will,** at choice, at pleasure, *al piacere* [Ital], **at one's pleasure,** *a beneplacito* [Ital], at one's will and pleasure, at one's own sweet will, **at one's discretion,** *à discrétion* [Fr], *ad arbitrium* [L]; *ad libitum* [L], ad lib; as one wishes, as it pleases *or* suits oneself, **in one's own way,** in one's own sweet way [informal], **as one thinks best,** as it seems good *or* best, as far as one desires; of one's own free will, of one's own accord, on one's own; without coercion, unforced.

622. WILLINGNESS

.1 NOUNS **willingness, gameness** [informal], readiness; **unreluctance,** unloathness, ungrudgingness; agreeableness, **agreeability,** favorableness; **acquiescence, consent** 775; **compliance,** cooperativeness; receptivity, receptiveness, responsiveness; amenability, tractableness, tractability, docility, pliancy, pliability; **eagerness,** promptness, forwardness, alacrity, zeal, zealousness, ardor, enthusiasm; goodwill, cheerful consent; **willing heart** *or* **mind** *or* **humor, favorable disposition,** right *or* receptive mood, willing ear.

.2 **voluntariness,** volunteering; **gratuitousness; spontaneity,** spontaneousness, unforcedness; **self-determination,** self-activity, self-action, autonomy, autonomousness, independence, free will 762.5–7; voluntaryism, voluntarism; volunteer.

.3 VERBS **be willing, be game** [informal], be ready; be of favorable disposition, find one's heart [archaic], have a willing heart; **incline, lean** 173.3; look kindly upon; be open to, **agree,** be agreeable to; **acquiesce, consent** 775.2,3; not hesitate to, would as lief, would as leave [dial], would as lief as not, not care *or* mind if one does [informal]; **go along with** [informal]; be eager, be dying to, be spoiling for, be champing at the bit; **enter with a will,** go into heart and soul, plunge into; **cooperate,** collaborate 786.3; lend *or* give *or* turn a willing ear.

.4 **volunteer,** do voluntarily, **do of one's own accord,** do of one's own volition, **do of one's own free will** *or* **choice;** do independently.

.5 ADJS **willing, willinghearted, ready, game** [informal]; **disposed, inclined, minded, willed,** fain, prone [archaic]; **well-disposed,** well-inclined, favorably inclined *or* disposed; predisposed; **favorable, agreeable, cooperative; compliant,** content [archaic], **acquiescent,** consenting 775.4; **eager;** prompt, quick, alacritous, forward, ready and willing, zealous, ardent, enthusiastic; in the mood *or* vein *or* humor *or* mind, in a good mood; receptive, responsive; amenable, tractable, docile, pliant.

.6 **ungrudging,** ungrumbling, **unreluctant,** unloath, **nothing loath,** unaverse, unshrinking.

.7 **voluntary, volunteer; gratuitous; spontaneous, free, freewill,** willful [archaic]; offered, proffered; **discretionary,** discretional, nonmandatory, **optional,** elective; arbitrary; **self-determined,** self-determining, autonomous, independent, self-active, self-acting; **unsought,** unbesought, **unasked,** unrequested, **unsolicited, uninvited,** unbidden, uncalled-for; **unforced,** uncoerced, unpressured, unrequired, uncompelled; unprompted, uninfluenced.

.8 ADVS **willingly, with a will,** with good will, with right good will, *de bonne volonté* [Fr]; **eagerly,** with zest, with relish, with open arms, zealously, ardently, enthusiastically; **readily,** promptly, at the drop of a hat [informal].

.9 **agreeably, favorably, compliantly;** lief, lieve [dial], fain, as lief, as lief as not; **ungrudgingly,** ungrumblingly, **unreluctantly, nothing loath,** without reluctance *or* demur *or* hesitation.

.10 **voluntarily, freely, gratuitously, spontaneously,** willfully [archaic]; optionally, electively, by choice; **of one's own accord,** of one's own free will, of one's own volition, of one's own choice, at one's own discretion; without coercion *or* pressure *or* compulsion *or* intimidation; independently 762.32.

623. UNWILLINGNESS

.1 NOUNS **unwillingness, disinclination,** nolition, **indisposition,** indisposedness, **reluctance,** renitency, renitence, grudgingness, grudging consent; unenthusiasm, lack of enthusiasm *or* zeal *or* eagerness, slowness, backwardness, dragging of the feet *or* foot-dragging [both informal]; sullenness, sulk, sulks, sulkiness; cursoriness, perfunctoriness; recalcitrance *or* recalcitrancy, disobedience, refractoriness, fractiousness, intractableness, indocility, mutinousness; averseness, aversion, repugnance, antipathy, distaste, disrelish; **obstinacy, stubbornness** 626.1; **refusal** 776; opposition 790; **resistance** 792; **disagreement,** dissent 795.2,3.

.2 **demur,** demurral, **scruple, qualm,** qualm of conscience, compunction; **hesitation,** hesitancy *or* hesitance, pause, boggle, **falter;** qualmishness, scrupulousness, scrupulosity; **stickling,** boggling; **faltering;** shrinking; shyness, **diffidence,** modesty, bashfulness; recoil; **protest, objection** 522.2.

.3 VERBS be unwilling, **would rather not, not care to,** not feel like [informal], not find it in one's heart to, not have the heart *or* stomach to; **mind,** object to, draw the line at, **balk at;** grudge, begrudge.

.4 **demur, scruple,** have qualms *or* scruples; **stickle, stick at,** boggle, strain; falter, waver; **hesitate,** pause, **hang back,** hang off, hold off; **fight shy of,** shy at, shy, shrink, recoil, blench, flinch, wince, quail, pull back; make bones about *or* of.

.5 ADJS **unwilling, disinclined, indisposed,** not in the mood, averse; **unconsenting** 776.6; opposed 790.8; **resistant** 792.5; **disagreeing,** differing, at odds 795.15,16; disobedient, recalcitrant, refractory, fractious, sullen, sulky, indocile, mutinous; cursory, perfunctory; **involuntary, forced.**

.6 **reluctant,** renitent, **grudging, loath;** backward, laggard, dilatory, slow, slow to; unenthusiastic, unzealous, indifferent, apathetic, perfunctory; balky, balking, restive.

.7 **demurring, qualmish,** boggling, stickling, squeamish, **scrupulous; diffident,** shy, modest, bashful; **hesitant,** hesitating, faltering; shrinking.

.8 ADVS **unwillingly, involuntarily, against one's will,** *à contre cœur* [Fr]; under compulsion *or* coercion *or* pressure; in spite of oneself, *malgré soi* [Fr].

.9 **reluctantly, grudgingly,** sullenly, sulkily; unenthusiastically, perfunctorily; with dragging feet, with a bad *or* an ill grace, **under protest;** with a heavy heart, with no heart *or* stomach.

624. RESOLUTION

.1 NOUNS **resolution,** resolvedness, **determination, decision, resolve,** fixed *or* firm resolve, **will,** purpose; **resoluteness, determinedness,** determinateness, decisiveness, decidedness, **purposefulness;** definiteness; **earnestness, seriousness,** sincerity, devotion, dedication, commitment, total commitment; "the dauntless spirit of resolution", "the native hue of resolution" [both Shakespeare]; single-mindedness, relentlessness, persistence, tenacity, perseverance 625; self-will, obstinacy 626.

.2 **firmness,** firmness of mind *or* spirit, **staunchness,** settledness, steadiness, constancy, steadfastness, fixedness; concentration; flintiness, steeliness; inflexibility, rigidity, unyieldingness 626.2; trueness, loyalty 974.7.

.3 **pluck, spunk** [informal], **mettle, backbone** [informal], **grit,** true grit, spirit, **stamina, guts** *or* moxie [both slang], pith [archaic], bottom, **toughness** [informal]; pluckiness, spunkiness [informal], **gameness,** mettlesomeness; courage 893.

.4 **will power, will,** power, **strong-mindedness,** strength of mind, strength *or* fixity of purpose, strength, fortitude, **moral fiber; iron will,** will of iron; a will *or* mind of one's own; the courage of one's convictions, moral courage.

.5 **self-control, self-command, self-possession,** self-mastery, self-government, self-domination, **self-restraint,** self-conquest, self-discipline, **self-denial;** control, restraint, constraint, discipline; composure, possession, aplomb; **independence** 762.5.

.6 **self-assertion,** self-assertiveness, forwardness, **nerve** *or* pushiness [both informal], importunateness, importunacy; self-expression, self-expressiveness.

.7 VERBS **resolve, determine, decide, will, purpose, make up one's mind,** make *or* take a resolution, make a point of; **settle,** fix, seal; conclude, come to a determination *or* conclusion, determine once for all.

.8 **be determined,** be resolved; **have a mind** *or* **will of one's own,** know one's own mind; **be in earnest, mean business** [informal], mean what one says; have blood in one's eyes *or* be out for blood [both informal], **set one's mind** *or* **heart upon;** put one's heart into, devote *or* commit *or* dedicate oneself to, give oneself up to; buckle oneself, buckle down, buckle to; steel oneself, brace oneself, grit one's teeth, set one's teeth *or* jaw; put *or* lay *or* set one's shoulder to the wheel; take the bull by the horns, take the plunge, cross the Rubicon; nail one's colors to the mast, burn one's bridges *or* boats, go for broke [slang], kick down the ladder, throw away the scabbard; never say die, die hard, die fighting, die with one's boots on.

.9 **remain firm, stand fast** *or* **firm, hold out,** hold fast, **take one's stand,** set one's back against the wall, **stand** *or* **hold one's ground,** keep one's footing, hold one's own, hang in *or* hang in there *or* hang tough [all slang], dig in, dig one's heels in; **stick to one's guns,** stick, stick fast, stick to one's colors, adhere to one's principles; not listen to the voice of the siren; take what comes, stand the gaff; **put one's foot down** [informal], stand no nonsense.

.10 **not hesitate,** think nothing of, think little of, **make no bones about** [informal], have *or* make no scruple of [archaic], **stick at nothing,** stop at nothing; not look back; go the whole hog [informal], carry through, face out.

.11 ADJS **resolute,** resolved, **determined,** bound *or* bound and determined [both informal], **decided,** decisive, **purposeful;** definite; **earnest, serious,** sincere; devoted, dedicated, committed, wholehearted; single-minded, relentless, persistent, tenacious, persevering 625.7; **obstinate** 626.8.

.12 **firm, staunch,** fixed, settled, steady, steadfast, constant, set *or* sot [both dial], flinty, steely; unshaken, not to be shaken, unflappable [informal]; undeflectable, **unswerving,** not to be deflected; immovable, unbending, inflexible, **unyielding** 626.9; true, loyal 974.20.

.13 **unhesitating,** unhesitant, **unfaltering,** unflinching, unshrinking; stick-at-nothing [informal].

.14 **plucky, spunky** [informal], gritty [informal], gutty *or* gutsy [both slang], **mettlesome,** dauntless, **game,** game to the backbone, game to the last *or* end; **courageous** 893.17–21.

.15 **strong-willed, strong-minded,** firm-minded; **self-controlled,** controlled, self-disciplined, self-restrained; **self-possessed; self-assertive,** self-asserting, forward, pushy [informal], importunate; self-expressive; **independent** 762.21.

.16 **determined upon,** resolved upon, decided upon, intent upon, fixed upon, settled upon, **set on,** dead set on [informal], sot on [dial], **bent on,** hell-bent on [slang].

.17 ADVS **resolutely, determinedly, decidedly,** decisively, resolvedly, **purposefully, with a will;** firmly, steadfastly, steadily, fixedly, with constancy, staunchly; **seriously,** in all seriousness, **earnestly,** in earnest, in good earnest, sincerely; devotedly, with total dedication, committedly; hammer and tongs, tooth and nail, *bec et ongles* [Fr]; heart and soul, with all one's heart, wholeheartedly; **unswervingly;** single-mindedly, relentlessly, persistently, tenaciously, like a bulldog, like a leech, perseveringly 625.8; **obstinately, unyieldingly, inflexibly** 626.14,15.

.18 **pluckily, spunkily** [informal], mettlesomely, **gamely,** dauntlessly, manfully, like a man; on one's mettle; **courageously, heroically** 893.22.

.19 **unhesitatingly,** unhesitantly, **unfalteringly,** unflinchingly, unshrinkingly.

.20 **come what may,** *venga lo que venga* [Sp], *vogue la galère* [Fr], **cost what it may,** *coûte que coûte* [Fr], whatever the cost, at any price *or* cost *or* sacrifice, at all risks *or* hazards, **whatever may happen,** *ruat caelum* [L], though the heavens may fall, at all events, live or die, survive or perish, sink or swim, rain or shine, come hell or high water; in some way or other.

625. PERSEVERANCE

.1 NOUNS **perseverance, persistence** *or* persistency, insistence *or* insistency, singleness of purpose; resolution 624; **steadfastness, steadiness,** stability 142; **constancy, permanence** 140.1; loyalty, fidelity 974.7; single-mindedness, concentration, unswerving attention, engrossment, preoccupation 530.3; **endurance, stick-to-itiveness** [informal], staying power, **pertinacity,** pertinaciousness, **tenacity,** tenaciousness, **doggedness,** unremittingness, relentlessness, dogged perseverance, bulldog tenacity; plodding, plugging, slogging; **obstinacy, stubbornness** 626.1; **diligence,** application, sedulousness, sedulity, industry, industriousness, assiduousness, assiduity; **tirelessness, indefatigability, stamina; patience,** patience of Job 861.1.

.2 VERBS **persevere, persist, carry on,** go on, **keep on,** keep up, keep at, **keep at it,** keep going, keep driving, keep trying, try and try again, **keep the ball rolling,** keep the pot boiling, keep up the good work; not take 'no' for an answer; not accept compromise *or* defeat; **endure,** last, **continue** 110.6.

.3 keep doggedly at, **plod,** drudge, slog *or* slog away, put one foot in front of the other, peg away *or* at *or* on; **plug,** plug at, plug away *or* along; pound *or* hammer away; **keep one's nose to the grindstone.**

.4 **stay with it, hold on,** hold fast, **hang on,** hang on for dear life [informal], hang on like a bulldog *or* leech, hang in *or* hang in there *or* hang tough [all slang]; **stick to it** *or* **stick with it** [both informal], **stick** [slang], **stick to one's guns;** not give up, **never say die,** not give up the ship [informal], not strike one's colors; come up fighting, come up for more; **stay it out, stick it** *or* **stick it out** [both informal], tough it out [slang], stick out, **hold out;** hold up, **bear up,** stand up; **live with it,** live through it; stay the distance [informal]; "wear this world out to the ending doom", "bears it out even to the edge of doom" [both Shakespeare]; brazen it out.

.5 prosecute to a conclusion, go **through with it, carry through, follow through, see it through** [informal], see out, follow out *or* up; go to the bitter end, go all the

way, go to any length, go the whole length; go the limit, **go the whole hog**, go all out, go for broke [all slang]; **leave no stone unturned**, leave no avenue unexplored, overlook nothing, exhaust every move; move heaven and earth, go through fire and water, go through hell and high water [informal].

.6 **die trying**, die in the last ditch, die in harness, **die with one's boots on** *or* die in one's boots, die at one's post, die in the attempt, die game, die hard, **go down with flying colors**.

.7 ADJS **persevering**, perseverant, **persistent**, persisting, insistent; **enduring**, permanent, **constant, lasting**; continuing 140.7; **stable, steady, steadfast** 142.12; immutable, inalterable 142.17; **resolute** 624.11; **diligent, assiduous, sedulous**, industrious; dogged, plodding, slogging, plugging; **pertinacious, tenacious, stick-to-itive** [informal]; loyal, faithful 974.20; **unswerving**, unremitting, unabating, unintermitting, uninterrupted; single-minded, utterly attentive; rapt, preoccupied 530.17,18; **unfaltering, unwavering**, unflinching; relentless, **unrelenting; obstinate, stubborn** 626.8; **unrelaxing**, unfailing, **untiring**, unwearying, unflagging, never-tiring, **tireless**, weariless, **indefatigable**, unwearied, unsleeping, undrooping, unnodding, unwinking, sleepless; undiscouraged, undaunted, indomitable, unconquerable, invincible, game to the end; **patient**, patient as Job 861.9.

.8 ADVS **perseveringly, persistently**, persistingly, insistently; resolutely 624.17; loyally, faithfully, devotedly 974.25; **diligently**, industriously, assiduously, sedulously; **doggedly**, sloggingly, ploddingly; pertinaciously, tenaciously; unremittingly, unabatingly, unintermittingly, uninterruptedly; unswervingly, unwaveringly, unfalteringly, unflinchingly; relentlessly, unrelentingly; **indefatigably, tirelessly**, wearilessly, untiringly, unwearyingly, unflaggingly, unrestingly, unsleepingly; **patiently** 861.12.

.9 **through thick and thin**, through fire and water, come hell or high water, through evil report and good report, rain or shine, fair or foul, in sickness and in health; **come what may** 624.20.

626. OBSTINACY

.1 NOUNS **obstinacy**, obstinateness, pertinacity, restiveness, **stubbornness, willfulness**, self-will, hardheadedness, **headstrongness**, strongheadness; mind *or* will of one's own, set *or* fixed mind, inflexible will; **doggedness, determination**, tenaciousness, tenacity, "tough tenacity of purpose" [J. A. Symonds], perseverance 625; **bullheadedness, pigheadedness, mulishness**; obduracy, unregenerateness; stiff neck, stiff-neckedness; sullenness, sulkiness; balkiness; uncooperativeness; bitterendism [informal]; dogmatism, opinionatedness 513.6; overzealousness, fanaticism 473.11; intolerance, bigotry 527.1,2.

.2 **unyieldingness**, unbendingness, stiff temper, **inflexibility**, inelasticity, impliability, ungivingness, **obduracy**, toughness, **firmness**, stiffness, adamantness, rigorism, **rigidity**; hard-bittenness, hard-nosedness [informal]; unalterability, unchangeability, immutability, immovability; irreconcilability, uncompromisingness, **intransigence** *or* intransigency, *intransigeance* [Fr], intransigentism; **implacability**, inexorability, **relentlessness**, unrelentingness; sternness, grimness, dourness, flintiness, steeliness.

.3 **perversity**, *perversité* [Fr], perverseness, **contrariness, wrongheadedness, waywardness**, frowardness, difficultness, crossgrainedness, cantankerousness, orneriness [informal], **cussedness** *or* pure cussedness [both informal]; sullenness, sulkiness, dourness, stuffiness [informal]; irascibility 951.2.

.4 **ungovernability, unmanageability**, uncontrollability; indomitability, untamableness, **intractability**, refractoriness, shrewishness; incorrigibility; **unsubmissiveness**, unbiddability [Brit], **indocility**; irrepressibility, insuppressibility; unmalleability, unmoldableness; **recalcitrance** *or* recalcitrancy, contumacy, contumaciousness; **unruliness**, obstreperousness, restiveness, fractiousness, wildness, breachiness [dial]; defiance 793; resistance 792.

.5 **unpersuadableness**, deafness, blindness; positiveness, dogmatism 513.6.

.6 (obstinate person) **mule**, donkey, ass, perverse fool; bullethead *or* pighead [both slang]; hardnose [informal]; standpat *or* **standpatter** [both informal], **stickler; intransigent**, *intransigeant* [Fr], maverick; dogmatist, positivist, bigot, fanatic, purist; **diehard, bitter-ender** [informal], last-ditcher.

.7 VERBS **balk, stickle**; hold one's ground, not budge, **stand pat** [informal], **not yield an inch**, stick to one's guns; hold out, stand out; take no denial, not take

'no' for an answer; take the bit in one's teeth; die hard; persevere 625.2.

.8 ADJS **obstinate, stubborn, pertinacious, restive; willful, self-willed,** strong-willed, hardheaded, **headstrong,** strongheaded, *entêté* [Fr]; **dogged,** bulldogged, **tenacious,** persevering 625.7; **bullheaded,** bulletheaded [informal], **pigheaded, mulish,** stubborn as a mule; set, set in one's ways, case-hardened, stiff-necked; sullen, sulky; balky, balking; unregenerate, uncooperative; bigoted, intolerant 527.11, overzealous, fanatic(al) 473.32; dogmatic, opinionated 513.22.

.9 **unyielding, unbending, inflexible, hard,** inelastic, impliable, ungiving, **firm, stiff, rigid,** rigorous; rock-ribbed; **adamant,** adamantine; unmoved, unaffected; **immovable,** not to be moved; **unalterable,** unchangeable, immutable; **uncompromising,** intransigent, irreconcilable, hard-shell, hard-core [both informal]; implacable, inexorable, **relentless,** unrelenting; stern, grim, dour; iron, cast-iron, flinty, steely.

.10 **obdurate,** tough, **hard,** hard-set, hard-mouthed, hard-bitten, hard-nosed [informal].

.11 **perverse, contrary, wrongheaded, wayward, froward, difficult,** cross-grained, cantankerous, ornery [informal]; sullen, sulky, stuffy [informal]; irascible 951.19.

.12 **ungovernable, unmanageable, uncontrollable, indomitable,** untamable, **intractable, refractory;** shrewish; **incorrigible; unsubmissive,** unbiddable [Brit], **indocile;** irrepressible, insuppressible; unmalleable, unmoldable; **recalcitrant,** contumacious; obstreperous, **unruly, restive,** wild, fractious, breachy [dial]; beyond control, out of hand; resistant, resisting 792.5; defiant 793.7.

.13 **unpersuadable,** deaf, blind; positive; dogmatic 513.22.

.14 ADVS **obstinately, stubbornly,** pertinaciously; willfully, headstrongly; **doggedly,** tenaciously; **bullheadedly,** pigheadedly, mulishly; unregenerately; uncooperatively; with set jaw, with sullen mouth, with a stiff neck.

.15 **unyieldingly, unbendingly, inflexibly, adamantly,** obdurately, **firmly,** stiffly, rigidly, rigorously; unalterably, unchangeably, immutably, immovably, unregenerately; uncompromisingly, intransigently, irreconcilably; implacably, inexorably, relentlessly, unrelentingly; sternly, grimly, dourly.

.16 **perversely, contrarily,** contrariwise, waywardly, wrongheadedly, frowardly, cross-grainedly, cantankerously, sullenly, sulkily.

.17 **ungovernably, unmanageably, uncontrollably,** indomitably, untamably, intractably; shrewishly; incorrigibly; unsubmissively; irrepressibly, insuppressibly; contumaciously; unrulily, obstreperously, restively, fractiously.

627. IRRESOLUTION

.1 NOUNS **irresolution, indecision,** unsettlement, unsettledness, irresoluteness, undeterminedness, **indecisiveness,** undecidedness, infirmity of purpose; mugwumpery, mugwumpism, fence-sitting, fence-straddling; double-mindedness, **ambivalence,** ambitendency; dubiety, dubiousness, **uncertainty** 514; **instability, inconstancy,** changeableness 141; capriciousness, mercuriality, fickleness 629.2,3; change of mind, second thoughts, tergiversation 628.1.

.2 **vacillation, fluctuation,** oscillation, pendulation, **wavering,** wobbling, shilly-shally, **shilly-shallying,** blowing hot and cold; equivocation 613.4.

.3 **hesitation,** hesitance, **hesitancy,** hesitating; falter, faltering, shilly-shally, shilly-shallying; diffidence, tentativeness, caution, cautiousness.

.4 **weak will, weak-mindedness;** feeblemindedness [archaic], **weakness,** feebleness, faintness, faintheartedness, **frailty, infirmity; spinelessness,** invertebracy; abulia; fear 891; cowardice 892; **pliability** 357.2.

.5 **vacillator, shillyshallyer,** shilly-shally, **waverer,** wobbler; mugwump, fence-sitter, fence-straddler; ass between two bundles of hay; weakling, jellyfish, Milquetoast.

.6 VERBS **not know one's own mind,** not know where one stands, **be of two minds,** have two minds; stagger, stumble, boggle.

.7 **hesitate, pause, falter, hang back,** hover; shilly-shally, hum and haw, **hem and haw;** wait to see how the cat jumps *or* the wind blows, scruple, jib, demur [archaic], stick at, stickle, strain at; think twice about, stop to consider, ponder, debate, deliberate, see both sides of the question, balance, weigh one thing against another, consider both sides of the question; come down squarely in the middle, sit on *or* straddle the fence, fall between two stools; yield, back down 765.7; retreat, withdraw 295.6; pull back, shy 284.7; fear

891.9; not face up to, hide one's head in the sand 633.13.

.8 **vacillate, waver, fluctuate,** pendulate, oscillate, wobble, teeter, totter [archaic], dither, swing from one thing to another, **shilly-shally,** back and fill, keep off and on, will and will not; blow hot and cold 629.4; **equivocate** 613.7; change one's mind, tergiversate 628.6; vary, **alternate** 141.5; shift, **change** 139.5.

.9 ADJS **irresolute,** irresolved, **unresolved; undecided, indecisive, undetermined,** unsettled, infirm of purpose; dubious, **uncertain** 514.15; at loose ends, at a loose end; **of two minds,** double-minded, ambivalent, ambitendent; changeable, mutable 141.6; capricious, mercurial, fickle 629.5,6; mugwumpian, mugwumpish, fence-sitting, fence-straddling.

.10 **vacillating,** vacillatory, oscillatory, wobbly, **wavering, fluctuating,** pendulating, oscillating, **shilly-shallying,** shilly-shally, "at war 'twixt will and will not" [Shakespeare].

.11 **hesitant,** hesitating; faltering; shilly-shallying; diffident, tentative, timid, cautious; scrupling, jibbing, demurring [archaic], sticking, straining, stickling.

.12 **weak-willed, weak-minded,** feebleminded [archaic], weak-kneed, **weak,** feeble, faint, fainthearted, **frail, infirm; spineless,** invertebrate; without a will of one's own, unable to say 'no'; abulic; afraid 891.30–34, cowardly 892.10–13; **pliable** 357.9.

.13 ADVS **irresolutely,** irresolvedly, **undecidedly, indecisively, undeterminedly; uncertainly** 514.26; hesitantly, hesitatingly, falteringly; waveringly, vacillatingly, shilly-shally, shilly-shallyingly.

628. CHANGE OF ALLEGIANCE

.1 NOUNS **tergiversation,** tergiversating; **reverse, reversal,** flip *or* flip-flop [both slang], turnabout, turnaround, **about-face,** *volte-face* [Fr], right-about-face, right-about, a turn to the right-about; **change of mind;** second thoughts, better thoughts, afterthoughts, mature judgment.

.2 **apostasy,** recreancy; treason, misprision of treason, betrayal, turning traitor, ratting [slang], going over, **defection;** bolt, secession, breakaway; **desertion** 633.2; recidivism, recidivation, backsliding 696.2; faithlessness, disloyalty 975.5.

.3 **recantation, withdrawal, disavowal, denial,** reneging, **unsaying, repudiation,** palinode, palinody, **retraction,** retractation; **disclaimer,** disclamation, **disownment,** disowning, abjurement, abjuration, revokement *or* revocation [both archaic]; **renunciation,** renouncement, forswearing; expatriation.

.4 **timeserver,** timepleaser [archaic], temporizer, formalist, trimmer, weathercock; chameleon, Vicar of Bray.

.5 **apostate, turncoat,** turnabout, **recreant, renegade,** renegado, renegate [archaic], runagate, **defector,** tergiversator, tergiversant; **deserter, turntail,** quisling, fifth columnist, collaborationist, collaborator, traitor 619.10; strikebreaker 789.6; **bolter,** mugwump, **seceder,** secessionist, **separatist,** schismatic; **backslider,** recidivist; reversionist; convert, proselyte.

.6 VERBS **change one's mind, tergiversate, change one's song** *or* **tune** *or* **note,** sing a different tune; come round, wheel, do an about-face, reverse oneself, do a flip-flop [slang]; swing from one thing to another; think better of it, have second thoughts, be of another mind.

.7 **be a timeserver,** trim, temporize, change with the times.

.8 **apostatize** *or* apostacize, go over, change sides, switch, switch over, change one's allegiance, **defect; turn one's coat,** turn cloak; secede, break away, bolt, fall off *or* away; desert 633.6.

.9 **recant, retract, repudiate, withdraw, take back,** renege, **abjure, disavow, disown, deny, disclaim, unsay,** revoke [archaic]; **renounce, forswear, eat one's words,** swallow, eat crow, eat humble pie; **back down** *or* **out,** climb down, crawfish out [informal], backwater.

.10 ADJS **timeserving, trimming, temporizing;** supple, neither fish nor fowl.

.11 **apostate, recreant,** renegade, tergiversating, tergiversant; treasonous, treasonable, traitorous, collaborative; faithless, disloyal 975.20.

.12 **repudiative,** repudiatory; abjuratory, revocatory [archaic]; renunciative, renunciatory; schismatic; **separatist,** secessionist, breakaway [informal], mugwumpian, mugwumpish.

629. CAPRICE

.1 NOUNS **caprice, whim,** *capriccio* [Ital], *boutade* [Fr], humor, **whimsy,** freak, whim-wham; **fancy,** fantasy, **conceit, notion,** flimflam, toy, freakish inspiration, crazy idea, fantastic notion, fool notion [informal], harebrained idea, brainstorm, **vagary,** megrim; **fad, craze, passing fancy;**

quirk, crotchet, crank, kink; maggot, maggot in the brain, bee in one's bonnet [informal], flea in one's nose [informal].

.2 **capriciousness,** caprice, **whimsicalness,** whimsy, whimsicality; humorsomeness, **fancifulness,** fantasticality, **freakishness;** crankiness, crotchetiness, quirkiness; **moodiness,** temperamentalness; petulance 951.5; **arbitrariness,** motivelessness.

.3 **fickleness, flightiness,** skittishness, inconstancy, **lightness, levity,** *légèreté* [Fr]; volatility, mercurialness, mercuriality; faddishness, faddism; **changeableness** 141; unpredictability 514.1; unreliability, undependability 975.4; coquettishness 932.8; frivolousness 469.7.

.4 VERBS **blow hot and cold,** keep off and on, have as many phases as the moon, chop and change, **fluctuate** 141.5, vacillate 627.8.

.5 ADJS **capricious, whimsical,** freakish, humorsome, vagarious; **fanciful, notional,** fantasied [archaic], fantastic(al), maggoty, **crotchety,** kinky, harebrained, cranky, flaky [slang], quirky; wanton, wayward, vagrant; **arbitrary, unreasonable,** motiveless; **moody, temperamental;** petulant 951.21; unrestrained 762.23.

.6 **fickle, flighty,** skittish, **light;** coquettish, flirtatious, toying; versatile, **inconstant, changeable** 141.7; vacillating 627.10; volatile, mercurial, quicksilver; faddish; unpredictable 514.15; unreliable, undependable 975.19.

.7 ADVS **capriciously, whimsically,** fancifully, at one's own sweet will [informal]; **flightily, lightly;** arbitrarily, unreasonably, without rhyme or reason.

630. IMPULSE

.1 NOUNS **impulse;** natural impulse, blind impulse, **instinct,** urge, drive; vagrant *or* fleeting impulse; involuntary impulse, reflex, automatic response; gut response [slang]; **notion, fancy; sudden thought,** flash, inspiration, brainstorm, brain wave, quick hunch.

.2 **impulsiveness, impetuousness,** impetuosity; **hastiness,** overhastiness, haste, quickness, suddenness; **precipitateness,** precipitance, precipitancy, precipitation; **recklessness, rashness** 894; impatience 862.

.3 **thoughtlessness,** unthoughtfulness, **heedlessness, carelessness,** inconsideration, inconsiderateness; caprice 629.

.4 **unpremeditation,** indeliberation, **undeliberateness,** uncalculatedness, undesignedness, **spontaneity, spontaneousness,** unstudiedness; involuntariness 639.5; snap judgment *or* decision; snap shot, offhand shot.

.5 **improvisation, extemporization,** improvision, extempore [archaic], **impromptu, ad lib,** ad-libbing *or* playing by ear [both informal]; extemporaneousness, extemporariness; temporary measure *or* arrangement, *pro tempore* measure *or* arrangement, **stopgap, makeshift,** jury-rig [naut].

.6 **improviser,** improvisator, *improvvisatore, improvvisatrice* [both Ital], **extemporizer,** ad-libber [informal].

.7 VERBS **act on the spur of the moment,** obey one's impulse, let oneself go; **blurt out,** come out with, say what comes uppermost, say the first thing that comes into one's head.

.8 **improvise, extemporize,** improvisate, talk off the top of one's head [informal], throw away *or* depart from the prepared text, throw away the speech, scrap the plan, **ad-lib** [informal], **do offhand,** wing it [slang], vamp, fake [informal], play by ear [informal]; **dash off, strike off,** knock off, throw off, toss off *or* out; make up, whip up, **cook up,** whomp up [informal], lash up [Brit], throw together; jury-rig.

.9 ADJS **impulsive, impetuous, hasty,** overhasty, quick, sudden, **precipitate,** headlong; **reckless, rash** 894.7–9; impatient 862.6.

.10 **unthinking, unreasoning, unreflecting,** uncalculating, unthoughtful, **thoughtless, inadvertent,** reasonless, **heedless, careless,** inconsiderate; unguarded; arbitrary, capricious 629.5.

.11 **unpremeditated,** unmeditated, **uncalculated,** undeliberated, **spontaneous, undesigned, unstudied;** unintentional, unintended, inadvertent, unwilled, **indeliberate,** undeliberate; **involuntary,** reflex, reflexive, automatic, gut [slang], unconscious; **unconsidered,** unadvised, snap, casual; **ill-considered,** ill-advised, ill-devised.

.12 **extemporaneous, extemporary,** extempore, **impromptu,** unrehearsed, **improvised,** improvisatory, improvisatorial, improviso, *improvisé* [Fr]; **ad-lib,** *ad libitum* [L]; stopgap, makeshift, jury-rigged; **offhand,** off-the-cuff [informal].

.13 ADVS **impulsively, impetuously, hastily,** suddenly, quickly, **precipitately,** headlong; **recklessly, rashly** 894.10,11.

.14 **on impulse,** on a sudden impulse, **on the spur of the moment; without premeditation,** unpremeditatedly, uncalculatedly, undesignedly; unthinkingly, unreflect-

ingly, unreasoningly, unthoughtfully, thoughtlessly, heedlessly, carelessly, inconsiderately, unadvisedly; unintentionally, inadvertently, without willing, indeliberately, involuntarily.

.15 **extemporaneously, extemporarily,** extempore, *à l'improviste* [Fr], **impromptu, ad lib, offhand,** out of hand; at *or* on sight; by ear, off the hip [slang], off the cuff [informal]; at short notice.

631. AVOIDANCE

.1 NOUNS **avoidance, shunning; forbearance,** refraining; hands-off policy, **nonintervention,** noninvolvement, neutrality; **evasion, elusion;** getting around [informal], **circumvention;** prevention, forestalling, forestallment 730.2; **escape** 632; evasive action, the runaround [slang]; zigzag, jink, slip, dodge, duck, side step, shy; shunting off, sidetracking; evasiveness, elusiveness; **equivocation** 613.4; avoiding reaction, defense mechanism *or* reaction.

.2 **shirking, slacking,** goldbricking [informal], soldiering, goofing *or* goofing off [both slang]; clock-watching; **malingering,** skulking [Brit]; **dodging,** ducking; welshing [slang]; truancy; tax evasion, tax dodging.

.3 **shirker,** shirk, **slacker,** eye-servant *or* eye-server [both archaic], soldier *or* old soldier, **goldbricker,** goldbrick [informal]; clock watcher; **welsher** [slang]; **malingerer,** skulker *or* skulk [both Brit]; truant; tax dodger.

.4 **flight,** fugitation, exit, quick exit, making oneself scarce *or* getting the hell out [both informal], bolt, disappearing act [slang], hasty retreat; **running away, decampment;** skedaddle, skedaddling, scramming, absquatulation [all slang]; **elopement;** disappearance 447; French leave, absence without leave, AWOL; **desertion** 633.2; hegira.

.5 **fugitive,** fleer, **runaway,** runagate, **bolter,** skedaddler [informal]; **absconder, eloper; refugee, evacuee,** *émigré* [Fr]; **displaced person,** DP, stateless person; **escapee** 632.5.

.6 VERBS **avoid, shun, fight shy of,** keep from, **keep away from,** keep clear of, **steer clear of** [informal], give a miss to [informal], keep *or* get out of the way of, **give a wide berth,** keep remote from, stay detached from; make way for, give place to; **keep one's distance,** keep at a respectful distance, keep *or* stand *or* hold aloof; give the cold shoulder to [informal], have nothing to do with, have no association with, **have no truck with** [informal]; not meddle with, let alone, let well enough alone, keep hands off, not touch, not touch with a ten-foot pole; turn away from, turn one's back upon, slam the door in one's face.

.7 **evade, elude,** beg, **get out of,** shuffle out of, **circumvent,** skirt, double, **get around** [informal]; give one the run-around; ditch *or* shake *or* shake off [all slang], get away from; throw off the scent; play at hide and seek; lead one a chase *or* merry chase, lead one a dance *or* pretty dance; escape 632.6–9.

.8 **dodge, duck; shy,** shy off *or* away; swerve, sheer off; pull away *or* clear; pull back, shrink, recoil 284.6,7; **sidestep,** step aside; parry, fence, ward off; shift, shift *or* put off; **hedge,** pussyfoot [informal], be *or* sit on the fence, beat around *or* about the bush, hem and haw, beg the question, equivocate 613.7.

.9 **shirk, slack, lie** *or* **rest upon one's oars,** not pull fair; **lie down on the job** [informal]; soldier, duck duty, **goof off** *or* dog it [both slang], **goldbrick** [informal]; **malinger,** skulk [Brit]; **get out of,** sneak *or* slip out of, slide out of, dodge, duck; welsh [slang].

.10 **flee, fly, take flight,** take to flight, take wing, fugitate, **run, cut and run** [informal], make a precipitate departure, **run off** *or* **away,** run away from, **decamp,** absquatulate *or* skedaddle [both informal], **take to one's heels, make off, clear out** [informal], depart 301.6, do the disappearing act, make a quick exit, make oneself scarce [informal], get the hell out [informal], **beat a retreat, turn tail,** show the heels, show a clean *or* light pair of heels; **run for it,** "show it a fair pair of heels and run for it" [Shakespeare], **bolt,** make a break for it [informal], **run for one's life;** advance to the rear, make a strategic withdrawal; **take French leave,** go AWOL, slip the cable; **desert** 633.6; **skip** *or* skip out [both informal], **jump** [informal]; **abscond,** levant [Brit], **elope,** run away with; skip *or* jump bail.

.11 [slang terms] **beat it, blow, scram,** lam, **take it on the lam,** take a powder *or* run-out powder, **split,** skin out, duck out, duck and run, dog it; vamoose.

.12 **slip away, steal away, sneak off,** slink off, slide off, slither off, skulk away, mooch off [slang], duck out [slang], slip out of.

.13 **not face up to,** hide one's head in the

sand, not come to grips with, put off, procrastinate, temporize.

.14 ADJS **avoidable, escapable,** eludible; evadable; preventable.

.15 **evasive, elusive,** elusory; **shifty,** slippery, cagey [slang]; shirking, malingering.

.16 **fugitive, runaway,** in flight, on the lam [slang], hot [slang]; disappearing 447.3; –fugal.

632. ESCAPE

.1 NOUNS **escape; getaway** *or* break *or* breakout [all informal]; **deliverance; delivery,** riddance, **release,** setting-free, freeing, **liberation, extrication, rescue;** emergence, issuance, issue, outlet, vent; **leakage,** leak; jailbreak, prisonbreak; evasion 631.1; flight 631.4; escapism.

.2 **narrow escape,** hairbreadth escape, **close call** [informal], **close shave** [informal], **near miss,** near go *or* near thing [both Brit informal], near *or* narrow squeak [Brit informal], close squeak *or* tight squeeze [both informal].

.3 (means of escape) bolt-hole, escape hatch, fire escape, life net, lifeboat, life raft, life buoy, lifeline, sally port, slide, inflatable slide, ejection seat, emergency exit.

.4 **loophole, way out,** way of escape, hole to creep out of, escape hatch, escape clause, saving clause; pretext 649; **alternative,** choice 637.

.5 **escapee,** escaper; escape artist; escapist; **fugitive** 631.5.

.6 VERBS **escape,** make *or* effect one's escape, make good one's escape; **get away, make a getaway** [informal]; **free oneself,** deliver oneself, gain one's liberty, **get free, get clear of,** bail out, **get out, get out of,** get well out of; **break loose,** cut loose, break away, break one's bonds *or* chains, slip the collar, shake off the yoke; **jump** *or* **skip** [both informal]; **break jail** *or* **prison,** escape prison, fly the coop [slang]; leap over the wall; evade 631.7; flee 631.10.

.7 **get off, go free,** win freedom, go at liberty, **go scot free,** escape with a whole skin, escape without penalty; **get away with** [slang], get by, get away with murder, **get off cheap;** cop a plea *or* cop out [both slang].

.8 scrape *or* squeak through, escape with *or* by the skin of one's teeth.

.9 **slip away, give one the slip,** slip through one's hands *or* fingers; slip *or* sneak through; **slip out of,** slide out of, crawl *or* creep out of, sneak out of, wiggle *or* wriggle *or* squirm *or* shuffle *or* worm out of, find a loophole.

.10 **find vent,** issue forth, come forth, exit, **emerge, issue,** debouch, erupt, break out, break through, come out, run out, **leak out,** ooze out.

.11 ADJS **escaped, loose,** on the loose, disengaged, out of, well out of; fled, flown; fugitive, runaway; scot-free; at large, **free** 762.19.

633. ABANDONMENT

.1 NOUNS **abandonment, forsaking, leaving,** lipo–; jettison, jettisoning, throwing overboard *or* away, casting away; **withdrawal,** evacuation, pulling out, absentation; cessation 144; disuse, desuetude.

.2 **desertion, defection,** ratting [slang]; dereliction; **secession,** bolt, breakaway, walkout; betrayal 975.8; schism, apostasy 628.2; deserter 628.5.

.3 (giving up) **relinquishment, surrender, resignation, renouncement,** renunciation, abdication, waiver, abjurement, abjuration, cession, handing over, **yielding, forswearing; withdrawing, dropping out** [informal].

.4 **derelict,** castoff; jetsam, flotsam, lagan, **flotsam and jetsam;** waifs and strays; rubbish, junk, trash, refuse; waif, orphan, dogie [dial]; **castaway;** foundling; wastrel, reject, discard 668.3.

.5 VERBS **abandon, forsake; quit, leave,** leave behind, take leave of, depart from, absent oneself from, turn one's back upon, turn one's tail upon, say goodbye to, bid a long farewell to; **withdraw, back out, drop out** [informal], pull out, stand down [informal]; **go back on, go back on one's word;** cry off [Brit], beg off, renege; **vacate,** evacuate; quit cold *or* leave flat [both informal]; jilt, throw over [informal]; maroon; **jettison,** discard 668.7; let fall into disuse *or* desuetude.

.6 **desert, leave in the lurch,** rat [slang], let down, **walk** *or* **run out on** [informal], turn one's back upon; apostatize 628.8; **defect, secede, bolt,** break away, pull out [informal], withdraw one's support; sell out [slang], betray 975.14.

.7 **give up, relinquish, surrender, yield,** waive, **forgo, resign, renounce,** throw up, abdicate, **abjure, forswear, have done with,** cede, hand over, lay down, wash one's hands of, drop, drop all idea of, drop like a hot potato; **cease** 144.6, **desist from,** leave off, give over; hold *or* stay

one's hand, cry quits, acknowledge defeat, throw up the cards, throw in the sponge, throw in the towel 765.8.

.8 ADJS **abandoned, forsaken, deserted,** left; disused; **derelict,** castaway, jettisoned; marooned; discarded 668.11.

634. DESIRE

.1 NOUNS **desire, wish,** wanting, **want, need,** desideration; **hope; fancy; will, mind, pleasure,** will and pleasure; heart's desire; **urge,** drive, libido, pleasure principle; concupiscence; horme; wish fulfillment, fantasy; passion, ardor, sexual desire 419.5; **curiosity,** intellectual curiosity, thirst for knowledge, lust for learning; **eagerness** 635; –philia, –orexia.

.2 **liking, likes** [pl], **love, fondness;** infatuation, crush; **affection;** relish, taste, gusto, gust [Scot]; **passion, weakness** [informal].

.3 **inclination, penchant, partiality, fancy, favor, predilection, preference,** propensity, proclivity, leaning, bent, turn, bias, **affinity;** mutual affinity *or* attraction; **sympathy,** fascination.

.4 **wistfulness,** wishfulness, yearnfulness, **nostalgia;** wishful thinking; sheep's eyes, longing *or* wistful eye; daydream, daydreaming.

.5 **yearning, yen** [informal]; **longing,** desiderium, **hankering** [informal], **pining,** honing [dial], aching; languishment, languishing; **nostalgia, homesickness,** *Heimweh* [Ger], *mal du pays, maladie du pays* [both Fr]; nostomania.

.6 **craving, coveting; hunger, thirst, appetite,** "an universal wolf" [Shakespeare], appetition, appetency *or* appetence; aching void; **itch, itching,** prurience *or* pruriency; **sexual desire** 419.5; cacoëthes, mania 473.12.

.7 **appetite,** stomach, relish, taste; **hunger,** hungriness, –phagia; tapeworm [slang], eyes bigger than the stomach, wolf in the stomach, canine appetite; empty stomach, emptiness [informal], hollow hunger; **thirst,** thirstiness, drought [dial], dryness; polydipsia; torment of Tantalus; sweet tooth [informal].

.8 **greed,** greediness, graspingness, **avarice, cupidity, avidity, voracity, rapacity, lust,** avariciousness, –lagnia *or* –lagny; avidness, esurience, wolfishness; voraciousness, ravenousness, rapaciousness, sordidness, **covetousness,** acquisitiveness; itching palm; grasping; **piggishness, hoggishness,** swinishness; **gluttony** 994; inordinate desire, fury *or* frenzy of desire, overgreediness; insatiable desire, insatiability; incontinence, intemperateness 993.1.

.9 **aspiration,** hitching one's wagon to a star, reaching high, upward looking; "the desire of the moth for the star" [Shelley]; high goal *or* aim *or* purpose, dream, ideals; **idealism** 535.7.

.10 **ambition,** ambitiousness, vaulting ambition; climbing, status-seeking, social climbing, careerism; power-hunger; "the mind's immodesty" [D'Avenant], "the way in which a vulgar man aspires" [Henry Ward Beecher], "the evil shadow of aspiration" [George Macdonald], "the avarice of power" [G. G. Coulton], "avarice on stilts and masked" [W. S. Landor]; noble *or* lofty ambition, magnanimity [archaic]; "the spur that makes man struggle with destiny" [Donald G. Mitchell].

.11 (object of desire) **desire,** heart's desire, desideration, *desideratum* [L]; wish; **hope;** catch, plum, prize, trophy; forbidden fruit, temptation; lodestone, magnet; golden vision, glimmering goal; land of heart's desire 535.11; something to be desired, "a consummation devoutly to be wish'd" [Shakespeare]; dearest wish, ambition, the height of one's ambition.

.12 **desirer,** wisher, wanter, hankerer [informal], yearner, coveter; fancier, collector; addict, freak [slang], devotee, votary 635.6; **aspirant,** aspirer, solicitant, hopeful [informal], candidate; **lover,** suitor 931.11.

.13 **desirability; agreeability,** acceptability, unobjectionableness; **attractiveness,** attraction, magnetism, **appeal,** seductiveness, provocativeness; likability, lovability 931.7.

.14 VERBS **desire,** desiderate, be desirous of, **wish,** lust after, **want,** have a mind to, choose [dial]; would fain do *or* have, would be glad of; **like,** fancy, take to, **take a fancy to,** have a fancy for; have an eye to, have one's eye on, aim at; set one's cap for, have designs on; wish very much, wish to goodness; **love** 931.18; lust 419.22; prefer, favor 637.17.

.15 **want to, wish to, like to,** love to, dearly love to, choose to; **itch to,** burn to; ache to [informal], long to, **be dying to.**

.16 **wish for, hope for, yearn for,** yen for *or* have a yen for [both informal], **itch for,** lust for, pant for, **long for, pine for,** hone for [dial], ache for, be hurting for [dial], weary for, languish for, **be dying for,**

thirst for, sigh for, gape for [archaic]; cry for, clamor for; spoil for [informal].

.17 **want with all one's heart, want in the worst way; set one's heart on, have one's heart set on,** give one's kingdom in hell for *or* one's eyeteeth for [slang].

.18 **crave, covet, hunger after,** thirst after, crave after, **lust after,** pant after, run mad after, **hanker after** [informal]; crawl after; aspire after, be consumed with desire.

.19 **hunger,** hunger for, feel hungry, starve [informal]; be ravenous, raven; **have a good appetite,** be a good trencherman, have a tapeworm [slang], have a wolf in one's stomach; eye hungrily, lick one's chops [informal]; **thirst,** thirst for.

.20 **aspire, be ambitious;** aspire to, try to reach; aim high, keep one's eyes on the stars, "hitch one's wagon to a star" [Emerson].

.21 ADJS **desirous,** desiring, desireful [archaic], lickerish, **wanting, wishing,** needing, hoping; tempted; appetitive, desiderative, optative, libidinous, libidinal; hormic; **eager** 635.9; lascivious, **lustful** 419.29.

.22 **desirous of** *or* **to,** keen on, set on [dial], bent on; fond of, with a liking for, partial to [informal]; fain of *or* to; inclined toward, leaning toward; **itching for** *or* **to,** aching for *or* to, **dying for** *or* **to;** spoiling for [informal]; mad on *or* for, wild to *or* for [informal], crazy to *or* for [informal].

.23 **wistful,** wishful; **longing, yearning,** yearnful, **hankering** [informal], **languishing, pining,** honing [dial]; **nostalgic, homesick.**

.24 **craving,** coveting; **hungering,** hungry, thirsting, thirsty, athirst; **itching,** prurient; fervid; **devoured by desire,** in a frenzy *or* fury of desire, mad with lust, consumed with desire.

.25 **hungry,** hungering, peckish [dial]; empty [informal], unfilled; ravening, **ravenous,** voracious, sharp-set, wolfish, dog-hungry [slang], hungry as a bear; **starved, famished,** starving, famishing, perishing *or* pinched with hunger; fasting; half-starved, half-famished.

.26 **thirsty,** thirsting, athirst; **dry,** parched, droughty [dial].

.27 **greedy, avaricious, avid, voracious, rapacious,** esurient, **ravening, grasping, grabby** [slang], acquisitive, mercenary, sordid, overgreedy; ravenous, gobbling, devouring; miserly, money-hungry, money-mad, venal; **covetous,** coveting; **piggish, hoggish,** swinish, a hog for, greedy as a hog; **gluttonous** 994.6; omnivorous, all-devouring; insatiable, insatiate, unsatisfied, unsated, unappeased, unappeasable, limitless, bottomless, unquenchable, quenchless, unslaked, unslakeable, slakeless.

.28 **aspiring, ambitious,** sky-aspiring, upward-looking, high-reaching; high-flying, social-climbing, careerist, careeristic, on the make [informal]; power-hungry.

.29 **desired, wanted,** coveted; **wished-for,** hoped-for, longed-for; in demand, popular.

.30 **desirable,** to be desired, **much to be desired; enviable,** worth having; **likable, pleasing,** after one's own heart; **agreeable,** acceptable, unobjectionable; **attractive,** taking, winning, **seductive, provocative,** tantalizing, exciting 650.7; appetizing, tempting, toothsome, mouth-watering; **lovable,** adorable 931.23.

.31 ADVS **desirously, wistfully,** wishfully, **longingly, yearningly,** piningly, languishingly; cravingly, itchingly; hungrily, thirstily; aspiringly, ambitiously.

.32 **greedily, avariciously,** avidly, ravenously, raveningly, voraciously, rapaciously, **covetously,** graspingly, devouringly; wolfishly, **piggishly, hoggishly,** swinishly.

635. EAGERNESS

.1 NOUNS **eagerness, anxiousness,** anxiety; **avidity,** avidness, keenness, forwardness, **readiness,** promptness, quickness, **alacrity,** cheerful readiness, *empressement* [Fr]; keen desire, **appetite** 634.7; **zest,** zestfulness, gusto, gust [Scot], verve, **liveliness,** life, **vitality,** vivacity, élan, spirit, animation; **impatience,** breathless impatience 862.1.

.2 **zeal, ardor, ardency, fervor, fervency, fervidness, spirit, warmth, fire, heat,** heatedness, **passion,** passionateness, impassionedness, heartiness, intensity, **abandon,** vehemence; intentness, resolution 624; **devotion,** devoutness, devotedness, dedication, commitment, committedness; **earnestness, seriousness,** sincerity; loyalty, faithfulness, faith, fidelity 974.7.

.3 **enthusiasm,** enthusiasticalness; keen interest, fascination; **craze** 473.12.

.4 **overzealousness, overeagerness,** overanxiousness, overanxiety; **overenthusiasm, infatuation; overambitiousness; frenzy, fury; zealotry,** zealotism; mania, **fanaticism** 473.11.

.5 **enthusiast, zealot, infatuate,** energumen, **eager beaver** [informal], rhapsodist, great one for [informal]; addict; hound, fiend, demon, freak, nut, bug [all slang]; fad-

dist; pursuer; sucker for [slang]; hobbyist, collector; **fanatic** 473.17; visionary 535.13.

.6 **devotee, votary, fan** *or* **buff** [both informal], **fancier,** admirer, **follower; groupie;** worshiper, idolizer, idolater; amateur, dilettante; collector; rooter *or* booster [both informal].

.7 VERBS **jump at,** catch, grab, grab at, snatch, snatch at, fall all over oneself, get excited about; **desire** 634.14–20.

.8 **be enthusiastic, rave, enthuse** [informal]; **rhapsodize, carry on over** [informal], make much of, **make a fuss over,** make an ado *or* much ado about, make a to-do over [informal], take on over [informal], go on over *or* about [informal], rave about [informal], whoop it up about [slang]; gush, gush over; effervesce, bubble over.

.9 ADJS **eager, anxious,** agog, all agog; **avid, keen,** forward, prompt, quick, ready, ready and willing, alacritous, bursting to, raring to; **zestful, lively,** full of life, vital, vivacious, vivid, spirited, **animated; impatient** 862.6; breathless, panting, champing at the bit; **desirous** 634.21.

.10 **zealous, ardent, fervent, fervid,** perfervid, **spirited, intense,** hearty, vehement, abandoned, **passionate,** impassioned, **warm,** heated, hot, hot-blooded, red-hot, fiery, white-hot, flaming, burning, afire, on fire; **devout, devoted;** dedicated, committed; **earnest, sincere, serious,** in earnest; loyal, faithful 974.20; intent, intent on, resolute 624.11.

.11 **enthusiastic,** enthused [informal], glowing, full of enthusiasm, gung-ho [slang]; enthusiastic about, infatuated with, **keen on** *or* **about.**

.12 [slang terms] **wild about, crazy about, mad about,** ape about *or* over, gone on, all in a dither over, gaga over, starry-eyed over, all hopped up about, hepped up over, hot about *or* for *or* on, steamed up about, **turned-on;** hipped on, **cracked on,** bugs on, freaked-out, **nuts on** *or* **over** *or* **about.**

.13 **overzealous,** ultrazealous, **overeager,** overanxious; **overambitious;** overdesirous; **overenthusiastic, infatuated;** feverish, perfervid, febrile, at fever pitch; hectic, frenetic, furious, **frenzied,** frantic, **wild,** hysteric(al), delirious; **insane** 473.25–34; **fanatical** 473.32.

.14 ADVS **eagerly, anxiously; impatiently,** breathlessly; **avidly,** promptly, quickly, keenly, readily; zestfully, vivaciously, animatedly; **enthusiastically,** with enthusiasm; **with alacrity,** with zest, with gusto, with relish, with open arms.

.15 **zealously, ardently, fervently, fervidly,** perfervidly, heatedly, heartily, vehemently, **passionately,** impassionedly; intently, intensely; **devoutly, devotedly;** earnestly, sincerely, seriously.

636. INDIFFERENCE

.1 NOUNS **indifference,** indifferentness; indifferentism; halfheartedness, zeallessness, perfunctoriness, fervorlessness; **coolness,** coldness, chilliness, chill, iciness, frostiness; tepidness, **lukewarmness,** Laodiceanism; **neutrality,** neutralness, neuterness; insipidity, vapidity.

.2 **unconcern, disinterest, detachment; disregard, dispassion,** insouciance, **carelessness,** regardlessness; easygoingness; **heedlessness,** mindlessness, inattention 531; **unmindfulness, incuriosity** 529; disregardfulness, recklessness, negligence 534.1,2; unsolicitousness, unanxiousness; pococurantism; **nonchalance,** inexcitability 858, ataraxy *or* ataraxia; indiscrimination, casualness 493.1; **listlessness,** lackadaisicalness, lack of feeling *or* affect, sloth, accidia, acedia, **apathy** 856.4.

.3 **undesirousness,** desirelessness; nirvana; lovelessness, passionlessness; uneagerness, **unambitiousness;** lack of appetite, inappetence, anorexia, anorexia nervosa.

.4 VERBS **not care, not mind, not give** *or* **care a damn,** not give a hoot *or* shit [slang], care nothing for *or* about, not care a straw about; shrug off; **take no interest in,** have no desire for, have no taste *or* relish for; hold no brief for.

.5 **not matter to,** be all one to, take it or leave it.

.6 ADJS **indifferent, halfhearted,** zealless, perfunctory, fervorless; **cool, cold** 929.9; tepid, **lukewarm,** Laodicean; neither hot nor cold, neither one thing nor the other, "neither fish, nor flesh, nor good red herring" [John Heywood]; **neuter, neutral.**

.7 **unconcerned, uninterested, disinterested,** turned-off, **dispassionate,** insouciant, **careless,** regardless; easygoing; incurious 529.3; mindless, **unmindful, heedless,** inattentive 531.6, perfunctory, disregardful; **devil-may-care,** reckless, negligent 534.10, 11; unsolicitous, unanxious; pococurante, **nonchalant,** inexcitable 858.10; ataractic; **blasé;** undiscriminating, casual 493.5; **listless,** lackadaisical; **apathetic** 856.13.

.8 **undesirous,** unattracted, desireless; loveless, passionless; inappetent; nirvanic; **un-**

enthusiastic, uneager; **unambitious,** unaspiring.

.9 ADVS **indifferently, with indifference,** with utter indifference; coolly, coldly; lukewarmly, halfheartedly; perfunctorily; for aught one cares.

.10 **unconcernedly, uninterestedly, disinterestedly,** dispassionately, insouciantly, **carelessly,** regardlessly; mindlessly; **unmindfully, heedlessly,** recklessly, negligently 534.17,18; **nonchalantly;** listlessly, lackadaisically; **apathetically** 856.14,15.

.11 PHRS **who cares?,** I don't care, I couldn't care less; it's a matter of sublime indifference; never mind!, **what does it matter?,** what's the difference?, what's the diff? [slang], what are the odds?, what of it?, what boots it?, **so what?,** what the hell [slang], it's all one to me, it's all the same to me [slang].

.12 **I should worry?,** I should fret?, that's your lookout, I feel for you but I can't reach you; that's your pigeon [slang], that's your tough luck, tough titty *or* tough shit [both slang].

637. CHOICE

.1 NOUNS **choice, selection, election,** preference, decision, **pick, choosing,** free choice; alternativity; co-option, co-optation; **will,** volition, free will 762.6,7; preoption, first choice; the pick 674.8.

.2 **option, discretion, pleasure,** will and pleasure; optionality; possible choice, alternative, alternate choice.

.3 **dilemma,** Scylla and Charybdis, the devil and the deep blue sea; *embarras de choix* [Fr]; choice of Hercules; Hobson's choice, no choice, only choice.

.4 **adoption, embracement,** acceptance, espousal; affiliation.

.5 **preference, predilection,** proclivity, bent, affinity, prepossession, predisposition, partiality, inclination, leaning, bias, tendency, taste; favor, fancy; prejudice; personal choice, particular choice [archaic], chosen kind *or* sort, style, cup of tea [informal], type, bag *or* thing [both slang]; druthers [dial].

.6 **vote,** voting, **suffrage,** franchise, enfranchisement, voting right, right to vote; **voice, say;** representation; **poll,** polling, canvass, canvassing, division, counting heads *or* noses; **ballot,** secret ballot, Australian ballot; **plebiscite,** plebiscitum, **referendum;** yeas and nays, yea, aye, yes, nay, no; voice vote, *viva voce* vote; rising vote; hand vote, show of hands; absentee vote, proxy; casting vote, deciding vote; write-in vote, write-in; fagot vote [Brit]; graveyard vote; single vote, plural vote; transferable vote, nontransferable vote; Hare system, list system, cumulative voting, preferential voting, proportional representation; straw vote, record vote, snap vote, plumper [Brit].

.7 **selector,** chooser, optant, elector, **voter; electorate.**

.8 **nomination, designation,** naming, proposal.

.9 **election, appointment;** political election 744.15.

.10 **selectivity,** selectiveness, picking and choosing; **choosiness** 896.1; eclecticism; **discrimination** 492.

.11 **eligibility, qualification, fitness,** fittedness, **suitability,** acceptability, worthiness, desirability; eligible.

.12 **elect,** elite, chosen; chosen people.

.13 VERBS **choose, elect,** opt, opt for, co-opt, make *or* take one's choice, make choice of, use *or* take up *or* exercise one's option; pick and choose.

.14 **select,** make a selection; **pick,** handpick, **pick out, single out,** choose out; extract, excerpt; **decide between; cull,** glean, winnow, sift; separate the wheat from the chaff *or* tares, separate the sheep from the goats.

.15 **adopt;** approve, ratify, pass, carry; **take up, go in for** [informal]; accept, **embrace,** espouse; affiliate.

.16 **decide upon, determine upon,** settle upon, fix upon; make *or* take a decision, **make up one's mind.**

.17 **prefer,** have preference, **favor, like better** *or* **best,** prefer to, set before *or* above, regard *or* honor before; rather [dial], **had** *or* **have rather,** choose rather; think proper, see *or* think fit, think best, please; incline *or* lean *or* tend toward, have a bias *or* partiality.

.18 **vote, cast one's vote,** ballot, cast a ballot; hold up one's hand, stand up and be counted; plump [Brit]; divide; poll, canvass.

.19 **nominate, name, designate;** put up, propose, submit, name for office; run, run for office.

.20 **elect, vote in,** place in office; **appoint.**

.21 **put to choice,** offer, present, set before; put to vote, have a show of hands.

.22 ADJS **elective;** volitional, voluntary; **optional,** discretional; **alternative,** disjunctive.

.23 **selective,** selecting, choosing; eclectic(al);

elective, electoral; appointing, appointive, constituent; adoptive; discriminating 492.7; **choosy** [informal], particular 896.9.

.24 **eligible, qualified, fit,** fitted, **suitable,** acceptable, admissible, worthy, desirable; with voice, with vote, with voice and vote, enfranchised.

.25 **preferable,** of choice *or* preference, **better,** preferred, **to be preferred,** more desirable, favored; preferential, preferring, favoring.

.26 **chosen, selected, picked;** select, elect; handpicked; **adopted,** accepted, embraced, espoused, approved, ratified, passed, carried; **elected,** unanimously elected, elected by acclamation; appointed; **nominated,** designated, named.

.27 ADVS **at choice, at one's will,** at one's will and pleasure, at one's pleasure, electively, at one's discretion, at the option of, if one wishes; on approval; **optionally;** alternatively.

.28 **preferably, by choice** *or* **preference,** in preference; by vote, by election *or* suffrage; **rather than,** sooner than, first, sooner, rather, before.

.29 CONJS or, either . . . or; and/or.

638. REJECTION

.1 NOUNS **rejection, repudiation;** abjurement, abjuration, **renouncement** 633.3; disownment, disclamation, **recantation** 628.3; **exclusion,** exception 77.1; **disapproval, nonacceptance,** nonapproval, declining, declination, **refusal** 776; contradiction, **denial** 524.2; passing by *or* up [informal], ignoring, nonconsideration, discounting, dismissal, disregard 531.1; throwing out *or* away, putting out *or* away, chucking *or* chucking out [both informal]; discard 668.3; turning out *or* away, repulse, rebuff 289.2; **spurning,** scouting, despising, despisal, contempt 966.

.2 VERBS **reject, repudiate,** abjure, forswear, **renounce** 633.7, **disown, disclaim, recant** 628.9, except, **exclude** 77.4; **disapprove, decline, refuse** 776.3; contradict, **deny** 524.4; pass by *or* up [informal], waive, ignore, refuse to consider, discount, **dismiss; disregard** 531.2; throw out *or* away, chuck *or* chuck out [both informal], **discard** 668.7; turn out *or* away, shove away, brush aside, push aside, repulse, repel, rebuff 289.2; **spurn,** scout, **disdain,** contemn, **despise** 966.3.

.3 ADJS **rejected, repudiated; renounced,** forsworn, **disowned; denied,** refused; excluded, excepted; **disapproved, declined;** ignored, discounted, not considered, **dismissed,** dismissed out of hand; **discarded;** repulsed, rebuffed; **spurned,** scouted, **disdained, scorned,** contemned, **despised;** out of the question, not to be thought of, declined with thanks.

.4 rejective; renunciative, abjuratory; declinatory; dismissive; contemptuous, despising, **scornful,** disdainful.

639. NECESSITY

.1 NOUNS **necessity,** necessariness, necessitude [archaic], necessitation; mandatoriness, mandatedness, obligatoriness, **obligation,** obligement; compulsoriness, **compulsion, duress** 756.3.

.2 **requirement, requisite,** requisition; **necessity, need, want,** occasion; need for, **call for, demand,** demand for; desideratum, desideration; **prerequisite,** prerequirement; **must,** must item; **essential,** indispensable; the necessary, the needful; necessities, necessaries, essentials, bare necessities.

.3 **needfulness,** requisiteness; **essentiality,** essentialness, vitalness; **indispensability,** indispensableness; irreplaceability; irreducibleness, irreducibility.

.4 **urgent need, dire necessity; exigency** *or* exigence, **urgency,** imperative, imperativeness, immediacy, pressingness, pressure; "necessity's sharp pinch" [Shakespeare]; matter of necessity, case of need, **matter of life and death; predicament** 731.4.

.5 **involuntariness,** unwilledness, **instinctiveness;** compulsiveness; reflex action, conditioning, automatism; echolalia, echopraxia; automatic writing; **instinct,** impulse 630; blind impulse *or* instinct, sheer chemistry.

.6 **choicelessness,** no choice, no alternative, **Hobson's choice,** only choice; that or nothing; not a pin to choose, six of one and half a dozen of the other, distinction without a difference; indiscrimination 493.

.7 **inevitability,** inevitableness, **unavoidableness,** necessity, inescapableness, inevasibleness, unpreventability, undeflectability, ineluctability; irrevocability, indefeasibility; uncontrollability; relentlessness, inexorability, unyieldingness, inflexibility; fatefulness, **certainty,** sureness; force majeure, vis major, act of God, inevitable accident, unavoidable casualty; **predetermination, fate** 640.2,3.

.8 VERBS **necessitate, oblige,** dictate, **constrain;** insist upon, **compel** 756.4.

.9 **require, need, want,** feel the want of, have occasion for, be in need of, be hurting for [dial], stand in need of, not be able to dispense with, not be able to do without; **call for,** cry for, cry out for, clamor for; **demand,** ask, claim, exact; prerequire [archaic]; need *or* want doing, take doing [informal], be indicated.

.10 **be necessary,** lie under a necessity, be one's fate; can't be avoided, can't be helped; be under the necessity of, be in for; be obliged, **must,** need *or* needs must [archaic], **have to,** have got to [informal], should, need, **need to,** have need to; can't keep from, can't help, **cannot help but,** cannot do otherwise; be forced *or* driven.

.11 **have no choice** *or* **alternative,** have one's options reduced *or* eliminated, have no option but, cannot choose but, be robbed *or* relieved of choice; be pushed to the wall, be driven into a corner; take it or leave it [informal], have that or nothing.

.12 ADJS **necessary, obligatory, compulsory,** mandatory; **exigent, urgent,** necessitous, importunate, **imperative;** choiceless, without choice, out of one's hands *or* control.

.13 **requisite, needful, required, needed,** necessary, **wanted, called for,** indicated; **essential, vital, indispensable,** unforgoable, irreplaceable; irreducible, irreductible; prerequisite.

.14 **involuntary, instinctive, automatic, mechanical,** reflex, reflexive, conditioned; **unconscious,** unthinking, blind; **unwitting,** unintentional, independent of one's will, unwilling, unwilled, against one's will; **compulsive;** forced; **impulsive** 630.9–12.

.15 **inevitable, unavoidable,** necessary, **inescapable,** inevasible, unpreventable, undeflectable, ineluctable, irrevocable, indefeasible; uncontrollable, unstoppable; relentless, inexorable, unyielding, inflexible; irresistible, resistless; **certain,** fateful, **sure,** sure as fate, sure as death, sure as death and taxes; **fated** 640.9.

.16 ADVS **necessarily,** needfully, requisitely; **of necessity,** from necessity, need *or* needs [both archaic], perforce; without choice; **willy-nilly,** *nolens volens* [L], willing or unwilling, *bon gré mal gré* [Fr], whether one will or not; come what may; compulsorily 756.12.

.17 **if necessary, if need be,** if worst comes to worst; for lack of something better, *faute de mieux* [Fr].

.18 **involuntarily, instinctively, automatically, mechanically,** by reflex, reflexively; blindly, **unconsciously,** unthinkingly; **unwittingly,** unintentionally; **compulsively; unwillingly** 623.8.

.19 **inevitably, unavoidably,** necessarily, **inescapably,** inevasibly, unpreventably, ineluctably; irrevocably, indefeasibly; uncontrollably; relentlessly, inexorably, unyieldingly, inflexibly; fatefully, **certainly, surely.**

.20 PHRS **it is necessary, it must be,** it needs must be *or* it must needs be [both archaic], it will be, there's no two ways about it, it must have its way; it cannot be helped, there is no helping it *or* help for it, that's the way the cookie crumbles *or* the ball bounces [informal], what will be will be, it's God's will; the die is cast; it is fated 640.11.

640. PREDETERMINATION

.1 NOUNS **predetermination, predestination,** foredestiny, **preordination,** foreordination, foreordainment; decree; foregone conclusion; **necessity** 639; foreknowledge, prescience 542.3.

.2 **fate,** fatality, **fortune, lot,** cup, **portion,** appointed lot, kismet, weird, *moira* [Gk], future 121; **destiny,** destination, **end,** final lot; **doom,** foredoom [archaic], God's will, will of Heaven; **inevitability** 639.7; handwriting on the wall; book of fate; Fortune's wheel, wheel of fortune *or* chance; astral influences, stars, planets, constellation, astrology 375.20; unlucky day, ides of March, Friday, Friday the thirteenth, *dies funestis* [L].

.3 **Fates,** *Fata* [L], Parcae, *Moirai* [Gk], Clotho, Lachesis, Atropos; Nona, Decuma, Morta; Weird Sisters, Weirds; Norns; Urdur, Verthandi, Skuld; Fortuna, Lady *or* Dame Fortune, *Tyche* [Gk]; Providence, Heaven, "a divinity that shapes our ends, rough-hew them how we will" [Shakespeare].

.4 **determinism, fatalism,** necessitarianism, necessarianism, predeterminism; predestinarianism, Calvinism, election.

.5 **determinist, fatalist,** necessitarian, necessarian; predestinationist, predestinarian, Calvinist.

.6 VERBS **predetermine, predecide,** preestablish; **predestine,** predestinate, **preordain,** foreordain.

.7 **destine,** destinate [archaic], **ordain,** fate,

mark, appoint [archaic]; have in store for; **doom**, foredoom, devote.

.8 ADJS **predetermined, predecided,** preestablished, **predestined,** predestinate, **preordained,** foreordained; forgone.

.9 **destined, fated,** fateful, fatal [archaic], ordained, written, in the cards, marked, appointed [archaic], in store; **doomed,** foredoomed, devoted; inevitable 639.15.

.10 **deterministic, fatalistic,** necessitarian, necessarian.

.11 PHRS **it is fated, it is written,** it's in the cards; what will be will be, *che sarà sarà* [Ital], *que será será* [Sp].

641. PREARRANGEMENT

.1 NOUNS **prearrangement,** preordering, preconcertedness; premeditation, plotting, planning, scheming; **put-up job** [informal], **frame-up** [slang], packed *or* rigged jury [slang], setup [slang], packed deal *or* stacked deck [both slang]; directed verdict.

.2 **schedule, program,** programma, **bill,** card, **calendar,** docket, slate; playbill; batting order, **lineup** [informal], **roster;** blueprint, budget; **prospectus;** schedule *or* program of operation, **order of the day,** things to be done, **agenda,** list of agenda; protocol; **bill of fare, menu,** *carte du jour* [Fr].

.3 VERBS **prearrange,** precontrive, predesign [archaic], preorder, preconcert; premeditate, plot, plan, scheme; **fix** *or* **rig** [both informal]; pack [slang], set up *or* cook up [both slang]; **stack the cards** *or* pack the deal [both slang]; put in the bag *or* sew up [both slang]; frame *or* frame up [both slang].

.4 **schedule, line up** [informal], **slate, book,** bill, program, calendar, docket, budget, put on the agenda.

.5 ADJS **prearranged,** precontrived, predesigned [archaic], preordered, preconcerted, cut out; premeditated, plotted, planned, schemed; **fixed** *or* rigged [both informal], packed *or* stacked [both slang], **put-up** [informal], set-up *or* cooked-up [both slang]; **in the bag** *or* on ice *or* cinched *or* sewed up [all slang]; cut-and-dried, cut-and-dry.

.6 **scheduled, slated,** booked, billed, to come.

642. CUSTOM, HABIT

.1 NOUNS **custom, convention,** use, **usage,** standard usage, standard behavior, **wont,** wonting, **way,** established way, time-honored practice, **tradition,** standing custom, **folkway,** manner, **practice,** praxis, prescription, **observance,** ritual, consuetude, **mores** [pl]; proper thing, what is done, **social convention** 645; *bon ton* [Fr], **fashion** 644; manners, etiquette 646.3; conformity 82.

.2 "a sort of second nature" [Cicero], "the universal sovereign" [Pindar], "that unwritten law, by which the people keep even kings in awe" [D'Avenant], "often only the antiquity of error" [Cyprian].

.3 **culture, society, civilization;** trait, culture trait; key trait; complex, culture complex, trait-complex; culture area; culture center; **folkways, mores,** system of values, **ethos, culture pattern;** cultural change; cultural lag; culture conflict; acculturation, culture contact [Brit], cultural drift.

.4 **habit,** habitude, **custom, second nature;** use, **usage,** trick, wont, **way,** practice, praxis; bad habit; stereotype; "the petrifaction of feelings" [L. E. Landon]; pattern, **habit pattern;** stereotyped behavior; force of habit; creature of habit; automatism 639.5; peculiarity, characteristic 80.4.

.5 **rule,** procedure, **common practice,** form, prescribed *or* set form; common *or* ordinary run of things, matter of course; standard operating procedure, SOP, drill [Brit]; standing orders [pl].

.6 **routine,** run, **round,** beat, track, beaten path; jog trot, **rut, groove,** well-worn groove; **treadmill,** squirrel cage; grind *or* daily grind [both informal]; **red tape,** redtapeism, **bureaucracy,** bureaucratism, *chinoiserie* [Fr].

.7 **customariness,** accustomedness, wontedness, **habitualness; inveteracy,** inveterateness, confirmedness, settledness, fixedness; commonness, prevalence 79.2.

.8 **habituation, accustoming; conditioning,** seasoning, training; **familiarization,** naturalization [archaic], breaking-in [informal], orientation; **domestication, taming,** breaking, housebreaking; acclimation, acclimatization; **inurement,** hardening, case hardening; adaption, adjustment, accommodation 82.1.

.9 **addiction,** addictedness; dependence, psychological dependence, drug dependence; craving 634.6; habituation; cocainism; physical dependence; **drug addiction,** a habit [informal]; tolerance, acquired tolerance; withdrawal sickness, withdrawal symptoms; amphetamine withdrawal symptoms, crash [slang]; opi-

ate addiction, morphinism; barbiturism, barbiturate addiction; **alcoholism** 996.3, chronic alcoholism, acute alcoholism, dipsomania; nicotine addiction 434.10, chain smoking; drug culture.

.10 **addict,** fiend [informal], habitual; **drug user,** user [informal], tripper [slang], drug abuser; doper *or* freak *or* **head** [all slang]; marijuana smoker, **pothead** [slang]; cocaine sniffer, cokie *or* snowbird [both slang]; pillhead [slang]; methhead *or* **speed freak** [both slang]; LSD user; **acid freak** *or* **acidhead** *or* cubehead [all slang]; **drug addict;** narcotics addict; opium eater; **dope fiend** [informal]; **junkie** *or* hype *or* hophead [all slang]; **alcoholic,** dipsomaniac, **drunkard** 996.10,11; heavy smoker, **chain smoker,** nicotine addict [informal]; glue sniffer.

.11 VERBS **accustom, habituate,** wont; **condition,** season, train; familiarize, naturalize [archaic], break in [informal], orient, orientate; **domesticate,** domesticize, **tame,** break, gentle, housebreak; acclimatize, acclimate, inure, harden, case harden; adapt, adjust, accommodate 26.7; confirm, fix, establish 142.9.

.12 **become a habit,** take root, **grow on one,** take hold of one, take one over.

.13 **be used to, be wont,** wont, **make a practice of;** get used to, get into the way of, **take to,** accustom oneself to; contract *or* fall into a habit, addict oneself to.

.14 **get in a rut, be in a rut,** move *or* travel in a groove *or* rut, run on in a groove, follow the beaten path, go round like a horse in a mill, go on in the old jog-trot way.

.15 ADJS **customary, wonted,** consuetudinary; traditional, time-honored; familiar, everyday, ordinary, **usual** 84.8; **established,** received, accepted; set, prescribed, prescriptive; normal 84.7; **standard,** regular, stock, regulation; prevalent, widespread, obtaining, generally accepted, popular, **current** 79.12; **conventional** 645.5; conformable 82.5.

.16 **habitual, regular,** frequent, constant, persistent; repetitive, recurring, recurrent; stereotyped; automatic 639.14; **routine,** well-trodden, well-worn, beaten; trite, hackneyed 883.9.

.17 **accustomed, wont, wonted, used to; conditioned,** trained, seasoned; experienced, **familiarized,** naturalized [archaic], broken-in, run-in [informal], oriented, orientated; acclimated, acclimatized; inured, hardened, case-hardened; adapted, adjusted, accommodated.

.18 **used to, familiar with,** conversant with, **at home in** *or* **with,** no stranger to, an old hand at.

.19 **habituated,** *habitué* [Fr]; **in the habit of,** used to; **addicted to, hooked on** [slang], dependent on; never free from; **in a rut; addicted, hooked** *or* strung out *or* spaced out *or* hyped [all slang], dependent.

.20 **addictive, habit-forming,** habituating, conditioning; hard [informal], physiologically addictive, psychologically addictive.

.21 **confirmed, inveterate, chronic, established,** long-established, **fixed, settled, rooted,** thorough; incorrigible, irreversible; **deep-rooted,** deep-set, deep-settled, **deep-seated,** deep-fixed, deep-dyed; **infixed, ingrained,** fast, dyed-in-the-wool; implanted, inculcated, instilled; set, **set in one's ways,** settled in habit.

.22 ADVS **customarily,** conventionally, accustomedly, wontedly; normally, **usually** 84.9; **as is the custom;** as is usual, *comme d'habitude* [Fr]; as things go, as the world goes.

.23 **habitually, regularly,** routinely, frequently, persistently, repetitively, recurringly; **inveterately, chronically;** from habit, **by** *or* **from force of habit,** as is one's wont.

643. UNACCUSTOMEDNESS

.1 NOUNS **unaccustomedness,** unwontedness, disaccustomedness, unusedness, unhabituatedness; **unfamiliarity,** unacquaintance, unconversance, unpracticedness, newness to; inexperience 734.2; ignorance 477.

.2 VERBS **disaccustom, cure, break of,** stop, **wean.**

.3 **break the habit, cure oneself of,** disaccustom oneself, wean oneself from, break the pattern, break one's chains *or* fetters; **give up,** leave off, **abandon,** drop, stop, discontinue, kick *or* shake [both slang], throw off, rid oneself of; get on the wagon, swear off 992.8.

.4 ADJS **unaccustomed,** disaccustomed, **unused, unwonted;** uninured, unseasoned, untrained, unhardened; unhabituated, **not in the habit of;** out of the habit of, rusty; weaned; **unused to, unfamiliar with,** unacquainted with, unconversant with, unpracticed, new to, a stranger to; inexperienced 734.17; ignorant 477.12.

644. FASHION

.1 NOUNS **fashion, style, mode, vogue,** trend, prevailing taste; proper thing, *bon ton* [Fr], custom 642; convention 645.1,2; swim [informal], current *or* stream of fashion; height of fashion; the new look, the season's look; high fashion, *haute couture* [Fr].

.2 **fashionableness,** *bon ton* [Fr], fashionability, **stylishness, modishness,** voguishness; **popularity,** prevalence, currency 79.2.

.3 **smartness, chic,** elegance; style-consciousness, clothes-consciousness; **spruceness, nattiness,** neatness, trimness, sleekness, **dapperness,** jauntiness; sharpness *or* spiffiness *or* classiness *or* niftiness [all slang]; swankness *or* **swankiness** [both informal]; foppery, foppishness, coxcombry, dandyism.

.4 **the rage,** the thing, **the last word** [informal], *le dernier cri* [Fr], **the latest thing,** the latest wrinkle [informal].

.5 **fad, craze, rage;** wrinkle [informal]; novelty 122.2; faddishness, faddiness [informal], faddism; **faddist.**

.6 **society,** *société* [Fr], fashionable society, **polite society, high society,** high life, *beau monde, haut monde* [both Fr], good society; best people, people of fashion, right people; *monde* [Fr], world of fashion, Vanity Fair; **smart set** [informal]; the Four Hundred, **upper crust** *or* upper cut [both informal]; **cream of society,** elite, carriage trade; café society, jet set, beautiful people, in-crowd; *jeunesse dorée* [Fr]; drawing room, salon; social register.

.7 person of fashion, fashionable, man-about-town, man *or* woman of the world, *mondain, mondaine* [both Fr], leader *or* arbiter of fashion, taste-maker, trend-setter, tone-setter, *arbiter elegantiae* [L]; ten best-dressed, fashion plate, clothes-horse, "the glass of fashion and the mold of form" [Shakespeare], Beau Brummel; fop, dandy 903.9; **socialite** [informal]; **clubwoman,** clubman; jet setter; swinger [informal]; **debutante,** subdebutante, deb *or* subdeb [both informal].

.8 VERBS **catch on,** become popular, **become the rage.**

.9 **be fashionable, be the style, be the rage,** be the thing; have a run; cut a figure in society [informal], give a tone to society, set the fashion *or* style *or* tone; dress to kill.

.10 **follow the fashion, get in the swim** [informal], get *or* jump on the bandwagon [slang], join the parade, follow the crowd, go with the stream *or* tide *or* current; keep in step, do as others do; keep up, **keep up appearances,** keep up with the Joneses.

.11 ADJS **fashionable, in fashion, smart, in style, in vogue; all the rage,** all the thing; **popular,** prevalent, current 79.12; **up-to-date,** up-to-datish, up-to-the-minute, hip *or* mod [both slang], trendy [informal], newfashioned, modern, new 122.9–14; **in the swim.**

.12 **stylish, modish,** voguish, vogue; *soigné or soignée* [both Fr]; *à la mode* [Fr], in the mode.

.13 **chic, smart,** elegant; style-conscious, clothes-conscious; **well-dressed,** well-groomed, *soigné or soignée* [both Fr], dressed to advantage, dressed to kill, dressed to the teeth, dressed to the nines, well-turned-out; **spruce, natty,** neat, trim, sleek, smug, trig, tricksy [archaic]; **dapper,** dashing, jaunty, braw [Scot]; sharp *or* spiffy *or* classy *or* nifty *or* snazzy [all slang]; **swank** *or* **swanky** [both informal], posh [informal], ritzy [informal], swell *or* nobby [both slang]; genteel; exquisite, *recherché* [Fr]; cosmopolitan, sophisticated 733.26.

.14 **ultrafashionable,** ultrastylish, ultrasmart; chichi; foppish, dandified, dandyish, dandiacal.

.15 **faddish,** faddy [informal].

.16 socially prominent, in society, high-society, elite; café-society, jet-set; lace-curtain, silk-stocking.

.17 ADVS **fashionably, stylishly, modishly,** *à la mode* [Fr], in the latest style *or* mode.

.18 **smartly,** chicly, elegantly, exquisitely; **sprucely, nattily,** neatly, trimly, sleekly; **dapperly,** jauntily, dashingly, swankly *or* swankily [both informal]; foppishly, dandyishly.

645. SOCIAL CONVENTION

.1 NOUNS **social convention, convention,** conventional usage, **social usage, form, formality; custom** 642; conformity 82; **propriety, decorum,** decorousness, correctness, *convenance, bienséance* [both Fr], decency, seemliness, civility [archaic], good form, etiquette 646.3; **conventionalism, conventionality, Grundyism; Mrs. Grundy.**

.2 **the conventions,** the proprieties, the mores, the right things, accepted *or* sanc-

tioned conduct, what is done, civilized behavior; **dictates of society,** dictates of Mrs. Grundy.

.3 conventionalist, Grundy, Mrs. Grundy; conformist 82.2.

.4 VERBS **conform,** observe the proprieties, play the game, follow the rules 82.3,4.

.5 ADJS **conventional, decorous,** orthodox, **correct,** right, **proper,** decent, seemly, meet; **accepted, recognized,** acknowledged, received, admitted, approved, being done; *comme il faut, de rigueur* [both Fr]; **traditional, customary** 642.15; formal 646.7; conformable 82.5.

.6 ADVS **conventionally,** decorously, orthodoxly; **customarily, traditionally;** correctly, properly, as is proper, as it should be, *comme il faut* [Fr]; according to use *or* custom, according to the dictates of society *or* Mrs. Grundy.

646. FORMALITY

.1 NOUNS **formality, form, formalness; ceremony,** ceremonial, **ceremoniousness; ritual,** rituality; extrinsicality, impersonality 6.1; formalization, stylization, conventionalization; **stiffness, stiltedness,** primness, rigidness, starchiness, buckram [archaic], **dignity,** gravity, weight, **solemnity** 871; **pomp** 904.6; pomposity 904.7.

.2 **formalism, ceremonialism, ritualism;** legalism; pedantry, pedantism, pedanticism; precisianism, preciseness, preciousness, preciosity, purism; punctiliousness, punctilio, scrupulousness.

.3 **etiquette,** social code, rules of conduct; **formalities,** social procedures, social conduct; **manners,** good manners, exquisite manners, quiet good manners, **politeness,** *politesse* [Fr], natural politeness, comity, civility 936.1; **amenities,** decencies, civilities, elegancies, **social graces, mores, proprieties;** decorum, good form; **courtliness,** elegance 589; **protocol,** diplomatic code; punctilio, point of etiquette; convention, social usage.

.4 (ceremonial function) **ceremony,** ceremonial; **rite, ritual, formality; solemnity, service, function,** office, **observance,** performance; **exercise,** exercises; **celebration,** solemnization; **liturgy,** religious ceremony 1040.3; **rite of passage,** *rite de passage* [Fr]; convocation; commencement, commencement exercises; graduation, graduation exercises; baccalaureate service; inaugural, inauguration; initiation; formal; empty formality *or* ceremony, mummery.

.5 VERBS **formalize,** ritualize, solemnize, **celebrate,** dignify; **observe;** conventionalize, stylize.

.6 **stand on ceremony,** observe the formalities, follow protocol.

.7 ADJS **formal,** formulary; formalist, formalistic; legalistic; pedantic(al); stylized, conventionalized; extrinsic, outward, impersonal 6.3; surface, **superficial** 224.6, **nominal** 583.15.

.8 **ceremonious, ceremonial; ritualistic, ritual;** hieratic(al), sacerdotal, liturgic 1040.22; **solemn** 871.3; **pompous** 904.22; **stately** 904.21; well-mannered 936.16; **conventional,** decorous 645.5.

.9 **stiff, stilted,** prim, rigid, starch, starched, buckram, in buckram.

.10 **punctilious, scrupulous, precise,** precisian, precisionist, precious, puristic; exact, meticulous 533.12; **orderly, methodical** 59.6.

.11 ADVS **formally,** in due form, in set form; **ceremoniously, ritually,** ritualistically; **solemnly** 871.4; for form's sake, *pro forma* [L], **as a matter of form.**

.12 **stiffly, stiltedly,** starchly, primly, rigidly.

647. INFORMALITY

.1 NOUNS **informality, informalness, unceremoniousness; casualness,** offhandedness, **ease, easiness,** easygoingness; **relaxedness;** affability, graciousness, cordiality, sociability 922; Bohemianism, unconventionality 83.2; **familiarity; naturalness,** simplicity, plainness, homeliness, homeyness, folksiness [informal], common touch, **unaffectedness,** unpretentiousness 902.2; unconstraint, unconstrainedness, looseness; irregularity.

.2 VERBS **not stand on ceremony,** let one's hair down [slang], be oneself, come as you are.

.3 ADJS **informal, unceremonious; casual, offhand,** offhanded, unstudied, easy, easygoing, free and easy; *dégagé* [Fr]; **relaxed;** affable, gracious, cordial, sociable 922.18; Bohemian, unconventional 83.6; **familiar; natural,** simple, plain, homely, homey, folksy [informal], *haymish* [Yid]; **unaffected, unassuming** 902.7; unconstrained, loose; irregular; unofficial.

.4 ADVS **informally, unceremoniously,** without ceremony, *sans cérémonie, sans façon* [both Fr]; **casually,** offhand, offhandedly; relaxedly; familiarly; **naturally,** simply, plainly; **unaffectedly, unassumingly** 902.11; unconstrainedly, unofficially; *en famille* [Fr].

648. MOTIVATION, INDUCEMENT

.1 NOUNS **motive, reason, cause,** source, spring, mainspring; matter, score, consideration; **ground, basis** 153.1; sake; **goal** 653.2; **ideal,** principle, **ambition,** aspiration, inspiration, guiding light *or* star, lodestar; calling, vocation; intention 653; ulterior motive.

.2 **motivation,** moving, **actuation, prompting,** stimulation, animation; direction, inner-direction, other-direction; influence 172.

.3 **inducement,** enlistment, engagement, solicitation, **persuasion,** suasion; exhortation, hortation, preaching, preachment; selling, sales talk, salesmanship; jawboning [informal]; lobbying; coaxing, wheedling, working on [informal], cajolery, cajolement, conning, snow job [slang], blandishment, sweet talk *or* soft soap [both informal]; **allurement** 650.

.4 **incitement,** incitation, **instigation, stimulation, arousal, excitement, excitation, fomentation, agitation, inflammation,** firing, stirring, stirring-up, impassioning, whipping-up, rabble-rousing; **provocation,** irritation, exasperation; pep talk, pep rally.

.5 **urging, pressure,** pressing; **encouragement,** abetment; **insistence,** instance; goading, prodding, spurring, pricking, needling.

.6 **urge,** urgency; impulse, impulsion, compulsion; press, **pressure, drive,** push; sudden *or* rash impulse; constraint, exigency, stress, pinch.

.7 **incentive, inducement,** encouragement, persuasive, **invitation, provocation, incitement; stimulus, stimulation,** stimulative, fillip, whet; carrot; reward, payment 841; **profit** 811.3; bait, **lure** 650.2; bribe 651.2; sweetening *or* sweetener [both informal], interest, percentage, what's in it for one [informal].

.8 **goad, spur, prod,** prick [archaic], sting, **gadfly;** oxgoad; rowel; whip, lash, whiplash, gad [dial].

.9 **inspiration, infusion, infection;** fire, firing; **animation, exhilaration,** enlivenment; afflatus, divine afflatus; genius, animus, moving *or* animating spirit.

.10 **prompter, mover,** prime mover, impeller, energizer, galvanizer, inducer, **actuator, animator,** moving spirit; **encourager,** abettor, **inspirer,** firer, spark, sparker, spark plug [informal]; persuader; **stimulator, gadfly; tempter** 650.3; coaxer, coax [informal], wheedler, cajoler, pleader.

.11 **instigator, inciter,** exciter, urger; **provoker,** *provocateur* [Fr], *agent provocateur* [Fr], catalyst; **agitator, fomenter,** inflamer; agitprop; **rabble-rouser,** rouser, **demagogue; firebrand, incendiary; seditionist,** seditionary; **troublemaker,** mischief-maker, ringleader.

.12 VERBS **motivate, move,** set in motion, **actuate,** move to action, **impel,** propel; egoinvolve; **stimulate,** energize, galvanize, **animate, spark;** promote, foster; force, compel 756.4.

.13 **prompt, provoke, evoke, elicit, call up,** summon up, muster up, call forth, **inspire;** bring about, **cause** 153.11.

.14 **urge, press, push,** work on [informal], twist one's arm [slang]; **importune, nag, pressure, high-pressure,** bring pressure to bear upon, throw one's weight around, throw one's weight into the scale, jawbone [informal]; lobby; **coax,** wheedle, cajole, blandish, plead with, sweet-talk *or* soft-soap [both informal], **exhort,** call on *or* upon, advocate, recommend; insist, insist upon 753.7.

.15 **goad, prod,** poke [archaic], nudge, **spur,** prick, sting, needle; whip, lash, flog [Brit].

.16 **urge on** *or* **along, egg on** [informal], hound on, hie on, hasten on, hurry on, speed on; **goad on, spur on,** drive on, whip on; cheer on, root on [informal].

.17 **incite, instigate, put up to** [slang]; set on, sic on; **foment,** ferment, **agitate, arouse, excite, stir up,** work up, whip up; rally; **inflame,** incense [archaic], **fire,** heat, heat up, impassion; **provoke,** pique, whet, tickle; nettle; lash into a fury *or* frenzy; pour oil on the fire, feed the fire, add fuel to the flame, fan, fan the flame, blow the coals, stir the embers.

.18 **kindle,** enkindle, **fire, spark, trigger, touch off,** set off, light the fuse.

.19 **rouse, arouse,** raise, raise up, **waken, awaken,** wake up, turn on [slang], stir, **stir up,** set astir, **pique.**

.20 **inspire,** inspirit, spirit, spirit up; fire, **fire one's imagination; animate, exhilarate,** enliven; **infuse, infect,** inject, inoculate, imbue *or* embue, inform.

.21 **encourage,** give encouragement, pat *or* clap on the back; **invite,** ask for; **abet,** aid and abet, countenance, keep in countenance; **foster, nurture,** nourish, feed.

.22 **induce, prompt, move one to, influence, sway,** incline, **dispose,** carry, bring, lead,

lead one to; lure 650.4; **tempt** 650.5; determine, decide; enlist, procure, engage [archaic], interest in, get to do.

.23 **persuade, prevail on** *or* **upon,** prevail with, **sway,** convince, **bring round,** bring to reason, bring to one's senses; **win, win over,** bring over, draw over, gain, gain over; **talk over, talk into,** argue into, outtalk [informal]; wangle, wangle into; hook *or* hook in [both slang], con, sell *or* sell one on [both informal], **charm, captivate** 650.6; wear down, overcome one's resistance, twist one's arm [slang].

.24 **persuade oneself, make oneself easy about,** make sure of, make up one's mind; be persuaded, rest easy.

.25 ADJS **motivating, motivational, motive, moving, animating, actuating, impelling,** impulsive, inducive [archaic], directive; **urgent, pressing, driving;** compelling 756.9; causal, causative 153.14.

.26 **inspiring, inspirational,** inspiriting; infusive; animating, exhilarating, enlivening.

.27 **provocative, provoking,** piquant, **exciting,** challenging, prompting, **rousing, stirring, stimulating,** stimulant, stimulative, energizing, galvanizing, galvanic; **encouraging,** inviting, **alluring** 650.7; auxo–.

.28 **incitive,** inciting, incentive; **instigative,** instigating; **agitative,** agitational; **inflammatory, incendiary,** fomenting, rabble-rousing.

.29 **persuasive,** suasive, persuading; wheedling, cajoling; hortative, hortatory; exhortative, exhortatory.

.30 **moved, motivated, prompted, impelled, actuated;** stimulated, animated; minded, inclined, of a mind to, with half a mind to; inner-directed, other-directed.

.31 **inspired, fired,** afire, on fire.

649. PRETEXT

.1 NOUNS **pretext, pretense, pretension,** lying pretension, **show,** ostensible *or* announced *or* public motive; **front,** façade, **sham** 616.3; **excuse,** apology, protestation, poor excuse, lame excuse; put-off; handle, peg to hang on, leg to stand on, *locus standi* [L]; **subterfuge,** refuge, device, stratagem, feint, **trick** 618.6; dust thrown in the eye, smoke screen, **screen, cover,** stalking-horse, **blind;** guise, semblance; mask, cloak, veil; gloss, varnish, color; cover-up, cover story, alibi.

.2 **claim,** profession, allegation.

.3 VERBS pretext, make a pretext of, take as an excuse *or* reason *or* occasion, urge as a motive, **pretend,** make a pretense of; put up a front *or* false front; **allege, claim,** profess, purport, avow; protest too much.

.4 **hide under,** cover oneself with, shelter under, take cover under, wrap oneself in, cloak *or* mantle oneself with, take refuge in; conceal one's motive with.

.5 ADJS pretexted, **pretended, alleged, claimed, professed, purported,** avowed; **ostensible,** hypocritical, **specious;** so-called, in name only.

.6 ADVS **ostensibly, allegedly,** purportedly, professedly, avowedly; for the record, for public consumption; under the pretext of, **as a pretext,** as an excuse, as a cover *or* cover-up *or* alibi.

650. ALLUREMENT

.1 NOUNS **allurement, allure, enticement, inveiglement,** invitation, *agacerie* [Fr], blandishment, cajolery; inducement 648.7; **temptation,** tantalization; **seduction,** seducement; beguilement, beguiling, come-hither [dial]; **fascination, captivation,** enthrallment, entrapment, snaring; **enchantment,** witchery, bewitchery, bewitchment; **attraction, interest, charm, glamour, appeal,** magnetism; charisma; sex appeal, SA [slang]; **attractiveness,** charmingness, **seductiveness,** winsomeness, winning ways; song of the Sirens, voice of the tempter; forbidden fruit; wooing 932.6; flirtation 932.8.

.2 **lure,** charm, **come-on** [slang], drawing card, drawcard; **decoy,** decoy duck; **bait,** ground bait, baited trap; **snare,** trap, hook; **endearment** 932.

.3 **tempter, seducer, enticer,** inveigler, **charmer,** enchanter, fascinator, tantalizer, teaser; coquette, flirt; Don Juan; Pied Piper of Hamelin; **temptress,** enchantress, seductress, **siren;** Siren, Circe, Lorelei, Parthenope; **vampire,** vamp [slang], *femme fatale* [Fr].

.4 VERBS **lure,** allure, **entice, seduce, inveigle, decoy,** draw, **draw on, lead on;** give the come-on *or* bat the eyes at [both slang], flirt with, flirt 932.18; **woo** 932.19; coax, cajole, blandish; **ensnare** 618.18; draw in, suck in *or* rope in [both slang]; bait, offer bait to, bait the hook, angle with a silver hook.

.5 **attract, interest, appeal, engage,** fetch [informal], attract one's interest, be attractive, take *or* tickle one's fancy; **invite,** summon, beckon; **tempt, tantalize, titillate,** tickle, **tease,** whet the appetite, make one's mouth water, dangle before one.

.6 **fascinate, captivate, charm,** becharm, spell, spellbind, cast a spell, put under a spell, **beguile, intrigue, enthrall,** infatuate, **enrapture, transport, enravish, entrance, enchant,** witch, **bewitch,** vamp [slang], carry away, turn one's head; hypnotize, mesmerize.

.7 ADJS **alluring, fascinating, captivating, charming, glamorous,** exotic, **enchanting,** spellful, spellbinding, **entrancing,** ravishing, **enravishing, intriguing, enthralling,** witching, **bewitching; attractive, interesting, appealing,** engaging, taking, fetching [informal], catching, winning, winsome, prepossessing; exciting; charismatic; **seductive,** seducing, **beguiling, enticing, inviting,** come-hither [informal]; flirtatious, coquettish; coaxing, cajoling, blandishing; **tempting, tantalizing,** teasing, titillating, titillative, tickling; **provocative,** *provoquant* [Fr]; appetizing, mouth-watering, piquant; **irresistible;** siren, sirenic; hypnotic, mesmeric.

.8 ADVS **alluringly, fascinatingly,** captivatingly, charmingly, enchantingly, entrancingly, enravishingly, intriguingly, beguilingly, glamorously, bewitchingly; attractively, appealingly, engagingly, winsomely; **enticingly, seductively,** with bedroom eyes [slang]; **temptingly,** provocatively; **tantalizingly,** teasingly; piquantly, appetizingly; irresistibly; hypnotically, mesmerically.

651. BRIBERY

.1 NOUNS **bribery,** bribing, subornation, **corruption, graft,** bribery and corruption.

.2 **bribe,** bribe money, sop, sop to Cerberus, gratuity, gratification [archaic], payoff [informal], boodle [slang]; hush money [slang]; payola [slang]; protection.

.3 VERBS **bribe,** throw a sop to; grease [informal], **grease the palm** *or* **hand,** tickle the palm *or* tickle in the palm; **purchase;** buy *or* **buy off** *or* pay off [all informal]; suborn, **corrupt,** tamper with; reach *or* get at *or* get to [all informal]; approach, try to bribe; **fix, take care of.**

.4 ADJS **bribable,** corruptible, purchasable, buyable; approachable; fixable; on the take [slang], on the pad [slang]; **venal, corrupt.**

652. DISSUASION

.1 NOUNS **dissuasion,** talking out of [informal], remonstrance, expostulation, admonition, monition, **warning,** caveat, **caution,** cautioning; intimidation, **determent,** deterrence, scaring *or* frightening off.

.2 **deterrent,** determent; **discouragement,** disincentive; damp, damper, **wet blanket,** cold water, chill.

.3 VERBS **dissuade,** convince to the contrary, **talk out of** [informal], kid out of [slang]; unconvince, unpersuade; remonstrate, expostulate, admonish, cry out against; **warn, caution;** intimidate, scare *or* frighten off, daunt 891.26.

.4 **disincline, indispose,** disaffect, disinterest; **deter,** repel, turn from, turn away *or* aside; divert, deflect; distract, put off *or* turn off [both slang]; wean from; **discourage; throw cold water on,** throw *or* lay a wet blanket on, damp, dampen, cool, chill, quench, blunt.

.5 ADJS **dissuasive,** dissuading, disinclining, **discouraging; deterrent;** expostulatory, admonitory, monitory, cautionary; intimidating.

653. INTENTION

.1 NOUNS **intention, intent,** intendment, **aim,** effect, counsel [archaic], meaning, view, study, animus, **point, purpose,** function, set *or* settled *or* fixed purpose; sake; **design, plan,** project, idea; **proposal,** prospectus; **resolve,** resolution, mind, will; **motive** 648.1; determination 624.1; desideratum, desideration, **ambition,** aspiration, **desire** 634; striving, nisus.

.2 **objective, object, aim, end, goal,** destination, mark, pursuit, object in mind, **end in view; target,** butt, bull's-eye, quintain; quarry, prey, game; reason for being, *raison d'être* [Fr]; by-purpose, by-end; final cause, ultimate aim, "the be-all and the end-all" [Shakespeare], teleology.

.3 **intentionality, deliberation, deliberateness,** express intention, expressness, **premeditation, predeliberation,** preconsideration, **calculation, calculatedness, predetermination,** preresolution, forethought, aforethought.

.4 VERBS **intend, purpose, plan,** purport, **mean,** have every intention, think, **propose; resolve,** determine 624.7; project, **design,** destine; **aim,** aim at, drive at, aspire to *or* after, set one's sights on, go for, be after, set before oneself, purpose to oneself; harbor a design; **desire** 634.14–20.

.5 **intend to, mean to, aim to, propose to,** resolve to.

.6 **plan on, figure on,** count on, calculate

on, reckon on, bank on *or* upon; bargain for.

.7 **contemplate, meditate; envisage,** envision, **have in mind, have in view;** have an eye to, **have a mind to,** have half a mind to, have a good *or* great mind to.

.8 **premeditate, calculate, preresolve, predetermine,** predeliberate, preconsider, forethink, work out beforehand; plan 654.9; plot, scheme 654.10.

.9 ADJS **intentional, intended,** proposed, purposed, **projected, designed,** of design, aimed, aimed at, **meant, purposeful,** purposive, **willful, voluntary, deliberate;** deliberated; considered, studied, advised, **calculated, contemplated, envisaged,** envisioned, meditated, **conscious,** knowing, witting; planned 654.13; teleological.

.10 **premeditated, predeliberated,** preconsidered, predetermined, preresolved, prepense, **aforethought.**

.11 ADVS **intentionally, purposely,** purposefully, purposively, **on purpose,** with purpose, **deliberately, designedly, willfully, voluntarily;** pointedly; **wittingly, consciously, knowingly;** advisedly, **calculatedly,** contemplatedly, meditatedly, premeditatedly, **with premeditation, with intent,** with full intent, **by design,** with one's eyes open; with malice aforethought, in cold blood.

.12 PREPS, CONJS **for, to; in order to** *or* **that, so, so that, so as to; for the purpose of,** to the end that, with the intent that, with the view of, with a view to, with an eye to; in contemplation of, in consideration of; **for the sake of.**

654. PLAN

.1 NOUNS **plan, scheme, design,** method, **program,** device, contrivance, game, envisagement, conception, enterprise, **idea;** organization, rationalization, systematization, schematization; charting, mapping, graphing, blueprinting; **planning,** calculation, figuring; planning function; long-range planning, long-range plan; master plan, the picture *or* the big picture [both informal]; approach, attack; way, procedure 657.1; **arrangement,** prearrangement, system, disposition, layout, setup, lineup; schedule; schema, schematism, scheme of arrangement; blueprint, **guidelines,** program of action; methodology; working plan, ground plan, tactical plan, strategic plan; tactics, **strategy;** operations research; **intention** 653; forethought, foresight 542.

.2 **project, projection; proposal,** prospectus, proposition; scenario, game plan [informal].

.3 **diagram, plot, chart, blueprint,** graph, table; **design, pattern,** copy [archaic], cartoon; **sketch, draft, drawing,** working drawing, rough; *brouillon, ébauche, esquisse* [all Fr]; **outline, delineation,** skeleton, figure, profile; house plan, ground plan, ichnography; elevation, projection.

.4 **map, chart;** general reference map, special map, thematic map; political map; road map, transportation map; physical map, terrain map, relief map, contour map, topographic chart; photomap; **globe,** terrestrial globe, celestial globe; **atlas;** mariner's chart, hydrographic chart; aeronautical chart; weather map, weather chart, climatic chart; celestial chart, astronomical chart, heliographic chart; hachure, contour line, isoline, layer tint; **scale,** graphic scale, representative fraction; **legend;** grid line, meridian, parallel, latitude, longitude; index; **projection,** map projection; azimuthal projection, azimuthal equidistant projection, gnomonic projection; cylindrical projection, Mercator projection, Miller projection; conic projection, Lambert conformal conic projection *or* Lambert conformal projection, polyconic projection; sinusoidal projection; **cartography,** chorography, topography, photogrammetry, phototopography; **cartographer, map maker, mapper,** chorographer, topographer, photogrammetrist.

.5 **policy,** polity, principles, guiding principles; **procedure,** course, line, plan of action; creed 501.3; **platform;** position paper.

.6 **intrigue,** web of intrigue, **plot, scheme,** deep-laid plot *or* scheme, underplot, game *or* little game [both informal], trick, stratagem, finesse; counterplot; **conspiracy,** confederacy, covin, complot [archaic], cabal; **complicity, collusion, connivance; artifice** 735.3; **contrivance,** contriving; **scheming,** schemery, plotting; finagling [informal], **machination,** manipulation, **maneuvering,** engineering, rigging; frame-up [informal]; wire-pulling [informal].

.7 **planner, designer,** deviser, contriver, framer, projector; enterpriser, entrepreneur; organizer, promoter, developer; **architect, tactician, strategist, strategian.**

.8 **schemer, plotter,** counterplotter, finagler [informal], Machiavellian; **intriguer,** *intri-*

gant, intrigante [both Fr]; **conspirer, conspirator,** coconspirator, **conniver;** maneuverer, machinator, operator [informal], opportunist, exploiter; wire-puller [informal].

.9 VERBS **plan, devise, contrive, design,** frame, shape, cast, concert, lay plans; organize, rationalize, systematize, schematize, methodize; **arrange,** prearrange, make arrangements, set up, work up, work out; **schedule;** lay down a plan, shape *or* mark out a course; program; **calculate,** figure; **project,** cut out, make a projection, forecast [archaic], plan ahead; intend 653.4.

.10 **plot, scheme, intrigue,** be up to something; **conspire, connive,** collude, complot [archaic], cabal; **hatch, hatch up,** cook up [informal], brew, concoct, hatch *or* lay a plot; **maneuver,** machinate, finesse, operate [informal], engineer, rig, wangle [informal], angle, finagle [informal]; frame *or* frame up [both informal]; counterplot, countermine.

.11 **plot, map, chart, blueprint; diagram,** graph; **sketch;** draw up a plan; map out, plot out, **lay out,** sketch out, set out, mark out; lay off, mark off.

.12 **outline,** line, **delineate,** chalk out, brief; **sketch, draft,** trace; block in *or* out; rough in, rough out.

.13 ADJS **planned, devised, designed,** shaped, set, **blueprinted,** charted, **contrived; plotted;** arranged; organized, rationalized, systematized, schematized, methodized; worked out, calculated, figured; **projected; scheduled,** on the agenda, in the works, on the calendar, on the docket, on the anvil, on the carpet, on the tapis [archaic], *sur le tapis* [Fr]; tactical, **strategic,** strategetic.

.14 **scheming, calculating, designing, contriving, plotting, intriguing;** Machiavellian, Byzantine; **conniving,** connivent [archaic], conspiring, collusive; stratagemical; up to.

.15 schematic, diagrammatic.

655. PURSUIT

.1 NOUNS **pursuit,** pursuing, pursuance, prosecution [archaic]; **quest,** seeking, hunting, searching 485.14; **following,** follow, follow-up; tracking, trailing, tracking down, dogging, shadowing, stalking; **chase,** hot pursuit; hue and cry.

.2 **hunting,** gunning, shooting, venery, cynegetics, sport, sporting; **hunt, chase,** chevy *or* chivy [both Brit], shikar [India], coursing; fox hunting; hawking, falconry; stalking, still hunt.

.3 **fishing,** fishery, **angling,** piscation, halieutics; rod and reel; harpooning; whaling; casting, fly fishing; still-fishing; trolling; trawling; jigging; guddling.

.4 **pursuer,** pursuant, **chaser,** follower; hunter, quester, **seeker.**

.5 **hunter, huntsman,** sportsman, **Nimrod;** huntress, sportswoman; stalker; courser; trapper; big game hunter, shikari [India], white hunter; jacklighter, jacker, beater.

.6 **fisher, fisherman, angler,** *piscator* [L], piscatorian, piscatorialist; Waltonian, "the compleat angler" [Izaak Walton]; dibber, dibbler, troller, trawler, jacker, jigger, guddler, drifter, drift netter, whaler.

.7 **quarry, game, prey,** venery, beasts of venery, victim, the hunted; kill; big game.

.8 VERBS **pursue,** prosecute [archaic], **follow,** follow up, **go after,** take out after [informal], run after, run in pursuit of, make after, go in pursuit of; raise the hunt, raise the hue and cry, hollo after; **chase, give chase,** chivy; hound, dog; **quest,** quest after, **seek,** seek out, hunt, **search** 485.29,30.

.9 **hunt,** go hunting, hunt down, chase, run, shikar [India], sport; shoot, gun; course; ride to hounds, follow the hounds; **track,** trail; **stalk,** prowl after, still-hunt; hound, dog; hawk, falcon; fowl; flush, start; drive, beat; jack, jacklight.

.10 **fish,** go fishing, **angle;** cast one's hook *or* net; bait the hook; shrimp, whale, clam, grig; still-fish, fly-fish, troll, bob, dap, dib *or* dibble, gig, jig, spin; torch, jack, jacklight; guddle; net, trawl, seine; drive.

.11 ADJS **pursuing,** pursuant, following; **questing, seeking, searching** 485.37; **in pursuit,** in hot pursuit, in full cry; hunting, cynegetic, fishing, piscatory, piscatorial, halieutic(al).

.12 PREPS **after, in pursuit** *or* **pursuance of,** in search of, on the lookout for, in the market for, out for; on the track *or* trail of, on the scent of.

.13 INTERJS (hunting cries) view halloo!, yoicks! [archaic]; so-ho!, tallyho!, tallyho over!, tallyho back!

656. BUSINESS, OCCUPATION

.1 NOUNS **business, occupation, employment, service,** employ, **activities,** activity, function, enterprise, undertaking, **work, affairs,** labor; thing *or* bag [both slang]; **affair, matter, concern,** concernment, in-

terest, lookout [informal]; what one is doing *or* about; commerce 827.

.2 **task, work, stint, job,** labor, job of work, piece of work, **chore,** chare, odd job; **assignment, charge,** project, errand, **mission,** commission, **duty,** service, exercise; things to do, matters in hand, irons in the fire, fish to fry; homework; busywork, make-work.

.3 **function, office, duty, job,** province, place, **role,** *rôle* [Fr], part; **capacity,** character, **position.**

.4 (sphere of work or activity) **field, sphere,** province, department, area, discipline, subdiscipline, orb, orbit, realm, domain, demesne, walk; beat, round.

.5 **position, situation, job,** employment, service, **office, post,** –ate, –cy, –dom, –ship, –ure, –y; **place,** station, berth, billet, **appointment,** engagement, gig [slang]; incumbency, tenure; opening, vacancy; second job, moonlighting [informal].

.6 **vocation, occupation, business, work, line, line of work,** line of business *or* endeavor, number [informal], walk, **walk of life, calling,** mission, **profession, practice, pursuit, specialty,** specialization, *métier* [Fr], mystery [archaic], **trade,** racket *or* game [both slang]; **career,** lifework, life's work; **craft,** art, handicraft; careerism, career building.

.7 **avocation, hobby,** hobbyhorse [archaic], sideline, by-line, side interest, pastime, spare-time activity.

.8 **professionalism,** professional standing *or* status.

.9 **nonprofessionalism, amateurism,** amateur standing *or* status.

.10 VERBS **occupy, engage, busy,** devote, spend, **employ,** occupy oneself, busy oneself, go about one's business, devote oneself; pass *or* employ *or* spend the time; occupy one's time, take up one's time; attend to business, attend to one's work; mind one's business, mind the store [informal], stick to one's last *or* knitting.

.11 **busy oneself with, do,** occupy *or* engage oneself with, employ oneself in *or* upon, pass *or* employ *or* spend one's time in; **engage in, take up,** devote oneself to, apply oneself to, address oneself to, have one's hands in, turn one's hand to; concern oneself with, make it one's business; **be about, be doing,** be occupied with, be engaged *or* employed in, be at work on; practice, follow as an occupation 705.7.

.12 **work,** work at, work for, have a job, be employed, **ply one's trade,** labor in one's vocation, do one's number [informal], follow a trade, practice a profession, carry on a business *or* trade, keep up; do *or* **transact business,** carry on business 827.14; set up shop, set up in business, hang out one's shingle [informal]; stay employed, hold down a job [informal]; moonlight [informal]; labor, toil 716.13, 14.

.13 **officiate, function, serve; perform as, act as,** act *or* play one's part, **do duty,** discharge *or* perform *or* exercise the office *or* duties *or* functions of, serve in the office *or* capacity of.

.14 **hold office,** fill an office, occupy a post.

.15 ADJS **businesslike,** working; practical, realistic 536.6; banausic, moneymaking, breadwinning, utilitarian 665.18; materialistic 1031.16; workaday, workday, prosaic 883.8; **commercial** 827.21.

.16 **occupational, vocational,** functional; **professional,** pro [informal]; official; technical, industrial; all in the day's work.

.17 **avocational,** amateur, nonprofessional.

.18 ADVS **professionally,** vocationally; as a profession *or* vocation; in the course of business.

657. WAY

.1 NOUNS **way,** wise, **manner, means, mode,** form [archaic], **fashion, style,** tone, guise [archaic]; **method,** methodology, **system;** algorithm [math]; **approach,** attack, tack; **technique, procedure, process,** proceeding, course, practice; order; lines, line, line of action; *modus operandi* [L], mode of operation, MO, manner of working, mode of procedure; **routine;** the way of, the how, the drill [Brit].

.2 **route, itinerary, course,** path, track, run, line, road; trajectory, traject, *trajet* [Fr]; circuit, tour, orbit; walk, beat, round; trade route, **sea lane, air lane,** flight path; path of least resistance, primrose path; shortcut 202.5.

.3 **path, track, trail,** –ode; **pathway,** footpath, footway; walkway, catwalk; **sidewalk, walk,** fastwalk, *trottoir* [Fr], foot pavement [Brit]; boardwalk; hiking trail; public walk, promenade, esplanade, alameda, parade, *prado* [Sp], mall; towpath *or* towing path; bridle path *or* road *or* trail *or* way; bicycle path; berm; run, runway; beaten track *or* path, rut, groove; garden path.

.4 **passageway, pass, passage, defile; avenue, artery; corridor, aisle, alley, lane; channel, conduit** 396.1; ford, ferry, traject, *trajet*

[Fr]; opening, aperture; access, inlet 302.5; exit, outlet 303.9; connection, communication; covered way, gallery, arcade, portico, colonnade, cloister, ambulatory; underpass, overpass; tunnel, railroad tunnel, vehicular tunnel; junction, interchange, **intersection** 221.2.

.5 **byway, bypath,** byroad, by-lane, bystreet, side road, side street; **bypass, detour,** roundabout way; bypaths and crooked ways; back way, back stairs, back door, side door; back road, back street.

.6 **road, roadway,** carriageway [Brit], right-of-way; **main road,** main drag [slang], **thoroughfare, arterial,** artery; **highway,** highroad [Brit], arterial highway, primary highway, **freeway, superhighway, expressway, turnpike,** pike, **thruway,** speedway, **parkway,** motorway [Brit], *Autobahn* [Ger], *autostrada* [Ital], *autoroute* [Fr]; state highway, US highway, interstate highway, *route nationale* [Fr], King's *or* Queen's highway, royal road, *camino real* [Sp]; secondary road, local road, county road, township road; private road, byway, driveway; highways and byways; dirt road, gravel road, paved road, *pavé* [Fr], plank road, corduroy road; **street,** through street, arterial street, **avenue, boulevard, drive;** place, row, court, lane, terrace, **crescent,** vennel [Scot]; **alley,** alleyway, mews, wynd [Scot], close [Brit], dead-end street, blind alley, cul-de-sac; toll road *or* highway; controlled access highway; post road; bypass, circumferential, belt highway, ring road; causeway, causey, *chaussée* [Fr], dike; roadbed.

.7 **pavement,** paving; macadam, blacktop, bitumen, asphalt, tarmacadam, Tarmac, Tarvia, bituminous macadam; cement, concrete; tile, brick, paving brick; stone, paving stone, pavestone, flag, flagstone, flagging; cobblestone, cobble; road metal; gravel; washboard; curbstone, kerbstone [Brit], edgestone; curb, kerb [Brit], curbing.

.8 **railway, railroad,** rail, line, track, railway *or* railroad *or* rail line; tram *or* tramline *or* tramway *or* tramroad [all Brit], trolley line, streetcar line, street railway; elevated railway; elevated *or* el *or* L [all informal]; subway, underground [Brit], *métro* [Fr], tube [Brit informal]; electric railway, cable railway, horse railway; cog railway, rack railway, rack-and-pinion railway; gravity-operated railway; monorail; light railroad; main line, trunk, trunk line; branch, feeder, feeder line; siding, sidetrack, turnout; switchback; junction; terminus, terminal, the end of the line; roadway, roadbed, embankment, trestle.

.9 **cableway,** ropeway, wireway, wire ropeway, cable *or* rope railway, funicular *or* funicular railway; telpher, telpherway, telpher ropeway, telpher line *or* railway; ski lift.

.10 **bridge, span, viaduct;** overpass, overcrossing, overbridge *or* flyover [both Brit]; drawbridge, bascule bridge, lift bridge, swing bridge; floating bridge, bateau bridge, pontoon bridge; **suspension bridge;** cantilever bridge; arch bridge; footbridge; gangplank, gangboard, gangway, catwalk; rope bridge; toll bridge; stepping-stone, stepstone; Bifrost.

.11 ADVS **how, in what way** *or* **manner,** by what mode *or* means; to what extent; in what condition; by what name; at what price; after this fashion, in this way, in such wise, along these lines; **thus, so,** thus and so; as, like, on the lines of; a–, –ally, –ling, –ly, –wise, –way *or* –ways.

.12 **anyhow, anyway,** anywise, in any way, by any means, by any manner of means; in any event, at any rate, in any case; **nevertheless, nonetheless, however, regardless,** irregardless [informal]; at all, nohow [dial].

.13 **somehow, in some way,** in some way or other, someway [informal], by some means, **somehow or other,** somehow or another, in one way or another, in some such way, after a fashion; no matter how, **by hook or by crook,** by fair means or foul.

658. MEANS

.1 NOUNS **means,** ways, **ways and means,** means to an end; **wherewithal,** wherewith; funds 835.14; **resources,** disposable resources, capital 835.15; stock, supply 660; power, capacity, ability 157.1,2; recourses, resorts, devices; method 657.1, –ment.

.2 **instrumentality, agency;** machinery, **mechanism;** mediation, going between, intermediation, service; **expedient,** recourse, resort, device 670.2.

.3 **instrument, tool, implement, appliance,** device; contrivance, lever, mechanism; **vehicle, organ; agent** 781; medium, mediator, intermedium, intermediary, intermediate, interagent, go-between 781.4; midwife, servant, slave, handmaid, handmaiden, *ancilla* [L]; **cat's-paw, puppet, dummy, pawn,** creature, minion, stooge

[slang], Charlie McCarthy [informal]; toy, plaything; dupe 620.

.4 VERBS **find means, find a way,** provide the wherewithal; get by hook or by crook, obtain by fair means or foul; beg, borrow, or steal.

.5 be instrumental, **serve, subserve,** minister to, act for, act in the interests of, promote, advance, forward, assist, facilitate; mediate, go between.

.6 ADJS **instrumental, implemental;** agential, agentive, agentival; **useful,** handy, employable, **serviceable; helpful,** conducive, forwarding, favoring, promoting, assisting, facilitating; subservient, ministering, ministerial; mediating, mediatorial, intermediary.

.7 ADVS, PREPS **by means of, by** *or* **through the agency of,** by *or* through the good offices of, through the instrumentality of, by the aid of, thanks to, by use of, **by way of,** by dint of, by the act of, through the medium of, by *or* in virtue of, at the hand of, at the hands of; **with;** herewith, therewith, wherewith, wherewithal; whereby, thereby, hereby; **through, by,** per; on, upon [archaic].

659. PROVISION, EQUIPMENT

.1 NOUNS **provision,** providing; **equipment, accouterment,** fitting out, outfitting; **supply,** supplying, finding; **furnishing,** furnishment; chandlery, **retailing, selling** 829.2; logistics; procurement 811.1; investment, endowment, subvention, subsidy, subsidization; provisioning, victualing, purveyance, catering; armament; resupply, replenishment, reinforcement; **preparation** 720.

.2 **provisions, supplies** 660.1; provender 308.5; **merchandise** 831.

.3 **accommodations,** accommodation, facilities; **lodgings** 188.3; bed, board; **board and room,** bed and board; **subsistence,** keep.

.4 **equipment,** matériel, equipage, munitions; **furniture, furnishings,** furnishments [archaic]; **fixtures, fittings, appointments, accouterments, appurtenances,** installations, plumbing; **appliances,** utensils, **conveniences; outfit, apparatus, rig,** machinery; stock-in-trade; **plant,** facility, facilities; paraphernalia, things, **gear,** impedimenta [pl], **tackle;** rigging; armament, munition; **kit,** duffel.

.5 **harness,** caparison, trappings, tack, tackle; headgear, bridle, halter, headstall, cavesson, hackamore, jaquima; bit, snaffle, curb, noseband, chinband, cheekpiece, blinds, blinders, winker braces, brow band, crownband, gag swivel, side check, breeching, britchen [dial], bellyband, girth, cinch, surcingle; collar; reins, lines, ribbons; yoke, tug, hames, hametugs, shaft tug; jerk line, checkrein, bearing rein, martingale *or* pole strap; saddle *or* back band; backstrap, crupper, hip straps.

.6 **provider, supplier,** furnisher; donor 818.11; patron; **purveyor,** provisioner, **caterer,** victualer, sutler; *vivandier, vivandière* [both Fr]; chandler, retailer, merchant 830.2,3; commissary, commissariat, quartermaster, storekeeper, stock clerk, steward, manciple.

.7 VERBS **provide, supply,** find, **furnish;** accommodate; invest, clothe, endow, fund, subsidize; donate, give, afford, contribute, yield, present 818.12,14; make available; stock, store; provide for, make provision *or* due provision for; prepare 720.6; support, maintain, keep; fill, fill up; replenish, recruit.

.8 **equip, furnish, outfit,** gear, **prepare, fit,** fit up *or* out, **rig,** rig up *or* out, **turn out,** appoint, accouter, dress; arm, heel [slang], munition; man, staff; –ate, –ize.

.9 **provision,** provender, cater, victual; feed; forage; fuel, gas, gas up, fill up, top off, coal, oil, bunker; **purvey,** sell 829.8,9.

.10 **accommodate,** furnish accommodations; lodge 188.10; **put up,** board.

.11 **make a living,** earn a living *or* livelihood, **make** *or* **earn one's keep.**

.12 **support oneself,** make one's way; **make ends meet, keep body and soul together, keep the wolf from the door,** keep *or* hold one's head above water, keep afloat; **survive, subsist, cope, eke out,** make out, scrape along, manage, get by.

.13 ADJS **provided, supplied, furnished,** provisioned, purveyed, catered; invested, endowed; **equipped, fitted,** fitted out, outfitted, rigged, accoutered; armed, heeled [slang]; **prepared** 720.16.

.14 **well-provided, well-supplied, well-furnished,** well-stocked, well-found; **well-equipped, well-fitted,** well-appointed; well-armed.

660. STORE, SUPPLY

.1 NOUNS **store, hoard, treasure,** treasury; plenty, plenitude, abundance, cornucopia; heap, mass, stack, pile, dump, rick; **collection, accumulation,** cumulation, **amassment,** budget, **stockpile; backlog;** repertory, repertoire; stock-in-trade; in-

ventory, **stock,** supply on hand; **stores, supplies, provisions,** provisionment, rations; larder, commissariat, commissary; munitions; matériel; material, materials 378.

.2 **supply, fund, resource, resources; means, assets,** liquid assets, balance, **capital,** capital goods, capitalization, available means *or* resources; grist, grist to the mill; holdings, property 810.

.3 **reserve, reserves,** reservoir, resource, **stockpile, cache,** reserve supply, something in reserve *or* in hand, something to fall back on, reserve fund, **nest egg, savings,** sinking fund; backlog, unexpended balance, ace in the hole [slang], a card up one's sleeve.

.4 **source of supply,** source, staple, resource; well, fountain, fount, font [archaic], spring, wellspring; mine, **gold mine, bonanza;** quarry, lode, vein; cornucopia.

.5 **storage, stowage;** preservation, conservation, safekeeping, warehousing; cold storage, dry storage, dead storage; storage space, shelf-room; custody, guardianship 699.2.

.6 **storehouse, storeroom,** stock room, lumber room, store, storage, **depository, repository,** conservatory [archaic], reservoir, repertory, depot, supply depot, supply base, magazine, *magasin* [Fr], warehouse, godown; bonded warehouse, *entrepôt* [Fr]; dock; hold, cargo dock; attic, cellar, basement; closet, cupboard; wine cellar, buttery; **treasury,** treasure house, treasure room, exchequer; bank, vault 836.12,13; archives, library, stack room; armory, arsenal, dump; lumberyard; drawer, shelf; bin, bunker, bay, crib; rack, rick; vat, tank; crate, box; chest, locker, hutch; bookcase, stack, glory hole.

.7 **garner, granary,** grain bin, elevator, grain elevator, **silo;** mow, haymow, hayloft, hayrick; crib, corncrib.

.8 **larder, pantry,** buttery [dial]; spence [Brit dial], stillroom [Brit]; root cellar; dairy, dairy house *or* room.

.9 **museum; gallery,** art gallery, picture gallery, pinacotheca; salon; Metropolitan Museum, National Gallery, Museum of Modern Art, Guggenheim Museum, Tate Gallery, British Museum, Louvre, Hermitage, Prado, Uffizi, Rijksmuseum; museology, curatorship.

.10 VERBS **store, stow,** lay in store; **lay in,** lay in a supply *or* stock *or* store, store away, stow away, **put away, lay away,** pack away, bundle away, lay down, stow down, salt down *or* away [informal]; **deposit,** reposit, lodge; **cache,** stash [slang]; **bank,** coffer, hutch [archaic]; warehouse, reservoir; file, file away.

.11 **store up, stock up, lay up,** put up, **save up,** hoard up, treasure up, garner up, **heap up,** pile up, build up a stock *or* inventory; **accumulate,** cumulate, **collect, amass, stockpile;** backlog; garner, gather into barns; **hoard,** treasure, save, keep, hold, squirrel, squirrel away; hide, secrete 615.7.

.12 **reserve, save, conserve, keep,** retain, husband, husband one's resources, keep *or* hold back, withhold; **keep in reserve,** keep in store, keep on hand, keep by one; **preserve** 701.7; **set** *or* **put aside,** set *or* put apart, put *or* lay *or* set by; save up, save to fall back upon, keep as a nest egg, **save for a rainy day,** provide for *or* against a rainy day.

.13 **have in store** *or* **reserve,** have to fall back upon, have something to draw on, have something laid by, have something laid by for a rainy day.

.14 ADJS **stored, accumulated,** amassed, laid up; gathered, garnered, collected; **stockpiled;** backlogged; **hoarded,** treasured.

.15 **reserved, preserved, saved,** conserved, put by, kept, retained, held, withheld, held back, kept *or* held in reserve; spare.

.16 ADVS **in store,** in stock, in supply, **on hand.**

.17 **in reserve,** back, aside, by.

661. SUFFICIENCY

.1 NOUNS **sufficiency,** sufficientness, **adequacy,** adequateness, **enough,** competence *or* competency, satisfactoriness, satisfaction, satisfactory amount; good *or* adequate supply; exact measure, right amount, no more and no less; bare sufficiency, minimum, bare minimum, just enough, enough to get by on.

.2 **plenty, plenitude, plentifulness,** plenteousness; myriad, myriads, numerousness 101; **amplitude,** ampleness; substantiality, substantialness; **abundance, copiousness;** exuberance, riotousness; **bountifulness,** bountiousness, liberalness, **liberality,** generousness, **generosity; lavishness, extravagance, prodigality;** luxuriance, fertility, teemingness, productiveness 165; **wealth, opulence** *or* opulency, richness, affluence; more than enough; maximum; **fullness,** full measure, repletion, repleteness; overflow, outpouring, flood, flow, shower, spate, stream, gush, avalanche; landslide;

prevalence, profuseness, **profusion,** riot; **superabundance** 663.2; great abundance, great plenty, "God's plenty" [Dryden], quantities, much, lots, scads 34.4; bumper crop, rich harvest, foison [archaic]; rich vein, bonanza; ample sufficiency, enough and to spare, enough and then some; fat of the land.

.3 cornucopia, horn of plenty, horn of Amalthea, endless supply.

.4 VERBS **suffice, do,** just do, serve, **answer;** work, be equal to, **avail;** answer *or* serve the purpose; qualify, meet, fulfill, **satisfy,** meet requirements; **pass muster,** make the grade [informal], hack it [slang], **fill the bill** [informal]; get by [slang], do it, do'er [dial], do in a pinch, **pass,** pass in the dark [informal]; hold, stand, stand up, take it, bear; stretch [informal], reach, go around.

.5 **abound,** exuberate [archaic], teem, **teem with,** creep with, crawl with, swarm with, bristle with; proliferate 165.7; **overflow,** run over; flow, stream, rain, pour, shower, gush.

.6 ADJS **sufficient,** sufficing; **enough, ample,** substantial, **plenty, satisfactory, adequate,** decent, due; competent, up to the mark; commensurate, proportionate, corresponding 26.9; suitable, fit 26.10; good, **good enough,** plenty good enough [informal]; sufficient for *or* to *or* unto, up to, equal to; barely sufficient, minimal, minimum.

.7 **plentiful,** plenty, **plenteous,** plenitudinous, "plenty as blackberries" [Shakespeare]; **galore** [informal], in plenty, in quantity *or* quantities, aplenty [informal]; numerous 101.6; much, many 34.8; **ample,** all-sufficing; wholesale; well-stocked, well-provided, well-furnished, well-found; abundant, abounding, **copious,** exuberant, riotous; flush; **bountiful,** bounteous, **lavish, generous, liberal, extravagant, prodigal; luxuriant,** fertile, productive 165.9, **rich,** fat, **wealthy, opulent, affluent;** maximal; **full,** replete, well-filled, running over, overflowing; inexhaustible, exhaustless, bottomless; **profuse,** profusive, effuse, diffuse; **prevalent,** prevailing, rife, rampant, epidemic; teeming 101.9; **superabundant** 663.19; a dime a dozen.

.8 ADVS **sufficiently, amply,** substantially, **satisfactorily, enough;** competently, **adequately;** minimally.

.9 **plentifully,** plenteously, **aplenty** [informal], **in plenty,** in quantity *or* quantities, in good supply; **abundantly,** in abundance, copiously, no end [informal]; **superabundantly** 663.24; **bountifully,** bounteously, **lavishly, generously, liberally, extravagantly, prodigally;** maximally; **fully,** in full measure, to the full, overflowingly; inexhaustibly, exhaustlessly, bottomlessly; exuberantly, luxuriantly, riotously; richly, opulently, affluently; **profusely,** diffusely, effusely.

662. INSUFFICIENCY

.1 NOUNS **insufficiency, inadequacy,** insufficientness, inadequateness, –penia; short supply, seller's market, none to spare; nonsatisfaction, nonfulfillment, coming *or* falling short *or* shy; too little, too late; incompetence, unqualification, unsuitability 27.3.

.2 **meagerness,** exiguousness, exiguity, scrimpiness, skimpiness, scantiness, scantness, spareness; meanness, miserliness, niggardliness, narrowness [dial], stinginess, parsimony; smallness, slightness, puniness, paltriness; thinness, leanness, slimness, slim pickings [informal], slenderness, scrawniness; jejuneness, jejunity; austerity; Lenten fare.

.3 **scarcity,** scarceness; **sparsity,** sparseness; **scantiness,** scant sufficiency; **dearth, paucity,** poverty; **rarity,** rareness, uncommonness.

.4 **want, lack, need, deficiency, deficit, shortage,** shortfall, wantage, **incompleteness,** defectiveness, shortcoming 314, imperfection; **absence,** omission; **destitution,** impoverishment, beggary, deprivation; starvation, famine, drought.

.5 **pittance,** dole, scrimption [dial]; drop in the bucket; **mite,** bit 35.2; short allowance, short commons, half rations, cheeseparings and candle ends; mere subsistence, starvation wages.

.6 **dietary deficiency,** vitamin deficiency, **malnutrition** 686.10.

.7 VERBS **want, lack, need, require;** miss, feel the want of; run short of.

.8 **be insufficient,** not qualify, be found wanting, not make it [informal], kick the beam, not hack it [slang], **fall short,** fall shy, come short, not come up to; run short; want, lack, fail, fail of *or* in.

.9 ADJS **insufficient,** unsufficing, **inadequate,** hyp(o)–, mal–, olig(o)–, sub–, –privic; found wanting, defective, incomplete, imperfect, deficient, lacking, failing, wanting; too little, not enough; un-

satisfactory, unsatisfying; unequal to, incompetent, unqualified, not up to snuff.

.10 **meager, slight,** scrimpy, scrimp, skimp, skimpy, exiguous; scant, **scanty,** spare; miserly, niggardly, stingy, narrow [dial], parsimonious, mean; austere, Lenten, Spartan, abstemious, ascetic; stinted, frugal, sparing; poor, impoverished; small, puny, paltry; thin, lean, slim, slender, scrawny; dwarfish, dwarfed, stunted; straitened, limited; jejune, watered, watery, unnourishing, unnutritious; subsistence, starvation.

.11 **scarce, sparse, scanty; in short supply,** at a premium; **rare,** uncommon; scarcer than hen's teeth [informal]; not to be had, not to be had for love or money, not to be had at any price; out of print, out of stock *or* season.

.12 **ill-provided,** ill-furnished, ill-equipped, ill-found, ill off; **unprovided,** unsupplied, unreplenished; bare-handed; unfed, underfed, undernourished; shorthanded, undermanned; **empty-handed, poor,** pauperized, impoverished, beggarly; starved, half-starved, on short commons, starving, starveling, famished.

.13 **wanting, lacking, needing, missing, in want of;** for want of, in default of, in the absence of; short, **short of,** scant of; shy, **shy of** *or* **on; out of,** destitute of, bare of, void of, empty of, devoid of, forlorn of, bereft of, deprived of, denuded of, unpossessed of, unblessed with, bankrupt in; out of pocket; at the end of one's rope *or* tether.

.14 ADVS **insufficiently; inadequately,** unsubstantially, incompletely.

.15 **meagerly, slightly,** sparely, punily, scantily, poorly, frugally, sparingly.

.16 **scarcely, sparsely, scantily,** skimpily, scrimpily; **rarely,** uncommonly.

.17 PREPS **without,** minus, less, sans.

663. EXCESS

.1 NOUNS **excess, excessiveness, inordinance,** inordinacy [archaic], inordinateness, nimiety, **immoderateness,** immoderacy, immoderation, **extravagance** *or* extravagancy, intemperateness, incontinence, overindulgence, **intemperance** 993; unrestrainedness, abandon; gluttony 994; **extreme,** extremity, **extremes; boundlessness** 104.1; overlargeness, overgreatness, monstrousness, enormousness 34.1; overgrowth, overdevelopment, hypertrophy, gigantism, giantism; **overmuch,** overmuchness, too much, too-muchness; **exorbitance** *or* exorbitancy, undueness, **outrageousness,** unconscionableness, **unreasonableness;** radicalism, extremism 745.4; egregiousness; fabulousness, hyperbole, **exaggeration** 617.

.2 **superabundance,** overabundance, superflux, **plethora,** redundancy, overprofusion, **overplentifulness,** overplenteousness, overplenty, **oversupply,** overaccumulation, **oversufficiency,** overmuchness, overcopiousness, overlavishness, overluxuriance, overbounteousness, overnumerousness; lavishness, **extravagance** *or* extravagancy, **prodigality; plenty** 661.2; **more than enough, enough and to spare,** enough in all conscience; **overdose,** overmeasure, "enough, with over-measure" [Shakespeare]; too much of a good thing, egg in one's beer [slang]; drug on the market; spate, avalanche, landslide, deluge, flood, inundation; *embarras de richesses* [Fr], money to burn [informal]; overpopulation.

.3 **overfullness,** plethora, **surfeit, glut;** satiety 664; engorgement, repletion, congestion; hyperemia; **saturation,** supersaturation; **overload,** overburden, overcharge, surcharge, overfreight, overweight; **overflow,** overbrimming, overspill.

.4 **superfluity,** superfluousness, fat; **redundancy,** redundance; unnecessariness, needlessness; featherbedding, payroll padding; duplication, duplication of effort, overlap; **luxury,** extravagance, frill *or* **frills** [both informal]; frippery, overadornment, bedizenment, gingerbread; **ornamentation, embellishment** 901.1; expletive, padding, filling; pleonasm, tautology; verbosity, prolixity 593.2; more than one really wants to know.

.5 **surplus,** surplusage, plus, **overplus,** overstock, **overage,** overset, overrun, **overmeasure, oversupply;** margin; **remainder, balance, leftover, extra, spare,** something extra *or* to spare; bonus, dividend, lagniappe [dial], gratuity, tip, *pourboire* [Fr].

.6 **overdoing,** overcarrying, **overreaching,** supererogation; overimportance, overemphasis; overuse; overreaction; **overwork, overexertion,** overexercise, overexpenditure, overtaxing, overstrain, tax, strain; too many irons in the fire, too much at once.

.7 **overextension, overdrawing,** drawing *or* spreading too thin, **overstretching,** overstrain, overstraining, stretching, straining, stretch, strain, tension, extreme tension,

snapping *or* breaking point; **overexpansion;** inflation, distension, overdistension, swelling, bloat, bloating 197.2.

.8 VERBS **superabound,** overabound, **know no bounds, swarm,** pullulate, run riot, luxuriate, **teem;** overflow, flood, overbrim, overspill, spill over, overrun, overspread, overswarm, overgrow, fill; meet one at every turn; hang heavy on one's hands, remain on one's hands.

.9 **exceed, surpass, pass, transcend, go beyond;** overpass, overstep, overrun, **overreach,** overshoot, overshoot the mark.

.10 **overdo, go too far,** pass all bounds, know no bounds, overact, **carry too far,** overcarry, go to an extreme, **go to extremes, go overboard; run into the ground;** overemphasize, overstress; overplay, overplay one's hand [informal]; overreact, protest too much; overreach oneself; **overtax, overtask, overexert, overexercise, overstrain,** overdrive, overspend, exhaust, overexpend, overuse; overtrain; **overwork,** overlabor; overelaborate, overdevelop, tell more than one wants to know; overstudy; burn the candle at both ends; have too many irons in the fire, do too many things at once; **exaggerate** 617.3; **overindulge** 993.5.

.11 **pile it on,** lay it on, **lay it on thick,** lay it on with a trowel [slang].

.12 **carry coals to Newcastle,** teach fishes to swim, teach one's grandmother to suck eggs, kill the slain, beat *or* flog a dead horse, labor the obvious, butter one's bread on both sides, paint *or* gild the lily, "to gild refined gold, to paint the lily, to throw a perfume on the violet" [Shakespeare].

.13 **overextend, overdraw, overstretch, overstrain,** stretch, strain; reach the breaking *or* snapping point; **overexpand,** overdistend, overdevelop, inflate, swell 197.4.

.14 **oversupply, overprovide,** overlavish, overfurnish, overequip; **overstock;** overprovision, overprovender; overdose; flood the market, oversell; **flood, deluge,** inundate, engulf, swamp, whelm, overwhelm; lavish with, be prodigal with.

.15 **overload,** overlade, **overburden,** overweight, **overcharge,** surcharge; **overfill,** stuff, crowd, cram, jam, pack, jam-pack, **congest,** choke; **overstuff,** overfeed; gluttonize 994.4; **surfeit, glut, gorge,** satiate 664.4; **saturate,** soak, drench, supersaturate, supercharge.

.16 ADJS **excessive, inordinate,** arch–, hyper–, super–, sur–, ultra–; **immoderate,** overweening, **intemperate, extravagant,** incontinent; unrestrained, unbridled, abandoned; gluttonous 994.6; **extreme; overlarge, overgreat,** overbig, monstrous, enormous, gigantic 34.7; overgrown, overdeveloped, hypertrophied; **overmuch,** too much, a bit much; **exorbitant, undue, outrageous,** unconscionable, **unreasonable;** fancy *or* high *or* stiff *or* steep [all informal]; **out of bounds** *or* **all bounds,** out of sight *or* out of this world [both informal], **boundless** 104.3; egregious; fabulous, hyperbolic, **exaggerated** 617.4.

.17 **superfluous, redundant; excess, in excess;** unnecessary, unessential, nonessential, expendable, dispensable, **needless,** unneeded, gratuitous, uncalled-for; expletive; pleonastic, tautologous, tautologic(al); verbose, prolix 593.12; *de trop* [Fr], supererogatory, supererogative; spare, to spare; on one's hands.

.18 **surplus,** overplus; **remaining,** unused, **leftover;** over, **over and above; extra, spare,** supernumerary, for lagniappe [dial], as a bonus.

.19 **superabundant,** overabundant, plethoric, **overplentiful,** overplenteous, overplenty, **oversufficient, overmuch; lavish, prodigal,** overlavish, overbounteous, overgenerous, overliberal; overcopious, overluxuriant, riotous, overexuberant; overprolific, overnumerous; **swarming,** pullulating, **teeming,** overpopulated, overpopulous; plentiful 661.7.

.20 **overfull, overloaded, overladen, overburdened,** overfreighted, overfraught, overweighted, **overcharged,** surcharged, **saturated,** drenched, soaked, supersaturated, supercharged; **surfeited, glutted,** gorged, overfed, satiated 664.6, **stuffed,** overstuffed, **crowded, crammed,** jammed, packed, jam-packed; choked, **congested,** stuffed up; **overstocked, oversupplied; overflowing,** in spate, running over, filled to overflowing; plethoric, hyperemic; **bursting,** ready to burst, bursting at the seams, at the bursting point, overblown, distended, **swollen, bloated** 197.13.

.21 **overdone,** overwrought; overdrawn, overstretched, overstrained.

.22 ADVS **excessively, inordinately, immoderately, intemperately,** overweeningly, **overly,** over, **overmuch,** too much; **too,** too-too [informal]; **exorbitantly, unduly, unreasonably,** unconscionably, **outrageously.**

.23 **in** *or* **to excess, to extremes,** to the extreme, all out [informal], flat out [Brit

informal], to a fault, too far, out of all proportion.

.24 **superabundantly,** overabundantly, **lavishly, prodigally, extravagantly;** more than enough, plentifully 661.9; without measure, out of measure, beyond measure.

.25 **superfluously, redundantly,** supererogatorily; tautologously; unnecessarily, needlessly, beyond need, beyond reason, overplus [archaic].

.26 PREPS **in excess of,** over, beyond, past, above, **over and above,** above and beyond.

664. SATIETY

.1 NOUNS **satiety, satiation, satisfaction, fullness, surfeit, glut,** repletion, engorgement; **fill, bellyful** *or* skinful [both informal], snootful [slang]; **saturation,** saturatedness, supersaturation; saturation point; more than enough, enough in all conscience, all one can stand *or* take; too much of a good thing, much of a muchness [informal].

.2 **satedness,** surfeitedness, cloyedness, jadedness; overfullness, fed-upness [informal].

.3 cloyer, surfeiter, sickener; **overdose;** a diet of cake; warmed-over cabbage, "cabbage repeatedly" [Juvenal].

.4 VERBS **satiate, sate, satisfy,** slake, allay; **surfeit, glut, gorge,** engorge; **cloy,** jade, pall; **fill,** fill up; saturate, oversaturate, supersaturate; **stuff,** overstuff, cram; **overfill,** overgorge, overdose, overfeed.

.5 **have enough,** have about enough of, have quite enough, **have one's fill;** have too much, have too much of a good thing, **have a bellyful** *or* skinful [informal], have a snootful [slang], have an overdose of, **be fed up** [informal], have all one can take *or* stand, have it up to here [informal], have had it.

.6 ADJS **satiated, sated, satisfied,** slaked, allayed; **surfeited, gorged,** replete, engorged, **glutted; cloyed,** jaded; **full,** full of, with one's fill of, **overfull,** saturated, oversaturated, supersaturated; **stuffed,** overstuffed, crammed, overgorged, overfed; **fed-up** *or* fed to the gills *or* fed to the teeth [all informal], stuffed to the gills [informal]; **with a bellyful** *or* skinful [informal], with a snootful [slang], with enough of; disgusted, **sick of,** tired of, sick and tired of.

.7 **satiating,** sating, satisfying, filling; surfeiting, overfilling; jading, **cloying,** cloysome.

665. USE

.1 NOUNS **use, employment,** employ [archaic], **usage; exercise, exertion,** active use; good use; ill use, wrong use, misuse 667; hard use, hard *or* rough usage; **application,** appliance; using up, **consumption** 666.

.2 **usage, treatment, handling,** management; way *or* means of dealing; stewardship, custodianship, guardianship, care.

.3 **utility, usefulness, usability, use,** utilizability, **serviceability,** helpfulness, functionality, profitability, applicability, availability, **practicability,** practicality, practical utility, operability, **effectiveness,** efficacy, efficiency.

.4 **benefit, use, service, avail, profit, advantage,** point, percentage [informal], what's in it for one [slang], convenience; interest, behalf, behoof; **value, worth.**

.5 **function, use, purpose,** role, end use, immediate purpose, ultimate purpose, operational purpose, operation; work, duty, office.

.6 **functionalism, utilitarianism;** pragmatism, pragmaticism; functional design, functional furniture *or* housing, etc.

.7 [law terms] usufruct, imperfect usufruct, perfect usufruct, right of use, user, enjoyment of property; *jus primae noctis* [L], *droit du seigneur* [Fr].

.8 **utilization,** using; **employment,** management, manipulation, handling, working, operation, **exploitation.**

.9 **user,** employer; **consumer,** enjoyer.

.10 VERBS **use, utilize, make use of,** do with; **employ,** practice, ply, work, manage, handle, manipulate, operate, **wield,** play; **have** *or* **enjoy the use of;** exercise, **exert.**

.11 **apply, put to use,** carry out, put into execution, **put in practice** *or* **operation,** put in force, enforce; bring to bear upon.

.12 **treat, handle,** manage, use, **deal with,** cope with, contend with, do with; steward, care for.

.13 **spend,** consume, expend, **pass,** employ, **put in;** devote, bestow, give to *or* give over to, devote *or* consecrate *or* dedicate to; while, while away, wile; **use up** 666.2.

.14 **avail oneself of, resort to,** have recourse to, **turn to,** look to, recur to, refer to, take to [informal], betake oneself to; revert to, fall back upon; convert *or* turn to use, put in *or* into requisition, press *or* enlist into service, impress, call *or* bring into play.

.15 **take advantage of, make the most of,** use

to the full, make good use of, improve, **turn to use** *or* **profit** *or* **account** *or* **good account,** turn to one's advantage, use to advantage, put to advantage, find one's account *or* advantage in; improve the occasion 129.8; **profit by, benefit from,** reap the benefit of; **exploit, capitalize on, make capital of,** make a good thing of [informal], make hay [informal], **trade on,** cash in on [informal]; make the best of, make a virtue of necessity.

.16 (take unfair advantage of) **exploit, take advantage of, use,** make use of, **use for one's own ends;** make a pawn *or* cat's-paw of, play for a sucker [slang]; **manipulate,** work on, work upon, stroke, play on *or* upon; **impose upon,** presume upon; use ill, ill-use, abuse, misuse 667.4,5; milk, bleed, bleed white [informal]; drain, suck the blood of *or* from, suck dry; exploit one's position, feather one's nest [informal].

.17 **avail,** be of use, serve, **suffice, do,** answer, **answer** *or* **serve the purpose,** serve one's need, fill the bill *or* do the trick [both informal]; bestead [archaic], **stand one in stead** *or* **good stead,** be handy, stand one in hand [dial]; advantage, be of advantage *or* service to; **profit, benefit,** pay *or* pay off [both informal], give good returns, yield a profit.

.18 ADJS **useful,** employable, of use, of service, **serviceable,** commodious [archaic]; good for; **helpful,** of help 785.21; **advantageous,** beneficial 674.12; **practical,** banausic, pragmatical, **functional, utilitarian,** of general utility *or* application; fitting, proper, appropriate, expedient 670.5.

.19 **handy, convenient; available,** accessible, **ready, at hand,** to hand, **on hand,** on tap, on deck [informal], on call, at one's call *or* beck and call, at one's elbow, at one's fingertips, just around the corner, at one's disposal; versatile, adaptable, all-around [informal], of all work.

.20 **effectual, effective,** active, efficient, efficacious, operative.

.21 **valuable,** of value, **profitable,** yielding a return, well-spent, **worthwhile,** rewarding; gainful, remunerative 811.15.

.22 **usable, utilizable; applicable,** appliable; practical, operable; **reusable; exploitable;** manipulable, pliable, compliant 765.12–14.

.23 **used, employed,** exercised, exerted, **applied,** techno–; secondhand 123.18.

.24 **in use, in practice,** in force, in effect, in service, in operation, in commission.

.25 ADVS **usefully,** to good use; **profitably, advantageously, to advantage,** to profit, to good effect; effectually, effectively, efficiently; serviceably, functionally, **practically;** handily, conveniently.

666. CONSUMPTION

.1 NOUNS **consumption, using** *or* **eating up;** burning up; absorption, assimilation, digestion, ingestion, **expenditure,** expending, spending; squandering, wastefulness 854.1; finishing; **depletion,** drain, **exhaustion,** impoverishment, waste, wastage, wasting away, erosion, ablation, wearing down, wearing away, attrition.

.2 VERBS **consume, spend, expend, use up;** absorb, assimilate, digest, ingest, eat, **eat up,** swallow, swallow up, gobble, gobble up; burn up; **finish,** finish off; **exhaust, deplete,** impoverish, drain, drain of resources; suck dry, bleed white [informal], suck one's blood; wear away, erode, ablate; waste away; squander 854.3,4.

.3 **be consumed, be used up,** waste; **run out, give out,** peter out [informal]; run dry, dry up.

.4 ADJS **used up, consumed,** eaten up, burnt up; finished, gone; **spent,** exhausted, effete, dissipated, depleted, impoverished, drained, worn-out; worn away, eroded, ablated; **wasted** 854.9.

.5 **consumable, expendable,** spendable; replaceable; disposable, throwaway, no-deposit, no-deposit-no-return.

667. MISUSE

.1 NOUNS **misuse, misusage, abuse; misemployment, misapplication; mishandling,** mismanagement, poor stewardship; corrupt administration, malversation, breach of public trust, maladministration; diversion, defalcation, misappropriation, conversion, **embezzlement,** peculation, pilfering; perversion, prostitution; profanation, violation, pollution, fouling, befoulment, desecration, defilement, debasement; malpractice, abuse of office, misconduct, malfeasance, misfeasance.

.2 **mistreatment, ill-treatment, maltreatment, ill-use,** ill-usage, **abuse;** molestation, violation, outrage, violence, injury, atrocity; cruel and unusual punishment.

.3 **persecution,** oppression, harrying, hounding, tormenting, harassment, victimization; **witch-hunting,** witch-hunt, red-baiting [informal], McCarthyism.

.4 VERBS **misuse, misemploy, abuse, misapply; mishandle,** mismanage, maladminis-

ter; divert, misappropriate, convert, defalcate [archaic], embezzle, pilfer, peculate, feather one's nest [informal]; pervert, prostitute; profane, violate, pollute, foul, foul one's own nest, befoul, desecrate, defile, debase.

.5 **mistreat, maltreat, ill-treat, ill-use, abuse,** injure, molest; do wrong to, do wrong by; outrage, do violence to, do one's worst to; mishandle, manhandle; buffet, batter, bruise, savage, maul, knock about, rough, rough up.

.6 **persecute,** oppress, **torment,** victimize, **harass,** molest, harry, hound, beset; pursue, hunt 654.8,9.

668. DISUSE

.1 NOUNS **disuse, disusage, desuetude; nonuse,** nonemployment, abstinence, abstention; nonprevalence, unprevalence; **obsolescence,** obsoleteness, obsoletism, obsoletion; superannuation, retirement, pensioning off.

.2 **discontinuance,** cessation, desistance; relinquishment, forbearance, resignation, renunciation, renouncement, abjurement, abjuration; waiver, nonexercise; abeyance, suspension, cold storage [informal]; **abandonment** 633.

.3 **discard, discarding,** jettison, deep six [slang], disposal, dumping; **scrapping, junking** [informal]; removal, elimination 77.2; **rejection** 638; **reject,** throwaway, castaway, castoff, rejectamenta [pl]; **refuse** 669.4,5.

.4 VERBS **cease to use,** relinquish, **discontinue, disuse,** quit, stop, drop [informal], give up, give over, put behind one, let go, leave off, come off [slang], cut out, desist, have done with; waive [archaic], resign, renounce, abjure; nol-pros, not pursue with *or* proceed with.

.5 **not use, do without,** dispense with, **let alone,** not touch, hold off; **abstain, refrain,** forgo, forbear, spare, waive; keep *or* hold back, reserve, save, keep in hand, have up one's sleeve.

.6 **put away,** lay away, **put aside,** lay *or* set *or* push aside, sideline [informal], lay *or* set by; stow, store 660.10; **pigeonhole, shelve,** put on the shelf, put in mothballs; **table,** lay on the table; table the motion, pass to the order of the day; postpone, delay 132.8.

.7 **discard, reject, throw away, throw out,** chuck [informal], eighty-six [slang], cast, cast off *or* away *or* aside; **get rid of,** get quit of, get shut *or* shet of [dial], rid oneself of, **dispose of,** slough, **dump, ditch** [informal], **jettison, throw** *or* **heave** *or* **toss overboard,** deep-six [slang], throw out the window, throw *or* cast to the dogs, cast to the winds; throw over, jilt; part with, give away; **abandon** 633.5; remove, eliminate 77.5.

.8 **scrap, junk** [informal], consign to the scrap heap, throw on the junk heap [informal]; superannuate, retire, pension off, put out to pasture *or* grass.

.9 **obsolesce,** fall into disuse, go out, pass away; be superseded; superannuate.

.10 ADJS **disused, abandoned,** deserted, **discontinued,** done with; out, **out of use;** old; relinquished, resigned, renounced, abjured; **outworn,** worn-out, past use, not worth saving; **obsolete,** obsolescent, superannuated, superannuate; superseded, outdated, out-of-date, outmoded; retired, pensioned off; on the shelf; antique, antiquated, old-fashioned, archaic.

.11 **discarded,** rejected, **cast-off,** castaway.

.12 **unused,** unutilized, **unemployed,** unapplied, unexercised; in abeyance, suspended; waived; **unspent,** unexpended, unconsumed; held back, held out, put by, put aside, saved, held in reserve, in hand, spare, to spare, extra, reserve; stored 660.14; untouched, unhandled; untapped; untrodden, unbeaten; **new,** original, pristine, fresh, mint.

669. USELESSNESS

.1 NOUNS **uselessness,** inutility; **needlessness,** unnecessity; unserviceability, **unusability,** unemployability, inoperativeness, inoperability, disrepair; unhelpfulness; inapplicability, unsuitability, unfitness; functionlessness; otiosity; **superfluousness** 663.4.

.2 **futility,** vanity, emptiness, hollowness; **fruitlessness,** bootlessness, unprofitableness, profitlessness, unprofitability, otiosity, worthlessness, valuelessness; triviality, nugacity; unproductiveness 166; **ineffectuality,** ineffectiveness, inefficacy 158.3; impotence 158.1; **pointlessness,** meaninglessness, purposelessness, aimlessness, recklessness; the absurd, absurdity; inanity, fatuity; vicious circle; **rat race** [informal].

.3 **labor in vain,** labor lost, labor of Sisyphus; work of Penelope, Penelope's web; **wild-goose chase,** snipe hunt, bootless errand; waste of labor, waste of breath, waste of time.

.4 **refuse, waste,** wastage, waste matter, **offal; leavings,** sweepings, dust [Brit], **scraps,** orts; **garbage,** gash [slang], swill,

slop, slops, hogwash [informal]; draff, lees, **dregs** 43.2; **offscourings,** scourings, rinsings, dishwater; parings, raspings, filings, shavings; **scum;** chaff, stubble, husks; weeds, tares; deadwood; rags, bones, wastepaper, shards, potsherds; scrap iron; slag, culm, slack.

.5 **rubbish, rubble, trash, junk** [informal], shoddy, riffraff, raff [Brit dial], **scrap,** dust [Brit], **debris, litter,** lumber, clamjamfry [Scot], truck [informal].

.6 **trash pile,** rubbish heap, dustheap, midden, kitchen midden; wasteyard, **junkyard** [informal], **dump.**

.7 wastepaper basket, wastebasket; wastebin, garbage can, dustbin [Brit], trash can.

.8 VERBS **labor in vain, go on a wild-goose chase,** beat the air, lash the waves, tilt at windmills, sow the sand, bay at the moon, waste one's breath, preach *or* speak to the winds, beat *or* flog a dead horse, roll the stone of Sisyphus, milk the ram, milk a he-goat into a sieve, pour water into a sieve, hold a farthing candle to the sun, look for a needle in a haystack, lock the barn door after the horse is stolen.

.9 ADJS **useless,** of no use, no go [informal]; **aimless,** meaningless, **purposeless,** of no purpose, **pointless,** feckless; **unavailing,** of no avail; ineffective, **ineffectual** 158.15; impotent 158.13–19; **superfluous** 663.17.

.10 **needless, unnecessary, unessential,** nonessential, **unneeded, uncalled-for,** unrequired.

.11 **worthless, valueless, good-for-nothing,** good-for-naught, no-good *or* NG [both informal], no-account [dial], dear at any price, worthless as tits on a boar [dial], not worthwhile, not worth having, not worth mentioning *or* speaking of, not worth a thought, not worth a rap *or* a continental *or* a damn, not worth the powder to blow it to hell, not worth the powder and shot, not worth the pains, of no earthly use, fit for the junk yard [informal]; trivial, nugatory, nugacious; **junk** *or* **junky** [both informal]; **cheap,** shoddy, trashy, **shabby** 673.18.

.12 **fruitless,** gainless, profitless, bootless, otiose, **unprofitable,** unremunerative, nonremunerative, **unrewarding,** rewardless; abortive; barren, sterile, unproductive 166.4.

.13 **vain, futile,** hollow, empty, "weary, stale, flat, and unprofitable" [Shakespeare], idle; absurd; inane, fatuous, fatuitous.

.14 **unserviceable, unusable,** unemployable, inoperative, inoperable, unworkable; out of order, out of whack [informal], in disrepair; **unhelpful,** unconducive; inapplicable; unsuitable, unfit; functionless, nonfunctional, otiose, nonutilitarian.

.15 ADVS **uselessly; needlessly,** unnecessarily; bootlessly, fruitlessly; **futilely, vainly;** purposelessly, to little purpose, to no purpose, **aimlessly, pointlessly,** fecklessly.

670. EXPEDIENCE

.1 NOUNS **expedience** *or* **expediency, advisability,** politicness, **desirability,** recommendability; **fitness, fittingness, appropriateness,** propriety, decency [archaic], seemliness, **suitability,** rightness, feasibility, **convenience;** seasonableness, timeliness, **opportuneness; usefulness** 665.3; **advantage, advantageousness,** beneficialness, **profit,** profitability, percentage [informal], worthwhileness, fruitfulness; wisdom, prudence 467.5–7.

.2 **expedient, means,** means to an end, **measure, step, action,** effort, **stroke,** stroke of policy, coup, **move,** countermove, **maneuver,** demarche, course of action; tactic, **device,** contrivance, artifice, stratagem, **shift; gimmick** *or* dodge *or* trick [all informal]; **resort,** resource; answer, solution; working proposition, working hypothesis; **temporary expedient, improvisation,** ad hoc measure, jury-rigged expedient, **makeshift,** stopgap, shake-up, jury-rig; last expedient, **last resort** *or* resource, *pis aller* [Fr], last shift, trump.

.3 VERBS **expedite one's affair,** work to one's advantage, not come amiss, be just the thing, be just what the doctor ordered [informal]; forward, advance, promote, profit, advantage, benefit; **work, serve,** answer, fill the bill *or* do the trick [both informal]; suit the occasion, **be fitting,** fit, befit, be right.

.4 **make shift, make do,** make out [dial], cope, manage, manage with, get along on, get by on, do with; do as well as one can.

.5 ADJS **expedient, desirable,** to be desired, much to be desired, **advisable, politic,** recommendable; **appropriate, meet, fit,** fitten [dial], **fitting,** befitting, **right, proper,** good, decent [archaic], **becoming,** seemly, likely, congruous, **suitable,** sortable, feasible, **convenient,** happy, felicitous; timely, seasonable, opportune, well-timed; **useful** 665.18; **advantageous,** favorable; **profitable,** fructuous, worthwhile, worth one's while; **wise** 467.17–19.

.6 **practical,** practicable, pragmatic(al), banausic; feasible, workable, operable, realizable; **efficient,** effective, **effectual** 665.20.

.7 **makeshift,** makeshifty, **stopgap,** band-aid [informal], improvised, improvisational, **jury-rigged; ad hoc;** temporary, provisional, tentative.

.8 ADVS **expediently, fittingly,** fitly, **appropriately, suitably,** sortably, congruously, rightly, properly, decently [archaic], feasibly, conveniently; practically; seasonably, opportunely; desirably, advisably; advantageously, to advantage, all to the good.

671. INEXPEDIENCE

.1 NOUNS **inexpedience** *or* inexpediency, **undesirability, inadvisability,** impoliticness *or* impoliticalness; unwiseness 470.2; **unfitness, unfittingness, inappropriateness, unsuitability,** incongruity, **unmeetness,** wrongness, unseemliness, inconvenience *or* inconveniency [both archaic], ineptitude, inaptitude; unseasonableness, untimeliness, inopportuneness; unfortunateness, infelicity; disadvantageousness, unprofitableness, unprofitability, worthlessness, futility, uselessness 669.

.2 **disadvantage, drawback, liability; detriment,** impairment, prejudice, loss, damage, hurt, harm, mischief, injury; step backward, loss of ground; **handicap** 730.6.

.3 **inconvenience,** discommodity, incommodity, disaccommodation [archaic], **trouble, bother;** inconvenientness, inconveniency, **unhandiness,** awkwardness, clumsiness, unwieldiness, troublesomeness.

.4 VERBS **inconvenience,** put to inconvenience, **put out, discommode,** incommode, disaccommodate [archaic], disoblige, **trouble, bother,** put to trouble, **impose upon;** harm, disadvantage 675.6.

.5 ADJS **inexpedient, undesirable, inadvisable,** impolitic(al), not to be recommended; **ill-advised, ill-considered, unwise** 470.9; **unfit, unfitting,** unbefitting, **inappropriate, unsuitable,** unmeet, inapt, inept, unseemly, improper, wrong, bad, out of place, incongruous, ill-suited; malapropos, *mal à propos* [Fr], inopportune, untimely, ill-timed, unseasonable; infelicitous, unfortunate, unhappy; unprofitable 669.12; futile 669.13.

.6 **disadvantageous,** unadvantageous, **unfavorable;** unprofitable, unrewarding, worthless, useless 669.9–11; **detrimental,** deleterious, injurious, harmful, prejudicial, disserviceable.

.7 **inconvenient, incommodious,** discommodious; **unhandy, awkward,** clumsy, unwieldy, troublesome.

.8 ADVS **inexpediently, inadvisably,** impoliticly *or* impolitically, **undesirably; unfittingly, inappropriately, unsuitably,** ineptly, inaptly, incongruously; inopportunely, unseasonably; infelicitously, unfortunately, unhappily.

.9 **disadvantageously,** unadvantageously, unprofitably, unrewardingly; uselessly 669.15; **inconveniently,** unhandily, with difficulty, ill.

672. IMPORTANCE

.1 NOUNS **importance, significance, consequence,** consideration, **import,** note, mark, **moment, weight;** materiality; concern, concernment, interest; **first order,** high order, high rank; **priority,** primacy, precedence, preeminence, paramountcy, superiority, **supremacy;** value, worth, merit, excellence 674.1; emphasis, stress, accent; consequentiality, self-importance 909.1.

.2 **notability, noteworthiness,** remarkableness, salience, memorability; **prominence, eminence, greatness,** distinction; prestige, esteem, repute, reputation, honor, glory, renown, dignity, fame 914.1.

.3 **gravity, seriousness,** solemnity, weightiness; no joke, no laughing matter.

.4 **urgency,** imperativeness, exigency; **press,** pressure, high pressure, **stress,** tension, **pinch;** clutch *or* crunch [both informal]; **crisis, emergency.**

.5 **matter of importance,** thing of interest, point of interest, matter of concern, object of note, one for the book *or* something to write home about [both informal], something special; vital concern *or* interest, matter of life or death; notabilia, memorabilia, great doings.

.6 **salient point,** cardinal point, high point, great point; important thing, chief thing, **the point, main point,** main thing, essential matter, **essence,** the bottom line [informal], substance, gravamen, *sine qua non* [L], issue, real issue, prime issue, name of the game [informal]; **essential,** fundamental, substantive point, material point; **gist, nub** [informal], **heart,** meat, pith, kernel, **core; crux,** crucial *or* pivotal *or* critical point, pivot; turning point, climax, crisis; keystone, cornerstone; landmark, milestone, bench mark.

.7 **feature, highlight,** high spot, outstanding feature.

.8 **personage, important person,** person of importance *or* consequence, **great man,** big man [informal], man of mark *or* note, **somebody,** something [informal], **notable,** notability, figure; **celebrity,** famous person, person of renown, lion [informal], personality; name, big name, big gun [informal]; nabob, **mogul,** panjandrum, person to be reckoned with, very important person, **VIP** [informal], **bigwig** [informal]; sachem; brass hat [informal]; **worthy,** pillar of society, elder, father; **dignitary,** dignity; **magnate;** tycoon [informal], baron; power; power elite, Establishment; interests; brass, top brass; top people, the great; ruling circle, lords of creation, "the choice and master spirits of the age" [Shakespeare]; the top, the summit.

.9 [slang terms] **big shot,** wheel, **big wheel,** big cheese, big noise, big-timer, big-time operator, **high-muck-a-muck** *or* high-muckety-muck, his nibs; big man on campus, BMOC.

.10 **chief, principal,** paramount, biggest frog in the pond [slang]; honcho [slang], top dog *or* Mr. Big [both slang]; **king,** electronics king, etc.; leading light, luminary, master spirit, **star,** superstar, prima donna, lead 612.6.

.11 VERBS **matter,** import [archaic], signify, **count, tell, weigh, carry weight,** cut ice *or* cut some ice [both informal], be prominent, stand out, mean much; be something, be somebody, amount to something; have a key to the executive washroom; be featured, star, get top billing.

.12 **value, esteem, treasure, prize,** appreciate, **rate highly,** think highly of, think well of, **think much of,** set store by; give *or* attach *or* ascribe importance to; make much of, make a fuss *or* stir about, make an ado *or* much ado about.

.13 **emphasize, stress,** lay emphasis *or* stress upon, place emphasis on, give emphasis to, **accent, accentuate, punctuate, point up,** bring to the fore, put in the foreground; **highlight,** spotlight; **star, underline, underscore,** italicize; overemphasize, overstress, overaccentuate, rub in; harp on; dwell on, belabor; attach too much importance to, make a federal case of, make a mountain out of a molehill.

.14 **feature,** headline [informal]; **star,** give top billing to.

.15 **dramatize, play up** [informal], splash, make a production of.

.16 ADJS **important, major, consequential, momentous, significant, considerable,** substantial, material, **great,** grand, big; superior, world-shaking, earthshaking; big-time *or* big-league *or* major-league *or* heavyweight [all informal]; high-powered [informal], double-barreled [slang]; bigwig *or* bigwigged [both informal]; name *or* big-name [both informal], self-important 909.8.

.17 **of importance, of significance, of consequence,** of note, of moment, of weight; of concern, of concernment, of interest, not to be overlooked *or* despised, not to be sneezed at [informal]; viable.

.18 **notable, noteworthy, celebrated, remarkable, marked,** of mark, signal; **memorable,** rememberable, unforgettable, never to be forgotten; striking, telling, salient; **eminent, prominent,** conspicuous, noble, **outstanding, distinguished;** prestigious, esteemed, estimable, reputable 914.15–19; **extraordinary, out of the ordinary, exceptional, special,** rare.

.19 **weighty,** heavy, **grave,** sober, **solemn, serious,** earnest; portentous, fateful, fatal; formidable, awe-inspiring, imposing.

.20 **emphatic, decided, positive, forceful,** forcible; **emphasized, stressed,** accented, accentuated, punctuated, pointed; underlined, underscored, starred, italicized; in red letters, in letters of fire.

.21 **urgent, imperative,** imperious, **compelling, pressing,** high-priority, high-pressure, crying, clamorous, insistent, instant, exigent; crucial, critical, pivotal, acute.

.22 **vital,** of vital importance, life-and-death *or* life-or-death; **essential,** fundamental, indispensable, basic, substantive, bedrock, material; **central,** focal.

.23 **paramount, principal, leading, foremost, main, chief,** premier, **prime, primary,** preeminent, **supreme,** capital [archaic], cardinal; highest, uppermost, topmost, top-rank, ranking, of the first rank, **dominant,** predominant, master, controlling, **overruling,** overriding, all-absorbing.

.24 ADVS **importantly, significantly,** consequentially, materially, momentously, greatly, grandly; eminently, prominently, conspicuously, outstandingly, saliently, signally, notably, markedly, remarkably.

673. UNIMPORTANCE

.1 NOUNS **unimportance, insignificance,** inconsequence, inconsequentiality, indiffer-

ence, **immateriality**; inessentiality; ineffectuality; unnoteworthiness, unimpressiveness; inferiority, secondariness, low order of importance, low priority; marginality; **smallness**, littleness, slightness, inconsiderableness, negligibility; **pettiness**, puniness, pokiness, picayune, picayunishness; irrelevance 10.1.

.2 **paltriness**, poorness, **meanness**, sorriness, sadness, pitifulness, contemptibleness, pitiableness, despicableness, miserableness, wretchedness, vileness, crumminess [slang], shabbiness, shoddiness, cheapness, beggarliness, worthlessness, unworthiness, meritlessness; meretriciousness, gaudiness 904.3.

.3 **triviality**, trivialness, triflingness, nugacity; **superficiality**, shallowness; slightness, slenderness, flimsiness; **frivolity**, frivolousness, lightness, levity; **foolishness**, silliness; inanity, emptiness, vacuity; triteness, vapidity; vanity, idleness, futility; **much ado about nothing**, tempest *or* storm in a teacup *or* teapot, much cry and little wool, big deal [slang].

.4 **trivia, trifles; trumpery**, gimcrackery, knickknackery, bric-a-brac; **rubbish**, trash, chaff; peanuts, chicken feed *or* chickenshit [both slang], small change; small beer; froth, "trifles light as air" [Shakespeare]; minutiae, details, minor details.

.5 **trifle, triviality, bagatelle**, fribble, **gimcrack, gewgaw**, frippery, **trinket**, bibelot, curio, **bauble**, gaud, toy, **knickknack**, knickknackery, kickshaw, minikin [archaic], whim-wham, folderol; pin, button, hair, straw, rush, feather, fig, bean, hill of beans [informal], molehill, row of pins *or* buttons [informal], sneeshing [Brit dial], pinch of snuff; bit, snap; a curse, a continental, a hoot [informal], a damn, a darn, shit [slang], a tinker's damn; picayune, rap, sou, halfpenny, farthing, brass farthing, cent, red cent, two cents, twopence *or* tuppence [both Brit]; peppercorn; drop in the ocean, drop in the bucket; fleabite, pinprick; joke, jest, farce, mockery, child's play.

.6 **insignificancy**, inessential, marginal matter *or* affair, trivial *or* paltry affair, small *or* trifling *or* minor matter, **no great matter**; a little thing, *peu de chose* [Fr], hardly *or* scarcely anything, matter of no importance *or* consequence, matter of indifference; **nothing, naught**, mere nothing, nothing in particular, nothing to signify, nothing to speak *or* worth speaking of, nothing to think twice about, nothing to boast of, nothing to write home about, thing of naught, *rien du tout* [Fr], nullity, nihility; **technicality**.

.7 **a nobody, insignificancy**, jackstraw [archaic], **little fellow**, little guy [informal], **man in the street**; common man 79.3; **nonentity**, nebbish [informal], obscurity, a nothing, cipher, "an O without a figure" [Shakespeare], nobody one knows; lightweight, mediocrity; whippersnapper, whiffet, pip-squeak, squirt, shrimp, scrub, runt [all informal]; squit [Brit informal], punk [slang]; small potato, small potatoes; man of straw, dummy, figurehead 749.4; **small fry**, Mr. and Mrs. Nobody, John Doe and Richard Roe *or* Mary Roe; Tom, Dick, and Harry; Brown, Jones, and Robinson.

.8 **trifling**, dallying, **dalliance**, flirtation, coquetry; toying, fiddling, playing, fooling, monkeying *or* monkeying around [both informal], horsing *or* fooling *or* kidding *or* messing *or* playing *or* screwing *or* mucking *or* farting around [informal]; jerking off [slang]; **puttering**, tinkering, pottering, piddling; dabbling, smattering; loitering, idling 708.4.

.9 **trifler, dallier**, fribble; **putterer**, potterer, piddler, smatterer, dabbler; amateur, dilettante, Sunday painter; **flirt, coquet**.

.10 VERBS **be unimportant**, be of no importance, not signify, **not matter**, not count, cut no ice [informal], signify nothing, matter little, **not make any difference**; **not amount to anything**, not amount to a hill of beans [informal], not amount to a damn [slang].

.11 **attach little importance to**, give little weight to; make little of, underplay, deemphasize, downplay, play down, minimize, **make light of**, think little of, **make** *or* **think nothing of**, take no account of, set little by, set no store by, set at naught; snap one's fingers at; not care a straw about; not give a shit *or* a hoot *or* two hoots for [slang], not give a damn about, not give a dime a dozen for; deprecate, depreciate 971.8.

.12 **make much ado about nothing**, make mountains out of molehills, have a storm *or* tempest in a teacup *or* teapot.

.13 **trifle, dally; flirt, coquet; toy, fiddle**, fiddle-faddle [informal], fribble, frivol [informal], **play, fool**, monkey *or* **monkey around** [both informal], horse *or* fool *or* play *or* mess *or* kid *or* screw *or* muck *or* fart around [informal]; jerk off [slang], **putter, potter**, tinker, **piddle; dabble,**

smatter; toy with, fiddle with, fool with, play with, finger with, fidget with, twiddle; idle, loiter 708.11–13.

.14 ADJS **unimportant, of no importance,** of little *or* small importance, of no great importance, **of no account,** of no significance, of no concern, of no matter, of little *or* no consequence, no great shakes [informal]; no skin off one's nose *or* elbow [informal]; inferior, secondary, of a low order of importance, low-priority; marginal.

.15 **insignificant, inconsequential, immaterial;** nonessential, unessential, inessential, **not vital,** back-burner [informal], dispensable; unnoteworthy, unimpressive; **inconsiderable,** inappreciable, negligible; **small, little,** minute, dinky [slang], petit [archaic], minor, inferior; technical; irrelevant 10.6.

.16 **trivial, trifling;** fribble, fribbling, nugacious, nugatory; catchpenny; **slight,** slender, flimsy; **superficial, shallow; frivolous, light,** windy, airy, frothy; idle, futile, vain, otiose; **foolish,** fatuous, asinine, **silly; inane,** empty, vacuous; trite, vapid; unworthy of serious consideration.

.17 **petty, puny,** measly [slang], **poky, piddling,** piffling, niggling, pettifogging, picayune, picayunish; **small-time** *or* two-bit *or* tinhorn *or* punk [all slang]; **one-horse** *or* **two-by-four** *or* jerkwater [all informal]; small-beer.

.18 **paltry, poor,** common, **mean, sorry, sad, pitiful,** pitiable, pathetic, **despicable, contemptible,** beneath contempt, **miserable, wretched,** beggarly, vile, **shabby,** scrubby, scruffy, shoddy, scurvy, scuzzy [slang], scummy, **crummy** *or* cheesy [both slang], **trashy,** rubbishy, garbagey [informal], trumpery, gimcracky [informal]; tinpot [slang]; **cheap,** worthless, valueless, twopenny *or* twopenny-halfpenny [both Brit], two-for-a-cent *or* -penny, dime-a-dozen; meretricious, gaudy 904.20.

.19 **unworthy, worthless,** meritless, unworthy of regard *or* consideration, beneath notice.

.20 ADVS **unimportantly, insignificantly, inconsequentially,** immaterially, unessentially; **pettily,** paltrily; **trivially,** triflingly; superficially, shallowly; frivolously, lightly, idly.

.21 PHRS **it does not matter,** it matters not, it does not signify, **it is of no consequence** *or* **importance, it makes no difference,** it cannot be helped, it is all the same; *n'importe, de rien, ça ne fait rien* [all Fr]; it will all come out in the wash [informal], it will be all the same a hundred years from now.

.22 **no matter, never mind,** think no more of it, do not give it another *or* a second thought, don't lose any sleep over it, let it pass, let it go [informal], ignore it, forget it [informal], skip it *or* drop it [both slang].

.23 **what does it matter?, what matter?, what's the difference?,** what's the diff? [slang], what do I care?, what of it?, what boots it?, what's the odds?, so what?, what else is new?; for aught one cares, big deal [informal].

674. GOODNESS

(good quality or effect)

.1 NOUNS **goodness, excellence, quality,** class [informal]; **virtue,** grace; **merit,** desert; **value, worth; fineness,** goodliness, fairness, niceness; **superiority,** first-rateness, **skillfulness** 733.1; wholeness, **soundness,** healthiness 683.1; **virtuousness** 980.1; **kindness, benevolence,** benignity 938.1; beneficialness, helpfulness 785.10; favorableness, auspiciousness 544.9; expedience, advantageousness 670.1; **usefulness** 665.3; pleasantness, agreeableness 863.1; cogency, validity 516.4; profitableness, rewardingness 811.4.

.2 **superexcellence,** supereminence, preeminence, supremacy, primacy, paramountcy, peerlessness, unsurpassedness, matchlessness, superfineness; **superbness,** exquisiteness, **magnificence,** splendidness, splendiferousness, marvelousness.

.3 **tolerableness,** tolerability, goodishness, passableness, fairishness, **adequateness, satisfactoriness,** acceptability, admissibility; sufficiency 661.

.4 **good, welfare,** well-being, **benefit; interest, advantage; behalf,** behoof; blessing, benison, boon; **profit,** avail [archaic], gain; world of good.

.5 **good thing,** a thing to be desired, "a consummation devoutly to be wish'd" [Shakespeare]; **treasure,** gem, jewel, diamond, pearl; boast, pride, **pride and joy;** prize, trophy, plum; winner [informal]; catch, find [informal], *trouvaille* [Fr]; godsend, windfall.

.6 **first-rater** *or* topnotcher [both informal]; wonder, prodigy, genius, virtuoso, star, superstar; luminary, leading light, one in a thousand.

.7 [slang or informal terms] **dandy, jim-**

dandy, dilly, humdinger, pip, pippin, **peach,** ace, beaut, **lulu, daisy,** darb, honey, sweetheart, dream, lollapaloosa, corker, whiz, **crackerjack,** knockout, killer-diller, the nuts, the cat's pajamas *or* meow.

.8 **the best,** the very best, the best ever, the tops [informal]; **quintessence,** prime, optimum, superlative; **choice, pick, select, elect, elite,** *corps d'élite* [Fr], chosen; **cream, flower,** fat; cream of the crop, *crème de la crème* [Fr], salt of the earth; *pièce de résistance* [Fr]; prize, champion, queen; nonesuch, paragon, nonpareil; gem of the first water.

.9 **harmlessness,** hurtlessness, uninjuriousness, **innocuousness,** benignity, benignancy; unobnoxiousness, inoffensiveness; innocence.

.10 VERBS **do good, profit,** avail; do a world of good; **benefit, help, serve,** advance, advantage, favor 785.11–19; be the making of, make a man of; do no harm, break no bones.

.11 **be as good as, equal, emulate, rival,** vie, vie with, challenge comparison.

.12 ADJS **good, excellent,** eu–, *bueno* [Sp], *bon* [Fr], bonny [Brit], **fine, nice,** goodly, fair; **splendid, capital, grand,** elegant [informal], braw [Scot], famous [informal], noble; royal, regal, fit for a king; very good, *très bon* [Fr]; commendable, laudable, **estimable** 968.20; skillful 733.20–26; **sound,** healthy 683.5; virtuous 980.7; kind, benevolent 938.13–17; beneficial, helpful 785.21; profitable 811.15; favorable, auspicious 544.18; expedient, advantageous 670.5; useful 665.18; pleasant 863.6; cogent, valid 516.13.

.13 [slang terms] **great,** swell, dandy, jim-dandy, neat, cool, bully, tough, mean, heavy, bad, groovy, out of sight, fab, marvy, gear, something else, ducky, keen, hot, nifty, spiffy, spiffing, ripping, nobby, peachy, peachy-keen, delicious, scrumptious, out of this world, hunky-dory, crackerjack, boss, stunning, corking, smashing, solid, all wool and a yard wide; rum *or* wizard [both Brit], bonzer [Austral]; bang-up, jam-up, slap-up, ace-high, fine and dandy, just dandy, but good, OK, okay, A-OK.

.14 **superior,** above par, **crack** [informal]; **high-grade, high-class,** high-quality, high-caliber, high-test.

.15 **first-rate, first-class,** in a class by itself, first-chop [informal]; tip-top, top-notch, topflight, top-drawer, tops [all informal]; topping *or* top-hole [both Brit informal]; A1 *or* A number 1 [both informal].

.16 **up to par,** up to standard, **up to snuff** [informal]; **up to the mark,** up to the notch *or* **up to scratch** [both informal].

.17 **superb,** super [slang], **superexcellent, supereminent,** superfine, **exquisite; magnificent,** splendid, splendiferous, tremendous, immense, **marvelous, wonderful,** glorious, divine, heavenly, terrific, sensational; sterling, golden; gilt-edged *or* gilt-edge [both informal]; of the highest type, of the best sort, of the first water, as good as good can be, as good as they come, as good as they make 'em [informal], out of this world [slang].

.18 **best,** very best, greatest [informal], **prime,** optimum, optimal, aristo–; **choice, select, elect,** elite, **picked,** handpicked; **prize, champion; supreme,** paramount, **unsurpassed,** surpassing, unparalleled, unmatched, unmatchable, matchless, **peerless;** quintessential; for the best, all for the best.

.19 **tolerable, goodish, fair, fairish,** moderate, tidy [informal], **decent,** respectable, presentable, good enough, **pretty good, not bad,** not amiss, not half bad, not so bad, **adequate, satisfactory, all right,** OK *or* okay [both slang]; better than nothing; **acceptable,** admissible, **passable,** unobjectionable, unexceptionable; workmanlike; sufficient 661.6.

.20 **harmless,** hurtless, unhurtful, **uninjurious,** undamaging, **innocuous,** innoxious, innocent; unobnoxious, inoffensive; nonmalignant, **benign;** nonpoisonous, nontoxic, nonvirulent, nonvenomous.

.21 ADVS **excellently, nicely,** finely, **capitally, splendidly, famously,** royally; **well,** very well, **fine** [informal], right, aright.

.22 **superbly,** exquisitely, **magnificently,** tremendously, immensely, terrifically, **marvelously, wonderfully,** gloriously, divinely; out–.

.23 **tolerably, fairly,** fairishly, moderately, respectably, **adequately, satisfactorily,** passably, **acceptably,** unexceptionably, presentably, decently; fairly well, well enough, pretty well; **rather, pretty.**

675. BADNESS

(bad quality or effect)

.1 NOUNS **badness, evilness,** viciousness, damnability, reprehensibility; moral badness, peccancy, wickedness 981.4; unhealthiness 684.1; inferiority 680.3; unskill-

fulness 734.1; unkindness, malevolence 939; inauspiciousness, unfavorableness 544.8; inexpedience 671; unpleasantness 864; invalidity 158.3; inaccuracy 518.2; improperness 959.1.

.2 **terribleness, dreadfulness,** direness, **awfulness** [informal], horribleness; **atrociousness, outrageousness,** heinousness, nefariousness; **notoriousness, egregiousness,** scandalousness, shamefulness, **infamousness; abominableness,** odiousness, **loathsomeness, detestableness,** despicableness, contemptibleness, hatefulness; **offensiveness,** grossness, obnoxiousness; squalor, squalidness, sordidness; **wretchedness,** filth, **vileness,** fulsomeness, **nastiness,** rankness, **foulness,** noisomeness; disgustingness, repulsiveness; uncleanness 682; beastliness, bestiality, brutality; **rottenness** *or* lousiness [both informal], the pits [slang]; shoddiness, shabbiness; scurviness, **baseness** 915.3; **worthlessness** 673.2.

.3 **evil, bad, wrong, ill; harm, hurt, injury, damage, detriment; destruction** 693; despoliation 824.5; mischief, havoc; outrage, atrocity; abomination, grievance, vexation, woe, crying evil; poison 676.3; blight, venom, toxin, **bane** 676; **corruption,** pollution, infection, befoulment, defilement; fly in the ointment, worm in the apple *or* rose; skeleton in the closet; snake in the grass; "something rotten in the state of Denmark" [Shakespeare]; ills the flesh is heir to, "all ills that men endure" [Abraham Cowley]; the worst.

.4 **bad influence,** malevolent influence, evil star, **ill wind;** evil genius, **hoodoo** *or* **jinx** [both informal], **Jonah;** curse, enchantment, whammy [slang], spell, hex, voodoo; evil eye, *malocchio* [Ital].

.5 **harmfulness, hurtfulness,** injuriousness, banefulness, balefulness, detrimentalness, deleteriousness, perniciousness, mischievousness, noxiousness, venomousness, poisonousness, toxicity, virulence, noisomeness, **malignance** *or* **malignancy, malignity, viciousness;** unhealthiness 684.1; deadliness, lethality 409.8; ominousness 544.7.

.6 VERBS work evil, do ill; **harm, hurt; injure,** scathe, wound, **damage; destroy** 693.10–21; despoil 824.16, prejudice, disadvantage, impair, disserve, distress; **wrong,** do wrong, do wrong by, aggrieve, do evil, do a mischief, do an ill office to; **molest,** afflict; lay a hand on; get into trouble; abuse, outrage, violate, maltreat, mistreat 667.5; torment, harass, persecute, savage, crucify, torture 866.18; play mischief *or* havoc with, wreak havoc on, play hob with [informal]; **corrupt,** deprave, taint, pollute, infect, befoul, defile 682.19; poison, envenom, blight; curse, hex, jinx, bewitch; threaten, menace 973.2; doom; condemn 1008.3.

.7 ADJS **bad, evil, ill,** untoward, cac(o)– *or* kako–, dis– *or* dys–, mal–; black, sinister; **wicked, wrong,** peccant, **vicious, sinful** 981.16; criminal 982.6; unhealthy 684.5; **inferior** 680.9,10; unskillful 734.15–20; unkind, malevolent 939.14–24; inauspicious, unfavorable 544.17; inexpedient 671.5; unpleasant 864.17; invalid 158.15; inaccurate 518.17; improper 959.3.

.8 [slang terms] **dirty,** punk, bum, shitty, crappy, cheesy, **crummy,** grim, putrid, icky, yecchy, vomity, barfy, stinking, stinky, creepy, hairy, godawful, goshawful.

.9 terrible, dreadful, awful [informal], dire, horrible, horrid; atrocious, outrageous, heinous, villainous, nefarious; enormous, monstrous; **deplorable,** lamentable, regrettable, pitiful, pitiable, woeful, grievous, sad 864.20; flagrant, **scandalous,** shameful, **shocking,** infamous, **notorious,** arrant, **egregious;** unclean 682.20–25; shoddy, schlock [slang], shabby, scurvy, **base** 915.12; **odious, obnoxious,** offensive, gross, **disgusting,** repulsive, loathsome, **abominable, detestable, despicable, contemptible,** beneath contempt, hateful; blameworthy, **reprehensible** 969.26; rank, fetid, foul, filthy, vile, **rotten** *or* **lousy** [both informal], fulsome, noisome, **nasty,** squalid, sordid, **wretched;** beastly, brutal; as bad as they come, as bad as they make 'em [informal], as bad as bad can be; worst; too bad; worthless 673.19

.10 **execrable, damnable;** cursed 972.9,10; infernal, hellish, devilish, fiendish, satanic, ghoulish, demoniac, demonic(al), diabolic(al), ungodly.

.11 evil-fashioned, ill-fashioned, evil-shaped, ill-shaped, evil-qualitied, evil-looking, ill-looking, evil-favored, ill-favored, evil-hued, evil-faced, evil-minded, evil-eyed, ill-affected [archaic], evil-gotten, ill-gotten, ill-conceived.

.12 **harmful, hurtful,** scatheful, **baneful,** baleful, distressing, **injurious, damaging, detrimental,** deleterious, counterproductive, **pernicious,** mischievous; noxious, venomous, venenate, poisonous, venenous, veneniferous, toxic, virulent, noisome; **malignant,** malign, malevolent, -malefic, vi-

cious; prejudicial, disadvantageous, disserviceable; corruptive, corrupting, corrosive, corroding 692.45; deadly, lethal 409.23; ominous 544.17.

.13 ADVS **badly,** bad [informal], **ill,** evil, evilly, wrong, wrongly, amiss; to one's cost.

.14 **terribly, dreadfully,** dreadful [dial], **horribly,** horridly, **awfully** [informal], **atrociously, outrageously;** flagrantly, scandalously, shamefully, shockingly, infamously, notoriously, egregiously, grossly, offensively, nauseatingly, fulsomely, odiously, **vilely,** obnoxiously, **disgustingly,** loathsomely; wretchedly, sordidly, shabbily, basely, abominably, detestably, despicably, contemptibly, foully, nastily; brutally, bestially, savagely, viciously; something fierce *or* terrible [informal].

.15 **harmfully, hurtfully, banefully,** balefully, **injuriously, damagingly, detrimentally,** deleteriously, counterproductively, **perniciously,** mischievously; noxiously, venomously, poisonously, toxically, virulently, noisomely; **malignantly,** malignly, malevolently, malefically, **viciously;** prejudicially, disadvantageously, disserviceably; corrosively, corrodingly.

676. BANE

.1 NOUNS **bane, curse, affliction,** infliction, visitation, **plague, pestilence,** pest, calamity, scourge, **torment,** open wound, running sore, grievance, woe, burden, crushing burden; disease 686; death 408; evil, harm 675.3; destruction 693; vexation 866.2; thorn, thorn in the flesh *or* side, pea in the shoe; bugbear, *bête noire* [Fr], nemesis.

.2 **blight,** blast; canker, cancer; mold, fungus, mildew, smut, must, rust; rot, dry rot; **pest;** worm, worm in the apple *or* rose; moth [archaic], "moth and rust" [Bible].

.3 **poison, venom,** venin, virus [archaic], toxic, toxin, toxicant, tox(o)– *or* toxi–; eradicant, **pesticide; insecticide,** insect powder, bug bomb [informal]; roach powder, roach paste; stomach poison, contact poison, systemic insecticide *or* systemic, fumigant, chemosterilant; chlorinated hydrocarbon insecticide, organic chlorine; organic phosphate insecticide; carbamate insecticide; miticide, acaricide, vermicide, anthelmintic; rodenticide, rat poison; **herbicide,** defoliant, **weed killer;** fungicide; microbicide, germicide, antiseptic, disinfectant, antibiotic; **toxicology.**

.4 **miasma, mephitis,** malaria [archaic]; effluvium, exhaust, exhaust gas; coal gas, chokedamp, blackdamp, firedamp.

.5 sting, stinger, dart; **fang,** tang [dial]; beesting, snakebite.

.6 **poisons**

aconite
aldrin
alkaloid
antimony
arsenic
arsenic trioxide, arsenious oxide
arsenious acid
beryllium
bichloride of mercury
cadmium
calcium arsenate
carbolic acid
carbon monoxide
carbon tetrachloride
chlordane
chlorine
corrosive sublimate
curare
cyanide
cyanide gas
DDD (dichlorodiphenyldichloroethane)
DDT (dichlorodiphenyltrichloroethane)
dieldrin
endrin
hydrocyanic acid
hydrocyanide
hydrogen cyanide
hyoscyamine
lead
lead arsenate
lindane
Malathion
mercuric chloride
mercury
methoxychlor, methoxy DDT
mustard gas
nerve gas
nicotine
parathion
Paris green
phenol
poison gas
potassium cyanide
prussic acid
pyrethrum
red squill
rotenone
selenium
strychnine
tartar emetic
2,4-D
2,4,5-T
warfarin
white arsenic

.7 **poisonous plants**

aconite
amanita
banewort
bearded darnel
belladonna
black henbane
black nightshade
castor-oil plant
corn cockle
datura
deadly nightshade
death camas
death cup, death angel
ergot
foxglove
Gastrolobium
hellebore
hemlock
henbane
horsetail
jequirity, jequirity bean
jimsonweed
larkspur
locoweed
mayapple
mescal bean
monkshood
nightshade
nux vomica
ordeal tree
poison bean
poisonberry
poison bush
poison hemlock, poison parsley
poison ivy
poison oak
poison rye grass
poison sumac
poison tobacco
poisonweed
pokeweed
sheep laurel
upas
water hemlock
white snakeroot
wolfsbane

677. PERFECTION

.1 NOUNS **perfection,** finish; **faultlessness, flawlessness,** defectlessness, indefectibil-

ity, impeccability, absoluteness; infallibility; spotlessness, stainlessness, taintlessness, purity, immaculateness; sinlessness 980.4; chastity 988.

.2 **soundness, integrity, intactness, wholeness,** entireness, completeness; **fullness,** plenitude.

.3 **acme of perfection, pink, pink of perfection, culmination,** perfection, height, top, acme, ultimate, summit, pinnacle, peak, highest pitch, climax, consummation, *ne plus ultra* [L], last word.

.4 pattern *or* standard *or* mold *or* norm of perfection, very model, quintessence; archetype, prototype, exemplar, mirror; **classic,** masterwork, masterpiece, *chef d'œuvre* [Fr]; **ideal** 25.4; **paragon** 985.4.

.5 VERBS **perfect,** develop, ripen, mature; improve 691.7; crown, culminate, complete 722.6; do to perfection 722.7.

.6 ADJS **perfect, ideal, faultless, flawless,** unflawed, defectless, not to be improved, **impeccable,** absolute; **just right;** spotless, stainless, taintless, unblemished, untainted, unspotted, immaculate, **pure,** uncontaminated, unadulterated, unmixed; sinless 980.9; chaste 988.4; indefective [archaic], indefectible; infallible; beyond all praise, irreproachable, unfaultable, *sans peur et sans reproche* [Fr], peerless 36.15.

.7 **sound, intact, whole, entire, complete,** integral; **full;** total, utter, unqualified 508.2.

.8 **undamaged, unharmed, unhurt, uninjured,** unscathed, **unspoiled,** virgin, inviolate, **unimpaired;** harmless, scatheless; **unmarred,** unmarked, unscarred, unscratched, undefaced, unbruised; **unbroken,** unshattered, untorn; undemolished, undestroyed; undeformed, unmutilated, unmangled, unmaimed; unfaded, unworn, unwithered, bright, fresh, untouched, pristine, mint.

.9 **perfected, finished,** polished, refined; **classic(al),** masterly, masterful, expert, proficient; ripened, ripe, matured, mature, developed, fully developed; **consummate,** quintessential, archetypical, exemplary, model.

.10 ADVS **perfectly,** ideally; **faultlessly, flawlessly, impeccably; just right;** spotlessly; immaculately, purely; infallibly; **wholly, entirely, completely, fully,** thoroughly, totally, absolutely 56.14,15.

.11 **to perfection, to a turn, to a T** [informal], to a finish, to a nicety; to a fare-thee-well *or* fare-you-well *or* fare-ye-well [informal].

678. IMPERFECTION

.1 NOUNS **imperfection,** imperfectness; **unperfectedness; faultiness, defectiveness,** defectibility; **shortcoming, deficiency,** lack, want, shortage, **inadequacy,** inadequateness; erroneousness, **fallibility;** inaccuracy, inexactness, inexactitude 518.2; **unsoundness,** incompleteness, patchiness, sketchiness, unevenness; **impairment** 692; mediocrity 680; immaturity, undevelopment 721.4; impurity, adulteration 44.3.

.2 **fault,** *faute* [Fr], **defect, deficiency, inadequacy,** imperfection, kink, defection [archaic]; **flaw,** hole, bug [slang]; something missing; catch [informal], fly in the ointment, problem, little problem, snag, drawback; **crack,** rift; **weakness,** frailty, infirmity, failure, **failing, foible, shortcoming;** weak point, Achilles' heel, vulnerable place, chink in one's armor, weak link; **blemish,** taint 679.

.3 VERBS **fall short,** come short, miss, miss out, not qualify, fall down [slang], **not measure up,** not come up to par, not come up to the mark, not come up to scratch [informal], not pass muster, not bear inspection, miss the mark, not hack it [slang], not make it [informal], not make the grade.

.4 ADJS **imperfect,** not perfect, atel(o)–; unperfected; **defective, faulty, inadequate, deficient,** short, lacking, wanting, found wanting, "weighed in the balance and found wanting" [Bible]; off; erroneous, **fallible;** inaccurate, inexact, imprecise 518.17; **unsound, incomplete,** unfinished, partial, patchy, sketchy, uneven, unthorough; makeshift 670.7; **damaged, impaired** 692.29–44; mediocre 680.7,8; **blemished** 679.8; immature, undeveloped 721.11,12; impure, adulterated, mixed 44.15.

.5 ADVS **imperfectly, inadequately,** deficiently; **incompletely,** partially; **faultily, defectively.**

679. BLEMISH

.1 NOUNS **blemish, disfigurement,** disfiguration, **defacement;** scar, keloid, cicatrix; needle scar, track *or* crater [both slang]; scratch; scab; blister, vesicle, bulla, bleb; weal, wale, welt, wen, sebaceous cyst; port-wine stain *or* port-wine mark, hemangioma, strawberry mark; pock, pustule; pockmark, pit; nevus, birthmark, mole; freckle, lentigo; milium, whitehead, blackhead, comedo, pimple, hickey, sty; wart, verruca; **crack,** craze, check, rift,

split; **deformity,** deformation, warp, twist, kink, **distortion; flaw, defect, fault** 678.2.

.2 **discoloration,** discolorment, discolor [archaic]; bruise 692.9.

.3 **stain, taint, tarnish;** mark, brand, **stigma;** maculation, macule, macula; **spot, blot,** blur, **blotch,** patch, speck, speckle, fleck, flick, flyspeck; daub, dab; **smirch, smudge,** smutch *or* smouch, smut, **smear;** splotch, splash, splatter, spatter; bloodstain; eyesore; macul(o)– *or* maculi–.

.4 VERBS **blemish, disfigure,** deface, **flaw, mar;** scab; scar, cicatrize, scarify; **crack,** craze, check, split; **deform,** warp, twist, kink, **distort.**

.5 **spot,** bespot, **blot, blotch, speck, speckle,** bespeckle, maculate [archaic]; freckle; flyspeck; **spatter, splatter,** splash, splotch.

.6 **stain,** bestain, **discolor,** smirch, besmirch, **taint,** attaint, **tarnish; mark, stigmatize,** brand; smear, besmear, daub, bedaub, slubber [Brit dial]; blur, slur [dial]; **darken, blacken;** smoke, besmoke; scorch, singe, sear; dirty, **soil** 682.16.

.7 **bloodstain, bloody,** ensanguine.

.8 ADJS **blemished, disfigured,** defaced, **marred,** scarred, keloidal, cicatrized, scarified, scabbed, scabby; pimpled, pimply; cracked, crazed, checked, split; deformed, warped, twisted, kinked, distorted; faulty, flawed, defective 678.4.

.9 **spotted,** spotty, maculate, maculated, macular, blotched, **blotchy,** splotched, splotchy; **speckled,** speckly, bespeckled; freckled, freckly, freckle-faced; spattered, splattered, splashed.

.10 **stained, discolored,** foxed, foxy, **tainted, tarnished,** smirched, besmirched; stigmatized, stigmatic, stigmatiferous; darkened, blackened, murky, smoky, inky; **soiled** 682.21.

.11 **bloodstained,** blood-spattered, **bloody,** sanguinary, **gory,** ensanguined.

680. MEDIOCRITY

.1 NOUNS **mediocrity,** mediocreness, fairishness, modestness, modesty, moderateness, middlingness, **indifference;** respectability, passableness, **tolerableness** 674.3; **dullness,** lackluster, tediousness 883.1.

.2 **ordinariness,** averageness, normality, **commonness, commonplaceness;** common *or* garden variety [informal]; unexceptionality, unremarkableness, unnoteworthiness; conventionality.

.3 **inferiority,** inferiorness, **poorness,** lowliness, humbleness, **baseness, meanness, commonness,** coarseness; **second-rateness,** third-rateness, fourth-rateness.

.4 **low grade,** low class, low quality; second best.

.5 **mediocrity, second-rater,** third-rater, fourth-rater, nothing *or* nobody special, no prize, not much of a bargain, small potatoes *or* small beer [both slang]; tinhorn [slang]; nonentity 673.7; middle class, middle order *or* orders, bourgeoisie, burgherdom; suburbia; Middle America, silent majority.

.6 **irregular,** second, third; *schlock, schmatte* [both Yid].

.7 ADJS **mediocre, middling, indifferent, fair, fairish, fair to middling** [informal], moderate, modest, medium, betwixt and between; respectable, passable, **tolerable** 674.19; **so-so,** *comme ci comme ça* [Fr]; of a kind, of a sort, of sorts [informal]; nothing to brag about, not much to boast of, nothing to write home about; "not below mediocrity nor above it" [Johnson]; dull, lackluster, tedious 883.6; insipid, vapid, wishy-washy, namby-pamby.

.8 **ordinary, average,** normal, **common, commonplace,** garden *or* garden-variety [both informal], run-of-mine *or* -mill, run-of-the-mine *or* -mill; **unexceptional, unremarkable, unnoteworthy,** unspectacular, no great shakes [informal]; conventional; middle-class, bourgeois, plastic [slang]; suburban; usual, regular 84.8.

.9 **inferior, poor,** punk [slang], **base, mean, common,** coarse, cheesy *or* tacky [both informal], tinny; shabby, seedy 692.34; cheap, Mickey Mouse [informal], paltry 673.18; irregular; second-best; **second-rate,** third-rate, fourth-rate; **second-class,** third-class, fourth-class; **low-grade, low-class,** low-quality, low-test.

.10 **below par,** below standard, **below the mark** [informal], substandard, **not up to scratch** [informal], not up to snuff [informal], not up to sample *or* standard *or* specification, off.

.11 ADVS **mediocrely, middlingly,** fairly, fairishly, middling well, fair to middling [informal], moderately, modestly, **indifferently, so-so;** passably, **tolerably** 674.23.

.12 **inferiorly, poorly,** basely, meanly, commonly.

681. CLEANNESS

.1 NOUNS **cleanness, cleanliness; purity,** pureness; **immaculateness,** immaculacy; **spotlessness,** unspottedness, stainlessness,

whiteness; freshness; fastidiousness, daintiness, cleanly habits; asepsis, sterility, hospital cleanliness; tidiness 59.3.

.2 **cleansing, cleaning, detersion; purge,** purging, purgation, abstersion [archaic]; **purification,** lustration, catharsis; expurgation, bowdlerization; dry cleaning, steam cleaning.

.3 **sanitation, hygiene,** hygenics; **disinfection, decontamination, sterilization,** antisepsis; pasteurization, flash pasteurization; fumigation, disinfestation, delousing.

.4 **refinement, clarification, purification,** depuration; **straining,** colature; elution, elutriation; extraction 305.8; **filtering,** filtration; **percolation,** leaching, edulcoration [archaic], lixiviation; **sifting,** separation, **screening,** sieving, bolting, riddling, winnowing; essentialization; sublimation; **distillation,** destructive distillation, spiritualization [archaic].

.5 **washing, ablution;** lavation, laving, lavage; lavabo; **wash, washup;** soaping, lathering; rinse, rinsing; sponge, sponging; shampoo; washout, elution, elutriation; irrigation, flush, flushing, flushing out; douche, douching; enema; **scrub,** scrubbing, swabbing, mopping, scouring; **cleaning up** *or* **out,** washing up, scrubbing up *or* out, mopping up, wiping up.

.6 **laundering, laundry,** tubbing; **wash, washing;** washday.

.7 **bathing,** balneation, balne(o)–.

.8 **bath,** bathe [Brit], tub [informal]; **shower,** shower bath, needle bath, hot *or* cold shower; douche; sponge bath, sponge; hip bath, sitz bath; sweat bath, Turkish bath, hummum, Russian bath, Swedish bath, Finnish bath, sauna *or* sauna bath, Japanese bath, whirlpool bath, plunge bath.

.9 **dip, bath;** acid bath, mercury bath, fixing bath; sheep dip.

.10 **bathing place, bath, baths,** public baths, **bathhouse,** bagnio [archaic], sauna; *balneum, balneae, thermae* [all L]; mikvah; watering place, spa; lavatory, washroom, bathroom; steam room, sweat room, sudatorium, sudarium, caldarium, tepidarium; rest room.

.11 **washery, laundry;** washhouse, washshed; **Laundromat, launderette,** coin laundry, coin-operated laundry; automatic laundry; hand laundry; car wash.

.12 **washbasin, washbowl,** washdish, basin; **lavatory, washstand; bathtub,** tub, bath; bidet; **shower,** showers, shower room, shower bath, shower stall, shower head, shower curtain; **sink,** kitchen sink; dishwasher, automatic dishwasher; washing machine; washer; piscina, lavabo, ewer, aquamanile; washtub, washpot, washing pot, wash boiler, dishpan; finger bowl; wash barrel.

.13 **refinery; refiner,** purifier, clarifier; **filter; strainer,** colander; **percolator,** lixiviator; **sifter, sieve, screen,** riddle, cribble; winnow, winnower, winnowing machine, winnowing basket *or* winnowing fan; cradle, rocker.

.14 **cleaner,** cleaner-up, cleaner-off, cleaner-out; **janitor,** janitress, custodian; cleaning woman *or* lady *or* man, charwoman *or* char [both Brit].

.15 **washer,** launderer; **laundress,** laundrywoman, **washerwoman,** washwoman, washerwife [Scot]; **laundryman,** washerman, washman; dry cleaner; **dishwasher,** pot-walloper [slang], scullion, scullery maid; dishwiper.

.16 **sweeper; street sweeper,** crossing sweeper, whitewing, cleanser *or* scavenger [both Brit]; **chimney sweep** *or* sweeper, sweep, flue cleaner.

.17 **cleanser, cleaner;** cleaning agent; lotion, cream; cold cream, cleansing cream, **soap, detergent,** synthetic detergent, abstergent; shampoo; rinse; **solvent** 391.10, cleaning solvent; purifier, depurant; mouthwash, wash; dentifrice, **toothpaste, tooth powder;** pumice stone, holystone; purge, purgative, cathartic, enema, diuretic, emetic, nauseant.

.18 VERBS **clean, cleanse, purge,** deterge, depurate; **purify,** lustrate; sweeten, **freshen;** whiten, bleach; clean up *or* out, clear out, sweep out; reform, clean house, delouse; spruce, **tidy** 60.12; scavenge; **wipe,** wipe up *or* out, wipe off; dust, dust off; steam-clean, **dry-clean;** expurgate, bowdlerize.

.19 **wash, bathe,** bath [Brit], shower, lave; **launder,** tub; wash up *or* out; **rinse,** rinse out, flush, flush out, irrigate, sluice, sluice out; ritually immerse, baptize, *toivel* [Yid]; sponge; **scrub,** scrub up *or* out, **swab, mop,** mop up; **scour,** holystone; soap, lather; shampoo; syringe, douche; gargle.

.20 **groom,** dress, fettle [Brit dial], **brush up; preen,** plume; manicure.

.21 **comb,** curry, card, hackle *or* hatchel, heckle [dial], rake.

.22 **refine, clarify,** clear, purify, rectify, depurate, decrassify; try; **strain;** elute, elutri-

ate; **extract** 305.10; **filter,** filtrate; **percolate,** leach, lixiviate, edulcorate [archaic]; **sift,** separate, sieve, **screen,** bolt, winnow; sublimate, sublime; **distill,** spiritualize [archaic], essentialize.

.23 **sweep,** sweep up *or* out, **brush,** brush off, whisk, broom; vacuum [informal], vacuum-clean.

.24 **sanitize,** sanitate, hygienize; **disinfect, decontaminate, sterilize,** antisepticize; autoclave, boil; pasteurize, flash-pasteurize; disinfest, fumigate, delouse; chlorinate.

.25 ADJS **clean, pure; immaculate, spotless,** stainless, white, fair, dirt-free, soil-free; **unsoiled, unsullied,** unmuddied, unsmirched, unbesmirched, unblotted, unsmudged, unstained, untarnished, **unspotted,** unblemished; smutless, smut-free; bleached, whitened; bright, shiny 335.32, 33; **unpolluted,** nonpolluted, untainted, unadulterated, **undefiled;** kosher, *tahar* [Heb], ritually pure *or* clean; clean as a whistle *or* a new penny *or* a hound's tooth; sweet, **fresh; cleanly,** fastidious, dainty, of cleanly habits; well-washed, well-scrubbed, tubbed [informal].

.26 **cleaned, cleansed,** cleaned up; purged, purified; expurgated, bowdlerized; reformed; refined; spruce, spick and span, **tidy** 59.8.

.27 **sanitary, hygienic, prophylactic; sterile,** aseptic, antiseptic, **uninfected;** disinfected, decontaminated, sterilized; autoclaved, boiled; pasteurized.

.28 **cleansing, cleaning;** detergent, abstergent, depurative; **purifying,** purificatory, lustral; expurgatory; purgative, purging, cathartic, diuretic, emetic.

.29 ADVS **cleanly,** clean; **purely, immaculately, spotlessly.**

.30 **cleansers**

anion detergent
benzine, benzol
bleach 363.10
borax
Carbona
carbon tetrachloride, carbon tet [informal]
cation detergent
cleaning fluid
detergent
lye
sodium carbonate, sal soda, soda
washing powder
washing soda

.31 **soaps**

amole
bar soap
bath soap
brown soap
castile soap, castile
deodorant soap
floating soap
glycerin soap
granulated soap
green soap
kosher soap
laundry soap
lead soap
lime soap
liquid soap
marine soap
metallic soap
milled soap
neat soap
olive-oil castile soap
powdered soap, soap powder
pumice soap
saddle soap
shaving soap
soap flakes
soda soap
soft soap
tar soap
toilet soap
wash ball

.32 **cleaning devices**

autoclave
automatic washer
automatic washer-dryer
bath brush
bath towel
broom, besom
brush
carpet cleaner *or* sweeper
chamois cloth
cleansing tissue
comb
currycomb
dishcloth
dishmop
dishrag
dish towel
dishwasher
doormat
dustcloth
duster
dust mop, dry mop
dustpan
eyeglass cloth
facecloth
face towel
feather duster
hackle
hairbrush
hand brush
handkerchief
hand towel
holystone
hose
mop
mop bucket *or* pail
mundatory
nail brush
napkin
paper towel
pumice stone
purificator
push broom
rag mop
rake
scouring pad
scraper
scrubber
scrub *or* scrubbing brush
serviette [Brit]
soap pad
sponge
sponge mop
steam cleaner
sterilizer
sudarium, sudary [archaic]
swab
toilet paper
toothbrush
toothpick
towel
Turkish towel
vacuum cleaner
washboard
washcloth
washer
washing engine
washing machine
washrag
whisk broom, whisk
wisp [Brit]
wringer
wringer washer

682. UNCLEANNESS

.1 NOUNS **uncleanness,** immundity; **impurity,** unpureness; **dirtiness,** grubbiness, dinginess, griminess, messiness [informal], scruffiness, slovenliness, untidiness 62.6; miriness, muddiness 389.4; uncleanliness.

.2 **filthiness, foulness,** vileness, scumminess [informal], feculence, shittiness [slang], muckiness, ordurousness, nastiness, ickiness [informal]; scurfiness, scabbiness; rottenness, putridness 692.7; rankness, fetidness 437.2; odiousness, repulsiveness 864.2; nauseousness, disgustingness 429.3; hoggishness, piggishness, swinishness, beastliness.

.3 **squalor,** squalidness, squalidity, **sordidness;** slumminess [informal].

.4 **defilement, befoulment,** dirtying, soiling, besmirchment; **pollution, contamination,**

infection; abomination; ritual uncleanness *or* impurity *or* contamination.

.5 **soil,** soilure, soilage, smut; **smirch, smudge,** smutch, smear, **spot,** blot, blotch, **stain** 679.3.

.6 **dirt, grime;** dust; soot, smut; **mud** 389.8.

.7 **filth, muck,** slime, mess, sordes, foul matter; ordure, **excrement** 311.3,4; mucus, snot [slang]; scurf, furfur, dandruff; scuz [slang]; putrid matter, pus, corruption [dial], gangrene, decay, carrion, **rot** 692.7; **obscenity,** smut [informal] 990.4.

.8 **slime, slop,** scum, sludge, slush, splosh [dial], slosh, slab [dial], slob [dial], glop *or* gunk [both informal], **muck, mire,** ooze.

.9 **offal,** slough, **offscourings,** scurf, scum, riffraff, scum of the earth; **carrion; garbage, swill,** slop, slops; dishwater, ditchwater, bilgewater, bilge; **sewage,** sewerage; **refuse** 669.4.

.10 **dunghill, manure pile,** midden, mixen [Brit dial], colluvies; compost heap; dump, garbage dump, kitchen midden, refuse heap.

.11 **sty, pigsty,** pigpen; **stable,** Augean stables; dump *or* hole [both slang], tenement; warren, **slum,** rookery; the slums; plague spot, pesthole; hovel 191.12.

.12 (receptacle of filth) **sink;** sump, **cesspool,** septic tank; **sewer,** drain, *cloaca, cloaca maxima* [both L]; **dump,** garbage dump; **swamp,** bog, mire, quagmire, marsh.

.13 **pig, swine, hog,** slut, sloven, slattern 62.7; Struwwelpeter.

.14 VERBS wallow in the mire, live like a pig.

.15 **dirty,** dirty up, dirt [archaic], grime, **begrime;** muck, muck up [informal]; **muddy,** bemud [archaic]; mire, bemire; slime; dust; soot, smoke, besmoke.

.16 **soil,** besoil; black, **blacken; smirch,** besmirch, sully, slubber [Brit dial], smutch *or* smouch, besmutch, smut, **smudge, smear,** besmear, daub, bedaub; **spot, stain** 679.5,6.

.17 **defile, foul, befoul; sully;** nasty *or* benasty [both dial], mess *or* mess up [both informal]; **pollute, corrupt, contaminate, infect; taint,** tarnish.

.18 **spatter, splatter,** splash, **bespatter,** dabble, bedabble, spot, splotch.

.19 **draggle,** bedraggle, **drabble,** bedrabble, daggle [archaic], drabble in the mud.

.20 ADJS **unclean, unwashed,** unbathed, unscrubbed, unscoured, unswept, unwiped; **impure,** unpure; **polluted, contaminated, infected, corrupted;** ritually unclean *or* impure *or* contaminated, *tref* [Yid], *terefah* [Heb], nonkosher; not to be handled without gloves; **uncleanly.**

.21 **soiled, sullied, dirtied, smirched,** besmirched, smudged, spotted, **tarnished,** tainted, **stained; defiled,** fouled, **befouled;** draggled, drabbled, bedraggled.

.22 **dirty, grimy, grubby,** grungy [slang], smirchy, dingy, messy [informal]; scruffy, slovenly, untidy 62.15; miry, **muddy** 389.14; **dusty;** smutty, smutchy, smudgy; sooty, smoky; snuffy.

.23 **filthy, foul, vile,** mucky, **nasty,** icky *or* yecchy [both informal]; malodorous, mephitic, rank, **fetid** 437.5; **putrid, rotten** 692.41; nauseating, disgusting; **odious, repulsive** 864.18; **slimy,** scummy [informal]; barfy *or* vomity *or* puky [all slang]; sloppy, sludgy, slushy, sloshy, sposhy [dial], slabby [archaic], gloppy *or* gunky [both informal], scurfy, scabby; wormy, maggoty, flyblown; feculent, ordurous, crappy *or* shitty [both slang], fecal 311.20.

.24 **hoggish, piggish, swinish,** beastly.

.25 **squalid, sordid,** wretched, shabby; slumlike, slummy.

.26 ADVS **uncleanly, impurely,** unpurely; **dirtily,** grimily; **filthily, foully,** nastily, vilely.

683. HEALTHFULNESS

.1 NOUNS **healthfulness, healthiness, salubrity,** salubriousness, salutariness, **wholesomeness,** beneficialness, goodness.

.2 **hygiene,** hygienics; sanitation 681.3; public health, epidemiology; health physics; preventive medicine, prophylaxis, preventive dentistry, prophylactodontia; prophylactic psychology, mental hygiene.

.3 **hygienist,** hygeist, sanitarian; public health doctor *or* physician, epidemiologist; health physicist; preventive dentist, prophylactodontist; dental hygienist.

.4 VERBS **make for health,** conduce to health, **be good for,** agree with.

.5 ADJS **healthful, healthy, salubrious, salutary, wholesome,** health-preserving, health-enhancing, **beneficial,** benign, good, **good for; hygienic(al),** hygeian, sanitary; constitutional, for one's health; bracing, refreshing, invigorating, tonic.

684. UNHEALTHFULNESS

.1 NOUNS **unhealthfulness, unhealthiness, insalubrity,** insalubriousness, unsalutariness, **unwholesomeness,** badness; noxiousness, noisomeness, injuriousness, harmfulness 675.5; pathenogenicity; health hazard, threat *or* danger *or* menace to health; contamination, pollution, envi-

ronmental pollution, air *or* water *or* noise pollution.

.2 **innutritiousness, indigestibility.**

.3 **poisonousness, toxicity, venomousness; virulence** *or* virulency, malignancy, noxiousness, destructiveness, deadliness; **infectiousness,** infectivity, contagiousness, communicability; poison, venom 676.3.

.4 VERBS **disagree with,** not be good for.

.5 ADJS **unhealthful, unhealthy, insalubrious, unsalutary, unwholesome,** peccant, bad, **bad for;** noxious, noisome, injurious, harmful 675.12; **polluted,** contaminated, tainted, foul, septic; unhygienic, unsanitary, insanitary; morbific, pathogenic, pestiferous.

.6 **innutritious, indigestible,** unassimilable.

.7 **poisonous, toxic(al),** toxicant; **venomous,** envenomed, venenate, venenous; veneniferous, toxiferous; **virulent, noxious, malignant,** malign, destructive, deadly; pestiferous, pestilential; mephitic, miasmal, miasmic, miasmatic; **infectious,** infective, contagious, communicable, catching.

685. HEALTH

.1 NOUNS **health, well-being; fitness,** physical fitness; bloom, flush, glow, rosiness; mental health, emotional health; physical condition; Hygeia.

.2 **healthiness,** healthfulness, **soundness,** wholesomeness; healthy body, good *or* healthy constitution; **good health,** good state of health, "good estate of body" [Bible], "*mens sana in corpore sano*" [L; Juvenal], a sound mind in a sound body; **robust health,** rugged health, rude health, glowing health, picture of health, "health that snuffs the morning air" [Grainger]; **fine fettle,** fine whack [informal], fine *or* high feather [informal], **good shape,** good trim, fine shape, top shape [informal], good condition, mint condition; eupepsia, good digestion; clean bill of health.

.3 **haleness, heartiness, robustness,** vigorousness, ruggedness, **vitality,** lustiness, hardiness, strength, vigor; longevity.

.4 **immunity, resistance,** nonproneness *or* nonsusceptibility to disease; acquired immunity, artificial immunity, congenital immunity, familial immunity, inherent immunity, inherited immunity, innate *or* racial immunity, natural immunity, nonspecific immunity, specific immunity, opsonic immunity, phagocytic immunity, toxin-antitoxin immunity, active immunity, passive immunity; **immunization** 689.17; antibody, antigen 687.27.

.5 VERBS **enjoy good health,** have a clean bill of health, be in the pink; be in the best of health; **feel good,** feel fine, feel like a million [informal], never feel better; feel one's oats, be full of pep; burst with health, bloom, glow, flourish; keep fit, stay in shape; wear well, stay young.

.6 get well, mend, recuperate 694.19; recover 694.20.

.7 ADJS **healthy, healthful,** enjoying health, **fine,** in health, in shape, in condition, **fit,** fit and fine; **in good health, in the pink** [informal], in the pink of condition, in mint condition, in good case, **in good** *or* **fine shape, in fine fettle,** in fine whack [informal], in fine *or* high feather [informal], chipper [informal], fit as a fiddle [informal]; alive and kicking [informal], bursting with health, full of life and vigor, bright-eyed and bushy-tailed; full of beans *or* of piss and vinegar [slang], feeling one's oats; eupeptic.

.8 **well, unailing, unsick, unsickly,** unfrail; all right, doing nicely, up and about, sitting up and taking nourishment.

.9 **sound,** whole, wholesome; unimpaired 677.8; sound of mind and body, sound in wind and limb, sound as a dollar [informal].

.10 **hale, hearty,** hale and hearty, **robust,** robustious, robustuous, vital, **vigorous, strong,** strong as a horse, stalwart, stout, sturdy, **rugged,** rude, hardy, lusty, bouncing, flush [archaic].

.11 **fresh,** green, youthful, **blooming;** flush, flushed, **rosy,** rosy-cheeked, ruddy, pink, pink-cheeked; fresh as a daisy *or* rose, fresh as April.

.12 **immune, resistant,** nonprone *or* nonsusceptible to disease.

686. DISEASE

.1 NOUNS **disease, illness, sickness, malady, ailment, indisposition, disorder, complaint,** morbidity, *morbus* [L], **affliction,** affection, distemper [archaic], **infirmity,** –ia, –iasis, –pathy, –sis, nos(o)–; **disability,** defect, handicap; deformity 249.3; birth defect, congenital defect; abnormality, condition, pathological condition; **signs, symptoms, pathology,** symptomatology, symptomology, syndrome; **sickishness,** malaise, seediness *or* rockiness [both informal], the pip [informal]; complication, secondary disease *or* condition; contageous *or* infectious disease; bacterial disease, protozoan disease; worm disease; fungus disease, –osis *or* –ose; virus

disease; allergy, allergic disease; nutritional disease, deficiency disease; geriatric disease; congenital disease, genetic disease, hereditary disease; iatrogenic disease; occupational disease; degenerative disease, wasting disease, atrophy, necr(o)–; organic disease, functional disease; psychogenic *or* psychosomatic disease; circulatory disease, cardiovascular disease, respiratory disease, endocrine disease, gastrointestinal disease, urinogenital *or* urogenital disease, muscular disease, neurological disease; epidemic disease, pandemic disease, endemic disease, endemic; acute disease *or* condition, chronic disease *or* condition; plant disease, blight 676.2.

.2 **unhealthiness,** healthlessness; **ill health,** poor health, delicate *or* shaky *or* frail *or* fragile health; **sickliness,** peakedness [informal], **feebleness,** delicacy, weakliness, fragility, **frailty** 160.2; **infirmity, unsoundness,** debility, debilitation, enervation, exhaustion, decrepitude; wasting, languishing, languishment [archaic], cachexia *or* cachexy; chronic ill health, invalidity, invalidism; unwholesomeness, morbidity, morbidness; hypochondria, hypochondriasis, valetudinarianism.

.3 **infection, contagion,** contamination, taint, virus; aerial infection, airborne infection, contact infection, direct infection, cryptogenic infection, droplet infection, dust infection, hand infection, indirect infection, phytogenic infection, primary infection, pyogenic infection, secondary infection, subclinical infection, waterborne infection, zoogenic infection; **contagiousness, infectiousness, communicability;** epidemicity, inoculability; carrier, vector; epidemiology.

.4 **epidemic, plague, pestilence,** pest, pandemic, pandemia, scourge; epizootic, epiphytotic, murrain; bubonic plague, black plague, hemorrhagic plague, ambulatory plague, larval plague, glandular plague, cellulocutaneous plague, defervescing plague, pneumonic plague, premonitory plague, septicemic plague, siderating plague, black death; white plague, tuberculosis 686.15; pesthole, plague spot.

.5 **seizure, attack,** access, visitation; arrest; blockage, stoppage, occlusion, thrombosis, thromboembolism; **stroke,** ictus, apoplexy; **spasm, throes, fit, paroxysm, convulsion,** eclampsia, frenzy; **epilepsy,** epilept(o)– *or* epilepti–, falling sickness; grand mal, haute mal, epilepsia major, epilepsia gravior; petit mal, epilepsia minor, epilepsia mitior; abdominal epilepsy, acquired epilepsy, activated epilepsy, affect epilepsy, akinetic epilepsy, autonomic epilepsy, cardiac epilepsy, cortical epilepsy, cursive epilepsy, diurnal epilepsy, focal epilepsy, hysterical epilepsy, Jacksonian epilepsy *or* Rolandic epilepsy, larval epilepsy *or* latent epilepsy, laryngeal epilepsy, matutinal epilepsy, menstrual epilepsy, musicogenic epilepsy, myoclonous epilepsy *or* Unterricht's disease, nocturnal epilepsy, epilepsia nutans, physiologic epilepsy, psychic epilepsy, psychomotor epilepsy, reflex epilepsy, epilepsia, rotatoria *or* torsion spasm, sensory epilepsy, serial epilepsy, epilepsia tarda *or* tardy epilepsy, tonic epilepsy, traumatic epilepsy, ucinate epilepsy; cryptogenic *or* essential *or* idiopathic epilepsy; tonic spasm, tetany, lockjaw, trismus, tetanus; laryngospasm, laryngismus; clonic spasm, clonus; cramp.

.6 **fever, feverishness,** febrility, febricity, pyrexia, febri–, pyr(o)–, pyret(o)–; hyperpyrexia, hyperthermia; **heat, fire, fever heat;** flush, hectic flush; calenture; hectic fever *or* hectic; intermittent fever, remittent fever *or* remittent, continued fever, eruptive fever, recurrent *or* relapsing fever; irritation fever, water fever, protein fever, vaccinal fever, urethral fever, urinal fever; traumatic fever, wound fever; childbed fever, puerperal fever; delirium 473.8.

.7 **collapse, breakdown, crackup** [informal], **prostration,** exhaustion; nervous prostration *or* breakdown *or* exhaustion, neurasthenia; circulatory collapse.

.8 (disease symptoms) anemia; ankylosis; asphyxiation, anoxia, cyanosis; ataxia; bleeding, hemorrhage; colic; dizziness, vertigo; ague, chill, chills; dropsy, hydrops, edema; fainting; fatigue 717; fever 686.6; constipation; diarrhea, flux, dysentery; indigestion, upset stomach, dyspepsia 686.28; inflammation 686.9; necrosis 686.37; insomnia; itching, pruritus; jaundice 686.21, icterus, ictero–; backache, lumbago; vomiting, nausea 686.29; paralysis 686.25; skin eruption, rash 686.33,34; sore, abscess 686.35; hypertension, high blood pressure; hypotension, low blood pressure; tumor, growth 686.36; shock 686.24; convulsion, seizure, spasm 686.5; pain 424; fibrillation, tachycardia; labored breathing, apnea, dyspnea, asthma; blennorhea; nasal discharge, rheum, coughing,

sneezing; wasting, cachexia *or* cachexy, tabes, tabo–, marasmus, emaciation, atrophy, necr(o)–; sclerosis.

.9 **inflammation,** –itis; acute inflammation, adhesive inflammation, chronic inflammation, catarrhal inflammation, diffuse inflammation, exudative inflammation, focal inflammation, hyperplastic inflammation, hypertrophic inflammation, metastatic inflammation, necrotic inflammation, obliterative inflammation, reactive inflammation, seroplastic inflammation, serous inflammation, simple inflammation, specific inflammation, suppurative inflammation, toxic inflammation, traumatic inflammation; atrophic inflammation, cirrhotic inflammation, fibroid inflammation, sclerosing inflammation; **appendicitis; arthritis;** rheumatoid arthritis, atrophic arthritis, arthritis deformans, chronic infectious arthritis, proliferative arthritis, arthritis pauperum, poor man's gout, osseous rheumatism; **gout,** podagra, gouty arthritis, uratic arthritis; gonococcal arthritis, gonorrheal arthritis, blennorrhagic arthritis, urethral arthritis, syphilitic arthritis; tuberculous arthritis, arthritis fungosa; menopausal arthritis, climactic arthritis; hypertrophic arthritis, degenerative arthritis; acute arthritis, dysenteric arthritis, hemophilic arthritis, infectional arthritis, suppurative arthritis, vertebral arthritis; osteoarthritis; **rheumatism,** rheumatiz *or* rheumatics [both dial]; gonorrheal rheumatism, rheumatism of the heart, Heberden's rheumatism, subacute rheumatism, tuberculous rheumatism *or* Poncet's rheumatism, visceral rheumatism; **bursitis,** bunion, housemaid's knee, tennis elbow; **colitis,** ulcerative colitis, mucous colitis, irritable bowel syndrome, spastic colon; nephritis, pyonephritis; **hepatitis,** infectious hepatitis, serum hepatitis; gastritis, enteritis; catarrh; bronchitis; **laryngitis;** pharyngitis; carditis, pericarditis, endocarditis; arteritis; phlebitis, thrombophlebitis, milk leg; capillaritis; mastoiditis; meningitis, cerebral meningitis, cerebrospinal meningitis, spinal meningitis, alcoholic meningitis, mumps meningitis, brain fever, cerebritis, cerebellitis, encephalitis, equine encephalomyelitis, myelitis; neuritis; osteitis, osteomyelitis; peritonitis; adrenitis; penitis *or* priapitis, orchitis *or* testitis, prostatitis; vaginitis, vulvitis, clitoritis, metritis *or* uteritis, ovaritis; ureteritis, cystitis, urethritis; lymphangitis; otitis; glossitis; tonsilitis, adenoiditis; ophthalmia, ophthalitis, conjunctivitis; rhinitis; sinusitis; pyorrhea, pyorrhea alveolaris, paradental pyorrhea, gingivitis, periodontitis, Rigg's disease; wryneck *or* torticollis, lumbago *or* lumbar rheumatism, collagen disease.

.10 (deficiency diseases) anemia, deficiency anemia, pernicious anemia, chlorosis, greensickness; goiter, struma; protein deficiency, kwashiorkor; malnutrition, cachexia; vitamin deficiency; night blindness, keratomalacia, xerophthalmia; pellagra, Italian *or* Lombardy leprosy, maidism; ariboflavinosis, beriberi; scurvy; rickets *or* rachitis, osteomalacia, osteoporosis; dermatitis.

.11 (genetic diseases) sickle-cell anemia *or* disease, thalassemia; hemophilia; dichromatic vision, achromatic vision, color blindness; mongolism *or* mongolianism, Down's syndrome; Turner's syndrome; Christmas disease; Hartnup disease; maple syrup urine disease; Milroy's disease; Niemann-Pick disease, lipid histiocytosis; Tay-Sachs disease; Werdnig-Hoffmann disease; cystic fibrosis, pancreatic fibrosis, mucoviscidosis; albinism; Huntington's chorea; muscular dystrophy; ichthyosis; dysautonomia.

.12 (infectious diseases) **dysentery,** amebic dysentery, amebiasis, bacillary dysentery, viral dysentery; anthrax, splenic fever, woolsorter's disease, ragsorter's disease, milzbrand, anthrac(o)–; bubonic plague, black death 686.4; **cholera,** Asiatic cholera; **chicken pox,** varicella; cowpox, vaccinia; **smallpox,** variola; diphtheria; elephantiasis; erysipelas, St. Anthony's fire; dengue *or* dengue fever, dandy fever, breakbone fever; histoplasmosis; leprosy, lepra, hansenosis, Hansen's disease; influenza, **flu** [informal], grippe 686.14; herpes, herpes simplex, herpet(o)–; herpes zoster, zoster, zona, shingles; jungle rot; kala azar, black fever, dumdum fever, cachectic fever, ponos; **hepatitis** 686.21; loaiasis, loa loa; hookworm; **malaria,** malarial fever, malari(o)–, ague, blackwater fever, Chagres fever, marsh fever; yellow fever, yellow jack; meningitis 686.9; **mononucleosis,** infectious mononucleosis, glandular fever, kissing disease [slang]; **measles,** rubeola; **German measles,** bastard measles, rubella; mumps, parotitis; leptospirosis, swamp fever; osteomyelitis; paratyphoid fever; pneumonia 686.14; infantile paralysis, poliomyelitis, polio [informal]; strep throat, septic sore throat, streptococcus

tonsilitis; scarlet fever, scarlatina; rheumatic fever, acute articular rheumatism, inflammatory rheumatism, cerebral rheumatism, polyarthritis rheumatism; ringworm, tinea; rabies, hydrophobia, lyssa, madness; rat-bite fever, Haverhill fever; Rocky Mountain spotted fever; rickettsialpox, Kew Gardens spotted fever; schistosomiasis, snail fever; sleeping sickness, sleepy sickness [Brit], African lethargy, encephalitis lethargica; **tetanus, lockjaw,** tetan(o)–; trench fever, five-day fever; trench mouth, Vincent's infection; tularemia, deer fly fever, rabbit fever, alkali disease; psittacosis, parrot fever, ornithosis; tuberculosis 686.15; typhoid fever *or* typhoid, enteric fever, typh(o)–; typhus *or* typhus fever, jail fever, spotted fever; famine fever, relapsing fever; brucellosis, undulant fever; whooping cough, pertussis; thrush; yaws, frambesia; venereal disease 686.16.

.13 (eye diseases) **conjunctivitis,** pink eye; trachoma, blepharitis, iritis, sty, keratitis, choroiditis, uveitis, optic neuritis; detached retina; glaucoma; cataract; esotropia, cross-eye, walleye; retinoblastoma; amaurosis, gutta serena; eye defect, defective vision 440.

.14 (respiratory diseases) **bronchitis,** acute bronchitis, chronic bronchitis; catarrh, rheum, **cold,** common cold, coryza, the sniffles, the snuffles; influenza, flu [informal], grippe, *la grippe* [Fr]; Asian *or* Asiatic flu, Hong Kong flu; swine flu; bronchiectasis; pleurisy, pleuritis, dry pleurisy, wet pleurisy; **pneumonia,** pneum(o)–; lobar pneumonia, pneumococcal pneumonia, croupous pneumonia, fibrinous pneumonia, lung fever, pneumonic fever; atypical pneumonia, virus pneumonia; bronchopneumonia, bronchial pneumonia, bronchiolitis; double pneumonia; empyema; **emphysema;** epidemic pleurodynia, devil's grip; pneumothorax, collapsed lung; pneumoconiosis, coniosis, silicosis, silic(o)–, aluminosis, asbestosis, berylliosis, byssinosis, chalicosis, siderosis, siderosilicosis, mason's lung, farmer's lung; bituminosis, anthracosis, anthracosilicosis, coal-miner's lung, miner's lung, miner's asthma, miner's consumption, miner's phthisis, black lung [informal]; lipoid pneumonia; lung cancer; whooping cough; hay fever, asthma 686.32; tonsilitis, amygdalitis, quinsy; adenoiditis; croup; pharyngitis, sore throat; laryngitis.

.15 **tuberculosis, TB,** tubercul(o)–, white plague, phthisis, **consumption;** pulmonary tuberculosis *or* phthisis; inhalation *or* aerogenic tuberculosis; scrofula, tuberculosis of the lymphatic glands; scrofuloderma, colliquation, tuberculosis cutis, lupus vulgaris, tuberculosis luposa; cerebral tuberculosis, tuberculous meningitis; tuberculosis of the bones and joints, tuberculosis of the intestines, tuberculosis of the kidney and bladder, tuberculosis of the larynx, tuberculosis of the serous membranes; miliary *or* disseminated tuberculosis.

.16 **venereal disease, VD,** social disease, Cupid's itch *or* Venus's curse, dose [slang]; **syphilis,** syph [informal], syphil(o)–, pox, great pox, French disease *or* pox *or* plague [archaic], Italian *or* Spanish pox [archaic], *morbus Gallicus* [L]; acquired syphilis, congenital syphilis; primary *or* secondary *or* tertiary syphilis, latent syphilis, constitutional syphilis; paresis, general paresis, paralytic dementia, cerebral tabes, syphilitic meningoencephalitis; tabes, tabes dorsales, syphilitic posterior spinal sclerosis, locomotor ataxia; **gonorrhea,** clap *or* claps [both slang], dose of clap *or* claps [slang]; chancre, hard chancre, chancroid, simple chancre, soft chancre; granuloma inguinale, granuloma venereum, pudendal ulcer; lymphogranuloma venereum, Frei's disease, Nicolas-Favre disease, fifth venereal disease, climatic bubo, tropical bubo; balanitis gangrenosa.

.17 (cardiovascular diseases) heart disease, heart condition; angina, angina pectoris; congenital heart disease, rheumatic heart disease, coronary *or* ischemic heart disease, hypertensive heart disease; carditis, endocarditis, myocarditis, pericarditis, pyopericarditis; palpitation of the heart, palpitation, tachycardia, arrhythmia, extrasystole, premature beat, paroxysmal tachycardia, atrial fibrillation, auricular fibrillation, ventricular fibrillation; cardiac insufficiency, coronary insufficiency, myocardial insufficiency, myovascular insufficiency, pseudoaortic insufficiency; insufficiency of the valves, aortic insufficiency, mitral insufficiency, pulmonary insufficiency, tricuspid insufficiency; cardiac stenosis, aortic stenosis, mitral stenosis, pulmonary stenosis, tricuspid stenosis; **heart attack, heart failure,** heart *or* cardiac shock, cardiac arrest; cardiac *or* myocardial infarction, heart block; thrombosis, cardiac thrombosis, coronary throm-

bosis, coronary; sclerosis, atherosclerosis, arteriosclerosis, hardening of the arteries; armored heart, beriberi heart, chaotic heart, encased heart, fat *or* fatty heart, cor adiposum, hairy heart *or* cor villosum, fibroid heart, flask-shaped heart, frosted heart, round heart, stony heart, tabby-cat *or* thrush-breast *or* tiger *or* tiger-lily heart, turtle heart, ox heart *or* cor bovinum, cor juvenum; cor biloculare, cor pseudotriloculare biatriatum, cor triloculare biatriatum, cor triloculare biventriculare, cor triatriatum; hypertension, high blood pressure, systolic hypertension, diastolic hypertension; apoplexy, stroke, apoplectic stroke, paralytic stroke; arterial aneurism; varicose veins, varix, hemorrhoid, pile, lingual hemorrhoid.

.18 (blood diseases) **anemia;** hypochromic anemia, iron deficiency anemia, pernicious anemia, macrocytic anemia, microcytic anemia, aplastic anemia, hypoplastic anemia, Fanconi's syndrome, hemolytic anemia, primary anemia; hemoglobinopathy, sickle-cell anemia *or* disease, thalassemia *or* Mediterranean anemia; polycythemia *or* erythrocytosis; purpura, idiopathic thrombocytopenic purpura, purpura hemorrhagica; hemophilia, bleeder's disease, hemophilia A; Christmas disease, hemophilia B; hemophilia C; angiohemophilia, pseudohemophilia, vascular hemophilia; afibrinogenemia; neutropenia, cyclic neutropenia, Banti's syndrome, Felty's syndrome; panhematopenia; leukemia, acute leukemia, chronic leukemia, lymphoid *or* lymphogenous *or* lymphatic leukemia, myeloid *or* myelogenous leukemia, monocytic leukemia, lymphosarcoma; lymphoma; Hodgkin's disease, infectious granuloma, malignant granuloma, malignant lymphoma, anemia lymphatica, pseudoleukemia; reticulum cell sarcoma, lymphoblastoma, leukemic reticuloendotheliosis, Gaucher's disease, Letterer-Siwe syndrome, xanthomatosis, Hand-Schuller-Christian disease; multiple myeloma, plasma cell leukemia, plasmacytoma.

.19 (gland diseases) acromegaly, giantism, dwarfism, sexual precocity, sexual infantilism, panhypopituitarism, persistent lactation, diabetes insipidus; hyperthyroidism, thyrotoxicosis, toxic goiter, Graves' disease, hypothyroidism, cretinism, myxedema; hyperparathyroidism, hypoparathyroidism; Addison's disease, hypercorticoidism, Cushing's disease, androgenital syndrome, pheochromocytoma; eunuchoidism, choriocarcinoma, Kleinfelter's syndrome; hypo-ovarianism, hyperovarianism; diabetes, diabetes mellitus, hypoglycemia; hyperglycemia.

.20 (metabolic diseases) acidosis, alkalosis, ketosis; gout, podagra; galactosemia, lactose intolerance, fructose intolerance; phenylketonuria *or* PKU, maple syrup urine disease, congenital hypophosphatasia.

.21 (liver diseases) **jaundice** *or* icterus, **cirrhosis, hepatitis,** infectious hepatitis, serum hepatitis, hepatoma; cholecystitis, gallstone *or* biliary calculus, cholangitis.

.22 (kidney diseases) nephritis, Bright's disease, glomerulonephritis; nephrosis, nephrosclerosis, nephrolithosis, uremia, hematuria, renal hematuria; kidney stone, nephrolith, renal calculus.

.23 nervous disorder, neuropathy, brain disease; neuritis, shingles *or* herpes zoster, sciatica *or* sciatic neuritis, writer's cramp, polyneuritis, pressure neuropathy, Bell's palsy, radiculitis; neuralgia, ischialgia, glossopharyngeal neuralgia, trigeminal neuralgia, *tic douloureux* [Fr]; **headache,** cephalalgia, **migraine; epilepsy,** falling sickness 686.5; palsy, shaking palsy, paralysis agitans, Parkinson's disease, Parkinsonism; cerebral palsy, spastic paralysis; chorea, the jerks [informal], St. Vitus's dance, Huntington's chorea; multiple sclerosis *or* MS, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis *or* Lou Gehrig's disease; brain tumor; priapism; organic psychosis, toxic psychosis 473.3; emotional disorder 690.17.

.24 **shock,** traumatism; secondary shock; allergic shock, anaphylactic shock, histamine shock, serum shock, cardiogenic shock, cerebral shock, hematogenic shock, neurogenic shock; protein shock; insulin shock, hypoglycemic shock; postoperative shock, surgical shock, traumatic shock, wound shock; mental shock, **trauma;** thanatosis; shell shock, combat *or* battle fatigue 690.19.

.25 paralysis, paralyzation, palsy, impairment of motor function, –plegia *or* –plegy, –lysis; stroke, apoplexy; paresis; motor paralysis, sensory paralysis; hemiplegia, paraplegia, diplegia; cataplexy, catalepsy; infantile paralysis, poliomyelitis, polio [informal].

.26 **heatstroke;** heat prostration *or* exhaustion; sunstroke, *coup de soleil* [Fr], siriasis, insolation; calenture, thermic fever.

.27 (diseases of the digestive tract) stomach

condition; gastritis; **ulcer,** peptic ulcer, stomach ulcer, duodenal ulcer, esophagal ulcer; esophagitis, duodenitis; hiatal hernia, abdominal hernia, diverticulosis; diverticulitis, peritonitis; megacolon; polyp; colitis 686.9.

.28 **indigestion,** dyspepsia; heartburn, cardialgia, pyrosis; colic, gripe, gripes; cholera morbus; **constipation, irregularity,** obstipation, costiveness; **diarrhea,** dysentery, flux, trots [slang], lientery, looseness of the bowels.

.29 **nausea,** nauseation, queasiness, squeamishness, qualmishness; qualm, pukes [slang]; motion sickness, seasickness, *mal de mer* [Fr], airsickness, car sickness; vomiting 310.8.

.30 **poisoning,** intoxication, venenation; septic poisoning, blood poisoning, sepsis, septicemia, toxemia, pyemia, septicopyemia; autointoxication; food poisoning, ptomaine poisoning, milk sickness, ergotism, St. Anthony's fire.

.31 (environmental and occupational diseases) motion sickness 686.29; jet lag; altitude sickness, anoxia, anoxemia, anoxic anoxia; frostbite, chilblain, immersion foot, trench foot; radiation sickness, radionecrosis; lead poisoning; Minamata disease, mercury poisoning; *itai* [Jap], cadmium poisoning; sunstroke 686.26; aeroembolism, caisson disease, decompression sickness, diver's palsy, the bends [informal]; red-out; pneumoconiosis, black lung [informal] 686.14; writer's cramp *or* palsy *or* spasm; housemaid's knee; anthrax, woolsorter's disease.

.32 **allergy,** allergic disorder; allergic rhinitis, **hay fever,** rose cold, pollinosis; **asthma,** bronchial asthma; **hives,** urticaria; eczema; conjunctivitis; cold sores; allergic gastritis; cosmetic dermatitis; allergen.

.33 (skin diseases) dermatosis, dermatitis, –derma; **eczema,** tetter; **acne,** acne vulgaris; dermamycosis, **athlete's foot,** jungle rot; itch, scabies, pruigo, pruritus; psora, psoriasis; erysipelas, St. Anthony's fire; erythema; elephantiasis; herpes, herpes simplex; herpes zoster, shingles; ringworm; hives; impetigo; lichen, lichen primus; miliaria, prickly heat, heat rash; pemphigus; lupus, lupus vulgaris; leprosy; skin cancer, epithelioma; exanthem.

.34 **skin eruption,** eruption, **rash,** efflorescence, breaking out, –anthema, –id(e); diaper rash; drug rash, vaccine rash; prickly heat, heat rash; hives, urticaria, nettle rash; papular rash; rupia.

.35 **sore, lesion;** pustule, papule, papula, papulo–, fester, pimple; pock; ulcer, ulceration; bed sore; tubercle; blister, bleb, bulla, blain; whelk, wheal, welt, wale; boil, furuncle, furunculus; carbuncle; canker; canker sore; cold sore, fever blister; sty; abscess, gathering, aposteme [archaic]; gumboil, parulis; whitlow, felon, paronychia; bubo; chancre; soft chancre, chancroid; hemorrhoids, piles; bunion; chilblain, kibe; polyp; stigma, petechia; scab, eschar; fistula; suppuration, festering; wound 692.8; swelling, rising 256.4.

.36 **growth,** neoplasm, –phyte; **tumor,** intumescence, –cele, –oma, onch(o)– *or* onchi– *or* onci–; benign tumor, nonmalignant tumor, innocent tumor; malignant tumor, malignant growth, metastatic tumor, **cancer,** carcin(o)–, sarcoma, carcinoma; morbid growth; excrescence, outgrowth; proud flesh; exostosis; cyst, wen; fungus, fungosity; callus, callosity, **corn,** clavus; **wart,** verruca; **mole,** nevus.

.37 **gangrene,** mortification, necrosis, sphacelus, sphacelation; noma; moist gangrene, dry gangrene, gas gangrene; caries, cariosity; slough; necrotic tissue.

.38 (animal diseases) anthrax, splenic fever, charbon, milzbrand, malignant pustule; malignant catarrh *or* malignant catarrhal fever; bighead; blackleg, black quarter, quarter evil *or* ill; cattle plague, rinderpest; glanders; foot-and-mouth disease, hoof-and-mouth disease, aphthous fever; distemper; gapes; heaves, broken wind; hog cholera; loco, loco disease, locoism; mange, scabies; pip; rot, liver rot, sheep rot; staggers, megrims, blind staggers, mad staggers; swine dysentery, bloody flux; stringhalt; Texas fever, blackwater; John's disease, paratuberculosis, pseudotuberculosis; rabies, hydrophobia.

.39 **germ,** pathogen, bug [informal], disease-causing agent, disease-producing microorganism; **microbe,** microorganism; **virus,** filterable virus, nonfilterable virus, adenovirus, echovirus, reovirus, rhinovirus, enterovirus, picornavirus; rickettsia; bacterium, **bacteria** [pl], coccus, streptococcus, staphylococcus, bacillus, spirillum, vibrio, spirochete, gram-positive bacteria, gram-negative bacteria, aerobe, aerobic bacteria, anaerobe, anaerobic bacteria; protozoon, protozoa [pl], amoeba, trypanosome; fungus, mold, spore.

.40 **sick person,** sufferer, –path; valetudinarian, **invalid, shut-in;** incurable, terminal case; **patient, case;** inpatient, outpatient;

apoplectic, consumptive, dyspeptic, epileptic, rheumatic, arthritic, spastic; **the sick, the infirm.**

.41 **carrier,** vector, biological vector, mechanical vector; Typhoid Mary.

.42 **cripple,** defective, **handicapped person,** incapable; amputee; paraplegic, quadriplegic, paralytic; deformity 249.3; the crippled, the handicapped, "the halt, the lame, and the blind" [Bible]; idiot, imbecile 471.8.

.43 VERBS **ail, suffer,** labor under, be affected with, complain of; **feel ill,** feel under the weather, feel awful [informal], feel something terrible, not feel like anything [informal], feel like the walking dead; look green about the gills [informal].

.44 **take sick** *or* **ill, sicken; catch, contract, get,** take, sicken for [Brit], **come down with** [informal], be stricken *or* seized by, fall a victim to; catch cold; take one's death [dial]; **break out,** break out with, break out in a rash, erupt; run a temperature, fever; be laid by the heels, be struck down, be brought down, be felled; drop in one's tracks, **collapse;** overdose, OD [slang]; go into shock, be traumatized.

.45 **fail, weaken, sink, decline,** run down, lose strength, lose one's grip, dwindle, droop, flag, wilt, wither, wither away, fade, **languish,** waste, waste away, pine, peak, "dwindle, peak, and pine" [Shakespeare].

.46 **go lame,** founder.

.47 **afflict, disorder, derange; sicken, indispose; weaken, enfeeble,** enervate, reduce, debilitate, devitalize; **invalid,** incapacitate, **disable;** lay up, hospitalize.

.48 **infect, disease, contaminate,** taint.

.49 **poison,** empoison [archaic], envenom.

.50 ADJS **unhealthy,** healthless, in poor health; **infirm, unsound,** invalid, valetudinary, valetudinarian, debilitated, cachectic, enervated, exhausted, drained; **sickly,** peaky *or* peaked [both informal]; **weakly, feeble, frail** 160.12–18,21; weakened, with low resistance, **run-down,** reduced, reduced in health; moribund, languishing, failing 160.21; pale 363.7.

.51 **unwholesome, unhealthy,** unsound, morbid, diseased, pathological, path(o)–.

.52 **ill, ailing, sick, unwell, indisposed,** taken ill, down, bad, on the sick list; **sickish, seedy** *or* rocky [both informal], **under the weather, out of sorts** [informal], below par [informal], off-color, off one's feed [informal]; not quite right, not oneself; faint, faintish, feeling faint; feeling awful, feeling something terrible [both informal]; sick as a dog, laid low; in a bad way, critically ill, in danger, on the critical list; mortally ill, sick unto death.

.53 **nauseated,** nauseous, **queasy, squeamish, qualmish,** qualmy; **sick to one's stomach,** sick to *or* sick at the stomach; pukish *or* puky *or* barfy [all slang]; seasick, carsick, airsick.

.54 **feverish,** fevered, feverous, in a fever, febrile, pyretic; **flushed,** inflamed, **hot, burning,** fiery, hectic; hyperpyretic, hyperthermic; delirious 473.31.

.55 **laid up, invalided,** hospitalized, in hospital [Brit]; **bedridden, bedfast, sick abed; down,** prostrate, flat on one's back; in childbed, confined.

.56 **diseased, morbid, pathological,** bad, **infected, contaminated,** tainted, peccant, –pathic, kako– *or* caco–; **poisoned,** septic; cankerous, cankered, ulcerous, ulcerated, gangrenous, gangrened, mortified, sphacelated.

.57 anemic, chlorotic; bilious; dyspeptic, colicky; dropsical, edematous, hydropic; gouty, podagric; neuritic, neuralgic; palsied, paralytic; pneumonic, pleuritic, tubercular, tuberculous, phthisic, consumptive; rheumatic, arthritic; rickety, rachitic; syphilitic, pocky, luetic; tabetic, tabid [archaic]; allergic; apoplectic; hypertensive; diabetic; encephalitic; epileptic; laryngitic; leprous; malarial; measly; nephritic; scabietic, scorbutic, scrofulous; variolous, variolar; tumorous; cancerous, malignant; carcinogenic, tumorigenic.

.58 **contagious, infectious,** infective, **catching,** taking, spreading, **communicable,** zymotic, inoculable; pestiferous, pestilential, **epidemic,** epidemial, pandemic; epizootic, epiphytotic; endemic; sporadic.

687. REMEDY

.1 NOUNS **remedy, cure, corrective,** alterative, remedial measure, sovereign remedy; **relief, help, aid, assistance,** succor; balm, balsam; healing agent; restorative, analeptic; healing quality *or* virtue; specific, specific remedy; **prescription,** recipe, receipt.

.2 **nostrum,** patent medicine, quack remedy; snake oil.

.3 **panacea, cure-all,** universal remedy, theriac, catholicon; polychrest, broad-spectrum drug *or* antibiotic; elixir, elixir of life, *elixir vitae* [L].

.4 **medicine, medicament, medication,** medicinal, theraputant, **drug, physic,** prepa-

ration, mixture, pharmacon, pharmac(o)–; herbs, medicinal herbs, simples, vegetable remedies, "the physic of the field" [Pope]; balsam, balm; tisane, ptisan; drops; powder; inhalant; electuary, elixir, syrup, lincture, linctus; officinal; prescription drug, ethical drug; over-the-counter drug, nonprescription drug, proprietary medicine *or* drug, proprietary, patent medicine; proprietary name, generic name; materia medica.

.5 **dangerous drug, drug;** dope, junk, candy, stuff [all informal]; hard drug, hard stuff [informal]; addictive drug.

.6 **dose, draft, potion,** portion, **shot,** injection; broken dose; booster, booster dose, recall dose, booster shot; narcotic shot; overdose; **fix** *or* hit *or* bang [all slang], mainlining [slang]; popping *or* skin-popping [both slang]; dropping; drug packet, bag *or* deck [both slang].

.7 **pill,** bolus, **tablet, capsule,** lozenge, troche.

.8 **tonic, bracer,** cordial, restorative, analeptic, roborant, **pick-me-up** [informal]; **shot in the arm** [slang]; vitamin shot.

.9 **stimulant** 687.52, upper [slang]; cocaine, coke *or* snow [both slang], C [slang]; amphetamine, pep pill [informal], jolly bean [slang]; amphetamine sulfate, Benzedrine, Benzedrine pill, bennie *or* benzie [both slang]; dextroamphetamine sulfate, Dexedrine, Dexedrine pill; dexie *or* heart *or* football [all slang]; Dexamyl, Dexamyl pill, purple heart [slang]; methamphetamine hydrochloride, Methedrine, Methedrine pill; meth *or* **speed** *or* crystal *or* businessman's trip [all slang].

.10 **palliative, alleviative, lenitive, assuasive,** assuager.

.11 **balm** 687.51, **lotion, salve, ointment, unguent,** *unguentum* [L], cerate, unction, balsam, oil, emollient, demulcent; **liniment,** embrocation; vulnerary; collyrium, eyesalve, eyewater [archaic], eyewash.

.12 **sedative, depressant** 687.54, depressor, downer [slang]; **calmative, tranquilizer** 687.55, soother, soothing syrup, quietener, pacifier; **analgesic** 687.56, **anodyne,** paregoric [archaic], **pain killer** *or* pain pill [both informal]; hypnotic, soporific, somnifacient, sleep-inducer, sleeping draught, **sleeping pill,** goofball *or* sleeper [both slang]; barbiturate, barbiturate pill, barb [slang]; phenobarbital sodium, Nembutal, Nembutal pill; yellow jacket *or* yellow *or* nemmie [all slang]; secobarbital sodium, Seconal, Seconal pill, red *or* red devil [both slang]; amobarbital sodium, Amytal, Amytal pill; blue, blue angel, blue heaven, blue bird, blue devil [all slang]; Tuinal, Tuinal pill, rainbow *or* tooie [both slang]; sodium thiopental, phenobarbital, Luminal, Luminal pill, purple heart [slang]; chloral hydrate, knockout drops *or* Mickey Finn [both slang]; **narcotic,** narc(o)–; **opiate; opium,** mecon(o)–; pen yan, hop, tar, black stuff [all slang]; codeine, codeine cough syrup, turps [slang]; tincture of opium, laudanum; paregoric, blue velvet [slang]; morphine, morphia, M *or* Miss Emma [both slang]; diacetyl morphine, heroin; **H,** hard stuff, **horse, junk, scag, shit, smack,** white stuff [all slang]; meperidine, Demerol; methadone, Dolophine, dolly [slang]; lotus; alcohol, liquor 996.12–14.

.13 **psychoactive drug,** psychochemical, mind-altering drug; **tranquilizer** 687.55, ataractic; psychic energizer, antidepressant; **hallucinogen, psychedelic,** psychedelic drug, mind-expanding drug, mind-blowing drug, psychotomimetic; lysergic acid diethylamide, LSD-25, **LSD, acid** *or* 25 [both slang]; STP; dimethyltryptamine, DMT; diethyltryptamine, DET; psilocybin, psilocin; mescal, mescal button, peyote, mescaline, mesc [slang]; mescal bean; morning glory seeds; kava; **marijuana;** gage, **grass,** hay, **pot,** tea, hemp, weed, Mary Jane [all slang]; marijuana cigarette; **joint** *or* **stick** *or* reefer [all slang], roach [slang]; hashish, hash [slang]; ganja [India]; tetrahydrol cannabinol, THC.

.14 **antipyretic** 687.64, febrifuge, fever-reducer, fever pill [informal].

.15 **anesthetic** 687.57; local *or* topical *or* general anesthetic; differential anesthetic.

.16 **cough medicine,** cough syrup, cough drops; horehound.

.17 **laxative** 687.62, **cathartic, physic, purge, purgative,** aperient, carminative, diuretic, –agogue.

.18 **emetic,** vomitive *or* vomit [both archaic], nauseant.

.19 **enema,** clyster, clysma, lavage, lavement [archaic].

.20 **prophylactic, preventive,** preventative, protective.

.21 **antiseptic** 687.58, **disinfectant** 687.59, fumigant, fumigator, **germicide,** bactericide, microbicide.

.22 **dentifrice, toothpaste,** tooth powder; mouthwash, gargle.

.23 **contraceptive,** birth control device, prophylactic; condom; **rubber** *or* skin *or* bag

[all slang]; oral contraceptive, **birth control pill, the pill** [informal]; diaphragm, pessary; spermicide, spermicidal jelly, contraceptive foam; intrauterine device, IUD.

.24 **vermifuge,** vermicide, worm medicine, anthelmintic.

.25 **antacid** 687.63, gastric antacid, alkalizer.

.26 **antidote,** counterpoison, alexipharmic, theriaca *or* theriac.

.27 **antitoxin,** antitoxic serum; **antivenin; serum,** antiserum; interferon; **antibody,** antigen-antibody product, anaphylactic antibody, incomplete antibody, inhibiting antibody, sensitizing antibody; gamma globulin, serum gamma globulin, immune globulin, antitoxic globulin; lysin, precipitin, agglutinin, anaphylactin, bactericidin; antiantibody; antigen, Rh antigen, Rh factor; allergen; **immunosuppressive drug.**

.28 **vaccine,** stock vaccine, bovine vaccine, humanized vaccine; univalent vaccine, homologous *or* autogenous vaccine, heterogenous vaccine, multivalent *or* polyvalent vaccine; live-virus vaccine, killed-virus vaccine; T.A.B. vaccine, typhoid-paratyphoid A and B vaccine, triple vaccine; measles vaccine; rubella vaccine; BCG vaccine (bacillus Calmette-Guérin), Calmette's vaccine; polio vaccine, Salk vaccine, Sabin vaccine; toxoid, tetanus toxoid, diphtheria toxoid.

.29 **miracle drugs, wonder drugs,** magic bullets; **antibiotic** 687.60; bacteriostat; **sulfa drug** 687.61, sulfa, sulfanilamide, sulfonamide.

.30 diaphoretic, sudorific.

.31 vesicant, vesicatory, epispastic.

.32 (other drugs) antihistamine; antiperiodic; antiphlogistic; antispasmodic; counterirritant; decongestant; carminative; adjuvant; expectorant; emmenagogue; maturative; vasodilator, vasoconstrictor; **hormone** 312.10; **vitamin** 309.4.

.33 **dressing, application,** epithem [archaic]; plaster, court plaster, mustard plaster, sinapism; **poultice,** cataplasm; formentation; **compress,** pledget; stupe; tent; tampon; **bandage, bandaging,** band [archaic], binder, cravat, triangular bandage, roller *or* roller bandage, four-tailed bandage; bandage compress, adhesive compress, Band-Aid; elastic bandage, Ace elastic bandage, Ace bandage; rubber bandage; plastic bandage; **tourniquet;** sling; splint, brace; cast, plaster cast; tape, **adhesive tape;** lint, cotton, gauze, sponge.

.34 **pharmacology, pharmacy, pharmaceutics;** posology; materia medica.

.35 **pharmacist,** pharmaceutist, pharmacopolist, **druggist, chemist** [Brit], **apothecary,** dispenser, gallipot; pharmacologist, pharmaceutical chemist, posologist.

.36 **drugstore, pharmacy,** chemist *or* chemist's shop [both Brit], apothecary's shop, dispensary, dispensatory.

.37 **pharmacopoeia,** pharmacopedia, dispensatory.

.38 VERBS remedy, cure 694.13–15; prescribe; treat 689.30.

.39 ADJS **remedial, curative, therapeutic, healing, corrective,** alterative, restorative, analeptic, sanative, sanatory; adjuvant; **medicinal,** medicative, theriac(al), iatric.

.40 **palliative, lenitive, alleviative, assuasive,** soothing, balmy, balsamic, demulcent, emollient.

.41 **antidotal,** alexipharmic; **antitoxic; antibiotic,** bacteriostatic, antimicrobial; antiluetic, antisyphilitic; antiscorbutic; antiperiodic; antipyretic, febrifugal; vermifugal, anthelmintic; **antacid.**

.42 **prophylactic, preventive,** protective.

.43 **antiseptic, disinfectant, germicidal,** bactericidal.

.44 **tonic, stimulating, bracing, invigorating,** reviving, refreshing, restorative, analeptic, strengthening, roborant, corroborant.

.45 **sedative, calmative,** calmant, depressant, **soothing, tranquilizing, quietening; narcotic,** opiatic; **analgesic,** anodyne, paregoric [archaic]; hypnotic, soporific, somniferous, somnifacient, sleep-inducing.

.46 **psychochemical,** psychoactive; ataractic; antidepressant; hallucinogenic, **psychedelic,** mind-expanding, psychotomimetic.

.47 **anesthetic,** deadening, numbing.

.48 **cathartic,** laxative, purgative, aperient; carminative; diuretic.

.49 **emetic,** vomitive, vomitory [archaic].

.50 **pharmaceutic(al),** pharmacological.

.51 **balms**

arnica
balm of Gilead
balsam
blue ointment
glycerin
glycerite, glycerole
glycerogel, glycerogelatin
glycerol
lanolin
melissa
menthol
Mentholatum
mercurial ointment
olive oil
petrolatum, petroleum jelly
Vaseline
Vicks Vaporub
witch hazel
zinc ointment

.52 **stimulants**

Adrenalin, adrenaline
aloes
ammonium carbonate
amphetamine

amphetamine sulphate
arnica
aromatic spirits of ammonia
Benzedrine
benzoin
caffeine
chocolate
cocaine
cocoa
coffee
colocynth
desoxyephedrine
Dexamyl
Dexedrine, dextroamphetamine
sulfate
digitalin, digitalis
epinephrine
kola nut, kola
Methedrine, methamphetamine hydrochloride
nikethamide
nux vomica
picrotoxin
quassia
quinine
smelling salts, salts
sodium phosphate
strychnine
tea

.53 hallucinogens, psychoactive drugs

belladonna
cannabis, bhang
DET, diethyltryptamine
DMT, dimethyltryptamine
hashish
hemp, ganja
hyoscyamus, henbane
Indian hemp
jimsonweed
LSD, lysergic acid diethylamide
marijuana
mescal
mescaline
morning glory seeds
peyote
psilocin
psilocybin
stramonium
THC, tetrahydrol cannabinol

.54 depressants

aconite
alcohol
Amytal, amobarbital sodium
atropine
barbital, barbitone [Brit]
barbituric acid
belladonna
bromide
chloral hydrate, chloral
codeine
Demerol
Dial, diallylbarbituric acid
heroin
hyoscyamine
laudanum
Luminal
meperidine
methadone
morphine
Nembutal
opium
paraldehyde
pentobarbital
phenobarbital
Quaalude
reserpine
scopolamine
Seconal, secobarbital sodium
sodium bromide
Sulfonal, sulfonmethane
thalidomide
Trional, sulfonethylmethane
Tuinal

.55 tranquilizers

chlorpromazine
Equanil
Librium
meprobamate
Miltown
phenoglycodol
phenothiazine
rauwolfia
reserpine
Serpasil
thalidomide
thioridazine
Thorazine
Triavil
Valium

.56 analgesics

acetanilide
acetophenetidin
aminopyrine
Anacin
aspirin, acetylsalicylic acid
Bufferin, buffered aspirin
Darvon
Empirin
Excedrin
headache powder
phenacetin
Pyramidon
sodium salicylate

.57 anesthetics

A.C.E. mixture (alcohol, chloroform and ether)
anesthyl
Avertin
benzocaine
butacaine sulfate, butacaine
C.E. mixture (chloroform and ether)
chloroform
cocaine
cyclopropane
dibucaine
ether
ethyl chloride
ethylene
gas
halocaine
laughing gas
menthol
Metycaine
nitrous oxide
novocaine, Novocain
Nupercaine
Pantocain
piperocaine
procaine
protoxide of nitrogen
tetracaine
thiopental sodium, Pentothal, truth serum
tribromoethanol
trichloromethane
urethane

.58 antiseptics

A.B.C. powder (boric acid, bismuth subnitrate and calomel)
alcohol
Argyrol
boric acid
calomel
camphor
carbolic acid
chloramine, chloramine-T
cresol
gentian violet
gramicidin
hexachloraphene
hydrogen peroxide
iodine
iodoform
Mercurochrome, merbromin
mercurous chloride
Merthiolate
peroxide
phenol
phenyl salicylate
resorcinol
Salol
silver vitellin
spirits of camphor
thimerosal
thymol
tincture of iodine

.59 disinfectants

bichloride of mercury
bleaching powder
carbolic acid
chlorine
chloride of lime
cresol
formaldehyde
hypochlorous acid
lye
Lysol
mercuric chloride, mercury chloride
phenol
potassium permanganate
sodium hydroxide
sodium hypochlorite

.60 antibiotics

actinomycin
amphotericin
ampicillin
antimycin A
Aureomycin
azaserine
bacitracin
carbomycin
cephaloridine
Chloromycetin, chloramphenicol
chlortetracycline
cloxacillin
cycloserine
dihydrostreptomycin
erythromycin
fradicin
gramicidin
griseofulvin
kanamycin
methicillin
mitomycin
mycomycin
neomycin
novobiocin
nystatin
oxacillin
oxytetracycline
penicillin
phenethicillin
polymyxin
pyocyanase
pyocyanin
spectinomycin
Staphcillin
streptomycin
streptothricin
subtilin
Terramycin
tetracycline
tylocin
tyrothricin
vancomycin
viomycin

.61 **sulfa drugs**

Gantrisin
Neoprontosil
phthalylsulfathiazole
Prontosil
succinylsulfathiazole
sulfadiazine
sulfadimethoxine
sulfaguanidine
sulfamerazine
sulfamethazine
sulfanilamide
sulfapyrazine
sulfapyridine
Sulfasuxidine
Sulfathalidine
sulfathiazole
sulfisoxazole

.62 **laxatives**

agar
aloes
bran
calomel
cascara, cascara sagrada
castor oil
citrate of magnesia, magnesium citrate
colocynth
Culver's root
epsom salts, epsom salt
figs
Glauber's salt
jalop
leptandra
magnesia, magnesium oxide
mercurous chloride
milk of magnesia, magnesium hydroxide
mineral oil
mineral water
phenolphthalein
podophyllin
prunes
psyllium seed
Rochelle powders
salts
Seidlitz powders
senna
sodium phosphate

.63 **antacids**

Alka-Seltzer
bicarbonate of soda
Brioschi
Bromo Seltzer
calcium carbonate
Maalox
magnesia, magnesium oxide
milk of magnesia,
magnesium hydroxide
Pepto-Bismol
Rolaids
seltzer, seltzer water
sodium bicarbonate
sodium phosphate
Tums

.64 **antipyretics**

acetanilide
antipyrine
aspirin, acetylsalicylic acid
Atabrine
mepacrine [Brit]
phenazone
quinacrine
quinidine
quinine
sodium salicylate

.65 **miscellaneous drugs**

ammonium chloride
Antabus
atropine, belladonna
bismuth
curare
Dilantin, diphenylhydantoin
ephedrine
ergot
ipecac, ipecacuanha
milk of bismuth
podophyllin
quassia
sal ammoniac
sassafras
syrup of ipecac

688. HEALING ARTS

.1 NOUNS **medicine,** leechcraft, physic *or* leechdom [both archaic]; therapy 689; anatomic medicine, biomedicine, comparative medicine, clinical medicine, constitutional medicine, dosimetric medicine, experimental medicine, folk medicine, general medicine, group medicine, holistic medicine, industrial medicine, internal medicine, materia medica, neo-Hippocratic medicine, physical medicine, preclinical medicine, preventive medicine, public health medicine, tropical medicine, veterinary medicine; psychosomatic medicine 690.4; socialized medicine, state medicine, federal medicine; Medicare, Medicaid; forensic *or* legal medicine, medical jurisprudence; military medicine, naval medicine, air medicine, aviation medicine, aerospace medicine, space medicine.

.2 (systems) osteopathy; chiropractic, chiropraxis; Galenic medicine; naturopathy; eclectic medicine, eclecticism; allopathy; homeopathy; ayurveda, ayurvedic medicine.

.3 **surgery,** –chirurgia; operative surgery, clinical surgery, general surgery; major surgery, minor surgery; veterinary surgery; aseptic surgery, antiseptic surgery; dental surgery *or* oral surgery, neurosurgery, brain surgery, urological surgery, orthopedic surgery, thoracic surgery, heart surgery, open-heart surgery, plastic surgery *or* reconstructive surgery, chiroplasty, reparative surgery, prosthetics, cryosurgery; microsurgery; electrosurgery; radiosurgery; operation 689.21–25; organ transplantation.

.4 **dentistry,** general dentistry; operative dentistry, oral surgery, surgical dentistry; prosthetic dentistry, prosthodontics, prosthodontia; orthodontics, orthodontia; periodontics, periodontia; exodontics, exodontia; endodontics, endodontia; radiodontics, radiodontia.

.5 **healer, therapist,** therapeutist, **medic,** –path, –iatrist, iatro–; bonesetter; oculist, **optometrist; midwife;** homeopath, homeopathist; **osteopath; chiropractor.**

.6 **doctor,** doc [informal], **physician,** Doctor of Medicine, **MD, medical practitioner, medical man, medico** [informal], leech [archaic], croaker *or* sawbones [both slang]; allopath, allopathist; general practitioner, GP; family doctor; country doctor; **intern; resident,** house physician, resident physician; physician in ordinary; medical attendant, attending physician; **medical examiner,** coroner.

.7 **quack,** quacksalver, **charlatan, medicaster,** medicine man, medicine monger, horse doctor.

.8 **specialist; orthopedist; pediatrician,** pediatrist; **chiropodist, podiatrist,** foot doctor; **dermatologist,** skin man [slang]; **internist;** cardiologist; **neurologist; psychia-**

trist 690.12,13; gynecologist; obstetrician; gerontologist, geriatrician; otolaryngologist, eye-ear-nose-throat specialist; **oculist,** ophthalmologist, eye doctor; otologist; **pathologist;** immunologist, serologist; anesthesiologist; radiologist.

.9 **surgeon,** sawbones [slang]; operator, operative surgeon.

.10 **dentist,** tooth doctor, toothdrawer; **dental surgeon,** operative dentist; DDS, Doctor of Dental Surgery; DDSc, Doctor of Dental Science; DMD, Doctor of Dental Medicine; **orthodontist,** periodontist, prosthodontist, exodontist, endodontist; radiodontist.

.11 **veterinary, veterinarian, vet** [informal], veterinary surgeon [Brit], horse doctor.

.12 **nonmedical therapist;** theotherapist; Christian *or* spiritual *or* divine healer; **Christian Science practitioner,** healer; **faith healer.**

.13 **nurse,** sister *or* nursing sister [both Brit]; trained nurse, graduate nurse; registered nurse, RN; practical nurse, licensed practical nurse, LPN; charge nurse, general-duty nurse, private-duty nurse, surgical nurse, scrub nurse; community nurse, district nurse, visiting nurse, public health nurse, school nurse; student nurse; probe [informal], **probationer,** probationist.

.14 (hospital staff) paramedic; orderly, attendant, nurse's aide; dresser; anesthetist; radiographer, X-ray technician; laboratory technician; radiotherapist; physical therapist, physiotherapist; dietitian; hospital administrator.

.15 **Hippocrates,** Galen; Aesculapius, Asclepius.

.16 **practice of medicine,** medical practice; general practice, restricted practice; internship; residency; Hippocratic oath.

.17 VERBS **practice medicine,** doctor [informal]; treat 689.30; intern.

.18 ADJS **medical,** medico–, iatric, surgical; chiropodic, pediatric, orthopedic, obstetric(al), neurological; dental, dent(o)– *or* denti–; orthodontic, periodontic, prosthodontic, exodontic; osteopathic, chiropractic, naturopathic, hydropathic, allopathic, homeopathic; clinical, clinico–.

.19 **branches of medicine**

anatomy
anesthesiology
audiology
bacteriology
cardiography
cardiology
chiropody
dental surgery
dentistry
dermatology
diagnostics
embryology
endocrinology
epidemiology
etiology
exodontics
fluoroscopy
general medicine
geriatrics, gerontology
gynecology
hematology
hygiene
immunochemistry
immunology
internal medicine
materia medica
mental hygiene
midwifery
mycology
neurology
neurosurgery
nosology
nutrition
obstetrics
ophthalmology
optometry
orthodontics
orthopedics
otolaryngology
otology
parasitology
pathology
pediatrics
periodontics
physical medicine
physiopathology
podiatry
psychiatry
psychoanalysis
psychology 690
radiology
serology
surgery
surgical anatomy
symptomatology, semeiology
teratology
therapeutics 689.1
tocology
toxicology

689. THERAPY

.1 NOUNS **therapy, therapeutics,** therapeusis, **treatment, medical care** *or* **treatment,** medication, –iatric(s) *or* –iatry, –pathic(s) *or* –pathy, –praxis; healing arts 688; psychotherapy 690; medicines 687.

.2 actinotherapy, aerosol therapy, aerotherapy *or* aerotherapeutics, arsenotherapy, autoserum therapy, bacterial therapy, bacteriotherapy, bibliotherapy, biotherapy, buffer therapy, cardiotherapy, chemotherapy, chrysotherapy, climatotherapy, cold therapy, collapse therapy, constitutional therapy, contact therapy, crymotherapy, dermatotherapy, dietotherapy 309.14, dye therapy, endocrinotherapy, fever therapy, frigotherapy, galactotherapy, glandular therapy, gold therapy, hemotherapy, heterovaccine therapy, hyperbaric therapy, immunization therapy, infrared therapy, intravenous therapy, iodotherapy, maggot therapy, malariotherapy, mechanotherapy, Metrazol therapy, nonspecific therapy, occupational therapy, opsonic therapy, organotherapy, oxygen therapy, pharmacotherapy, physical therapy *or* physiotherapy, phototherapy, protein therapy, pyretotherapy, radium therapy, ray therapy, replacement therapy, serotherapy, shock therapy 690.7, specific therapy, substitution therapy, suggestion therapy 690.6, surgicotherapy, ultrasonic therapy, ultraviolet therapy, vaccine therapy, X-ray therapy.

.3 **nonmedical therapy;** theotherapy; **healing;** Christian *or* spiritual *or* divine healing; **faith healing.**

.4 **hydrotherapy,** hydrotherapeutics; hydrop-

athy, water cure; cold-water cure; contrast bath, whirlpool bath.

.5 **heat therapy,** thermotherapy; heliotherapy, solar therapy; fangotherapy; hot bath, sweat bath, sunbath.

.6 **diathermy,** medical diathermy; electrotherapy, electrotherapeutics; **radiothermy,** high-frequency treatment; shortwave diathermy, ultrashortwave diathermy, microwave diathermy; ultrasonic diathermy; surgical diathermy, radiosurgery, electrosurgery, electroresection, electrocautery, electrocoagulation.

.7 **radiotherapy,** radiotherapeutics, radio–; curietherapy, ray therapy, radiation therapy, irradiation therapy, irradiation; interstitial irradiation therapy, intercavitary irradiation therapy; X-ray therapy, roentgenotherapy *or* roentgentherapy, roentgen ray therapy, roentgenization; X-ray dosimetry, roentgenometry; isotope therapy; radium therapy, radiumization; cobalt therapy.

.8 **radiology,** radiography, radioscopy, fluoroscopy, etc. 327.7.

.9 (radiotherapeutic substances) radium; cobalt; radioisotope, tracer, labeled *or* tagged element, radioelement; radiocarbon, carbon 14, radiocalcium, radiopotassium, radiosodium, radioiodine; atomic cocktail.

.10 (diagnostic pictures and graphs) **X ray,** radiograph, radiogram, roentgenogram *or* roentgenograph; photofluorograph; X-ray movie; chest X-ray; pyelogram; orthodiagram; encephalograph, encephalogram; electroencephalograph, electroencephalogram, EEG; electrocorticogram; electrocardiogram, ECG, EKG; electromyogram.

.11 case history, medical history, anamnesis; associative anamnesis; catamnesis, follow-up.

.12 **diagnostics,** prognostics; symptomatology, semeiology, semeiotics.

.13 **diagnosis,** differential diagnosis, postmortem diagnosis; biological diagnosis, clinical diagnosis, laboratory diagnosis; cytodiagnosis, serum diagnosis *or* serodiagnosis; physical diagnosis, anatomic diagnosis; examination, physical examination, digital examination, oral examination, etc.; study, test, work-up [informal]; urinalysis, uroscopy; biopsy; Pap test *or* smear; electrocardiography, electroencephalography, electromyography; mammography.

.14 **prognosis,** prognostication; prognostic, **symptom,** sign.

.15 **treatment,** medical treatment *or* attention; **cure,** curative measures; **medication,** medicamentation; regimen, regime; first aid; hospitalization.

.16 (methods) prophylaxis *or* prophylaxy, preventive treatment; active treatment, adjuvant treatment, causal treatment, conservative treatment, empiric treatment, expectant treatment, palliative treatment, perennial treatment, preseasonal treatment, rational treatment, specific treatment, supporting treatment, symptomatic treatment; antigen treatment, crossfire treatment, cross-firing, diathermic treatment, dietetic treatment, drip treatment, drug treatment, electrotherapeutic treatment, fever treatment, heat treatment, hot-air treatment, light treatment, radiotherapeutic treatment, shock treatment, starvation treatment, surgical treatment, tonic treatment, vibration treatment.

.17 **immunization;** immunization therapy, immunotherapy; vaccine therapy, vaccinotherapy; toxin-antitoxin immunization; serum therapy, serotherapy, serotherapeutics; tuberculin test, scratch test, patch test; **immunology,** immunochemistry; immunity theory, side-chain theory; immunity.

.18 **inoculation, vaccination; injection,** hypodermic, hypodermic injection, shot [informal], hypospray *or* jet injection; booster, booster shot [informal]; antitoxin, vaccine 687.27,28; narcotic injection; bang *or* fix *or* hit [all slang]; mainlining *or* shooting up *or* skin-popping [all slang].

.19 (methods of injection) cutaneous, percutaneous, subcutaneous, intradermal, intramuscular, intravenous, intramedullary, intracardiac, intrathecal, intraspinal.

.20 **transfusion,** blood transfusion; arterial transfusion, direct transfusion, drip transfusion, exchange transfusion, exsanguination transfusion, exsanguino transfusion, plasma transfusion, reciprocal transfusion, replacement transfusion, serum transfusion, venous transfusion; serum 388.4; blood bank, blood donor center, bloodmobile; blood donor; perfusion.

.21 **surgery,** surgical treatment; cautery, cauterization; bloodless surgery; electrolysis, electrolyzation; electrocautery, electrosurgery, surgical diathermy, electroresection; laser surgery; radiosurgery.

.22 **operation,** surgical operation, surgical intervention, surgical technique *or* measure, the knife [informal]; major operation, minor operation; capital operation, serious operation; ablative operation, anastomotic operation, bloodless operation, compensating operation, crescent operation, elective operation, emergency operation, exploratory operation, fenestration operation, interval operation, palliative operation, radical operation; **section, resection; excision,** removal; **amputation; transplant,** organ transplant *or* transplantation, heart transplant, kidney transplant, corneal transplant.

.23 (surgical removal) –ectomy, adenoidectomy, appendectomy, arteriectomy, cervicectomy, cholecystectomy, craniectomy, cricoidectomy, cystectomy, enterectomy, gastrectomy, hemorrhoidectomy, hysterectomy, mammectomy *or* mastectomy, mastoidectomy, nephrectomy, omphalectomy, oophorectomy *or* ovariectomy, oophorocystectomy, orchidectomy, pancreatectomy, penectomy, pericardiectomy, phrenicectomy, pneumonectomy, prostatectomy, salpingectomy, stapedectomy, tonsillectomy, ureterectomy, urethrectomy, vasectomy, venectomy; castration.

.24 (surgical incision) –tomy, amygdalotomy, ankylotomy, arteriotomy, blepharotomy, cardiotomy, cecotomy, celiotomy, cholecystotomy, cirsotomy, coccygotomy, colpotomy, craniotomy, cystotomy, duodenotomy, elytrotomy, embryotomy, enterotomy, gastroenterotomy, gastrotomy, glossotomy, hebotomy, herniotomy, hysterotomy, laparotomy, lithotomy, lobotomy, mastotomy, nephrotomy, neurotomy, ovariotomy, pancreatotomy, phrenicotomy, pneumonotomy, prostatotomy, salpingotomy, sclerotomy, thoracotomy, thyrotomy, tonsillotomy, ureterotomy, urethrotomy; prefrontal lobotomy, psychosurgery; caesarean, caesarean section *or* operation.

.25 **plastic surgery,** –plastic *or* –plasty; reparative surgery, plastic operation, reconstructive operation, cosmetic operation; **facelifting;** balanoplasty, blepharoplasty, batrachoplasty, bronchoplasty, canthoplasty, colpoplasty, cystoplasty, dermoplasty, genyoplasty, heteroplasty, labioplasty, mammilloplasty, otoplasty, rhinoplasty.

.26 bloodletting, bleeding, venesection, phlebotomy; leeching; cupping.

.27 **hospital,** *hôpital* [Fr], **infirmary;** sick bay *or* berth; **clinic,** polyclinic, inpatient clinic, outpatient clinic, policlinic, well-baby clinic; general hospital, teaching hospital, special hospital; community hospital, government hospital, public hospital, voluntary hospital, private hospital, proprietary hospital; veterans hospital, VA hospital; surgical hospital, osteopathic hospital, convalescent hospital, children's hospital, maternity *or* lying-in hospital, mental hospital 473.14; base hospital, field hospital, station hospital, evacuation hospital; **sanatorium;** asylum, home; **nursing home,** convalescent home, *maison de santé* [Fr]; rest home, ward, sickroom; sickbed.

.28 **pesthouse,** lazar house, lazaretto *or* lazaret, lock hospital [Brit]; isolation ward.

.29 **health resort, spa, watering place,** baths; mineral spring, warm *or* hot spring; pump room, pump house.

.30 VERBS **treat, doctor,** minister to, care for, give care to; **diagnose;** nurse; **cure, remedy, heal;** dress the wounds, bandage, poultice, plaster, strap, splint; lick one's wounds; bathe; massage, rub; operate on; physic, purge, flux [archaic].

.31 **medicate,** medicine, drug, dope [slang], dose; salve, oil, anoint, embrocate.

.32 **irradiate,** radiumize, **X-ray,** roentgenize.

.33 bleed, let blood, leech, phlebotomize; cup; **transfuse,** give a transfusion; perfuse.

.34 **immunize, inoculate, vaccinate,** shoot [informal].

.35 **undergo treatment,** take the cure, doctor [dial], take medicine; go under the knife [informal].

.36 **medical and surgical instruments**

artificial heart
artificial kidney
aspirator
bedpan
bistoury
bronchoscope
cardiograph
cardioscope
catheter
clinical thermometer
cystoscope
dialysis machine
diaphanoscope
diathermy machine
drain
drain tube
electrocardiograph
electroencephalograph
electromyograph
fluoroscope
forceps
gastroscope
germicidal lamp
heart-lung machine
heat lamp
hemostat
hypodermic, hypo [slang], hypodermic needle, hypodermic syringe
kidney basin
lancet, lance
laparotomy pack, lap pack [informal]
manometer
mechanical heart
microscope
microwave diathermy machine
nebulizer
needle
ophthalmoscope
orthodiagraph
orthoscope
otoscope
percussion hammer
pneumatometer
pneumograph,

pneumatograph
probe
pus basin
radio knife
resectoscope
respirometer
roentgenoscope
rubber gloves
scalpel
shortwave diathermy machine
sound
specimen bottle
speculum
sphygmograph
sphygmomanometer
sphygmometer
spirograph
spirometer
splint
stethograph
stethometer
stethoscope
stomach pump
stomach tube
stylet
surgical *or* suture needle
suture
swab
syringe
tongue depressor *or* blade
trephine, trepan
trocar
urinalysis kit
X-ray machine

.37 **respirators**

heart-lung machine
inhalator
inspirator
iron lung
oxygen mask
oxygen tank
oxygen tent
Pulmotor
resuscitator

690. PSYCHOLOGY AND PSYCHOTHERAPY

.1 NOUNS **psychology,** psych(o)–; science of the mind, science of human behavior; mental philosophy; psychonomics, psychonomy; reactology, reflexology; abnormal psychology, academic psychology, analytical psychology, applied psychology, animal psychology, association psychology, child psychology, clinical psychology, cognitive psychology, comparative psychology, constitutional psychology, criminal psychology, depth psychology, developmental psychology, differential psychology, dynamic psychology, ecological psychology, educational psychology, experimental psychology, existential psychology, faculty psychology, folk psychology, functional psychology, genetic psychology, group psychology, hormic psychology, individual psychology, industrial psychology, morbid psychology, neuropsychology, phenomenological psychology, popular psychology, physiological psychology, race psychology, rational psychology, self psychology, social psychology, structural psychology; parapsychology 1034.4; psychobiochemistry, psychobiology, psychodiagnostics, psychodynamics, psychogenetics, psychogeriatrics, psycholinguistics, psychometrics, psychopathology, psychopharmacology, psychophysics, psychophysiology, psychosociology; psychosomatics, psychotechnics, psychotechnology, psychotherapeutics; psychological medicine, psychological warfare.

.2 (systems) Freudian psychology, Freudianism, psychoanalysis, psychoanalytic theory, metapsychology; Jungian psychology, analytical psychology; Adlerian psychology; Reichian psychology, orgone theory; Horneyan psychology; Gestalt psychology, configurationism; behavior *or* behavioristic psychology, **behaviorism,** stimulus-response psychology, Watsonian psychology, Skinnerian psychology, Pavlovian psychology; structuralism; association psychology, associationism, mental chemistry; apperceptionism; dianetics.

.3 **psychiatry,** psychological medicine; neuropsychiatry; social psychiatry; prophylactic psychiatry.

.4 **psychosomatic medicine,** psychological medicine, medicopsychology; psychosocial medicine.

.5 **psychotherapy,** psychotherapeutics, mind cure; group therapy, group psychotherapy, conjoint therapy; humanistic therapy; gestalt therapy, psychodrama, bioenergetics, encounter therapy, rational-emotive therapy, marriage encounter, confrontation therapy; training group *or* T-group, sensitivity training, sensory awareness training *or* SAT, consciousness raising, group sensitivity training, group relations training; marathon, est *or* Erhard Seminars Training; New Consciousness, behavior modification, behavior therapy; biofeedback; transpersonal therapy, Arica movement, psychosynthesis, transcendental meditation *or* TM; transactional analysis *or* TA, assertiveness training; regression therapy, primal therapy, scream therapy; family training, radical therapy, feminist therapy; occupational therapy, vocational therapy; recreational therapy, play therapy; reality therapy; release therapy; supportive therapy; directive therapy, nondirective therapy; narcotherapy, narcoanalysis, narcosynthesis, Pentothal interview; sleep treatment, prolonged narcosis; hypnotherapy, hypnoanalysis; hypnotism, hypnosis, narcohypnosis; psychosurgery; **counseling,** psychological counseling; pastoral counseling.

.6 **suggestion therapy,** suggestionism; hypnotherapy, hypnotism, hypnosis, hypnotic suggestion, posthypnotic suggestion; **autosuggestion,** self-suggestion, self-hypnosis; suggestibility, power of suggestion.

.7 **shock therapy,** shock treatment; convul-

sive therapy; electroshock therapy, electroshock, electronarcosis, Metrazol shock therapy; hypoglycemic shock therapy, insulin shock therapy.

.8 **psychoanalysis, analysis,** psychanalysis, the couch [informal]; psychoanalytic therapy, psychoanalytic method; **depth psychology,** psychology of depths; group analysis; psychognosis, psychognosy; dream analysis, interpretation of dreams, dream symbolism; depth interview.

.9 **psychodiagnostics,** psychodiagnosis, psychological *or* psychiatric evaluation; Rorschach method.

.10 **psychometrics,** psychometry; **intelligence testing;** psychological screening; psychography; psychogram, psychograph, psychological profile; psychometer, IQ meter [informal]; lie detector, polygraph, psychogalvanometer.

.11 **psychological test,** mental test; standardized test; achievement test; **aptitude test,** Oseretsky test, Stanford scientific aptitude test; **personality test,** Bernreuter personality inventory, Brown personality inventory, Minnesota multiphasic personality inventory; interest inventory; **association test,** word association test, controlled association test, free association test; **apperception test,** thematic apperception test, TAT; **Rorschach test,** inkblot test; Szondi test; **intelligence test,** IQ test; alpha test, beta test, Babcock-Levy test, Binet *or* Binet-Simon test, Stanford-Binet test, Stanford revision, Goldstein-Sheerer test, Kent mental test; Wechsler-Bellevue intelligence scale, Gesell's development schedule, Minnesota preschool scale, Cattell's infant intelligence scale; intelligence quotient, IQ.

.12 **psychologist,** psychologue; clinical psychologist; **psychiatrist, alienist;** neuropsychiatrist; psychopathist, psychopathologist; psychotechnologist, industrial psychologist; psychobiologist, psychochemist, psychophysiologist, psychophysicist; psychographer; somatist; Freud, Adler, Jung, Reich, Horney, Watson, Skinner, Pavlov.

.13 **psychotherapist,** psychotherapeutist; **clinical psychologist; psychiatrist;** narcotherapist; hypnotherapist; behavior therapist; **psychoanalyst,** psychoanalyzer, **analyst;** headshrinker *or* shrinker *or* shrink [all slang].

.14 **personality tendency,** complexion [archaic], humor; somatotype; **introversion,** introvertedness, ingoingness; inner-directedness; **extroversion,** extrovertedness, outgoingness; other-directedness; syntony, ambiversion; schizothymia, schizothymic *or* schizoid personality; cyclothymia, cyclothymic *or* cycloid personality; mesomorphism, mesomorphy; endomorphism, endomorphy; ectomorphism, ectomorphy.

.15 (personality type) **introvert, extrovert,** syntone, ambivert; schizothyme, schizoid; cyclothymic, cyclothyme, cycloid; choleric, melancholic, sanguine, phlegmatic; endomorph, mesomorph, ectomorph.

.16 (pathological personality types) neurotic personality, **neurotic, psychoneurotic,** neuropath; weak personality, maladjusted personality, inadequate personality, inferior personality, immature personality, disordered personality, disturbed personality, emotionally unstable personality, perverse personality, hostile personality; paranoid personality; schizoid personality, schizoid; dual personality, double personality, multiple personality, split personality, alternating personality; seclusive personality, shut-in personality; escapist; antisocial personality, sociopath, psychopathic personality, moral insanity, **psychopath;** psychotic personality, **psychotic** 473.16; mentally defective personality, idiot 471.8; hypochondriac, hypochondriast, valetudinarian, valetudinary, imaginary invalid, *malade imaginaire* [Fr]; **alcoholic** 996.10,11; drug user 642.10; sexual psychopath 419.16–19.

.17 **mental disorder, emotional disorder,** functional nervous disorder; reaction; emotional instability; **maladjustment,** social maladjustment; nervous breakdown, crack-up [slang]; problems in living; **insanity, mental illness** 473.1; **psychosis** 473.3; **schizophrenia,** schiz(o)–; **paranoia** 473.4; **manic-depressive psychosis,** melancholia 473.5; **neurosis;** personality disorder; brain disease, nervous disorder 686.23.

.18 **personality disorder, character disorder,** moral insanity, sociopathy, **psychopathy; psychopathic personality;** sexual pathology, sexual psychopathy 419.12–14.

.19 **neurosis, psychoneurosis,** neuroticism, neurotic *or* psychoneurotic disorder; psychasthenia; accident neurosis, anxiety neurosis, association neurosis, blast neurosis, compensation neurosis, conversion neurosis, expectation neurosis, fixation neurosis, fright neurosis, homosexual neurosis, hypochondria *or* hypochondriasis,

occupational neurosis, pathoneurosis, regression neurosis, traumatic neurosis, transference neurosis, compulsion neurosis, obsessional neurosis, obsessive-compulsive neurosis; hysteria; anxiety hysteria, conversion hysteria; phobia 891.1; reactive neurosis, situational neurosis; combat *or* war neurosis, combat *or* battle fatigue, shell shock, psychopathia martialis.

.20 (neurotic reactions) anxiety reaction, avoidance reaction, compensatory reaction, conversion reaction, depressive reaction, dissociation reaction, emotional instability reaction, flight reaction, immaturity reaction, neurotic-depressive reaction, obsessive-compulsive reaction, passive-aggressive reaction, passive-dependence reaction, phobic reaction, psychasthenic reaction, somatization reaction, shock reaction, stress reaction.

.21 **psychological stress, stress; frustration,** external frustration, internal frustration; conflict, ambivalence, ambivalence of impulse; trauma, traumatism, mental *or* emotional shock, decompensation.

.22 (psychosomatic symptoms) analgesia, anesthesia, bulimia, depraved appetite, neurasthenia, paresthesia, parorexia, pica; anxiety equivalent; speech abnormality.

.23 (symptoms of emotional disorder) mental distress, psychalgia; emotionalism; anxiety, anxiety state, anxiety equivalent, free-floating anxiety; hysteria, hysterics, hyster(o)–; melancholia, hypochondria, psycholepsy, **depression,** dejection; detachment, alienation, withdrawal, abstraction, preoccupation; **apathy,** lethargy, indifference, unresponsiveness, insensibility; stupor, catatonic stupor; psychomotor disturbance, tic, twitching; amimia, paramimia; euphoria, elation; *folie du doute* [Fr], pathological indecisiveness, abulia; mania 473.12,36; obsession, compulsion 473.13.

.24 (thought disturbances) blocking, **block,** psychological block, mental block; paralogia; mental confusion, disorientation; agnosia; flight of ideas; **delusion,** delusion of persecution, delusion of grandeur, paranoid delusion, delusion of reference; nihilism, nihilistic delusion; hallucination, hallucinosis 519.7; delirium 473.8.

.25 (speech abnormalities) dysarthria, dysphasia; aphonia, hysterical aphonia, psychophonasthenia; incoherence; echolalia, verbigeration; schizophasia; mutism; imperfect speech, speech defect 595.1; aphasia 595.6.

.26 (trance states) **trance,** daze, stupor; catatonic stupor, catalepsy; cataplexy; dream state, reverie, daydreaming 532.2; somnambulism, sleepwalking; hypnotic trance; fugue, fugue state; **amnesia** 538.2.

.27 **dissociation,** mental *or* emotional dissociation, disconnection; dissociation of personality, personality disorganization *or* disintegration; **schizoid personality;** double *or* dual personality; multiple personality, split personality, alternating personality; schizoidism, schizothymia, **schizophrenia** 473.4; depersonalization; **paranoid personality; paranoia** 473.4.

.28 **fixation,** libido fixation *or* arrest, **arrested development;** infantile fixation, pregenital fixation, father fixation, Freudian fixation, mother fixation, parent fixation; **regression,** retreat to immaturity.

.29 **complex,** inferiority complex, superiority complex, parent complex, Oedipus complex, mother complex, Electra complex, father complex, Diana complex, persecution complex; castration complex.

.30 **defense mechanism,** defense reaction; ego defense, psychotaxis; biological *or* psychological *or* sociological adjustive reactions; resistance; dissociation 690.27; **negativism, alienation; escapism,** escape mechanism, avoidance mechanism; escape, flight, **withdrawal; isolation,** emotional insulation; **fantasy,** fantasizing, escape into fantasy, dreamlike thinking, autistic *or* dereistic thinking, wishful thinking, autism, dereism; wish-fulfillment, wish-fulfillment fantasy; **compensation,** overcompensation, decompensation; substitution; **sublimation; projection,** blame-shifting; displacement; **rationalization.**

.31 **suppression, repression, inhibition,** resistance, restraint, censorship; block, psychological block, blockage, blocking; reaction formation; rigid control; **suppressed desire.**

.32 **catharsis,** purgation, abreaction, motor abreaction, psychocatharsis, **emotional release,** outlet; release therapy, acting-out, psychodrama.

.33 **conditioning,** classical *or* Pavlovian conditioning; instrumental conditioning, operant conditioning; psychagogy, reeducation, reorientation; conditioned reflex, conditioned stimulus, conditioned response; reinforcement, positive reinforcement, negative reinforcement; simple re-

flex, unconditioned reflex, **reflex** 284.1; **behavior** 737.

.34 **adjustment,** adjustive reaction; **readjustment, rehabilitation;** psychosynthesis, integration of personality; fulfillment, self-fulfillment; integrated personality, syntonic personality.

.35 **psyche,** psychic apparatus, **personality, self; mind** 466.1–5; preconscious, foreconscious, coconscious; **subconscious, unconscious,** subconscious *or* unconscious mind, submerged mind, subliminal, subliminal self; **libido,** psychic *or* libidinal energy, motive force, vital impulse, ego-libido, object libido; **id,** primitive self, pleasure principle, life instinct, death instinct; **ego,** conscious self; **superego,** ethical self, conscience; ego ideal; ego-id conflict; anima, persona; collective unconscious, racial unconscious.

.36 **engram,** memory trace, traumatic trace *or* memory; unconscious memory; archetype, archetypal pattern *or* image *or* symbol; imago, image, father image, etc.; memory 537.

.37 **symbol,** universal symbol, father symbol, mother symbol, phallic symbol, fertility symbol, etc.; symbolism, symbolization.

.38 **surrogate,** substitute; father surrogate, father figure, father image; mother surrogate, mother figure.

.39 **gestalt,** pattern, figure, configuration, sensory pattern; figure-ground.

.40 **association, association of ideas,** mental linking; controlled association, free association, association by contiguity, association by similarity; association by sound, clang association; stream of consciousness; transference, identification, positive transference, negative transference; synesthesia 422.5.

.41 **cathexis,** desire concentration; charge, energy charge, cathectic energy; anticathexis, countercathexis, counterinvestment; hypercathexis, overcharge.

.42 VERBS **psychologize, psychoanalyze.**

.43 ADJS **psychological; psychiatric,** neuropsychiatric; psychometric; **psychopathic,** psychopathological; **psychosomatic,** psychophysical, psychophysiological, psychobiological; psychogenic, psychogenetic, functional; psychodynamic, psychoneurological, psychosexual, psychosocial, psychotechnical; **psychotic** 473.27.

.44 **psychotherapeutic;** psychiatric, psychoanalytic(al).

.45 **neurotic, psychoneurotic,** disturbed, disordered; neurasthenic, psychasthenic; hysteric(al), hypochondriac, phobic.

.46 **introverted,** introvert, introversive, **subjective, ingoing,** inner-directed.

.47 **extroverted,** extrovert, extroversive, **outgoing,** extrospective; other-directed.

.48 **subconscious, unconscious;** subliminal, extramarginal; preconscious, foreconscious, coconscious.

691. IMPROVEMENT

.1 NOUNS **improvement, betterment,** bettering, change for the better; melioration, **amelioration; mend,** mending, **amendment; progress,** progression, headway; **advance,** advancement; upward mobility; **promotion, furtherance,** preferment; **rise,** ascent, **lift, uplift,** upswing, uptrend, upbeat; upping *or* boost *or* pickup [all informal]; Great Leap Forward; **enhancement, enrichment;** euthenics, eugenics; **restoration,** revival, recovery 692.2,8.

.2 **development, refinement,** elaboration, **perfection;** beautification, embellishment; maturation, ripening, evolution, seasoning.

.3 **cultivation, culture, refinement, polish,** civility; cultivation of the mind; **civilization;** acculturation; enculturation, socialization; enlightenment, education 475.4, 562.1–3.

.4 **revision,** revise, revisal; revised edition; **emendation, amendment, correction, rectification;** editing, redaction, recension, revampment; **rewrite,** rewriting, rescript, rescription [archaic].

.5 **reform, reformation;** regeneration 145.2; **transformation** 139.2; **conversion** 145; reformism, meliorism; gradualism, Fabianism, revisionism; utopianism; progressivism, progressism; radical reform, extremism, radicalism 745.4; revolution 147.

.6 **reformer,** reformist, meliorist; gradualist, Fabian, revisionist; utopian, utopist; progressive, progressivist, progressionist, progressist; radical, extremist 745.12; revolutionary 147.3.

.7 VERBS (get better) **improve, grow better,** show improvement, **mend,** amend [archaic], meliorate, ameliorate; **look up** *or* **pick up** *or* **perk up** [all informal]; **develop,** shape up; **advance, progress, make progress, make headway, gain,** gain ground, go forward, get *or* go ahead, come on, come along [informal], get along; make strides *or* rapid strides, take off *or* skyrocket [both informal], make up for lost time; graduate.

.8 **rally,** come about *or* round, **take a favorable turn,** take a turn for the better, gain strength; **recuperate, recover** 694.19,20.

.9 (make better) **improve, better,** change for the better, make an improvement; transform, transfigure 139.7; improve upon, refine upon, **mend, amend,** emend [archaic]; meliorate, **ameliorate; advance, promote,** foster, favor, nurture, forward, bring forward; **lift,** elevate, **uplift,** raise, boost [informal]; upgrade; **enhance, enrich,** fatten, lard [archaic]; make one's way, better oneself; be the making of; **reform;** reform oneself, turn over a new leaf, mend one's ways, straighten out, straighten oneself out, go straight [informal]; **civilize,** acculturate, socialize; enlighten, edify; **educate** 562.11.

.10 **develop,** elaborate; beautify, embellish; **cultivate, refine,** polish, finish, **perfect;** mature, ripen, evolve, season.

.11 **touch up,** tone up, **brush up, furbish,** furbish up, spruce, **spruce up,** freshen, vamp, vamp up, rub up, brighten up, polish, polish up, shine [informal]; retouch; **revive, renovate** 694.16,17; **repair, fix** 694.14.

.12 **revise,** redact, recense, **revamp, rewrite,** redraft, **rework,** work over; **emend, amend,** emendate, **rectify,** correct; **edit,** blue-pencil.

.13 ADJS **improved, bettered,** eu–; changed for the better, advanced, ameliorated, enhanced, enriched; developed, perfected; beautified, embellished; **reformed; transformed,** transfigured, converted; **cultivated,** cultured, **refined,** polished, civilized; **educated** 475.18.

.14 **better,** better off, better for, all the better for.

.15 **improving, bettering;** meliorative, ameliorative; progressive, progressing, advancing, ongoing; mending, **on the mend;** on the lift *or* rise *or* upswing *or* upbeat *or* upgrade [informal], looking up [informal].

.16 **emendatory, corrective;** revisory, revisional; reformatory, reformative, reformational; **reformist,** reformistic, melioristic; gradualistic, Fabian, revisionist; utopian; radical 745.20; revolutionary 147.5.

.17 **improvable,** ameliorable, corrigible, perfectible; **emendable** 694.25.

692. IMPAIRMENT

.1 NOUNS **impairment, damage, injury, harm,** mischief, scathe, **hurt, detriment,** loss, weakening, sickening; disablement, incapacitation; encroachment, inroad, infringement 238.1; **disrepair, dilapidation,** ruinousness; breakage; **breakdown, collapse,** crack-up [informal]; bankruptcy; hurting, spoiling, ruination; sabotage; mayhem, mutilation, crippling, hobbling, laming, maiming; destruction 693.

.2 **corruption, pollution, contamination,** vitiation, **defilement,** fouling, befouling; **poisoning,** envenoming; infection, festering, suppuration; **perversion,** prostitution, misuse 667; denaturing, adulteration.

.3 **deterioration, decadence** *or* decadency, **degradation, debasement,** derogation, deformation; **degeneration,** degeneracy, degenerateness, effeteness; loss of tone, failure of nerve; depravation, depravedness; **retrogression,** retrogradation, retrocession, **regression;** devolution, involution; demotion 783; downward mobility; **decline,** declination, declension, comedown, **descent,** downtrend, downward trend, downturn, depreciation, **drop, fall,** falling-off, slippage, slump, lapse, fading, dying, failing, failure, wane, ebb.

.4 **waste,** wastage, **consumption;** withering, atrophy, wilting, marcescence; emaciation 205.6.

.5 **wear,** use; **wear and tear; erosion, weathering,** ablation, ravages of time.

.6 **decay, decomposition, disintegration, dissolution,** resolution, degradation, biodegradation, breakup, disorganization, **corruption, spoilage, dilapidation; corrosion,** oxidation, oxidization, rust; mildew, mold 676.2; degradability, biodegradability.

.7 **rot, rottenness, foulness, putridness,** putridity, rancidness, rancidity, rankness, **putrefaction,** putrescence, spoilage, decay, decomposition; **mortification,** necrosis, gangrene, sphacelation, sphacelus, slough; caries, tooth decay, carrion; dry rot.

.8 (an impairment) **injury, hurt, lesion; wound, trauma; sore** 686.35; cut, incision, scratch, gash; puncture, stab, stab wound; laceration, mutilation; abrasion, scuff, scrape, chafe, gall; frazzle, fray; run, **rip,** rent, slash, **tear;** burn, scald, scorch, first- *or* second- *or* third-degree burn; flash burn; break, fracture, rupture; crack, chip, craze, check, crackle; wrench; concussion; mortal wound, "wounds immedicable" [Milton]; **blemish** 679.

.9 **bruise, contusion,** ecchymosis, **black-and-blue mark; black eye,** shiner *or* mouse [both slang].

.10 **wreck, ruins, ruin,** hulk, carcass, skeleton;

mere wreck, wreck of one's former self; nervous wreck; rattletrap.

.11 VERBS **impair, damage,** endamage, **injure, harm, hurt,** irritate; **worsen,** make worse, deteriorate, put back, aggravate, exacerbate, embitter; **weaken; dilapidate;** add insult to injury, rub salt in the wound.

.12 **spoil, mar,** botch, **ruin,** wreck, blight, **play havoc with; destroy** 693.10–21.

.13 [slang or informal terms] **queer, screw up, foul up,** louse up, snafu, snarl up, bugger, bugger up, gum up, ball up, bollix, bollix up, **mess up,** hash up, muck up; play hob with, play hell with, play merry hell with, play the devil with; cook, sink, shoot down in flames.

.14 **corrupt, debase, degrade,** degenerate, **deprave, debauch, defile,** violate, desecrate, deflower, ravish, ravage, despoil; **contaminate,** confound, **pollute, vitiate, poison, infect, taint;** canker, ulcerate; **pervert,** warp, twist, distort; prostitute, misuse 667.4; denature; **cheapen,** devalue; coarsen, vulgarize, drag in the mud; adulterate, alloy.

.15 (inflict an injury) **injure, hurt;** wound, scotch [archaic]; **traumatize;** stab, stick, pierce, puncture; cut, incise, slit, slash, gash, scratch; abrade, scuff, scrape, chafe, fret, gall, bark, skin; break, fracture, rupture; crack, chip, craze, check; lacerate, claw, tear, rip, rend; run; frazzle, fray; burn, scorch, scald; mutilate, maim, make mincemeat of, maul, savage; sprain, strain, wrench; bloody; **blemish** 679.4–7.

.16 **bruise, contuse,** bung *or* bung up [both slang]; **buffet,** batter, bash [informal], maul, pound, beat, beat black and blue; give a black eye.

.17 **cripple, lame,** maim; hamstring, hobble; wing; emasculate, castrate; incapacitate, disable 158.9.

.18 **undermine,** sap, mine, sap the foundations of, honeycomb; sabotage.

.19 **deteriorate, sicken, worsen, get** *or* **grow worse,** get no better fast [informal], disimprove, **degenerate;** slip back, **retrogress,** retrograde, regress, relapse, fall back; go to the bad 693.24; let oneself go, let down, slacken; be the worse for, be the worse for wear, have seen better days.

.20 **decline, sink, fail, fall,** slip, fade, die, wane, ebb, subside, lapse, **run down,** go down, **go downhill, fall away, fall off,** go off [informal], slide, slump, hit a slump; hit the skids [slang]; reach the depths, hit *or* touch bottom, hit rock bottom, have no lower to go.

.21 **languish, pine, droop, flag, wilt; fade,** fade away; **wither, shrivel,** shrink, diminish, **dry up,** desiccate, wizen, sear; "fall'n into the sere, the yellow leaf" [Shakespeare].

.22 **waste, waste away, wither away,** atrophy, consume, consume away, emaciate, pine away; trickle *or* dribble away; run to waste, run to seed.

.23 **wear, wear away, wear down, wear off;** abrade, fret, rub off; fray, frazzle, tatter, wear ragged; **wear out;** weather, erode, ablate.

.24 **corrode, erode,** eat, gnaw, eat into, eat away, nibble away, gnaw at the root of; canker; **oxidize, rust.**

.25 **decay, decompose, disintegrate;** go *or* fall into decay, go *or* fall to pieces, break up, crumble, crumble into dust; **spoil,** corrupt, canker, **go bad; rot, putrefy,** putresce; fester, suppurate, rankle [informal]; **mortify,** necrose, gangrene, sphacelate; mold, molder, mildew.

.26 **break, break up,** fracture, **come apart,** come unstuck, **come** *or* **fall to pieces, disintegrate;** burst, rupture; crack, split, fissure; snap; break open, give way *or* away, start, spring a leak, come apart at the seams.

.27 **break down, founder, collapse;** cave *or* fall in, come crashing *or* tumbling down, topple, topple down *or* over, tremble *or* nod *or* totter to one's fall; totter, sway.

.28 **get out of order, get out of whack** [informal], get out of kilter [informal], get out of commission [informal], get out of gear; get out of joint; go wrong, go kaput [slang], **go on the blink** *or* **fritz** [slang], go **haywire** [slang], give out, **break down,** pack up [Brit informal], conk out [slang].

.29 ADJS **impaired, damaged, hurt, injured, harmed; deteriorated, worsened,** aggravated, exacerbated, irritated, embittered; weakened; **worse,** worse off, the worse for, all the worse for; imperfect 676.4; lacerated, mangled, cut, split, rent, torn, slit, slashed, mutilated; **broken** 49.24, **shattered, smashed,** in bits, in pieces, in shards, burst, busted [dial], ruptured, sprung; cracked, chipped, crazed, checked; burned, scorched, scalded.

.30 **spoiled** *or* spoilt, **marred,** botched, blighted, **ruined,** wrecked; **destroyed** 693.28.

.31 [slang or informal terms] **queered, screwed up, fouled up,** loused up, snafued, buggered, buggered up, gummed up, snarled up, balled up, bollixed up,

messed up, hashed up, mucked up; cooked, sunk, shot.

.32 **crippled,** game [informal], bad, handicapped, maimed; **lame, halt,** halting, hobbling, limping; hamstrung; spavined; disabled, incapacitated; emasculated, castrated.

.33 **worn,** well-worn, deep-worn, worn-down, the worse for wear, dog-eared; timeworn; shopworn, shelfworn; worn to the stump, worn to the bone; **worn ragged,** worn to rags, worn to threads; **threadbare,** bare, sere [archaic].

.34 **shabby, shoddy, seedy,** scruffy, **tacky** [informal], dowdy, tatty, ratty; holey, full of holes; raggedy, **ragged, tattered, torn;** patchy; **frayed, frazzled;** in rags, in tatters, in shreds; **out at the elbows,** out at the heels, **down-at-heel** *or* **-heels, down-at-the-heel** *or* **-heels.**

.35 **dilapidated, ramshackle,** decrepit, tottery, slummy [informal], **tumbledown, broken-down, run-down,** in ruins, ruinous, ruined, derelict, gone to wrack and ruin, the worse for wear; **battered,** beaten up, **beat-up** [informal].

.36 **weatherworn, weather-beaten, weathered,** weather-battered, weather-wasted, weather-eaten, weather-bitten, weather-scarred; eroded; **faded,** washed-out, bleached, blanched.

.37 **wasted,** atrophied, shrunken; **withered,** sere, shriveled, wilted, wizened, dried-up, desiccated; wrinkled, wrinkled like a prune; brittle, papery, parchmenty; **emaciated** 205.20; worn to a shadow, reduced to a skeleton, "worn to the bones" [Shakespeare].

.38 **worn-out, used up** [informal], worn to a frazzle, frazzled, fit for the dust hole *or* wastepaper basket; **exhausted, tired,** fatigued, pooped [slang], **spent,** effete, played out, *ausgespielt* [Ger], shotten [dial], jaded, emptied, done *or* done up [both informal]; **run-down,** laid low, at a low ebb, in a bad way, far-gone, on one's last legs.

.39 **in disrepair, out of order,** out of working order, out of condition, out of repair, inoperative, **out of whack** *or* **kilter** *or* **kelter** [informal], **out of commission** [informal], out of tune, out of gear; out of joint; **on the fritz** *or* **on the blink** [both slang], haywire [slang], packed-up [Brit informal]; **broken** 49.24.

.40 **putrefactive,** putrefacient, rotting, **septic;** saprogenic, saprogenous; saprophilous, saprophytic, saprobic, sapro–.

.41 **decayed, decomposed; spoiled, corrupt,** peccant, bad, **gone bad; rotten, rotting, putrid, putrefied, foul;** putrescent, **mortified,** necrosed, necrotic, sphacelated, gangrened, gangrenous; carious; cankered, ulcerated, festering, suppurating, suppurative; rotten at *or* to the core.

.42 **tainted, off,** blown, frowy [dial]; **stale; sour,** soured, turned; **rank,** reechy [archaic], **rancid,** strong [informal], **high,** gamy.

.43 **blighted, blasted, ravaged,** despoiled; blown, **flyblown,** wormy, weevily, maggoty; **moth-eaten, worm-eaten; moldy,** moldering, **mildewed,** smutty, smutted; **musty, fusty,** frowzy *or* frowsy, frowsty [Brit].

.44 **corroded, eroded,** eaten; **rusty,** rust-eaten, rust-worn, rust-cankered.

.45 **corrupting, corruptive;** corrosive, corroding; erosive, eroding, **damaging, injurious** 675.12.

.46 **deteriorating, worsening,** disintegrating, coming apart *or* unstuck, crumbling, cracking, fragmenting, going to pieces; **decadent, degenerate,** effete; **retrogressive,** retrograde, regressive, from better to worse; **declining, sinking, failing,** falling, waning, subsiding, **slipping,** sliding, slumping; **languishing, pining,** drooping, flagging, wilting; ebbing, draining, dwindling; **wasting,** fading, **withering,** shriveling; tabetic, marcescent.

.47 **on the wane, on the decline,** on the downgrade, on the downward track, on the skids [slang]; tottering, nodding to its fall.

.48 degradable, biodegradable, decomposable, putrefiable, putrescible.

693. DESTRUCTION

.1 NOUNS **destruction, ruin, ruination,** blue ruin [slang]; perdition, damnation, eternal damnation; universal ruin; **wreck,** wrack [dial], **wrack and ruin; devastation, ravage, havoc,** holocaust, hecatomb, carnage, shambles, slaughter, bloodbath, **desolation; waste, consumption;** decimation; **dissolution, disintegration,** breakup, disruption, disorganization, undoing, lysis; vandalism, depredation, spoliation, despoliation, despoilment; the road to ruin.

.2 **end, fate, doom,** death, death knell, bane, deathblow, *coup de grâce* [Fr], quietus.

.3 **fall, downfall,** prostration; **overthrow, overturn, upset, upheaval,** *bouleverse-*

ment [Fr]; convulsion, **subversion,** sabotage.

.4 **debacle, disaster, cataclysm, catastrophe; breakup,** breaking up; **breakdown, collapse; crash,** smash, **smashup,** crack-up [informal]; **wreck,** wrack, shipwreck; cave-in, cave; washout; total loss.

.5 **demolition,** demolishment; wrecking, wreckage, leveling, razing, flattening, smashing, tearing down, bringing to the ground; **dismantlement,** disassembly, unmaking.

.6 **extinction, extermination, elimination, eradication,** extirpation; rooting out, deracination, uprooting, tearing up root and branch; **annihilation,** extinguishment, **snuffing out; abolition,** abolishment; annulment, **nullification,** voiding, **negation; liquidation, purge; suppression;** choking, choking off, suffocation, stifling, strangulation; silencing.

.7 **obliteration, erasure, effacement,** expunction, blot [archaic], blotting, **blotting out, wiping out;** washing out, scrubbing [informal], cancellation, cancel; deletion.

.8 **destroyer, ruiner, wrecker,** demolisher, –clast; **vandal,** hun; exterminator, annihilator; **iconoclast,** idoloclast, idol breaker; biblioclast; nihilist; terrorist, syndicalist; **bomber,** dynamiter, dynamitard; burner, arsonist.

.9 **eradicator,** expunger; **eraser,** rubber, India rubber, sponge.

.10 VERBS **destroy,** deal *or* unleash destruction, unleash the hurricane; **ruin,** ruinate [dial], bring to ruin, lay in ruins; throw into disorder, upheave; **wreck,** wrack, shipwreck; damn, seal the doom of, **condemn,** confound; **devastate, desolate,** waste, **lay waste, ravage,** havoc, wreak havoc, despoil, depredate; vandalize; **decimate;** devour, consume, engorge, gobble, gobble up, swallow up; gut, gut with fire, incinerate, vaporize, ravage with fire and sword; dissolve, lyse.

.11 **do for,** fix [informal], settle, sink, cook [informal], cook one's goose, dish, scuttle, put the kibosh on [slang], do in, **undo,** knock in *or* on the head, torpedo, knock out, KO [slang], deal a knockout blow to, shoot down *or* shoot down in flames [both informal]; break the back of; make short work of; **defeat** 727.6.

.12 **put an end to,** make an end of, **end, finish,** finish off [informal], put paid to [Brit], give the *coup de grâce* to, give the quietus to, deal a deathblow to, dispose of, get rid of, do away with; cut off, take off, be the death of, sound the death knell of; put out of the way, put out of existence, **slaughter,** make away with, **kill** 409.13; nip, nip in the bud *or* head; cut short.

.13 **abolish, nullify,** void, abrogate, annihilate, annul, repeal, revoke, negate, negative, invalidate, **undo, cancel,** bring to naught.

.14 **exterminate, eliminate, eradicate,** deracinate, **extirpate, annihilate; wipe out** [informal]; cut out, root up *or* out, uproot, pull *or* pluck up by the roots, cut up root and branch, strike at the root of, lay the ax to the root of; **liquidate, purge;** remove, sweep away.

.15 **extinguish, quench, snuff out,** put out, stamp *or* trample out, trample underfoot; **smother,** choke, stifle, strangle, suffocate; silence; **suppress, quash,** squash *or* squelch [both informal], **quell,** put down.

.16 **obliterate, expunge, efface, erase,** raze [archaic], blot, sponge, **wipe out,** wipe off the map, rub out, **blot out,** sponge out; cancel, strike out, cross out, scratch, scratch out, rule out; delete, dele.

.17 **demolish, wreck,** total *or* wrack up [both slang], undo, unbuild, unmake, **dismantle, disassemble; take apart, tear apart, rend, take** *or* **pull** *or* **pick** *or* **tear to pieces,** pull in pieces, tear to shreds *or* rags *or* tatters; sunder, cleave, **split; disintegrate, fragment,** break to pieces, make mincemeat of, reduce to rubble, atomize, pulverize, **smash,** shatter 49.13.

.18 **blow up,** blast, spring, blow to pieces *or* bits, bomb, bombard, blitz; mine.

.19 **raze,** rase, **fell, level,** flatten, smash, prostrate, raze to the ground *or* dust; steamroller, bulldoze; **pull down, tear down, take down,** bring down, bring down about one's ears, bring tumbling *or* crashing down, break down, throw down, cast down, beat down, knock down *or* over; cut down, chop down, mow down; blow down; burn down.

.20 **overthrow, overturn; upset,** overset, upend, **subvert,** throw down *or* over; undermine, honeycomb, **sap,** sap the foundations, **weaken.**

.21 **overwhelm,** whelm, swamp, engulf; inundate.

.22 (be destroyed) **fall,** fall to the ground, tumble, come tumbling *or* crashing down, topple, tremble *or* nod to its fall, bite the dust [informal]; **break up,** crumble, crumble to dust, disintegrate, go *or*

fall to pieces; go by the board, go out the window, go up the spout [informal].

.23 **perish, expire, succumb, die, cease, end,** come to an end, go, pass, **pass away, vanish, disappear,** fade away, run out, peg *or* conk out [slang], come to nothing *or* naught, be no more, be done for; be all over with, be all up with [informal].

.24 **go to ruin, go to wrack and ruin,** go to rack and manger [archaic], **go to the bad,** go wrong, **go to the dogs** *or* **go to pot** [both informal], go to the deuce *or* devil [informal], go to hell [slang], go to the wall, go to perdition *or* glory [informal]; go up [informal], go under; **go to smash,** go to shivers, go to smithereens [informal].

.25 **drive to ruin,** drive to the bad, **force to the wall,** drive to the dogs [informal], hound *or* harry to destruction.

.26 ADJS **destructive,** destroying, –clastic, ant(i)– *or* anth–; **ruinous,** ruining; demolishing, demolitionary; **disastrous, calamitous, cataclysmic,** cataclysmal, **catastrophic;** fatal, fateful, doomful, baneful; **deadly** 409.23; consumptive, consuming, withering; **devastating, desolating,** ravaging, wasting, wasteful, spoliative, depredatory; vandalic, vandalish, vandalistic; subversive, subversionary; nihilist, nihilistic; suicidal, self-destructive; fratricidal, internecine, internecive.

.27 **exterminative,** exterminatory, **annihilative, eradicative,** extirpative, extirpatory; all-destroying, all-devouring, all-consuming.

.28 **ruined, destroyed, wrecked, blasted, undone, done for** [informal], done in [informal], finished, *ausgespielt* [Ger], kaput [slang]; down-and-out, broken, bankrupt; spoiled 692.30; irremediable 889.15; fallen, overthrown; **devastated, desolated, ravaged,** blighted, wasted; ruinous, in ruins; gone to wrack and ruin, gone to pot *or* gone to the dogs [both informal].

694. RESTORATION

.1 NOUNS **restoration, restitution, reestablishment, reinstatement,** reinstation, reformation [archaic], reinvestment, reinvestiture, instauration, reversion, reinstitution, reconstitution, replacement, **rehabilitation,** redintegration [archaic], reconversion, reactivation, reenactment; improvement 691.

.2 **reclamation, recovery, retrieval,** redemption, salvation, salvage.

.3 **revival,** revivification, revivescence *or* revivescency, **renewal,** resurrection, resuscitation, reanimation, resurgence, recrudescence; **refreshment** 695; second wind; *renaissance* [Fr], renascence, **rebirth,** new birth; **rejuvenation,** rejuvenescence, second youth, new lease on life; **regeneration,** regeneracy, regenerateness; regenesis, palingenesis, palingenesy.

.4 **renovation, renewal;** refreshment, **reconditioning,** furbishment, refurbishment; retread *or* retreading [both informal]; face-lifting *or* face-lift; slum clearance, urban renewal.

.5 **reconstruction, re-creation, remaking,** remodeling, **rebuilding,** refabrication, refashioning; reassembling, reassembly; reformation.

.6 **reparation, repair,** repairing, **fixing, mending;** overhaul, overhauling; troubleshooting [informal]; **rectification, correction, remedy; redress,** making right, amends, satisfaction, compensation, **recompense.**

.7 **cure, curing, healing, remedy** 687; **therapy** 689.

.8 **recovery, rally, comeback** [informal], return; **recuperation, convalescence.**

.9 **restorability, reparability,** curability, recoverability, reversibility, remediability, retrievability, redeemability, corrigibility.

.10 **mender, fixer,** doctor [informal], restorer, renovator, repairer, **repairman,** maintenance man, **serviceman;** trouble man *or* **troubleshooter** [both informal]; Mr. Fixit *or* little Miss Fixit [both informal]; **mechanic** *or* mechanician; tinker; cobbler.

.11 VERBS **restore, put back, replace, return,** place in *statu quo ante;* **reestablish,** reform [archaic], **reinstate,** reenact, **reinstall,** reinvest, revest, reinstitute, reconstitute, recruit, **rehabilitate,** reintegrate, reconvert, reactivate; refill, replenish; give back 823.4.

.12 **redeem, reclaim, recover, retrieve;** ransom; rescue; salvage, recycle; win back, **recoup.**

.13 **remedy, rectify, correct, right,** emend, amend, **redress,** make good *or* right, **put right,** set right, put *or* set to rights, put *or* set straight, set up, make all square; pay reparations, give satisfaction, requite, recompense, compensate, remunerate.

.14 **repair, mend, fix,** fix up [informal], do up, doctor [informal], put in repair, put in shape, set to rights, put in order *or* condition; **condition, recondition,** commission, put in commission, ready; **service, overhaul;** patch, **patch up;** tinker,

tinker up; cobble; sew up, darn; recap, retread.

.15 **cure,** work a cure, recure [archaic], **remedy, heal, restore to health,** bring round *or* around, pull round *or* around, give a new *or* fresh lease on life, make better, make well, fix up, pull through, set on one's feet *or* legs; snatch from the jaws of death.

.16 **revive,** revivify, **renew,** recruit; **reanimate,** reinspire, **regenerate, rejuvenate, revitalize,** put *or* breathe new life into; **refresh** 695.2; **resuscitate,** bring to; recharge; **resurrect,** bring back, call back, recall to life, raise from the dead; rewarm, warm up *or* over; **rekindle,** relight, reheat the ashes, stir the embers.

.17 **renovate, renew; recondition,** refit, revamp, furbish, refurbish; refresh, face-lift.

.18 **remake,** reconstruct, remodel, re-create, **rebuild,** refabricate, re-form, refashion, reassemble.

.19 **recuperate,** recruit, **gain strength,** recruit *or* renew one's strength, **get better; improve** 691.7; **rally, pick up,** perk up *or* brace up [both informal], take a new *or* fresh lease on life; **take a favorable turn,** turn the corner, be out of the woods, take a turn for the better; **convalesce;** sleep it off.

.20 **recover, rally, revive, get well, get over, pull through,** pull round *or* around, come round *or* around [informal], come back [informal], make a comeback [informal]; get about, get back in shape [informal], be oneself again; **survive,** weather the storm; **come to,** come to oneself, show signs of life; come up smiling, bounce back [both informal]; come *or* pull *or* snap out of it [informal].

.21 **heal, heal over,** close up, scab over, cicatrize, granulate; heal *or* right itself; **knit, set.**

.22 ADJS **restorative, restitutive,** restitutory, analeptic; reparative, reparatory; remedial, **curative** 687.39.

.23 **recuperative,** recuperatory; reviviscent; **convalescent;** buoyant, resilient, elastic.

.24 **renascent,** *redivivus* [L], resurrected, renewed, revived, reborn, resurgent, recrudescent, reappearing.

.25 **remediable, curable,** medicable; emendable, amendable, **correctable,** rectifiable, corrigible; **improvable,** ameliorable; **reparable,** repairable, **mendable, fixable;** restorable, recoverable, retrievable, reversible, reclaimable, recyclable, redeemable.

695. REFRESHMENT

.1 NOUNS **refreshment,** refection, refreshing, **bracing, exhilaration, stimulation,** enlivenment, vivification, **invigoration,** reinvigoration, reanimation, revival, revivification, revivescence *or* revivescency, renewal, recreation; regalement, regale; tonic, bracer, pick-me-up [informal], cordial.

.2 VERBS **refresh, freshen,** refreshen, freshen up, fresh up [informal]; **revive,** revivify, **reinvigorate,** reanimate; **exhilarate, stimulate, invigorate,** fortify, enliven, animate, vivify, quicken, brisk, brisken; brace, **brace up,** buck up *or* pick up [both informal], perk up *or* chirk up [both informal], set up, set on one's legs *or* feet [informal]; renew one's strength, put *or* breathe new life into; renew, recreate; **regale, cheer,** refresh the inner man.

.3 ADJS **refreshing,** refreshful, **fresh,** brisk, crisp, crispy, zesty, zestful, **bracing, tonic,** cordial, **exhilarating, stimulating, invigorating,** rousing, energizing; regaling, cheering.

.4 **refreshed, invigorated, exhilarated,** stimulated, energized, recharged, animated, reanimated, **revived,** renewed, recreated.

.5 **unwearied, untired, unfatigued, unexhausted.**

696. RELAPSE

.1 NOUNS **relapse, lapse,** falling back; **reversion, regression** 146.1; **reverse, reversal,** backward deviation, **setback,** backset; **return,** recurrence, renewal, recrudescence; throwback, atavism.

.2 **backsliding,** backslide; **fall, fall from grace;** recidivism, recidivation; apostasy 628.2.

.3 **backslider,** recidivist, reversionist; apostate 628.5.

.4 VERBS **relapse, lapse, backslide,** slide back, lapse back, **slip back,** sink back, **fall back,** have a relapse, **return to, revert to,** recur to, yield again to, fall again into, recidivate; revert, **regress** 146.4; **fall, fall from grace.**

.5 ADJS **relapsing, lapsing, backsliding,** recidivous; recrudescent; **regressive** 146.7; apostate 628.11.

697. DANGER

.1 NOUNS **danger, peril, jeopardy, hazard, risk; endangerment, imperilment;** cause for alarm, **menace, threat** 973; **crisis, emergency,** pass, pinch, strait, plight, pre-

dicament 731.4; rocks *or* breakers ahead, gathering clouds, storm clouds; dangerous ground, yawning *or* gaping chasm, quicksand, thin ice; house of cards, cardhouse.

.2 **dangerousness, hazardousness, riskiness,** chanciness [informal], diceyness [Brit informal], **perilousness; unsafeness,** unhealthiness [informal]; criticalness; **precariousness, ticklishness,** slipperiness, touchiness, delicacy, ticklish business [informal]; **insecurity,** unsoundness, instability, unsteadiness, shakiness, totteriness; sword of Damocles; **unreliability,** undependability, untrustworthiness 514.6; **unsureness,** unpredictability, **uncertainty,** doubtfulness, dubiousness 514.1,2.

.3 **exposure, openness,** liability, nonimmunity, susceptibility; **unprotectedness, defenselessness,** nakedness, helplessness.

.4 **vulnerability, pregnability,** penetrability, assailability, vincibility; weakness 160; vulnerable point, **weak link, weak point, soft spot,** heel of Achilles, chink, chink in one's armor, "the soft underbelly of Europe" [Sir Winston Churchill].

.5 (hidden danger) snags, rocks, reefs, ledges; coral heads; shallows, shoals; sandbank, sandbar, sands; quicksands; rockbound *or* ironbound coast, lee shore; undertow, undercurrent; **pitfall** 618.11; snake in the grass.

.6 VERBS **endanger, imperil,** peril, periclitate; **risk, hazard, gamble, gamble with; jeopardize,** jeopard, jeopardy, compromise, put in danger, **put in jeopardy,** put on the spot *or* lay on the line [both slang]; **expose,** lay open; incur danger, run into *or* encounter danger.

.7 **take chances, take a chance, chance, risk, gamble,** hazard, **run the chance** *or* **risk** *or* **hazard;** go out on a limb [informal], **expose oneself,** lower one's guard, **lay oneself open to,** open the door to; **tempt Providence,** forget the odds, **defy danger,** skate on thin ice, court destruction, dance on the razor's edge, go in harm's way, stand *or* sleep on a volcano, sit on a barrel of gunpowder, build a house of cards, put one's head in the lion's mouth, "beard the lion in his den" [Sir Walter Scott], march up to the cannon's mouth, play with fire, go through fire and water, go out of one's depth, go to sea in a sieve, carry too much sail, sail too near the wind; risk one's life, **take one's life in one's hand, dare, face up to, brave** 893.10, 11.

.8 **be in danger,** be in peril, be *in extremis,* be in desperate case, have one's name on the danger list, have the chances *or* odds against one; be despaired of; hang by a thread; tremble on the verge, totter on the brink; feel the ground sliding from under one; have to run for it; be threatened, be on the spot [informal].

.9 ADJS **dangerous,** dangersome [dial], **perilous,** periculous, parlous, jeopardous, bad, ugly, serious, critical, explosive, attended *or* beset *or* fraught with danger; alarming, **menacing, threatening** 973.3.

.10 **hazardous, risky, chancy** [informal], dicey [Brit informal], aleatory, riskful, full of risk; **adventurous,** venturous, venturesome; **speculative,** wildcat.

.11 **unsafe,** unhealthy [informal]; **unreliable, undependable, untrustworthy,** treacherous, **insecure, unsound,** unstable, unsteady, shaky, tottery, rocky; **unsure, uncertain,** unpredictable, doubtful, dubious 514.15,16.

.12 **precarious, ticklish, touchy,** touch-and-go, **critical, delicate;** slippery, slippy; on thin ice, on slippery ground; hanging by a thread, trembling in the balance.

.13 **in danger, in jeopardy, in peril,** in a bad way; **endangered, imperiled, jeopardized;** at the last extremity, *in extremis* [L], in desperate case; threatened, on the spot [informal]; between the hammer and the anvil, between Scylla and Charybdis, between two fires, between the devil and the deep blue sea; in a predicament 731.20; cornered 731.23.

.14 **unprotected, unshielded, unsheltered,** uncovered, unscreened, **unguarded, undefended,** unattended, unwatched, unfortified; unarmored, **unarmed,** bare-handed, weaponless, anopl(o)–; guardless, ungarrisoned, **defenseless, helpless;** unwarned, unsuspecting.

.15 **exposed, open,** out in the open, naked; out on a limb [informal]; liable, susceptible, nonimmune.

.16 **vulnerable, pregnable,** penetrable, expugnable; assailable, attackable, surmountable; conquerable, beatable [informal], vincible; weak 160.12–17.

.17 ADVS **dangerously, perilously, hazardously, riskily,** critically, unsafely; **precariously,** ticklishly.

698. SAFETY

.1 NOUNS **safety,** safeness, **security,** surety [archaic], assurance; risklessness, immunity, clear sailing; **protection,** safeguard

699.3; harmlessness 674.9; invulnerability 159.4.

.2 VERBS **be safe, be on the safe side; keep safe, come through;** weather, ride out, weather the storm; keep one's head above water, tide over; land on one's feet; save one's bacon [informal], save one's neck; lead a charmed life, possess nine lives.

.3 **play safe** [informal], **keep on the safe side,** give danger a wide berth, take precautions 895.6; assure oneself, make sure, look before one leaps; **save** 701.7, **protect** 699.18.

.4 ADJS **safe, secure, safe and sound;** immune, immunized; insured; **protected** 699.21; on the safe side; unthreatened, unmolested; unhurt, unharmed, unscathed, intact, untouched, with a whole skin, undamaged.

.5 **unhazardous, undangerous, unperilous, unrisky,** riskless, **unprecarious;** fail-safe; guaranteed, warranteed; dependable, reliable, trustworthy, sound, stable, steady, firm 513.17; "founded upon a rock" [Bible]; as safe as houses; harmless 674.20; invulnerable 159.17.

.6 **in safety, out of danger,** past danger, out of the meshes *or* toils, home free [informal], **in the clear, out of harm's reach** *or* **way;** under cover, under lock and key; in shelter, in harbor *or* port, at anchor *or* haven, in the shadow of a rock; on sure *or* solid ground, on *terra firma,* high and dry, above water.

.7 **snug, cozy;** airworthy, seaworthy, seakindly.

.8 ADVS **safely, securely,** reliably, dependably; with safety, **with impunity.**

.9 INTERJS **all's well!,** all clear!, all serene!; ally-ally out'n free!

.10 PHRS the danger is past, the storm has blown over, the coast is clear.

699. PROTECTION

.1 NOUNS **protection, guard, safekeeping; eye,** watchful eye; protective custody; safety 698; **shelter, cover,** shade, shadow [archaic], lee; **refuge** 700; preservation 701; **defense** 799.

.2 **protectorship, guardianship,** stewardship, custodianship; **care, charge, keeping, custody; hands,** safe hands, wing; **auspices, patronage, tutelage, guidance; ward,** wardship, wardenship, watch and ward; cure, pastorship, pastorage, pastorate; **oversight,** jurisdiction, management, ministry, administration, government, governance.

.3 **safeguard,** palladium, **guard; shield,** scut(i)–, aspid(o)–, –aspis; **screen,** aegis; umbrella, protective umbrella; patent, copyright; **bulwark** 799.4; backstop; **fender,** mudguard, **bumper, buffer, cushion,** pad, padding; seat belt; protective clothing; shin guard, knuckle guard, knee guard, nose guard, hand guard, arm guard, ear guard, finger guard, foot guard; goggles, mask, face mask, welder's mask, fencer's mask; safety shoes; helmet, hard hat [informal], crash helmet, sun helmet; cowcatcher, pilot; dashboard; windshield, windscreen [Brit], dodger; life preserver 701.5; lifeline, safety rail, guardrail, handrail; governor; safety, safety switch, interlock; safety valve, safety plug; fuse, circuit breaker; insulation; safety glass, laminated glass; lightning rod, lightning conductor; prophylactic, preventive 687.20; contraceptive 687.23.

.4 **insurance,** assurance [Brit]; group insurance, fraternal insurance; reciprocal insurance, interinsurance; term insurance; reinsurance; straight *or* ordinary life insurance, limited payment insurance, endowment insurance, family income policy, family maintenance policy, retirement income insurance, joint life insurance, industrial life insurance, group life insurance, business life insurance, savings bank life insurance, credit life insurance; **casualty insurance; health insurance,** hospitalization insurance, hospital service contract, major medical insurance, disability insurance, accident insurance, workmen's compensation insurance; **automobile insurance,** collision insurance; no-fault insurance; aviation insurance; fire insurance, flood insurance; burglary insurance, theft insurance, robbery insurance, fidelity insurance, fidelity bond, forgery bond; credit insurance; bond, surety bond, license bond, permit bond, customs bond, bail bond, court bond; business interruption insurance; title insurance; liability insurance, public liability insurance, automobile liabilitity insurance, malpractice insurance; marine insurance, ocean marine insurance, inland marine insurance; **annuity,** variable annuity; government insurance, **social security** 745.7; **insurance company,** stock company, mutual company; **insurance policy,** policy, certificate of insurance; deductible; insurance man, underwriter, insur-

ance broker, insurance agent, insurance adjuster, actuary.

.5 **protector,** protectress, safekeeper; patron, patroness; tower, pillar, tower of strength, rock; champion, **defender** 799.7.

.6 **guardian, warden,** governor; **custodian,** steward, **keeper, caretaker,** warder [Brit], attendant; next friend, prochein ami, guardian *ad litem;* **curator,** conservator; janitor; castellan; **shepherd;** game warden, gamekeeper; ranger, forest ranger; lifeguard, lifesaver [Brit]; air warden; guardian angel 1014.22.

.7 **chaperon,** duenna; **governess.**

.8 **nurse, nursemaid,** nurserymaid, nanny [informal], amah, ayah [India], mammy [dial]; dry nurse, wet nurse; **baby-sitter,** sitter [informal].

.9 **guard,** guarder, guardsman [archaic], warder; **outguard, outpost; picket,** outlying picket, inlying picket; advance guard, **vanguard,** van; **rear guard;** coast guard; armed guard, security guard; jailer 761.10; bank guard; railway *or* train guard; goalkeeper, goaltender, goalie [informal]; **garrison;** cordon, *cordon sanitaire* [Fr].

.10 **watchman, watch,** watcher, watchkeeper; **lookout,** lookout man; **sentinel,** picket, **sentry; scout,** vedette; forward observer, spotter; **patrol, patrolman,** patroller, roundsman; night watchman, Charley [slang]; fireguard, fire patrolman, fire warden; airplane spotter; Argus.

.11 **watchdog,** bandog, guard dog; Cerberus.

.12 **doorkeeper, doorman, gatekeeper,** cerberus, warden, **porter, janitor,** *concierge* [Fr], ostiary, usher; receptionist.

.13 **picket, picketer,** demonstrator, picket line.

.14 **bodyguard,** safeguard; **convoy, escort;** guards, praetorian guard; guardsman; yeoman *or* yeoman of the guard *or* beefeater, gentleman-at-arms, Life Guardsman [all England].

.15 **policeman, constable, officer, police officer,** *flic* [Fr slang], *gendarme* [Fr], *carabiniere* [Ital]; peace officer, law enforcement agent, arm of the law; military policeman, MP; detective 781.10; policewoman, police matron; patrolman, police constable [England]; trooper, mounted policeman; reeve, portreeve; **sheriff, marshal;** deputy sheriff, deputy, bound bailiff, catchpole, beagle [slang], bombailiff [Brit slang]; sergeant, police sergeant; roundsman; lieutenant, police lieutenant; captain, police captain; inspector, police inspector; superintendent, chief of police; commissioner, police commissioner; government man, federal, fed *or* G-man [both informal]; narc [slang]; **bailiff,** tipstaff, tipstaves [pl]; mace-bearer, lictor, sergeant at arms; beadle.

.16 [slang *or* informal terms] cop, copper, John Law, bluecoat, bull, flatfoot, gumshoe, gendarme, shamus, dick, flattie, bobby *or* peeler [both Brit], pig, Dogberry; the cops, the law, the fuzz; New York's finest.

.17 **police, police force,** law enforcement agency; **constabulary;** state police, troopers, highway patrol, county police, provincial police; security force; special police; tactical police, riot police; **posse,** *posse comitatus* [L]; **vigilantes,** vigilance committee; secret police, political police; FBI, Federal Bureau of Investigation; military police, MP; shore patrol, SP; Scotland Yard [England]; Sûreté [France]; Cheka, NKVD, MVD, OGPU [all USSR]; Gestapo [Germany]; Royal Canadian Mounted Police, RCMP, Mounties [all Canada]; Interpol, International Criminal Police Commission.

.18 VERBS **protect, guard, safeguard, secure, keep,** bless, make safe, police; keep from harm; **insure,** underwrite; ensure, guarantee 772.9; patent, copyright, register; **cushion;** champion, go to bat for [slang], ride shotgun for [informal], fend, defend 799.8; **shelter, shield, screen, cover,** cloak, shroud [archaic]; **harbor, haven;** nestle; compass about, fence; arm, armor.

.19 **care for, take care of;** preserve, conserve; provide for, support; take charge of, **take under one's wing,** make one a *protégé;* **look after,** see after, **attend to, minister to,** look *or* see to, look *or* watch out for [informal], keep an eye on *or* upon, keep a sharp eye on *or* upon, **watch over,** keep watch over, **watch, mind, tend;** keep tab *or* tabs on [informal]; **shepherd,** ride herd on [slang]; **chaperon,** matronize; baby-sit [informal]; **foster, nurture, cherish, nurse; mother,** be a mother *or* father to.

.20 **watch, keep watch, keep guard,** keep vigil, keep watch and ward; stand guard, stand sentinel; be on the lookout 533.8; mount guard; **police,** patrol, go on one's beat.

.21 ADJS **protected, guarded,** safeguarded, defended; safe 698.4–7; patented, copyrighted; **sheltered, shielded,** screened, covered, cloaked; policed; armed 799.14; invulnerable 159.17,18.

.22 **under the protection of,** under the shield of, under the aegis of, **under one's wing,** under the wing of, under the shadow of one's wing.

.23 **protective, custodial,** guardian, tutelary; vigilant, watchful; prophylactic, preventive; immunizing; protecting, guarding, safeguarding, sheltering, **shielding,** screening, covering; fostering, parental; defensive 799.11.

700. REFUGE

.1 NOUNS **refuge, sanctuary,** safehold, **asylum, haven, port,** harborage, **harbor;** harbor of refuge, port in a storm, snug harbor, safe haven; game sanctuary, bird sanctuary, preserve, forest preserve, game preserve; stronghold 799.6.

.2 **recourse, resource, resort;** last resort *or* resource, *dernier ressort, pis aller* [both Fr]; **hope; expedient** 670.2.

.3 **shelter, cover, covert,** coverture; concealment 615; *abri* [Fr], dugout, cave, earth, funk hole [informal], foxhole; bunker; trench; storm cellar, storm cave, cyclone cellar; air-raid shelter, bomb shelter, bombproof, fallout shelter, safety zone *or* isle *or* island.

.4 **asylum, home,** retreat; **poorhouse,** almshouse, workhouse [Brit], poor farm; **orphanage; hospice,** hospitium; old folks' home, rest home, nursing home, old soldiers' home, sailors' snug harbor; foster home; halfway house.

.5 **retreat,** recess, hiding place, **hideaway,** hideout; **sanctum, sanctum sanctorum,** holy of holies, adytum; privacy [archaic], secret place; **den,** lair, mew; **cloister,** hermitage, ashram, cell; **ivory tower.**

.6 **harbor, haven, port, seaport;** harborage, **anchorage,** anchorage ground, protected anchorage, moorings; **roadstead,** road, roads; berth, slip; **dock,** dockage, marina, basin; dry dock; shipyard, dockyard; **wharf, pier,** quay; landing, landing place *or* stage, jetty, jutty [archaic]; breakwater, mole, groin; seawall, embankment, bulkhead.

.7 VERBS **take refuge, take shelter,** seek refuge, **claim sanctuary,** run into port; fly to, throw oneself into the arms of; bar the gate, lock *or* bolt the door, raise the drawbridge, let the portcullis down; take cover 615.8.

.8 **find refuge** *or* sanctuary, make port, reach safety.

701. PRESERVATION

.1 NOUNS **preservation,** preserval, **conservation,** conservancy, **saving, salvation,** salvage, **keeping, safekeeping,** maintenance, upkeep, support; protection 699; conservationism, environmental conservation; soil conservation, forest conservation, forest management, wildlife conservation, stream conservation, water conservation, wetlands conservation.

.2 (means of preservation) **curing,** seasoning, salting, brining, pickling, marination, corning; **drying,** dry-curing, jerking; dehydration, anhydration, evaporation, desiccation; **smoking,** fuming, smoke-curing, kippering; **refrigeration,** freezing, quick-freezing, blast-freezing; freeze-drying, lyophilization; irradiation; **embalming,** mummification; taxidermy, stuffing; **canning,** tinning [Brit]; bottling, potting.

.3 **preservative,** preservative medium; salt, brine, vinegar, formaldehyde, Formalin, embalming fluid.

.4 **preserver,** saver, conservator, keeper, safekeeper; taxidermist; lifesaver, rescuer, deliverer, savior; **conservationist,** preservationist; National Wildlife Service, Audubon Society, Sierra Club; ranger, forest ranger, game warden.

.5 **life preserver,** life jacket, life vest, life belt, cork jacket, Mae West [informal]; life buoy, life ring, buoy; water wings; breeches buoy; lifeboat, life raft, rubber dinghy [Brit]; life net; lifeline; safety belt; **parachute,** ejection seat *or* ejector seat, ejection capsule.

.6 (place set apart for conservation) **preserve, reserve, reservation; park,** paradise; national park; forest preserve *or* reserve; national *or* state forest; wilderness preserve; Indian reservation; game reserve, bird sanctuary, wildlife preserve, **sanctuary** 700.1; museum, library, archives, bank, store 660.

.7 VERBS **preserve, conserve, save,** spare; **keep,** keep safe, keep inviolate *or* intact; patent, copyright, register; not endanger, not destroy; not use up, not waste, not expend; **guard, protect** 699.18; **maintain, sustain,** uphold, support, **keep up,** keep alive.

.8 (preserve from decay) preservatize; **cure,** season, salt, brine, marinate *or* marinade, pickle, corn, **dry, dry-cure,** jerk, dry-salt; dehydrate, anhydrate, evaporate, desiccate; **smoke,** fume, **smoke-cure,** smoke-dry, kipper; **refrigerate,** freeze, quick-

freeze, blast-freeze; freeze-dry, lyophilize; irradiate; **embalm,** mummify; stuff.

.9 **put up,** do up; **can,** tin [Brit]; bottle, jar, pot.

.10 ADJS **preservative,** preservatory, conservative, conservatory; **conservational,** conservationist; preserving, conserving, saving, keeping; **protective** 699.23.

.11 **preserved,** conserved, **kept,** saved, spared; protected 699.21; **untainted, unspoiled;** intact, undamaged 677.7,8; **well-preserved,** well-conserved, **well-kept,** in a good state of preservation.

702. RESCUE

.1 NOUNS **rescue, deliverance,** delivery, **saving;** lifesaving; **extrication, release, freeing, liberation** 763; **salvation,** salvage, **redemption,** ransom; **recovery, retrieval.**

.2 **rescuer,** lifesaver, lifeguard; coast guard, lifesaving service, air-sea rescue; savior 942.2; lifeboat.

.3 VERBS **rescue,** come to the rescue, **deliver, save,** be the saving of, **redeem,** ransom, **salvage; recover, retrieve** 823.6; **free,** set free, **release, extricate,** extract, **liberate** 763.4–6; snatch from the jaws of death; save one's bacon *or* save one's neck *or* bail one out [all informal].

.4 ADJS **rescuable, savable;** redeemable; deliverable, extricable.

703. WARNING

.1 NOUNS **warning, caution,** caveat, **admonition,** monition, admonishment; **notice,** notification; **word to the wise,** *verbum sapienti* [L], verb. sap.; flea in one's ear [informal]; hint, tip-off [informal]; **lesson,** object lesson, **example,** deterrent example, warning piece; moral, moral of the story; **alarm** 704; final warning *or* notice, ultimatum; **threat** 973.

.2 **forewarning,** prewarning, **premonition,** precautioning; advance notice, plenty of notice, prenotification, prenotice; presentiment, **foreboding** 544; **portent,** "warnings, and portents and evils imminent" [Shakespeare].

.3 **warning sign, premonitory sign, danger sign;** preliminary sign *or* signal; **symptom,** early symptom, premonitory symptom, prodrome, prodroma, prodromata [pl]; **precursor** 66; **omen** 544.3,6; **handwriting on the wall,** *"mene, mene, tekel, upharsin"* [Aramaic; Bible]; straw in the wind; gathering clouds, clouds on the horizon; thundercloud, thunderhead; falling barometer *or* glass; storm *or* stormy petrel, Mother Carey's chicken; **red light,** red flag; quarantine flag, yellow flag, yellow jack; death's-head, skull and crossbones; **high sign** [slang], **warning signal.**

.4 **warner,** cautioner, admonisher, monitor; prophet of doom, Cassandra, Jeremiah; **lookout, lookout man; sentinel, sentry; signalman,** signaler, flagman; lighthouse keeper.

.5 VERBS **warn, caution, advise, admonish; give warning,** give fair warning, utter a caveat, address a warning to, put a flea in one's ear [informal], say a word to the wise; tip *or* tip off [both informal]; notify, give notice, tell once and for all; issue an ultimatum; **threaten** 973.2; **alert,** warn against, put on one's guard; **give the high sign** [slang]; cry havoc, sound the alarm 704.3.

.6 **forewarn,** prewarn, precaution, premonish; prenotify, tell in advance, give advance notice; **portend, forebode** 544.10.

.7 ADJS **warning,** cautioning, **cautionary; monitory,** monitorial, admonitory, admonishing; notifying, notificational; exemplary, deterrent.

.8 **forewarning, premonitory; portentous,** foreboding 544.17; **precautionary,** precautional; precursive, precursory, forerunning, prodromal, prodromic.

704. ALARM

.1 NOUNS **alarm,** alarum, alarm signal, **alert;** hue and cry; note of alarm; air-raid alarm; all clear; tocsin, alarm bell; signal of distress, SOS, Mayday, upside-down flag; fiery cross, crostarie; storm warning, storm flag *or* pennant *or* cone, hurricane warning, gale warning, small-craft warning; fog signal *or* alarm, foghorn, fog bell; burglar alarm; fire alarm, fire bell, fire flag, still alarm; siren, whistle, horn, Klaxon; hooter [Brit], buzzer; police whistle, watchman's rattle; alarm clock; five-minute gun, two-minute gun; lighthouse, beacon; blinking light, flashing light, occulting light.

.2 **false alarm,** cry of wolf; bugbear, bugaboo; bogy; flash in the pan, dud [informal].

.3 VERBS **alarm, alert, arouse,** put on the alert; **warn** 703.5; fly storm warnings; **sound the alarm,** give *or* raise *or* beat *or* turn in an alarm; ring *or* sound the tocsin, cry havoc, raise a hue and cry; give a false alarm, **cry wolf; frighten** 891.23, startle 540.8.

.4 ADJS **alarmed, aroused;** alerted; **frightened** 891.33; **startled** 540.13.

705. ACTION

(voluntary action)

.1 NOUNS **action,** act, **acting, doing,** –ade, –esis, –ice, –y; not words but action; **practice,** praxis, –praxia; **exercise; operation,** working, function, functioning; **operations;** workings, **movements;** employment, work, occupation; swing, play; **activism; activity** 707; **behavior** 737.

.2 **performance, execution,** enactment; **transaction; discharge, dispatch;** conduct, **handling,** management, administration [archaic]; **achievement, accomplishment, effectuation, implementation; commission, perpetration;** completion 722.2.

.3 **act, action, deed, doing,** thing, thing done; **turn; feat, stunt** [informal], *tour de force* [Fr], **exploit,** adventure, gest, **enterprise,** achievement, accomplishment, **performance,** production; effort, endeavor, job, undertaking; **transaction,** passage; operation, proceeding, step, measure, **maneuver, move;** coup, stroke; blow, go [informal]; accomplished fact, *fait accompli* [Fr]; overt act [law]; *acta, res gestae* [both L], **doings, dealings; works;** work, handiwork, hand.

.4 VERBS **act, serve, function; operate, work,** practice, do one's stuff [slang]; do one's thing [slang]; **move,** proceed; make, play, **behave** 737.4.

.5 **take action, take steps** *or* **measures; proceed,** proceed with; do something, **do something about, act on** *or* **upon,** get with it [slang]; **go;** lift a finger, **take** *or* **bear a hand;** play a role *or* part in; stretch forth one's hand; strike a blow; **maneuver.**

.6 **do, effect,** effectuate, **make; bring about,** bring to pass, **bring off, produce, achieve, accomplish,** realize 722.4,5; **render, pay; inflict, wreak,** do to; **commit, perpetrate;** pull off [informal]; go and do, up and do *or* take and do [both dial].

.7 **practice, exercise, employ, use; carry on, conduct, prosecute, wage; follow, pursue; engage in,** work at, devote oneself to, do, apply oneself to, employ oneself in; **take up,** take to, **undertake, tackle,** take on, address oneself to, have a go at, turn one's hand to, **go in** *or* **out for** [informal], make it one's business, follow as an occupation; specialize in 81.4.

.8 **perform, execute, enact; transact; discharge, dispatch;** conduct, **manage, handle;** dispose of, take care of, **deal with,** cope with; **make, accomplish,** complete 722.4–6.

.9 **carry out,** carry through, go through, fulfill, work out; **bring off,** carry off; **put through,** get through; **implement; put into effect, put in** *or* **into practice,** carry into effect, carry into execution, **translate into action;** suit the action to the word; rise to the occasion, come through [informal].

.10 ADJS **acting,** performing, practicing, serving, functioning, functional, operating, operational, working; in action 164.11; behavioral 737.7.

706. INACTION

(voluntary inaction)

.1 NOUNS **inaction,** passiveness, "a wise passiveness" [Wordsworth], **passivity,** passivism; passive resistance, nonviolent resistance; nonresistance, nonviolence; pacifism; neutrality, neutralness, neutralism, **nonparticipation, noninvolvement;** standpattism [informal]; **do-nothingism,** do-nothingness, do-nothing policy, *laissez-faire* policy, **laissez-faireism;** *laissez-faire, laissez-aller* [both Fr]; watching and waiting, watchful waiting, waiting game; **inertia,** inertness, **immobility,** dormancy, stagnation, stagnancy, vegetation, stasis, paralysis; **procrastination; idleness,** indolence, **inactivity** 708; **quiescence** 268; **quietism,** contemplation, meditation, passive self-annihilation; contemplative life, *vita contemplativa* [L].

.2 VERBS **do nothing,** not stir, not budge, **not lift a finger** *or* **hand,** not move a foot, **sit back, sit on one's hands** [informal], sit on one's ass *or* butt *or* duff [slang], sit on the sidelines, be a sideliner, sit it out, fold one's arms, twiddle one's thumbs; **cool one's heels** [informal]; **bide one's time, delay,** watch and wait, wait and see, play a waiting game, hang fire; lie *or* rest upon one's oars, rest, be still 268.7; repose on one's laurels; drift, coast; **stagnate,** vegetate, lie dormant, hibernate; idle 708.11.

.3 **refrain, abstain,** hold, **spare, forbear, forgo,** keep from; hold *or* stay one's hand.

.4 **let alone,** leave alone, **leave** *or* **let well enough alone;** not make waves, not rock the boat; **let be,** leave be [slang], let things take their course, let it have its

way; leave things as they are, let sleeping dogs lie; *laisser faire, laisser passer, laisser aller* [all Fr], live and let live; **take no part in,** not get involved in, **have nothing to do with,** have no hand in, stand *or* hold aloof.

.5 **let go,** let pass, **let slip, let slide** *or* let ride [both informal]; procrastinate.

.6 ADJS **passive; neutral,** neuter; standpat [informal], **do-nothing;** *laissez-faire, laissez-aller* [both Fr]; **inert,** immobile, dormant, stagnant, stagnating, vegetative, vegetable, static, stationary, motionless, paralyzed, paralytic; procrastinating; **inactive, idle** 708.16,17; quiescent 268.12; quietist, quietistic, contemplative, meditative.

.7 ADVS **at a stand** *or* **standstill,** at a halt.

707. ACTIVITY

.1 NOUNS **activity, action,** activeness; **movement,** motion, **stir; proceedings, doings, goings-on,** –fest, –ics; **activism,** political activism, **militancy;** business 656.

.2 **liveliness, animation, vivacity,** vivaciousness, **sprightliness, spiritedness,** bubbliness, ebullience, effervescence, **briskness, breeziness, peppiness** [informal]; **life, spirit, verve,** energy; moxie *or* pizzazz *or* piss and vinegar [all slang], pep [informal], vim 161.2.

.3 **quickness, swiftness, speediness, alacrity,** readiness, smartness, sharpness, briskness; **promptness,** promptitude; dispatch, expeditiousness, expedition; **agility, nimbleness, spryness.**

.4 **bustle, fuss, flurry, flutter,** fluster, scramble, ferment, stew, sweat, whirl, swirl, vortex, maelstrom, **stir,** hubbub, hullabaloo, flap [informal], feery-fary [Scot], ado, to-do, bother, botheration, pother; fussiness, flutteriness; tumult, commotion, **agitation** 857.3; **restlessness,** unquiet, fidgetiness 857.4; **spurt, burst,** fit, spasm.

.5 **busyness, press of business;** plenty to do, many irons in the fire; the battle of life, the rat race [informal].

.6 **industry,** industriousness, assiduousness, **assiduity, diligence, application,** concentration, laboriousness, sedulity, **sedulousness,** unsparingness, relentlessness, zealousness, ardor, fervor, vehemence; **energy,** energeticalness, strenuousness, tirelessness, indefatigability.

.7 **enterprise,** enterprisingness, dynamism, **initiative,** aggression, **aggressiveness,** force, forcefulness, pushfulness, pushingness, **pushiness, push, drive, hustle,** go, getup, get-up-and-get *or* **get-up-and-go, go-ahead,** go-getting, go-to-itiveness [informal], **up-and-comingness;** adventurousness, venturousness, venturesomeness, adventuresomeness; spirit, gumption *or* spunk [both informal]; **ambitiousness** 634.10.

.8 **man of action, doer,** man of deeds; **hustler** [informal], bustler; go-getter *or* ball of fire *or* live wire *or* powerhouse *or* human dynamo [all informal]; beaver, busy bee, **eager beaver** [informal]; operator *or* big-time operator *or* wheeler-dealer [all slang]; winner [informal]; **activist,** political activist, **militant;** enthusiast 635.5; new broom, take-charge guy [slang].

.9 **overactivity,** hyperactivity; hyperkinesia *or* hyperkinesis; franticness, frenziedness; overexertion, overextension; officiousness 238.2.

.10 VERBS **be busy, have one's hands full,** have many irons in the fire; not have a moment to spare, not have a moment that one can call one's own; have other things to do, have other fish to fry; **work, labor, drudge** 716.12–14; **busy oneself** 656.10,11.

.11 **stir,** stir about, **bestir oneself,** stir one's stumps [informal], be up and doing.

.12 **bustle, fuss,** make a fuss, **flutter,** rush around *or* about, tear around, hurry about, buzz *or* whiz about, dart to and fro, go around like a chicken with its head cut off.

.13 **hustle** [informal], **drive,** drive oneself, **push, scramble,** go all out [informal], **make things hum,** step lively [informal], make the sparks *or* chips fly; make up for lost time; press on, drive on; go ahead, forge ahead, shoot ahead, go full steam ahead.

.14 [slang terms] **hump,** get cutting, break one's neck, bear down on it, **hit the ball,** pour it on, lean on it, shake a leg, go to town on.

.15 **keep going, keep on,** keep on the go, **carry on,** peg *or* plug away [informal], **keep at it,** keep moving, keep driving, **keep the pot boiling,** keep the ball rolling; keep busy, **keep one's nose to the grindstone,** stay on the treadmill.

.16 make the most of one's time, improve the shining hour, make hay while the sun shines, not let the grass grow under one's feet; get up early.

.17 ADJS **active, lively, animated, spirited,** bubbly, ebullient, effervescent, **vivacious, sprightly,** chipper *or* perky [both informal], pert; **spry, breezy, brisk, energetic,**

smacking, spanking; alive, live, full of life, full of pep *or* full of go [both informal]; **peppy** *or* snappy *or* zingy [all informal]; frisky, bouncing, bouncy; mercurial, quicksilver; **activist**, activistic, **militant**.

.18 **quick, swift, speedy, expeditious,** alacritous, dispatchful [archaic], **prompt,** ready, smart, sharp, quick on the trigger [informal]; **agile, nimble, spry.**

.19 **astir, stirring,** afoot, **on foot;** in full swing.

.20 **bustling,** fussing, fluttering, **fluttery,** fussy; **fidgety,** restless, fretful, jumpy, unquiet, unsettled 857.25; **agitated, turbulent** 857.21,22.

.21 **busy,** full of business; **occupied, engaged, employed, working;** at it; **at work,** on duty, on the job, in harness; hard at work, **hard at it; on the move, on the go,** on the run, **on the hop** *or* **jump** [informal]; busy as a bee *or* beaver, busier than a one-armed paper hanger [informal]; up to one's ears *or* elbows in; tied up.

.22 **industrious, assiduous, diligent, sedulous,** laborious, **hardworking;** hard, unremitting, unsparing, relentless, zealous, ardent, fervent, vehement; **energetic,** strenuous; never idle; sleepless, unsleeping; tireless, unwearied, unflagging, indefatigable 625.7.

.23 **enterprising, aggressive, dynamic,** driving, forceful, **pushing,** pushful, **pushy, up-and-coming, go-ahead** *or* **hustling** [both informal]; adventurous, venturous, venturesome, adventuresome; **ambitious** 634.28.

.24 **overactive,** hyperactive; hectic, frenzied, frantic, frenetic; hyperkinetic; intrusive, officious 238.8,9.

.25 ADVS **actively, busily; lively,** sprightly, **briskly, breezily, energetically, animatedly, vivaciously, spiritedly,** with life and spirit; allegro, allegretto; full tilt, in full swing, all out [informal].

.26 **quickly, swiftly, expeditiously,** with dispatch, readily, **promptly; agilely, nimbly, spryly.**

.27 **industriously, assiduously, diligently, sedulously,** laboriously; unsparingly, relentlessly, zealously, ardently, fervently, vehemently; **energetically,** strenuously, tirelessly, indefatigably.

708. INACTIVITY

.1 NOUNS **inactivity, inaction,** inactiveness; lull, suspension; suspended animation; dormancy, hibernation; immobility, motionlessness, quiescence 268; **inertia** 706.1; underactivity.

.2 **idleness,** unemployment, otiosity, inoccupation; idle hands, idle hours, time hanging on one's hands; "a life of dignified otiosity" [Thackeray].

.3 **unemployment,** inoccupation; layoff, furlough; normal unemployment, seasonal unemployment, technological unemployment, cyclical unemployment; unemployment insurance.

.4 **idling, loafing,** lazing, *flânerie* [Fr], goofing off [slang], goldbricking [informal]; *dolce far niente* [Ital]; trifling; dallying, dillydallying, mopery, dawdling; loitering, tarrying, lingering; lounging, lolling.

.5 **indolence, laziness, sloth,** slothfulness, lotus-eating; laggardness, slowness, dilatoriness, remissness, do-nothingness, faineancy, *fainéantise* [Fr]; inexertion, inertia; **shiftlessness,** dolessness [dial], hoboism, vagrancy; spring fever; ergophobia.

.6 **languor,** languidness, languorousness, languishment [archaic], lackadaisicalness, **listlessness,** lifelessness, inanimation, enervation, slowness, lenitude *or* lentor [both archaic], **dullness, sluggishness,** heaviness, dopiness [informal], hebetude, supineness, **lassitude, lethargy,** oscitancy, kef; phlegm, apathy, indifference, passivity; torpidness, **torpor,** torpitude, torpidity; stupor, stupefaction; **sloth,** slothfulness, acedia; **sleepiness, somnolence, drowsiness** 712.1; **weariness, fatigue** 717; jadedness, satedness 664.2; world-weariness, ennui, boredom 884.3.

.7 **lazybones,** lazyboots, lazylegs, indolent, lie-abed, slugabed.

.8 **idler, loafer, lounger,** loller, lotus-eater, *flâneur, flâneuse* [both Fr], **do-nothing,** dolittle, *fainéant* [Fr], goof-off [slang], goldbrick *or* goldbricker [both informal]; **sluggard,** slug, slouch, sloucher, lubber, stick-in-the-mud [informal], gentleman of leisure; **time waster,** time killer; **dallier, dillydallier,** mope, moper, doodler, diddler [informal], **dawdler,** dawdle, laggard, **loiterer,** lingerer; waiter on Providence; trifler, **putterer,** potterer; clock watcher.

.9 **bum,** stiff [slang], derelict, skid-row bum, Bowery bum, *lazzarone* [Ital]; beachcomber; **good-for-nothing,** good-for-naught, **ne'er-do-well,** wastrel; vagrant, hobo, tramp 274.3; beggar 774.8.

.10 **nonworker, drone;** cadger, bummer *or* moocher [both slang], **sponger,** freeloader, lounge lizard [informal], social parasite, parasite, spiv [Brit]; beggar, mendicant, panhandler [slang]; **the unemployed;** the unemployable; lumpen

proletariat; leisure class, rentiers, coupon clippers, idle rich.

.11 VERBS **idle,** do nothing, **laze,** lazy [informal], take one's ease, take one's time, **loaf, lounge; lie around,** lounge around, loll around, lollop around [Brit informal], moon, moon around, sit around, sit on one's ass *or* butt *or* duff [slang], stand around, hang around, **loiter about** *or* **around,** slouch, slouch around, **bum around** *or* mooch around [both slang]; **goof off** *or* **lie down on the job** [both slang]; sleep at one's post; let the grass grow under one's feet; twiddle one's thumbs, fold one's arms.

.12 **waste time,** consume time, **kill time,** idle *or* trifle *or* fritter *or* fool away time, loiter away *or* loiter out the time, beguile the time, **while away the time,** pass the time, lose time, waste the precious hours, burn daylight [archaic]; **trifle,** dabble, fribble, footle, putter, potter, piddle, diddle, doodle.

.13 **dally, dillydally,** piddle, diddle, diddle-daddle, doodle, **dawdle, loiter,** lollygag [dial], linger, lag, poke, take one's time.

.14 **take it easy,** take things as they come, **drift,** drift with the current, swim with the stream, coast, lead an easy life, **live a life of ease,** eat the bread of idleness, lie *or* rest upon one's oars; rest *or* repose on one's laurels, lie back on one's record.

.15 **lie idle, lie fallow;** aestivate, hibernate, lie dormant; lie *or* lay off, recharge one's batteries [informal]; lie up, lie on the shelf; ride at anchor, lay *or* lie by, lay *or* lie to; have nothing to do, have nothing on [slang].

.16 ADJS **inactive,** unactive; stationary, static, at a standstill; sedentary; **quiescent,** motionless 268.12–14.

.17 **idle,** fallow, otiose; **unemployed, unoccupied,** disengaged, *désœuvré* [Fr], **jobless, out of work,** out of employ, out of a job, out of harness; free, available, at liberty, at leisure; at loose ends; unemployable, lumpen; leisure, leisured; off duty, off work, off.

.18 **indolent, lazy,** bone-lazy, **slothful,** workshy, ergophobic; **do-nothing,** *fainéant* [Fr], **laggard,** slow, **dilatory,** procrastinative, remiss, slack, lax; easy; **shiftless,** doless [dial]; **unenterprising,** nonaggressive; good-for-nothing, ne'er-do-well; drony, dronish, spivvish [Brit], parasitic, cadging, sponging, scrounging.

.19 **languid, languorous, listless,** lifeless, inanimate, enervated, debilitated, **pepless** [informal], lackadaisical, slow, wan, **lethargic,** hebetudinous, supine, lymphatic, apathetic, **sluggish,** dopey [slang], drugged, droopy, **dull,** heavy, leaden, lumpish, **torpid,** stultified, **inert,** stagnant, stagnating, vegetative, vegetable, dormant; phlegmatic, numb, benumbed; moribund, dead, exanimate; sleepy, somnolent 712.21; **pooped** [slang], weary 717.6; jaded, sated 664.6; **blasé,** world-weary, bored 884.10,11.

709. HASTE

.1 NOUNS **haste, hurry, scurry, rush, race,** dash, drive, scuttle, scamper, **scramble,** hustle [informal], **bustle,** flutter, **flurry,** hurry-scurry, helter-skelter; no time to be lost.

.2 **hastiness, hurriedness,** quickness, swiftness, expeditiousness, alacrity, promptness 707.3; **speed** 269.1,2; furiousness, feverishness; **precipitousness,** precipitance *or* precipitancy, precipitation; suddenness, abruptness; **impetuousness,** impetuosity, **impulsiveness, rashness.**

.3 **hastening, hurrying,** festination, speeding, forwarding, quickening, **acceleration;** forced march, double time, double-quick time, double-quick.

.4 VERBS **hasten,** haste, **hurry, accelerate, speed,** speed up, **hurry up,** hustle up [informal], **rush,** quicken, hustle [informal], bustle, bundle, precipitate, forward; **dispatch, expedite; whip,** whip along, spur, **urge** 648.14–16; push, press; crowd, stampede; **hurry on,** hasten on, drive on, hie on, push on; **hurry along,** rush along, speed along, **speed on its way; push through,** railroad through [informal].

.5 **make haste, hasten,** festinate, **hurry, get moving** *or* **going** [informal], get a move on [informal], **hurry up, race, run,** post, **rush, chase, tear, dash,** spurt, leap, plunge, **scurry,** hurry-scurry, **scamper, scramble, scuttle, hustle** [informal], bundle, **bustle;** bestir oneself, move quickly 269.8–13; hurry on, dash on, press *or* push on, crowd; double-time, go at the double; break one's neck *or* fall all over oneself [both informal]; lose no time, not lose a moment; rush through, hurry through; dash off; make short work of, make the best of one's time *or* way, make up for lost time.

.6 [slang terms] **step on it, snap to it,** hop to it, hotfoot, bear down on it, shake it up, get cracking, get the lead out, get the lead out of one's ass, get one's ass in

gear, hump, hump it, hump oneself, shag ass, tear ass, **get a hustle** *or* **move** *or* **wiggle on,** stir one's stumps, not spare the horses.

.7 **rush into, plunge into,** dive into, plunge, plunge headlong; **not stop to think,** go off half-cocked *or* at half cock [informal], leap before one looks.

.8 **be in a hurry,** have no time to lose *or* spare, not have a moment to spare, work against time, work under pressure.

.9 ADJS **hasty, hurried,** festinate, **quick,** flying, **expeditious,** prompt 707.18; **immediate,** instant, on the spot; **swift, speedy** 269.19; **urgent** 672.21; furious, feverish; slap-bang, slapdash, **cursory,** passing, snap [informal], superficial; last-minute.

.10 **precipitate,** precipitant, precipitous; **sudden,** abrupt; **impetuous, impulsive, rash;** headlong, breakneck; breathless, panting.

.11 **hurried, rushed,** pushed, pressed, crowded, **pressed for time,** hard-pushed *or* -pressed, hard-run; double-time, double-quick, on *or* at the double.

.12 ADVS **hastily, hurriedly, quickly; expeditiously,** promptly, with dispatch; apace, amain, hand over fist, **immediately,** instantly, at once; **swiftly, speedily** 269.21; with haste, with great *or* all haste, with a rush; furiously, feverishly, in a sweat *or* lather of haste, hotfoot; by forced marches; **helter-skelter, hurry-scurry,** pell-mell; slapdash, cursorily, superficially, on the run *or* fly, in passing.

.13 **posthaste,** in posthaste; post, express; by express, by airmail, by return mail; by cable, by telegraph.

.14 **in a hurry, in haste,** in hot haste, in all haste; in short order 269.23; against time, against the clock.

.15 **precipitately,** precipitantly, precipitously, slap-bang; **suddenly,** abruptly; **impetuously, impulsively, rashly; headlong,** headfirst, headforemost, head over heels, heels over head [archaic], *à corps perdu* [Fr].

.16 INTERJS **make haste!,** make it quick!, **hurry up!; now!; at once!,** rush!, immediate!, **urgent!,** instanter!; **step lively!,** look alive!, on the double!

.17 [slang terms] **step on it!,** snap to it!, **make it snappy!, get a move on!,** get a wiggle on!, **chop-chop!, shake a leg!,** stir your stumps!, get the lead out!, **get moving!,** get going!, get cracking!, get with it!, hop to it!, move your tail!, move your fanny!, get on the ball!, don't spare the horses!

710. LEISURE

.1 NOUNS **leisure, ease, convenience,** freedom; retirement, semiretirement; rest, repose 711; **free time, spare time,** goof-off time [slang], odd moments, idle hours; time to spare *or* burn *or* kill, time on one's hands, time at one's disposal *or* command; time, one's own sweet time [informal].

.2 **leisureliness, unhurriedness,** unhastiness, hastelessness, relaxedness; *dolce far niente* [Ital]; **inactivity** 708; **slowness** 270; deliberateness, deliberation.

.3 VERBS **have time,** have time enough, have time to spare, have plenty of time, have nothing but time, be in no hurry.

.4 **take one's leisure,** take one's ease, **take one's time, take one's own sweet time** [informal], do at one's leisure *or* convenience *or* pleasure; go slow 270.6–9.

.5 ADJS **leisure, leisured;** idle, unoccupied, free, open, spare; retired, semiretired.

.6 **leisurely, unhurried,** unhasty, hasteless, easy, relaxed; deliberate; inactive 708.16, 17; **slow** 270.10.

.7 ADVS **at leisure, at one's leisure, at one's convenience,** at one's own sweet time [informal], when one gets around to it, when it is handy, when one has the time, when one has a minute to spare, when one has a moment to call one's own.

711. REST, REPOSE

.1 NOUNS **rest, repose, ease, relaxation;** slippered *or* unbuttoned ease; **comfort** 887; restfulness, quiet, tranquillity 268.1; inactivity 708; sleep 712.

.2 **respite, recess, rest, pause,** halt, stay, lull, **break,** surcease, suspension, interlude, **intermission,** spell [Austral], letup [informal], **time out** [informal], time to catch one's breath; **breathing spell,** breathing time, breathing place, breathing space, breath, **breather;** coffee break, tea break, cigarette break; cocktail hour, happy hour [informal]; enforced respite, downtime.

.3 **vacation,** holiday [Brit]; **time off;** paid vacation, paid holiday [Brit]; **leave, leave of absence, furlough; liberty,** shore leave; **sabbatical,** sabbatical leave *or* year; **weekend; busman's holiday.**

.4 **holiday** 137.12, **day off; red-letter day,** gala day, fete day, festival day, day of festivities; legal holiday, bank holiday [Brit]; High Holiday, High Holy Day; holy day 1040.14,15; feast, feast day, high day,

church feast, fixed feast, movable feast; half-holiday.

.5 **day of rest,** *dies non* [L]; **Sabbath,** Sunday, Lord's day, First day.

.6 VERBS **rest, repose,** take rest, take one's ease, **take it easy** [informal], rest from one's labors, take life easy; go to rest, settle to rest; lie down, go to bed, snug down, curl up, bed, bed down, couch, recline, lounge, drape oneself, sprawl, loll; take off one's shoes, unbuckle one's belt.

.7 **relax,** unlax [slang], unbend, unwind, slack, slacken, **ease; ease up, let up,** slack up, slack off, **ease off,** let down, **slow down,** let up on.

.8 **take a rest, take a break, break, take time out** [informal], pause, lay off, **knock off** [informal], recess, **take a recess,** take ten *or* take five [both slang]; stop for breath, catch one's breath, breathe; stop work, suspend operations, call it a day.

.9 **vacation,** holiday, take a holiday, make holiday; **take a leave of absence,** take leave, go on leave, go on furlough, take one's sabbatical; weekend; Sunday, Christmas, etc.

.10 ADJS **vacational, holiday,** ferial [archaic], festal; sabbatical; **comfortable** 887.11,12; **restful,** quiet 268.12.

.11 ADVS **at rest, at ease,** at one's ease; abed, in bed.

.12 **on vacation,** on leave, on furlough; off duty, on one's own time.

712. SLEEP

.1 NOUNS **sleepiness, drowsiness,** doziness, heaviness, lethargy, oscitation, somnolence *or* somnolency, yawning, stretching, oscitancy, pandiculation; languor 708.6; sand in the eyes, heavy eyelids; REM sleep.

.2 **sleep, slumber,** narc(o)–, somni–; **repose,** silken repose, *somnus* [L], the arms of Morpheus; bye-bye *or* beddy-bye [both informal]; doss [Brit slang], blanket drill *or* shut-eye [both slang]; light sleep, fitful sleep, **doze, drowse,** snoozle [dial]; beauty sleep [informal]; sleepwalking, somnambulism; somniloquy; **land of Nod,** slumberland, sleepland, dreamland; hibernation, winter sleep, aestivation; bedtime, sack time [slang]; unconsciousness 423.2.

.3 **nap, snooze** [informal], **cat nap,** wink, **forty winks** [informal], wink of sleep, spot of sleep; **siesta,** blanket drill [slang].

.4 sweet sleep, balmy sleep, downy sleep, soft sleep, gentle sleep, smiling sleep, golden slumbers; "folded sleep" [Tennyson], "dewy-feathered sleep" [Milton], "care-charmer Sleep, son of the sable night" [Samuel Daniel], "the honey-heavy dew of slumber" [Shakespeare]; peaceful sleep, sleep of the just; restful sleep, good night's sleep, "sleep that knits up the ravell'd sleave of care" [Shakespeare], "Brother of Death" [Sir Thomas Browne].

.5 **deep sleep,** profound sleep, heavy sleep, **sound sleep,** unbroken sleep, wakeless sleep, drugged sleep, dreamless sleep, the sleep of the dead, "sleep such as makes the darkness brief" [Martial].

.6 **stupor,** sopor, **coma, swoon,** lethargy [archaic]; **trance;** narcosis, narcohypnosis, narcoma, narcotization, narcotic stupor *or* trance; sedation; high [slang]; nod [informal]; narcolepsy; catalepsy; thanatosis, shock 686.24; sleeping sickness, encephalitis lethargica.

.7 **hypnosis,** mesmeric *or* **hypnotic sleep, trance,** somnipathy, hypnotic somnolence; lethargic hypnosis, somnambulistic hypnosis, cataleptic hypnosis, animal hypnosis; narcohypnosis; autohypnosis, self-hypnosis; hypnotherapy 690.5.

.8 **hypnotism, mesmerism;** hypnology; hypnotization, mesmerization; **animal magnetism,** od, odyl, odylic force; hypnotic suggestion, posthypnotic suggestion, autosuggestion.

.9 **hypnotist, mesmerist,** hypnotizer, mesmerizer; Svengali, Mesmer.

.10 **sleep-inducer,** sleep-producer, sleep-provoker, sleep-bringer, hypnotic, soporific, somnifacient; poppy, mandrake, mandragora, opium, opiate, morphine, morphia; nightcap; sedative 687.12; anesthetic 687.57; lullaby 462.15.

.11 **Morpheus,** Somnus, Hypnos; "sweet father of soft rest" [Wm. Drummond]; sandman, dustman [Brit].

.12 **sleeper, slumberer;** sleeping beauty; **sleepyhead,** lie-abed, slugabed, sleepwalker, somnambulist; somniloquist.

.13 VERBS **sleep, slumber,** rest in the arms of Morpheus; **doze, drowse; nap,** take a nap, catch a wink; sleep soundly, **sleep like a top** *or* **log,** sleep like the dead; snore, saw wood *or* saw logs [both slang]; oversleep.

.14 [slang *or* informal terms] **snooze,** get some shut-eye, get some sack time, take forty winks; pound the ear, kip *or* doss [both Brit].

.15 **hibernate,** aestivate, lie dormant.

.16 **go to sleep,** settle to sleep, go off to sleep, **fall asleep,** drop asleep, **drop off,**

"drift gently down the tides of sleep" [Longfellow]; **doze off, drowse off,** nod off, dope off [slang]; close one's eyes, "let fall the shadow of mine eyes" [Shakespeare].

.17 **go to bed, retire;** lay me down to sleep; bed, bed down; go night-night *or* go bye-bye *or* go beddy-bye [all informal].

.18 [slang *or* informal terms] **hit the hay, hit the sack,** crash, turn in, crawl in, flop, sack out, sack up, kip down *or* doss down [both Brit].

.19 **put to bed,** bed; nestle, cradle; **tuck in.**

.20 **put to sleep; lull to sleep,** rock to sleep; **hypnotize, mesmerize,** magnetize; **entrance,** trance, put in a trance; narcotize, drug, dope [slang]; anesthetize, put under; sedate.

.21 ADJS **sleepy, drowsy,** dozy, snoozy [informal], **slumberous,** slumbery, dreamy; **half asleep,** asleep on one's feet; sleepful, sleep-filled; yawny, stretchy [informal], oscitant, yawning, napping, **nodding,** ready for bed; heavy, **heavy-eyed, heavy with sleep,** sleep-swollen, sleep-drowned, sleep-drunk, drugged with sleep; **somnolent,** soporific; **lethargic,** comatose, narcose *or* narcous, stuporose *or* **stuporous, in a stupor,** out of it [informal]; narcoleptic; cataleptic; narcotized, drugged, doped [slang]; sedated; anesthetized; **languid** 708.19.

.22 **asleep, sleeping, slumbering,** in the arms *or* lap of Morpheus, in the land of Nod; **sound asleep, fast asleep,** dead asleep, deep asleep, in a sound sleep, flaked-out [slang]; **unconscious, oblivious, out;** comatose; dormant; dead, **dead to the world;** unwakened, unawakened.

.23 **sleep-inducing,** sleep-producing, sleep-bringing, sleep-causing, sleep-compelling, sleep-inviting, sleep-provoking, sleep-tempting; **narcotic,** hypnotic, **soporific, somniferous,** somnifacient; sedative 687.45.

.24 **hypnotic,** hypnoid(al), **mesmeric;** odylic; narcohypnotic.

713. WAKEFULNESS

.1 NOUNS **wakefulness,** wake; **sleeplessness,** restlessness, tossing and turning; **insomnia,** insomnolence *or* insomnolency, "the wakey nights" [Sir Thomas Wyatt]; vigil, all-night vigil, lidless vigil, *pervigilium* [L]; insomniac; consciousness, sentience; alertness 533.5.

.2 **awakening, wakening,** rousing, **arousal;** rude awakening; reveille [mil].

.3 VERBS **keep awake,** keep one's eyes open; keep alert, be vigilant 533.8; stay awake, **toss and turn, not sleep a wink,** not shut one's eyes, count sheep.

.4 **awake, awaken, wake, wake up, get up,** rouse, come alive [informal]; open one's eyes, stir [informal].

.5 (wake someone up) **awaken, waken, rouse, arouse,** awake, wake, **wake up,** shake up, knock up [Brit].

.6 **get up, get out of bed, arise,** rise, **rise and shine** [informal], greet the day, **turn out** [informal]; roll out *or* pile out *or* **show a leg** *or* hit the deck [all slang].

.7 ADJS **wakeful, sleepless,** slumberless, **unsleeping,** insomniac, insomnious; restless.

.8 **awake,** conscious, **up; wide-awake,** broad awake; alert 533.14.

.9 ADVS **sleeplessly, unsleepingly; wakefully,** with one's eyes open; alertly 533.17.

714. ENDEAVOR

.1 NOUNS **endeavor,** effort, striving, struggle, strain; **exertion** 716; determination, resolution 624.

.2 **attempt, trial, effort, essay,** assay [archaic], **endeavor, undertaking;** approach, move; stroke, step; **try** *or* **go** *or* **fling** *or* shot [all informal]; **crack** *or* **whack** *or* **stab** *or* **lick** [all slang]; gambit, offer, **bid,** strong bid; experiment, tentative; tentation, trial and error.

.3 **one's best, one's level best** [informal], **one's utmost,** one's damndest *or* darndest [slang], one's best effort *or* endeavor, the best one can, the best one knows how, all one can do, all one's got *or* one's all [both informal], the top of one's bent, as much as in one lies.

.4 VERBS **endeavor, strive, struggle,** strain, sweat, sweat blood, labor, **exert oneself,** apply oneself; spend oneself; seek, study, aim; resolve, be determined 624.7–9.

.5 **attempt, try, essay,** assay, offer; **undertake** 715.3, **approach,** come to grips with, engage, take the bull by the horns; venture, venture on *or* upon, chance; **make an attempt** *or* **effort,** lift a finger *or* hand.

.6 [slang *or* informal terms] **tackle, take on, make a try, give a try,** try on for size, **have a fling at,** give a fling, take a fling at, have a go at, give a go, give a whirl, **take a crack** *or* **whack at, make a stab at, have a shot at.**

.7 **try to,** try and [informal], **attempt to, endeavor to,** strive to, seek to, study to, aim to, venture to, dare to, pretend to.

.8 **try for, strive for,** strain for, struggle for,

contend for, pull for [informal], bid for, make a bid *or* strong bid for, make a play for [informal].

.9 **see what one can do,** see what can be done, see if one can do, do what one can, use one's endeavor; try anything once; **try one's hand,** try one's luck; make a cautious *or* tentative move, experiment, feel one's way.

.10 **make a special effort, go out of the way,** go out of one's way, **put oneself out,** put oneself out of the way, lay oneself out *or* bend over backwards [both informal], trouble oneself, **go to the trouble,** take trouble, **take pains,** redouble one's efforts.

.11 **try hard, push** [informal], make a bold push, **put one's back to** *or* **into,** put one's heart into, try until one is blue in the face, knock oneself out [slang], break one's neck [informal], bust one's ass [slang], rupture oneself, do it or break a leg, do it or bust a gut [slang]; die trying, **try and try;** try, try again; exert oneself 716.9.

.12 **do one's best,** do one's level best [informal], **do one's utmost,** try one's best *or* utmost, do *or* try one's damndest *or* darndest [slang], **do all** *or* **everything one can,** do the best one can, **do the best one knows how,** do all in one's power, do as much as in one lies, do what lies in one's power; put all one's strength into, put one's whole soul in, **strain every nerve; go all out** *or* go the limit [both informal], go for broke *or* shoot the works [both slang], give it one's all *or* give it all one's got [both informal]; be on one's mettle.

.13 **make every effort, spare no effort** *or* **pains, go all lengths, go to great lengths,** go the whole length, go through fire and water, not rest, not relax, not slacken, move heaven and earth, leave no stone unturned, leave no avenue unexplored.

.14 ADJS trial, tentative, experimental; venturesome, willing; determined, resolute 624.11,12.

.15 ADVS **out for,** out to, trying for, **on the make** [informal].

.16 **at the top of one's bent,** to one's utmost, as far as possible.

715. UNDERTAKING

.1 NOUNS **undertaking, enterprise, operation,** work, **venture, project,** proposition *or* deal [both informal]; **program, plan** 654; **affair, business, task** 656.2; effort, attempt 714.2; engagement, contract, obligation, commitment 770.2.

.2 **adventure,** emprise, **mission;** quest, pilgrimage; expedition, exploration.

.3 VERBS **undertake, assume,** accept, **take on, take upon oneself,** take upon one's shoulders, **tackle,** attack; engage *or* contract *or* obligate *or* commit oneself; **put** *or* **set** *or* **turn one's hand to, engage in, devote oneself to, apply oneself to,** betake oneself to [archaic], address oneself to, give oneself up to; busy oneself with 656.11; **take up,** move into, go into, **go in** *or* **out for** [informal], **enter on** *or* **upon,** proceed to, embark in *or* upon, **venture upon,** go upon, launch forth, set forward, set going, get under way; set about, go about, lay about, go to do; **set to, turn to, buckle to, fall to; pitch into** [informal], plunge into, fall into, **launch into** *or* **upon;** go at, set at, have at [informal], knuckle *or* buckle down to; put one's hand to the plow, put *or* lay one's shoulder to the wheel; take the bull by the horns; **endeavor, attempt** 714.4,5.

.4 **have in hand, have one's hands in,** have on one's hands *or* shoulders.

.5 **be in progress** *or* **process,** be on the anvil, be in the fire, be in the works *or* hopper *or* pipeline [informal], **be under way.**

.6 **bite off more than one can chew** [informal], overextend *or* overreach oneself, have too many irons in the fire.

.7 ADJS **undertaken, assumed,** accepted, **taken on** [informal]; **ventured,** attempted, chanced; **in hand,** on the anvil, in the fire, **in progress** *or* **process,** in the works *or* hopper *or* pipeline [informal], **under way.**

.8 **enterprising,** venturesome, adventurous.

716. EXERTION

.1 NOUNS **exertion, effort, energy,** elbow grease; **endeavor** 714; **trouble, pains;** great *or* mighty effort, might and main, muscle, nerve and sinew, hard *or* strong *or* long pull, "a long pull, a strong pull, and a pull all together" [Dickens].

.2 **strain,** straining, **stress,** stressfulness, **stress and strain,** taxing, **tension,** stretch, rack; tug, pull, haul, heave; overexertion, overstrain, overtaxing, overextension, overstress.

.3 **struggle, fight, battle, tussle, scuffle, wrestle,** hassle [informal].

.4 **work, erg(o)–; labor, employment, industry, toil,** moil, travail, toil and trouble, sweat of one's brow; **drudgery, sweat,**

slavery, spadework, donkeywork; rat race [informal]; treadmill; unskilled labor, hewing of wood and drawing of water; dirty work, scut work; tedious *or* stupid *or* idiot *or* tiresome work, grind [informal], fag; **manual labor,** handwork, handiwork; hand's turn, stroke of work, stroke; lick *or* lick of work *or* stitch of work [all informal]; task 656.2; fatigue 717.

.5 **hard work** *or* **labor, backbreaking work,** warm work, uphill work, hard *or* tough grind [informal]; **hard job** 731.2; **laboriousness, toilsomeness,** effortfulness, **strenuousness, arduousness,** operosity, operoseness; onerousness, oppressiveness, burdensomeness; troublesomeness.

.6 **exercise,** exercising; **practice, drill, workout;** athletics, gymnastics, calisthenics, gymnastic exercises, physical jerks [Brit], setting-up exercises, daily dozen, isometric exercises, isometrics; yoga; constitutional [informal], stretch; violent exercise, breather [informal]; physical education.

.7 exerciser; horizontal bar, parallel bars, horse, side horse, long horse, rings; trapeze; trampoline; Indian club; medicine ball; punching bag; rowing machine; weight, dumbbell, barbell.

.8 VERBS **exert, exercise, ply, employ, use, put forth,** put out [informal].

.9 **exert oneself,** put forth one's strength, bend one's effort, bend might and main, spare no effort, tax one's energies; put oneself out *or* lay oneself out *or* go all out [all informal]; endeavor 714.4; **do one's best** 714.12; **apply oneself;** hump *or* hump it *or* hump oneself [all slang], **buckle down** *or* **knuckle down** [both informal], bear down on it [slang], lay to; lay to the oars, ply the oar.

.10 **strain, tense, stress, stretch, tax,** press, rack; **pull, tug,** haul, **heave;** strain the muscles, strain every nerve *or* every nerve and sinew; put one's back into it [informal]; sweat blood; overexert, overstrain, overtax, overextend; drive *or* whip *or* flog oneself.

.11 **struggle, strive, contend, fight, battle,** buffet, scuffle, tussle, wrestle, hassle [informal], work *or* fight one's way, agonize, huff and puff, grunt and sweat, sweat it [slang], make heavy weather of it.

.12 **work, labor;** busy oneself 656.10,11; turn a hand, do a hand's turn, do a lick of work; chore, do the chores, char *or* do chars, chare [Brit].

.13 **work hard; scratch** *or* **hustle** *or* **sweat** [all informal], **slave, sweat and slave** [informal]; **hit the ball** *or* bear down on it *or* pour it on [all slang]; work one's head off [informal], work one's fingers to the bone; work like a horse *or* cart horse *or* dog, work like a slave *or* galley slave, work like a coal heaver, work like a Trojan; work overtime, do double duty, work double hours *or* tides, **work day and night,** work late, **burn the midnight oil;** lucubrate, elucubrate; overwork 663.10.

.14 **drudge, grind** *or* **dig** [both informal], fag, **grub, toil,** moil, toil and moil, travail, **plod, slog, peg, plug** [informal], hammer, peg away *or* along, plug away *or* along [informal], hammer away, pound away, work away; **keep one's nose to the grindstone;** wade through.

.15 **set to work, get busy,** roll up one's sleeves, spit on one's hands; fall to work, **fall to, buckle** *or* **knuckle down to** [informal], **turn to, set to** *or* **about,** put *or* set one's hand to, start in, enter on *or* upon, launch into *or* upon; **get on the job** *or* get going [both informal]; **go to it** *or* **get with it** *or* get cracking *or* have at it [all slang]; hop *or* jump to it [slang]; **attack,** set at, **tackle** [informal]; **plunge into,** dive into; **pitch in** *or* **into** [informal]; light into *or* wade into *or* tear into *or* sail into [all informal], put *or* lay one's shoulder to the wheel, put one's hand to the plow; take on, undertake 715.3.

.16 **task, work, busy,** keep busy, fag, sweat [informal], **drive, tax;** overtask, overtax, **overwork,** overdrive; burden, oppress 352.13.

.17 ADJS **laboring, working; struggling, striving,** straining; **drudging, toiling,** slaving, sweating *or* grinding [both informal], grubbing, **plodding,** slogging, pegging, plugging [informal]; hardworking 707.21.

.18 **laborious, toilsome, arduous, strenuous,** painful, effortful, operose, troublesome, onerous, oppressive, burdensome; wearisome 717.11; **heavy,** hefty [informal], tough [informal], uphill, **backbreaking,** grueling, punishing, crushing, killing, Herculean; **labored,** forced, strained; hard-fought, hard-earned.

.19 ADVS **laboriously, arduously, toilsomely, strenuously,** operosely; effortfully, with effort, **hard,** by the sweat of one's brow; the hard way; with all one's might, for all one is worth, with a will, **with might and main,** with a strong hand, manfully; **hammer and tongs, tooth and nail,** *bec et*

ongles [Fr], heart and soul; **industriously** 707.27.

717. FATIGUE

.1 NOUNS **fatigue, tiredness, weariness,** wearifulness; overtiredness, overstrain; faintness, goneness, weakness, enfeeblement, enervation, debility, debilitation 160.1; jadedness; lassitude, languor 707.6; tension fatigue, stance fatigue; mental fatigue, brain fag [informal]; strain, mental strain, heart strain, eyestrain; sleepiness 712.1.

.2 **exhaustion,** exhaustedness, draining; **collapse, prostration,** breakdown, crack-up [informal], nervous exhaustion *or* prostration.

.3 **breathlessness, shortness of breath,** windedness, short-windedness; panting, gasping; dyspnea, labored breathing.

.4 VERBS **fatigue, tire, weary, exhaust,** fag *or* tucker [both informal], wilt, flag, jade, harass, frazzle, beat, **poop** [slang]; **wear,** wear on *or* upon, **wear down; tire out, wear out, fag out** *or* **tucker out** [both informal], knock out *or* **poop out** [both slang], burn out; **use up,** do up *or* knock up [both informal]; take the tuck out of, **do in; wind,** put out of breath; overtire, overweary, overfatigue, overstrain; weaken, enervate, debilitate 160.10; weary *or* tire to death; prostrate.

.5 **get tired, grow weary, tire, weary,** fatigue, jade; **flag, droop,** faint, sink, wilt; **play out, poop out** [slang], peter out [informal], run out, run down, burn out; gasp, wheeze, pant, puff, blow, puff and blow, puff like a grampus; collapse, break down, crack up [informal], give out, drop, drop in one's tracks, succumb.

.6 ADJS **fatigued, fagged** [informal], **tired, weary,** wearied, weariful, jaded, **frazzled,** run ragged, run-down, good and tired; unrefreshed, unrestored, in need of rest, ready to drop; **faint,** fainting, feeling faint, **weak,** enfeebled, enervated, debilitated, seedy [informal], weakened 160.12, 13,18; drooping, droopy, wilting, flagging, sagging; languid 708.19; worn, worn-down, **worn to a frazzle** *or* shadow, toilworn, weary-worn; wayworn, way-weary; foot-weary, weary-footed, footsore; tired-armed; tired-winged, weary-winged; weary-laden, "tired and weary-laden" [Bible].

.7 tired-looking, weary-looking, tired-eyed, tired-faced, haggard, hollow-eyed, ravaged, drawn, worn, wan.

.8 **exhausted,** drained, **spent,** gone; **tired out, worn-out, fagged out** [informal], **tuckered out** [informal], **played out; pooped out** *or* knocked out *or* wiped out [all slang]; used up *or* done up *or* beat up [all informal], washed-up [informal]; **all in** *or* **bushed** *or* **pooped** *or* **beat** [all slang], whacked [Brit informal], beaten; done *or* **done in** [both informal]; bone-tired, bone-weary; **dog-tired,** dog-weary; dead [informal], **dead-tired,** dead beat, **tired to death,** weary unto death, dead-alive *or* dead-and-alive, more dead than alive, dead on one's feet, ready to drop, on one's last legs; prostrate.

.9 **overtired, overweary,** overwearied, overstrained, overdriven, overfatigued, overspent.

.10 **breathless, winded;** wheezing, puffing, panting, **out of breath,** short of breath *or* wind; short-winded, short-breathed, broken-winded, touched in the wind, dyspneic.

.11 **fatiguing, wearying,** wearing, **tiring,** straining, stressful, trying, **exhausting,** draining, **grueling,** punishing, killing; **tiresome,** fatiguesome, **wearisome,** weariful; toilsome 716.18.

.12 ADVS **out,** to the point of exhaustion.

718. WORKER, DOER

.1 NOUNS **doer,** actor, **performer, worker, practitioner,** perpetrator; **producer, maker,** creator, fabricator, **author,** mover, prime mover; architect; **agent,** medium; **executor,** executant, executrix; **operator,** operative, operant; subject; –ant *or* –ent, –arian, –ator, –ee, –eer, –er *or* –ier *or* –yer, –ist, –ster.

.2 (working person) **worker, laborer, toiler,** moiler; proletarian, blue-collar worker, laboring man, stiff *or* working stiff [both slang]; **workman, workingman; workwoman, workingwoman,** working girl, workgirl; industrial worker, factory worker; white-collar worker, office worker; **jobholder,** wageworker, **wage earner,** salaried worker; **breadwinner;** wage slave; employee, servant 750; **hand, workhand;** common laborer, unskilled laborer, navvy [Brit], day laborer, roustabout; casual, casual laborer; migrant worker, migrant; menial, flunky; piecework-er, jobber; full-time worker, part-time worker; temporary employee, temporary, office temporary; free-lance worker, free lance, free-lancer; self-employed person.

.3 **drudge, grub, hack, fag, plodder, slave,** galley slave, **workhorse,** beast of burden, slogger; "hewers of wood and drawers of water" [Bible]; grind *or* greasy grind [both slang], swot [Brit informal].

.4 **professional,** professionist, pro *or* old pro [both informal], seasoned professional; gownsman; the profession.

.5 **amateur, nonprofessional;** layman.

.6 **craftsman, handicraftsman;** craftswoman; **artisan,** artificer, artist [archaic], mechanic; wright; **technician;** apprentice, prentice [informal]; **journeyman,** skilled laborer; **master,** master craftsman, master workman, master carpenter, etc.

.7 **smith,** farrier [Brit], forger, forgeman, metalworker; Vulcan, Hephaestus, Wayland *or* Völund.

.8 **craftsmen, workers**

architect
armorer
barber
beautician
brazier
bricklayer
builder
cabinetmaker
carpenter
carver
chandler
contractor
cooper
electrician
farmhand
fitter
forger
founder
fuller
gas fitter
glassblower
glazer
glazier
hairdresser
lather
machinist
manicurist
mason
mechanic
miller
paperhanger
plumber
potter
puddler
puttier
rigger
roofer
saddler
spinner
steam fitter
steeplejack
stonecutter
stonemason
tanner
tinker
tinner
turner
upholsterer
weaver
welder
woodcutter
wrecker

.9 **engineers**

aeronautical engineer
aerospace engineer
agricultural engineer
architectural engineer
army engineer
automotive engineer
ceramic engineer
chemical engineer
civil engineer
communications engineer
construction engineer
electrical engineer
electronics engineer
fire-protection engineer
fuel engineer
furnace engineer
geological engineer
highway engineer
hydraulic engineer
illuminating engineer
industrial engineer
irrigation engineer
marine engineer
mechanical engineer
metallurgical engineer, metallurgist
military engineer
mining engineer
municipal engineer
naval engineer
nuclear engineer
ordnance engineer
petroleum engineer
power engineer
power-supply engineer
product engineer
radar engineer
radio engineer
railroad engineer
refrigerating engineer
research engineer
rocket engineer
sanitary engineer
steam engineer
structural engineer
telephone engineer
textile engineer
tool engineer
transportation engineer
ventilation engineer
water-supply engineer
welding engineer

.10 **smiths**

anglesmith
arrowsmith
blacksmith
bladesmith
brightsmith
bronzesmith
chainsmith
clocksmith
coppersmith
goldsmith
gunsmith
hammersmith
housesmith
ironsmith
jawsmith 599.4
jokesmith 881.12
keysmith
knifesmith
locksmith
runesmith
shoeingsmith
silversmith
stonesmith
tinsmith
toolsmith
versesmith 609.14
wagonsmith
weaponsmith
whitesmith
wiresmith
wordsmith 602.15

.11 **wrights**

cartwright
housewright
millwright
pitwright
playwright 611.27
plowwright
scenewright
shipwright
wagonwright, wainwright
wheelwright
woodwright

.12 **makers**

anvil maker
arrow maker
ax maker
bag maker
balance maker
barrel maker
basket maker
bed maker
beer maker
bell maker
bellows maker
belt maker
blanket maker
block maker
board maker
bobbin maker
bodice maker
body maker
boilermaker
bolt maker
bookmaker
boot maker
bottle maker
bow maker
box maker
brake maker
bread maker
brickmaker
bridge maker
broom maker
brush maker
bucket maker
bullet maker
butter maker
button maker
cabinetmaker
cake maker
candlemaker
candymaker
canvas maker
cap maker
carpet maker
cart maker
casemaker
cement maker
chain maker
chairmaker
cheese maker
chest maker
chisel maker
cider maker
cigarette maker
cigar maker
cloak maker
clockmaker
clog maker
cloth maker
coach maker
coffin maker
collar maker
combmaker
cord maker
coremaker
couch maker
cradle maker
crate maker
cup maker
diemaker
dish maker
doll maker
door maker
dressmaker

dye maker
fan maker
felt maker
fiddle maker
file maker
garment maker
glassmaker
glove maker
glue maker
gunmaker
harness maker
hat maker
hook maker
hub maker
ice maker
ink maker
iron maker
kettle maker
lace maker
lamp maker
leather maker
lens maker
lockmaker
lute maker
map maker
matchmaker 933.13
model maker
nail maker
needle maker
netmaker
papermaker
patternmaker
pen maker
pie maker
pinmaker
plate maker
porcelain maker
pot maker
powder maker
ribbon maker
road maker
rope maker
rug maker
sack maker
saddle maker
safe maker
sailmaker
salt maker
sausage maker
saw maker
scale maker
scarf maker
screw maker
scythe maker
shirtmaker
shoemaker
soapmaker
steelmaker
sugar maker
sword maker
tentmaker
thread maker
tile maker
tool-and-die maker
toolmaker
tubemaker
tub maker
wagonmaker
watchmaker
web maker
wheel maker
whip maker
wigmaker
wine maker

.13 **workers**

brainworker
brassworker
clothworker
fieldworker
flintworker
garmentworker
glassworker
goldworker
ironworker
laceworker
leatherworker
metalworker
millworker
mineworker
needleworker
plateworker
saltworker
sawworker
shellworker
silverworker
steelworker
stoneworker
tinworker
waxworker
wireworker
woodworker
woolworker

719. WORKPLACE

.1 NOUNS **workplace**, work site, **workshop, shop,** –ery, –y; work space, working space, loft; **bench,** workbench, worktable; **desk**; establishment, facility, installation; **company,** institution, house, firm, concern, agency, organization, **corporation**; workhouse; sweatshop; workroom; studio, atelier; parlor, beauty parlor, funeral parlor, etc.; barbershop, beauty shop, butcher shop, etc.

.2 hive, hive of industry, beehive; factory *or* mill *or* manufacturing town; hub of industry, center of manufacture.

.3 **plant; factory,** manufactory, manufacturing plant, *usine* [Fr]; main plant, assembly plant, subassembly plant, feeder plant; push-button plant, automated *or* cybernated *or* automatic *or* robot factory; assembly *or* production line; defense plant, munitions plant, armory, arsenal; **power plant** 342.18; atomic energy plant; **machine shop; mill,** sawmill, flour mill, etc. 348.23; **yard,** yards, brickyard, shipyard, dockyard, boatyard; mint; refinery, oil refinery, sugar refinery, etc.; distillery, brewery, winery; boilery; bindery, bookbindery; packing house; cannery; dairy, creamery; pottery; tannery; **factory district,** industrial zone, industrial park, factory belt, manufacturing quarter.

.4 **works,** bleachworks, bottling works, brassworks, copperworks, dye works, gasworks, glassworks, ironworks, metalworks, paper works, printworks, saltworks, scrapworks, soapworks, starchworks, steelworks, tileworks, tubeworks, tryworks, waterworks, wireworks.

.5 **foundry,** metalworks; steelworks, steel mill; forge, furnace, bloomery; smelter; smithy, smithery, stithy, blacksmith shop *or* blacksmith's shop.

.6 **repair shop,** fix-it shop [informal]; **garage**; roundhouse; hangar.

.7 **laboratory, lab** [informal]; research laboratory, research installation *or* facility *or* center.

.8 **office,** shop [informal]; home *or* head *or* main office, headquarters, executive office, corporate headquarters; chambers; closet, cabinet [archaic], **study,** den; embassy, consulate, legation, chancery, chancellery; box office, booking office, ticket office; branch, branch office, local office.

720. PREPARATION

.1 NOUNS **preparation,** preparing, prep *or* prepping [both informal], fixing [informal], **readying,** making ready, makeready; warm-up; mobilization; **prearrangement** 641; **planning** 654.1; trial, **tryout** 489.2,3; **provision, arrangement;** preparatory *or* preliminary act *or* measure *or* step; **preliminary, preliminaries,** clearing the decks [informal]; propaedeutic, preparatory study *or* instruction; basic training, familiarization, briefing; prerequisite; processing, treatment, pretreatment; equipment 659; training 562.3; manufacture 167.3; **spadework,** groundwork, foundation 216.6.

.2 **fitting,** fit [informal]; **conditioning; adaptation, adjustment,** tuning; **qualification,** capacitation, enablement; **equipment, furnishing** 659.1.

.3 (a preparation) **concoction,** decoction, *decoctum* [L], brew, **confection; composition, mixture** 44.5, combination 52.

.4 **preparedness, readiness; fitness,** fittedness, suitedness, suitableness, **suitability;** condition, trim; **qualification,** qualifiedness, **competence** *or* competency, **ability, capability, proficiency,** mastery; ripeness, maturity, seasoning, tempering.

.5 **preparer,** preparator, preparationist; trainer, coach, instructor, mentor, teacher; **trailblazer, pathfinder; forerunner** 66.1; **paver of the way.**

.6 VERBS **prepare, make** *or* **get ready,** prep [informal], trim [archaic], **ready, fix** [informal]; provide [archaic], **arrange; make preparations** *or* **arrangements,** sound the note of preparation, clear the decks [informal], clear for action, settle preliminaries; mobilize, marshal, deploy; **prearrange** 641.3; **plan** 654.9; **try out** 489.8; fix up *or* ready up [both informal], put in *or* into shape; dress; treat, pretreat, process; cure, tan.

.7 **make up, get up, fix up** [informal]; **concoct,** decoct, brew; **compound, compose, put together, mix** 44.11; make 167.10.

.8 **fit, condition, adapt, adjust,** suit, tune, attune, put in tune *or* trim *or* working order; **qualify,** enable, capacitate; **equip, furnish** 659.7–9.

.9 **prime, load,** charge, cock, set; wind, wind up; steam up, get up steam, warm up.

.10 **prepare to, get ready to,** get set for [informal], fix to [dial]; be about to, be on the point of; ready oneself to, hold oneself in readiness.

.11 **prepare for, provide for,** arrange for, make arrangements *or* dispositions for, look out for, **make provision** *or* **due provision for;** provide against, make sure against, forearm, **provide for** *or* **against a rainy day,** prepare for the evil day; lay in provisions, lay up a store, keep as a nest egg, save to fall back upon, lay by, husband one's resources, salt *or* squirrel something away; set one's house in order.

.12 **prepare the way, pave the way,** smooth the path *or* road, **clear the way,** open the way, open the door to; **break the ice;** go in advance, **blaze the trail; prepare the ground,** cultivate the soil, sow the seed; do the spadework, lay the groundwork *or* foundation, lay the first stone; lead up to.

.13 **prepare oneself,** brace oneself, **get ready, get set** [informal], strip for action, roll up one's sleeves, spit on one's hands, limber up, warm up, flex one's muscles, gird up one's loins, buckle on one's armor, get into harness, shoulder arms; sharpen one's tools, whet the knife *or* sword.

.14 **be prepared, be ready,** stand by, stand ready, hold oneself in readiness, keep one's powder dry, "put your trust in God, my boys, and keep your powder dry" [Cromwell].

.15 (be fitted) **qualify, measure up,** check out [informal], have the qualifications *or* prerequisites.

.16 ADJS **prepared, ready,** prepped [informal], in readiness *or* ready state, all ready, good and ready, prepared and ready, psyched up [informal]; vigilant 533.13; **ripe, mature; set** *or* **all set,** on the mark [informal]; **prearranged** 641.5; **planned** 654.13; **primed,** loaded, cocked, **loaded for bear** [slang]; familiarized, briefed, informed, put into the picture [Brit informal]; groomed, coached; ready for anything, "prepared for either course" [Vergil]; in the saddle, booted and spurred; armed and ready, in arms, up in arms, **armed** 799.14; in battle array, mobilized; **provided, equipped** 659.13; **well-prepared.**

.17 **fitted, adapted, adjusted, suited; qualified, fit, competent, able, capable,** proficient; checked out [informal]; well-qualified, well-fitted, well-suited.

.18 **prepared for, ready for,** alert for, set *or* all set for [informal]; loaded for, primed for; up for [slang]; equal to, up to.

.19 **ready-made,** ready-formed, ready-mixed, ready-furnished, ready-dressed, ready-cooked; ready-built, prefabricated, prefab [informal]; ready-to-wear, ready-for-wear; ready-cut, cut-and-dried *or* cut-and-dry.

.20 **preparatory,** preparative; propaedeutic; prerequisite; provident, provisional.

.21 ADJS, ADVS **in readiness, in store, in reserve;** in anticipation.

.22 **in preparation,** in course of preparation, **in progress** *or* **process,** under way, **going on,** in embryo, **in production,** on stream, under construction, **in the works** *or* hopper *or* pipeline [informal], on the way, **in the making, in hand,** on the anvil, on the fire, in the oven; under revision; brewing, forthcoming.

.23 **afoot, on foot, afloat, astir.**

.24 PREPS in preparation for, against, for; in order to.

721. UNPREPAREDNESS

.1 NOUNS **unpreparedness, unreadiness,** unprovidedness, nonpreparedness, nonpreparation, lack of preparation; vulnerability 697.4; extemporaneousness, improvisation, ad lib [informal], planlessness; **unfitness,** unfittedness, unsuitedness, unsuitableness, **unsuitability, unqualifiedness,** unqualification, **disqualification,** incompetence, incapability.

.2 **improvidence, thriftlessness, unthriftiness,** poor husbandry, lax stewardship; **shiftlessness,** fecklessness, thoughtlessness, heedlessness; happy-go-luckiness; hastiness 709.2; negligence 534.1.

.3 (raw or original condition) **naturalness,** inartificiality; **natural state,** nature, **state of nature,** nature in the raw; pristineness, intactness, virginity; natural man, "unaccommodated man" [Shakespeare]; artlessness 736.

.4 **undevelopment,** nondevelopment; **immaturity,** immatureness, callowness, unfledgedness, **rawness, unripeness, greenness; unfinish,** unfinishedness, unpolishedness, **unrefinement, uncultivation; crudity,** crudeness, **rudeness, coarseness,** roughness, the rough; **oversimplification,** oversimplicity, simplism, reductionism.

.5 **raw material;** crude, crude stuff [informal]; ore, rich ore, rich vein; unsorted *or* unanalyzed mass; rough diamond, **diamond in the rough;** unlicked cub; **virgin soil.**

.6 VERBS **be unprepared** *or* **unready,** not be ready; go off half-cocked *or* at half cock [informal]; be taken unawares *or* aback, be caught napping, be caught with one's pants down [slang], be surprised; **extemporize,** improvise, ad-lib *or* play by ear [both informal]; have no plan, be innocent of forethought.

.7 **make no provision,** take no thought of tomorrow *or* the morrow, seize the day, *carpe diem* [L; Horace], let tomorrow take care of itself, live for the day, live like the grasshopper, live from hand to mouth; eat, drink, and be merry.

.8 ADJS **unprepared, unready,** unprimed; surprised, caught short, caught napping, caught with one's pants down [slang], taken by surprise, taken aback, taken unawares, caught off balance, caught off base [informal], tripped up; **unarranged,** unorganized, haphazard; makeshift, rough-and-ready, **extemporaneous,** extemporized, improvised, ad-lib *or* off the top of one's head [both informal]; impromptu, snap [informal]; **unmade,** unmanufactured, unconcocted, unhatched, uncontrived, undevised, unplanned, unpremeditated, undeliberated, unstudied; hasty, precipitate 709.9–11; unbegun.

.9 **unfitted, unfit,** ill-fitted, **unsuited, unadapted, unqualified,** disqualified, incompetent, incapable; **unequipped, unfurnished,** unarmed, ill-equipped, ill-furnished, **unprovided,** ill-provided 662.12.

.10 **raw, crude; uncooked,** unbaked, unboiled; underdone, undercooked, rare, red.

.11 **immature, unripe,** underripe, unripened, impubic, **raw, green,** callow, unfledged, fledgling, unseasoned, unmellowed; ungrown, half-grown, adolescent, juvenile; undigested, ill-digested; half-baked [informal]; half-cocked *or* at half cock [both informal].

.12 **undeveloped, unfinished,** unlicked, unformed; unfashioned, unwrought, unlabored, unworked, unprocessed, untreated; unblown; uncut, unhewn; **underdeveloped;** backward, arrested, stunted; **crude, rude, coarse, unpolished, unrefined; uncultivated, uncultured; rough,** roughcast, roughhewn, **in the rough; rudimentary,** rudimental, lyo–, pro–; embryonic, in embryo, *in ovo* [L]; **oversimple,** simplistic, reductive, reductionistic.

.13 (in the raw or original state) **natural, native, in a state of nature,** in the raw; inartificial, artless 736.5; virgin, virginal, pristine, untouched, unsullied.

.14 **fallow,** untilled, uncultivated, unsown.

.15 **improvident,** unproviding; **thriftless, unthrifty,** uneconomical; grasshopper; hand-to-mouth; **shiftless, feckless, thoughtless, heedless;** happy-go-lucky; negligent 534.10, 11.

722. ACCOMPLISHMENT

(act of accomplishing; entire performance)

.1 NOUNS **accomplishment, achievement, fulfillment, performance, execution, effectuation,** implementation, carrying out *or* through, **discharge, dispatch, consummation, realization, attainment,** production, fruition; success 724; *fait accompli* [Fr], accomplished fact; mission accomplished.

.2 **completion,** completing, **finish,** finishing,

conclusion, end, ending, termination, terminus, close, windup [informal], rounding off *or* out, topping off; perfection, culmination 677.1,3; ripeness, maturity, maturation, full development.

.3 finishing touch, final touch, last touch, last stroke, final *or* finishing stroke, finisher [informal], copestone, capstone, crown, crowning of the edifice; climax 211.2.

.4 VERBS accomplish, achieve, effect, effectuate, compass, consummate, do, execute, produce, make, enact, perform, discharge, fulfill, realize, attain, fetch [dial]; work, work out; dispatch, dispose of, knock off [informal], polish off [slang], take care of [informal], deal with, put away, make short work of; succeed, manage 724.6–12; do the job [informal], do *or* turn the trick [slang].

.5 bring about, bring to pass, bring to effect, bring to a happy issue; implement, carry out, carry through, carry into execution; bring off, carry off, pull off [informal]; put through, get through, put over *or* across [informal]; come through with [informal].

.6 complete, perfect, finish, finish off, conclude, terminate, end, carry to completion, prosecute to a conclusion; get through, get done; get through with, get it over, get it over with, finish up; clean up *or* wind up *or* button up *or* wrap up *or* mop up [all informal], close up *or* out; put the lid on it [slang], call it a day [informal]; round off *or* out, top off; top out, crown, cap 211.9; climax, culminate; give the finishing touches *or* strokes, put the finishing touches *or* strokes on, finalize.

.7 do to perfection, do up brown [slang], do to a turn, do to a T [informal], do to a frazzle [slang], do down to the ground [informal], not do by halves, do oneself proud [informal], leave no loose ends, leave nothing hanging; go all lengths, go to all lengths, go the whole length *or* way; go the limit *or* go whole hog *or* go all out *or* shoot the works *or* go for broke [all slang].

.8 ripen, ripe [dial], mature, maturate; bloom, blow, blossom, flourish; come to fruition, bear fruit; mellow; grow up, reach maturity, reach its season; come *or* draw to a head; bring to maturity, bring to a head.

.9 ADJS completing, completive, completory, finishing, consummative, culminating, terminative, conclusive, concluding, fulfilling, finalizing, crowning; ultimate, last, final, terminal.

.10 accomplished, achieved, effected, effectuated, implemented, consummated, executed, discharged, fulfilled, realized, compassed, attained; dispatched, disposed of, set at rest; wrought, wrought out.

.11 completed, done, finished, concluded, terminated, ended, finished up; cleaned up *or* wound up *or* wrapped up *or* mopped up [all informal]; washed up [informal], through, done with; all said and done, all over but the shouting; perfective.

.12 complete, perfect, consummate, polished; exhaustive, thorough 56.10; fully realized.

.13 ripe, mature, matured, maturated, seasoned, mellow, full-grown, fully developed; tel(o)– *or* tele–.

.14 ADVS to completion, to the end, to the full, to the limit; to a turn, to a T [informal], to a finish, to a frazzle [slang].

723. NONACCOMPLISHMENT

.1 NOUNS nonaccomplishment, nonachievement, nonperformance, inexecution, nonexecution, nondischarging, noncompletion, nonconsummation, nonfulfillment, unfulfillment; nonfeasance, omission; neglect 534; loose ends, rough edges; endless task, work of Penelope, Sisyphean labor *or* toil *or* task; failure 725.

.2 VERBS neglect, leave undone 534.7, fail 725.8–16.

.3 ADJS unaccomplished, unachieved, unperformed, unexecuted, undischarged, unfulfilled, unconsummated, unrealized, unattained; unfinished, uncompleted, undone; neglected 534.14.

724. SUCCESS

.1 NOUNS success, successfulness; go [informal]; fortunate outcome, prosperous issue; prosperity 728; accomplishment 722; victory 726.

.2 sure success, winner *or* natural [both informal]; shoo-in *or* sure thing *or* sure bet *or* cinch *or* lead-pipe cinch [all slang].

.3 great success, howling *or* roaring success [informal], triumph, resounding triumph, brilliant success, striking success, meteoric success; killing [informal]; hit *or* big hit [both informal]; smash *or* smash hit *or* gas *or* gasser *or* riot *or* wow *or* sensation *or* overnight sensation [all slang]; brief *or*

momentary success, nine days' wonder, flash in the pan, fad; best seller.

.4 **score, hit, bull's-eye;** goal, touchdown; slam, grand slam; strike; hole, hole in one; home run, homer [informal].

.5 (successful person) **winner,** star, star in the firmament, success; comer [slang]; victor 726.2.

.6 VERBS **succeed, prevail,** be successful, be crowned with success, meet with success; **go, come off,** go off; **prosper** 728.7; fare well, work well, do *or* work wonders, go to town *or* go great guns [both informal]; **make a hit** [informal], click *or* connect [both slang], **catch on** *or* take [both informal]; **go over** [informal], go over big [slang]; pass, graduate, qualify, win one's spurs, get one's credentials, be blooded; come through *or* pass with flying colors.

.7 **achieve one's purpose, gain one's end** *or* **ends,** secure one's object, attain one's objective, do what one set out to do, reach one's goal; make one's point; play it *or* handle it just right [informal], not put a foot wrong, play it like a master.

.8 **score a success,** score, hit it, hit the mark, ring the bell [informal], turn up trumps, break the bank *or* make a killing [both informal], hit the jackpot [slang].

.9 **make good, come through, achieve success,** make a success, **make it** [informal], **make one's mark, give a good account of oneself,** bear oneself with credit, do all right by oneself *or* **do oneself proud** [both informal]; **advance, progress,** make one's way, make headway, **get on,** come on [informal], **get ahead** [informal]; go places, **go far;** rise, **rise in the world,** work one's way up, claw *or* scrabble one's way up, mount the ladder of success; **arrive,** get there [slang], make the scene [informal]; come out on top, come out on top of the heap [slang]; **be a success,** have it made [informal], have the world at one's feet; **make a noise in the world** [informal], cut a swath, set the world *or* river *or* Thames on fire; break through, score *or* make a breakthrough.

.10 **succeed with,** crown with success; **make a go of it; accomplish,** compass, **achieve** 722.4; **bring off, carry off, pull off** [informal], turn *or* do the trick [informal], **put through,** bring through; **put over** *or* **across** [informal]; get away with it *or* get by [both slang].

.11 **manage, contrive, succeed in; make out, get on** *or* **along** [informal], come on *or* along [informal], go on; **scrape along,** worry along, **muddle through** [Brit], get by, **manage somehow; make it** [informal], **make the grade,** cut the mustard *or* hack it [both slang]; **clear,** clear the hurdle; **negotiate** [informal], **engineer; swing** [informal], put over [slang], put through, swing the deal.

.12 **win through, win out** [informal], come through [slang], rise to the occasion, beat the game *or* beat the system [both informal]; **triumph** 726.3; weather out, **weather the storm,** live through, keep one's head above water; come up fighting *or* smiling, not know when one is beaten, persevere 625.2–6.

.13 ADJS **successful,** succeeding, crowned with success; **prosperous,** fortunate 728.12–14; **triumphant** 726.8; ahead of the game, out in front, on top, on top of the heap [slang]; assured of success, surefire, made; coming *or* on the up-and-up [both informal].

.14 ADVS **successfully,** swimmingly [informal], well, to some purpose, to good purpose; beyond all expectation, beyond one's fondest dreams.

725. FAILURE

.1 NOUNS **failure, unsuccessfulness,** unsuccess, successlessness, nonsuccess; no go [informal]; ill success; futility, uselessness 669; **defeat** 727; losing game; "lame and impotent conclusion" [Shakespeare]; nonaccomplishment 723; **bankruptcy** 842.3.

.2 [slang *or* informal terms] **flop,** floperoo, bust, frost, **fizzle,** lemon, **washout,** turkey, bomb, flat failure, dull thud, total loss.

.3 **collapse, crash,** smash, comedown, breakdown, **fall,** pratfall [slang], stumble, tumble, **downfall,** cropper [informal]; nose dive *or* tailspin [both slang]; deflation, bursting of the bubble.

.4 **miss,** near-miss; **slip, slipup** [informal], slip 'twixt cup and lip; **error, mistake** 518.3.

.5 **abortion, miscarriage,** miscarrying, abortive attempt, vain attempt; wild-goose chase, merry chase; **misfire, flash in the pan,** wet squib, **dud** [slang].

.6 **fiasco, botch,** bungle, hash, mess, muddle, foozle *or* bollix [both informal]; **flunk** [informal], **washout** [slang].

.7 (unsuccessful person) **failure, loser** [informal]; **flop** *or* **washout** *or* false alarm [all slang], flash in the pan, **dud** [slang], also-ran; bankrupt 842.4.

.8 VERBS **fail,** be unsuccessful, fail of success, not work *or* not come off [both informal], come to grief, **lose;** not make the grade, be found wanting, not come up to the mark; not pass, **flunk** *or* **flunk out** [both informal]; go to the wall, **go on the rocks;** labor in vain 669.8; go bankrupt 842.7.

.9 [slang *or* informal terms] **lose out,** get left, **not make it,** not hack it, not get to first base, drop the ball, **flop,** flummox, lay an egg, go over like a lead balloon, draw a blank, bomb, drop a bomb; fold, fold up; take it on the chin, take the count; crap out; strike out, fan, whiff.

.10 **sink, founder,** go down, go under [informal]; **slip,** go downhill, be on the skids [slang].

.11 **fall, fall down** [slang], fall down on the job [informal]; **fall short, fall through,** fall to the ground; fall between two stools; **fall dead,** fall stillborn; **fall flat,** fall on one's face *or* fall flat on one's face [both informal], fall on one's ass [slang]; **collapse,** fall in; **crash,** go to smash [informal].

.12 **come to nothing,** hang up *or* get nowhere [both informal]; **poop out** *or* go phut [both slang]; be all over *or* up with; fail miserably *or* ignominiously; fizz out *or* **fizzle** *or* **fizzle out** [all informal]; **misfire,** flash in the pan; **blow up, explode, end** *or* **go up in smoke,** go up like a rocket and come down like a stick.

.13 **miss, miss the mark,** miss one's aim; slip, slip up [informal], goof [slang], bungle, blunder, foozle [informal]; err 518.9.

.14 **miscarry,** abort; **go amiss,** go astray, **go wrong,** go on a wrong tack, take a wrong turn.

.15 **stall,** stick, die, go dead, **conk out** [slang], sputter and stop, run out of steam, come to a shuddering halt, come to a dead stop.

.16 **flunk** *or* **flunk out** [both informal]; **fail,** pluck *or* plough [both Brit slang], bust *or* wash out [both slang].

.17 ADJS **unsuccessful,** successless, failing; failed, *manqué* [Fr], stickit [Scot]; **unfortunate** 729.14; **abortive,** par(a)–; miscarrying, miscarried, stillborn; fruitless, bootless, futile, useless 669.9–14; lame, **ineffectual,** ineffective, inefficacious, of no effect.

.18 ADVS **unsuccessfully,** successlessly, **without success;** fruitlessly, bootlessly, ineffectually, ineffectively, inefficaciously; to little *or* no purpose, **in vain.**

726. VICTORY

.1 NOUNS **victory, triumph, conquest,** subduing, subdual; a feather in one's cap [informal]; total victory, grand slam; championship; **winning,** win [informal]; knockout, KO [slang]; easy victory, walkover *or* walkaway [both informal], pushover *or* picnic [both slang]; runaway victory, landslide victory, landslide; Pyrrhic victory, Cadmean victory; moral victory; winning streak [informal]; **success** 724; ascendancy 739.6,7; mastery 741.2.

.2 **victor, winner,** triumpher; **conqueror,** defeater, **vanquisher,** subduer, subjugator, *conquistador* [Sp]; top dog [informal]; master, master of the situation; hero, conquering hero; champion, champ [slang]; easy winner, sure winner, shoo-in [slang]; pancratiast; runner-up.

.3 VERBS **triumph, prevail, be victorious,** come out on top [informal], chain victory to one's car; **succeed** 724.6; break the record, set a new mark [informal].

.4 **win, gain, capture, carry;** win out [informal], win through, carry it, carry off *or* away; **win** *or* **carry** *or* **gain the day,** win the battle, come out first, finish in front, make a killing [informal], remain in possession of the field; **win the prize,** win the palm *or* bays *or* laurels, bear the palm, **bring home the bacon** [informal], take the cake [slang], win one's spurs; fluke *or* win by a fluke [both slang].

.5 **win hands down** *or* win going away [both informal], win in a canter *or* walk *or* waltz [all informal], romp home *or* breeze [both informal], **walk off** *or* **away with,** waltz off with [informal], walk off with the game, **walk over** [informal]; have the game in one's own hands, have it all one's way; **take** *or* **carry by storm,** sweep aside all obstacles, carry all before one, make short work of.

.6 **triumph over, prevail over,** best, **beat** [informal], **get the better** *or* **best of; surmount, overcome,** rise above, **defeat** 727.6.

.7 **gain the ascendancy,** get on top [slang], **get the advantage, gain the upper** *or* **whip hand,** dominate the field, get the edge on *or* jump on *or* drop on [slang], get a leg up on [slang], get a stranglehold on.

.8 ADJS **victorious, triumphant,** triumphal, **winning, prevailing;** conquering, vanquishing, defeating, overcoming; ascendant, in the ascendant, in ascendancy,

dominant 741.18; successful 724.13; flushed with success *or* victory.

.9 **undefeated, unbeaten, unvanquished, unconquered,** unsubdued, unquelled, unbowed.

.10 ADVS **triumphantly,** victoriously, **in triumph.**

727. DEFEAT

.1 NOUNS **defeat; beating,** drubbing, thrashing, hiding, lathering, whipping, lambasting, trimming, licking [all informal], trouncing; **vanquishment, conquest, conquering,** mastery, subjugation, subduing, subdual; **overthrow,** overturn, overcoming; **fall, downfall,** collapse, smash, crash, **undoing, ruin,** debacle, **destruction** 693; deathblow, quietus; Waterloo; failure 725.

.2 **discomfiture, rout, repulse,** rebuff; **frustration,** bafflement, confusion; **checkmate,** check, balk, foil [archaic]; **reverse,** reversal, **setback.**

.3 **utter defeat,** total defeat, overwhelming defeat, crushing defeat, smashing defeat, decisive defeat; no contest; **smearing** *or* **pasting** *or* creaming *or* **clobbering** *or* **shellacking** *or* whopping *or* whomping [all slang]; whitewash *or* **whitewashing** [both informal], **shutout.**

.4 **ignominious defeat,** abject defeat, inglorious defeat, disastrous defeat, utter rout, bitter defeat, stinging defeat.

.5 **loser,** defeatee [informal]; the vanquished; good loser, game loser, sport *or* **good sport** [both informal]; **underdog, also-ran;** booby *or* duck [both slang]; stooge *or* fall guy [both slang]; victim 866.11.

.6 VERBS **defeat, worst, best, get the better** *or* **best of,** be too good for, be too much for, be more than a match for; **outdo,** outgeneral, outmaneuver, outclass, outshine, outpoint, outsail, outrun, outfight, etc.; **triumph over** 726.6; **beat,** drub, **lick,** whip, thrash, trim, hide, lather, trounce, lambaste [all informal]; **skin** *or* skin alive [both slang]; **fix** *or* **settle** *or* settle one's hash *or* make one say 'uncle' *or* put one's nose out of joint [all informal]; do in [slang], **knock on the head,** deal a deathblow to, put *hors de combat;* **undo, ruin, destroy** 693.10–21; lick to a frazzle [informal], beat hollow *or* all hollow [informal]; beat by a nose [informal].

.7 **overcome,** surmount; **overpower, overmaster,** overmatch; **overthrow, overturn,** overset; put the skids to [informal]; **upset, trip, trip up, lay by the heels, send flying** *or* sprawling; silence, floor, deck, make bite the dust; overcome oneself, master oneself; kick one's habit [slang].

.8 **overwhelm,** whelm, snow under [informal], overbear, defeat utterly, deal a crushing *or* smashing defeat; bulldoze *or* steamroller [both informal]; **smear** *or* paste *or* cream *or* **clobber** *or* **shellac** *or* whop *or* skunk *or* whomp [all slang]; *schmear* [Yid], blank *or* whitewash [both informal], **shut out.**

.9 **discomfit, rout, put to rout,** put to flight, scatter, stampede, panic; confound; put out of court.

.10 **conquer, vanquish,** quell, **suppress, put down, subdue, subjugate,** put under the yoke, master; **reduce,** prostrate, fell, **flatten, break, smash, crush, humble,** bend, **bring one to his knees;** roll *or* trample in the dust, tread *or* trample underfoot, trample down, ride down, ride *or* run roughshod over, override.

.11 **thwart, frustrate,** dash, check, deal a check to, checkmate 730.15,16.

.12 **lose,** lose out [informal], lose the day, come off second best, **get** *or* **have the worst of it, meet one's Waterloo; fall,** succumb, tumble, bow, go down, go under, **bite** *or* **lick the dust,** take the count [slang]; snatch defeat from the jaws of victory; throw in the towel, say uncle; have enough.

.13 ADJS **lost,** unwon.

.14 **defeated, worsted, bested, outdone; beaten,** beat, **licked,** whipped, trimmed, lathered, trounced, lambasted, settled, fixed [all informal]; **skinned** *or* skinned alive [both slang], thrown for a loss [slang]; **discomfited,** put to rout, **routed,** scattered, stampeded, panicked; confounded; **overcome, overthrown,** upset, overturned, overmatched, **overpowered, overwhelmed,** whelmed, **overmastered,** overborne, overridden; **fallen,** down; floored, silenced; done in [slang], **undone, done for** [informal], **ruined,** on the skids [informal], *hors de combat* [Fr]; all up with [informal].

.15 **shut out,** blanked *or* whitewashed [both informal], unscoring.

.16 **conquered, vanquished,** quelled, suppressed, put down, **subdued, subjugated,** mastered; **reduced,** prostrate(d), felled, **flattened,** smashed, **crushed,** broken; **humbled,** brought to one's knees.

.17 **overpowering, overcoming, overwhelming, overmastering,** overmatching.

728. PROSPERITY

.1 NOUNS **prosperity,** prosperousness, thriving *or* flourishing condition; **success** 724; **welfare, well-being,** weal, happiness, felicity; comfortable *or* easy circumstances, **comfort, ease,** security; **life of ease,** the life of Riley [informal], **the good life; clover** *or* **velvet** [both informal], **bed of roses, luxury,** lap of luxury, Easy Street [informal]; the affluent life, gracious life, gracious living; fat of the land; fleshpots, fleshpots of Egypt; milk and honey, loaves and fishes; a chicken in every pot, a car in every garage; purple and fine linen; high standard of living; upward mobility; **affluence, wealth** 837.

.2 **good fortune** *or* **luck,** happy fortune, **fortune, luck,** the breaks [slang]; **fortunateness, luckiness,** felicity [archaic]; blessing, smiles of fortune, fortune's favor.

.3 **stroke of luck,** piece of good luck; blessing; **fluke** *or* lucky strike *or* scratch hit *or* **break** [all slang], **good** *or* **lucky break** [slang]; **run** *or* **streak of luck** [informal].

.4 **good times,** piping times, bright *or* palmy *or* halcyon days, rosy era; heyday; prosperity, era of prosperity; fair weather, sunshine; golden era, **golden age,** golden time, Saturnian age, reign of Saturn, *Saturnia regna* [L]; age of Aquarius, millennium; utopia 535.11; heaven 1018.

.5 **roaring trade, land-office business** [informal], bull market, seller's market; booming economy, boom [informal], expanding economy.

.6 **fortunate, lucky dog** [informal], fortune's favorite, favorite of the gods, fortune's child, destiny's darling; man of substance 837.6.

.7 VERBS **prosper,** enjoy prosperity, **fare well,** get on well, do well, have everything going one's way, get on swimmingly; **turn out well, go well,** take a favorable turn; **succeed** 724.6; come on *or* along [informal], get on [informal]; **advance,** progress, make progress, make headway, get ahead [informal].

.8 **thrive, flourish,** boom; blossom, bloom, flower; batten, fatten, grow fat; be fat, dumb, and happy [informal].

.9 **be prosperous, make good, make one's mark,** rise *or* get on in the world, make a noise in the world [informal], do all right by oneself [informal], **make one's fortune;** grow rich 837.9; drive a roaring trade, do a land-office business [informal], rejoice in a seller's market.

.10 **live well, live in clover** *or* on velvet [informal], **live a life of ease,** live the life of Riley, **live high, live high on the hog** [informal], live on *or* off the fat of the land, roll in the lap of luxury; bask in the sunshine, have one's place in the sun; have a good *or* fine time of it.

.11 **be fortunate, be lucky,** be in luck, have all the luck, have one's moments [informal], **lead** *or* **have a charmed life;** fall into the shithouse and come up with a five-dollar gold piece [slang]; **get a break** *or* get the breaks [both slang]; hold aces *or* turn up trumps [both informal]; have a run of luck *or* hit a streak of luck [both informal]; have it break good for one [slang], have a stroke of luck; strike it lucky *or* make a lucky strike *or* strike oil [all slang], **strike it rich** [informal], hit it big [slang], strike a rich vein, come into money, drop into a good thing.

.12 ADJS **prosperous,** in good case; **successful** 724.13; **affluent, wealthy** 837.13; **comfortable,** comfortably situated, **easy;** on Easy Street [informal], **in clover** *or* **on velvet** [both informal], on a bed of roses, in luxury, high on the hog [informal]; up in the world, on top of the heap [slang].

.13 **thriving, flourishing, prospering, booming** [informal]; vigorous, exuberant; in full swing, going strong [informal]; halcyon, palmy, balmy, rosy, piping, clear, fair; blooming, blossoming, flowering, fruiting; fat, sleek, in good case; fat, dumb, and happy [informal].

.14 **fortunate, lucky, providential; in luck; blessed,** blessed with luck, favored; born under a lucky star, born with a silver spoon in one's mouth, born on the sunny side of the hedge; **auspicious** 544.16.

.15 ADVS **prosperously, thrivingly, flourishingly,** boomingly, swimmingly [informal].

.16 **fortunately, luckily, providentially.**

729. ADVERSITY

.1 NOUNS **adversity,** adverse circumstances, difficulties, hard knocks [informal], **hardship, trouble,** troubles, "sea of troubles" [Shakespeare]; rigor, vicissitude, care, stress, pressure, stress of life; hardcase, **hard life,** a dog's life, vale of tears; wretched *or* miserable *or* hard *or* unhappy lot, hard row to hoe [informal], ups and downs of life, things going against one; bummer *or* downer [both slang]; annoyance, irritation, aggravation; **difficulty** 731; **trial,** tribulation, cross,

curse, blight, **affliction** 866.8; plight, predicament 731.4.

.2 **misfortune, mishap,** ill hap, **misadventure, mischance,** *contretemps* [Fr], grief; **disaster, calamity, catastrophe, cataclysm, tragedy; shock, blow,** hard *or* nasty *or* staggering blow; **accident,** casualty; collision, crash; **wreck,** shipwreck; smash *or* smashup *or* crack-up *or* pileup [all informal], "the slings and arrows of outrageous fortune" [Shakespeare].

.3 **reverse, reversal,** reverse of fortune, **setback,** check, severe check, backset, throwback [informal]; **comedown,** descent, down.

.4 **unfortunateness, unluckiness,** lucklessness, ill success; unprosperousness; star-crossed *or* ill-fated life; inauspiciousness 544.8.

.5 **bad luck,** ill luck, **hard luck,** hard lines [Brit], **tough** *or* **rotten luck** [informal], raw deal [slang], bad *or* tough *or* rotten break [informal], devil's own luck; **ill fortune,** bad fortune, evil fortune, evil star, ill wind, evil dispensation; frowns of fortune.

.6 **hard times,** bad times, sad times; evil day, rainy day; hard *or* stormy *or* heavy weather; **depression,** recession, **slump,** economic stagnation, **bust** [informal].

.7 **unfortunate,** poor unfortunate, the plaything *or* toy *or* sport of fortune, fortune's fool; **loser** *or* sure loser [both informal]; hardcase *or* sad sack *or* hard-luck guy [all slang]; *schlemiel, schlimazel* [both Yid]; the wretched of the earth; victim 866.11.

.8 VERBS **go hard with,** go ill with; run one hard; **oppress, weigh on** *or* **upon,** weigh heavy on, weigh down, **burden,** overburden, load, overload, bear hard upon, lie on, lie hard *or* heavy upon; try one, put one out.

.9 **have trouble;** be born to trouble, be born under an evil star, be "born unto trouble, as the sparks fly upward" [Bible]; **have a hard time of it,** be up against it [informal], make heavy weather of it, meet adversity, have a bad time; bear the brunt, bear more than one's share; be put to one's wit's end, not know which way to turn.

.10 **come to grief,** have a mishap, suffer a misfortune, be stricken *or* staggered, be poleaxed, be felled, be clobbered [slang]; run aground, go on the rocks *or* shoals, split upon a rock; sink, drown, founder.

.11 **fall on evil days, go down in the world,** go downhill, slip, be on the skids [slang], come down, have a comedown, fall from one's high estate; **deteriorate,** degenerate, sink, decline; **go to pot** [informal], go to the dogs; reach the depths, touch bottom, hit rock bottom; have seen better days.

.12 bring bad luck; hoodoo *or* hex *or* jinx *or* Jonah *or* put the jinx on [all informal]; put the evil eye on, whammy [slang].

.13 ADJS **adverse, untoward, detrimental, unfavorable,** mis–; sinister; hostile, antagonistic, inimical; contrary, counter, counteractive, conflicting, opposing, opposed, opposite, in opposition; **difficult, troublesome, troublous, hard,** trying, rigorous, stressful; wretched, miserable 866.26; **not easy** 731.16; harmful 675.12.

.14 **unfortunate, unlucky, unprovidential,** unblessed, **unprosperous,** sad, unhappy, hapless, fortuneless, luckless, donsie [Brit dial]; **out of luck,** short of luck; **down on one's luck** [informal], badly *or* ill off, down in the world, in adverse circumstances; underprivileged, depressed; ill-starred, evil-starred, born under a bad sign, born under an evil star, planet-stricken, planet-struck, star-crossed; fatal, dire, doomful, funest, **ominous, inauspicious** 544.17.

.15 **disastrous, calamitous, catastrophic, cataclysmic,** cataclysmal, **tragic,** ruinous, wreckful [archaic], fatal, dire, black, grievous; destructive 693.26.

.16 ADVS **adversely, untowardly,** detrimentally, **unfavorably;** contrarily, conflictingly, opposingly, oppositely.

.17 **unfortunately, unluckily,** unprovidentially, sadly, unhappily, **as ill luck would have it;** by ill luck, by ill hap; in adverse circumstances, if worst comes to worst.

.18 **disastrously,** calamitously, catastrophically, cataclysmically, grievously, tragically, crushingly, shatteringly.

730. HINDRANCE

.1 NOUNS **hindrance,** hindering, **hampering,** let, let or hindrance; **check, arrest,** arrestment, arrestation; fixation; **impediment,** holdback; **resistance, opposition** 790; suppression, **repression, restriction, restraint** 760; **obstruction,** blocking, blockage, clogging, occlusion; **interruption,** interference; **retardation,** retardment, **detention,** detainment, **delay,** holdup, setback; **inhibition;** constriction, squeeze, stricture, cramp, stranglehold; **closure,** closing up *or* off; obstructionism, negativism, foot-dragging [informal]; nuisance value.

.2 **prevention, stop, stoppage, stopping,** arrestation, estoppel; stay, halt; **prohibition,** forbiddance; debarment; **determent,** deterrence, **discouragement; forestalling, preclusion, obviation,** foreclosure.

.3 **frustration, thwarting, balking, foiling; discomfiture, disconcertion,** bafflement, confounding; **defeat,** upset; check, checkmate, balk, foil [archaic].

.4 **obstacle, obstruction,** obstructive; **hang-up** [informal]; **block,** blockade, cordon, curtain; **difficulty,** hurdle, hazard; **deterrent,** determent; **drawback,** objection; **stumbling block,** stumbling stone, stone in one's path; fly in the ointment, one small difficulty [informal], **hitch, catch,** joker [informal], rub, **snag;** bottleneck.

.5 **barrier, bar;** gate, portcullis; **fence; wall,** stone wall, brick wall; seawall, jetty, groin, mole, breakwater; **bulwark, rampart,** defense, buffer, bulkhead, parapet, breastwork, work, earthwork, mound; bank, embankment, levee, dike; ditch, moat; dam, weir, leaping weir, barrage, milldam, beaver dam, cofferdam, wicket dam, shutter dam, bear-trap dam, hydraulic-fill dam, rock-fill dam, arch dam, arch-gravity dam, gravity dam; boom, jam, logjam; roadblock; backstop; iron curtain, bamboo curtain.

.6 **impediment,** embarrassment, hamper; encumbrance, cumbrance; **trouble,** difficulty 731; **handicap,** disadvantage, inconvenience, penalty; white elephant; **burden** *or* burthen [archaic], imposition, onus, cross, weight, deadweight, millstone around one's neck; **load,** pack, cargo, freight, charge; impedimenta, lumber.

.7 **curb, check,** countercheck, arrest, **stay, stop,** damper, holdback; **brake,** clog, drag, drogue, remora; chock, scotch, spoke, spoke in one's wheel; doorstop; checkrein, bearing rein, martingale; bit, snaffle, pelham, curb bit; shackle, chain, fetter, trammel 760.4; sea anchor, drift anchor, drift sail, drag sail *or* sheet.

.8 **hinderer,** impeder, **marplot,** obstructer; frustrater, thwarter; obstructionist, negativist; filibuster, filibusterer.

.9 **spoilsport,** wet blanket, **killjoy,** grouch, sourpuss [informal], malcontent, **dog in the manger** [informal].

.10 VERBS **hinder, impede, inhibit, arrest, check,** countercheck, scotch, **curb,** snub; **resist, oppose** 790.3; suppress, **repress** 760.8; **interrupt,** intercept [archaic]; intervene, interfere, intermeddle, meddle 238.7; damp, dampen, throw cold water on; **retard,** slacken, **delay,** detain, **hold back, keep back,** set back, hold up [informal]; **restrain** 760.7; keep *or* hold in check, bottle up, dam up.

.11 **hamper, impede, cramp,** embarrass; trammel, entrammel, enmesh, entangle, ensnarl, entrap, entwine, involve, entoil, toil, net, lime, tangle, snarl; fetter, shackle; tie one's hands; **encumber,** cumber, **burden,** lumber, **saddle with,** weigh down, press down; hang like a millstone round one's neck; **handicap,** put at a disadvantage; lame, cripple, hobble, hamstring.

.12 **obstruct, stand in the way; dog, block,** blockade, block up, occlude; **jam,** crowd, pack; **bar,** barricade, bolt, lock; **debar,** shut out; shut off, **close,** close off *or* up, close tight, shut tight; constrict, squeeze, squeeze shut, strangle, strangulate, stifle, suffocate, **choke,** choke off, chock; stop up 266.7.

.13 **stop, stay, halt,** bring to a stop, put a stop *or* end to; **brake,** slow down, put on the brakes; **block, stall, stymie,** deadlock; nip in the bud.

.14 **prevent, prohibit, forbid; bar,** estop; save, help, **keep from; deter, discourage,** dishearten; **avert, keep off, ward off, stave off, fend off,** fend, repel, deflect, turn aside; **forestall,** foreclose, **preclude,** exclude, debar, **obviate,** anticipate; rule out.

.15 **thwart, frustrate, foil, cross, balk,** stonewall [slang]; spike, scotch, checkmate; **counter,** contravene, counteract, countermand, counterwork; stand in the way of, confront, brave, defy, challenge; **defeat** 727.6–11; **discomfit,** upset, **disrupt, confound,** flummox [slang], discountenance, put out of countenance, **disconcert, baffle,** nonplus, perplex, stump [informal], throw on one's beam ends; **circumvent,** elude; sabotage, **spoil, ruin,** dish [informal], dash, blast; **destroy** 693.10; throw a wrench in the machinery, **throw a monkey wrench into the works** [informal]; put a spoke in one's wheel, scotch one's wheel, spike one's guns, put one's nose out of joint [informal], upset one's applecart; take the wind out of one's sails, steal one's thunder, cut the ground from under one, knock the chocks *or* props from under one, knock the bottom out of [informal]; tie one's hands, clip the wings of.

.16 [slang terms] **queer, crab, foul up, louse**

up, snafu, bollix, gum, gum up, gum up the works; crimp, cramp, put a crimp in, cramp one's style.

.17 ADJS **hindering,** hindersome [dial], troublesome; **inhibitive,** inhibiting, suppressive, repressive; constrictive, strangling, stifling, choking; restrictive 760.12; **obstructive,** obstructing, occlusive, obstruent [archaic]; contrary, crosswise; counterproductive; interruptive, interrupting; in the way.

.18 **hampering, impeding,** impedimental, impeditive; onerous, oppressive, burdensome, cumbersome, cumbrous, encumbering.

.19 **preventive,** preventative, prophylactic, ant(i)– *or* anth–; **prohibitive, forbidding; deterrent,** deterring, **discouraging;** preclusive, forestalling.

.20 **frustrating,** confounding, disconcerting, baffling, defeating.

.21 ADVS under handicap, at a disadvantage, on the hip [archaic], with everything against one.

731. DIFFICULTY

.1 NOUNS **difficulty,** difficultness; **hardness, toughness,** rigor, rigorousness, ruggedness; **arduousness,** laboriousness, strenuousness, toilsomeness; **troublesomeness,** bothersomeness; onerousness, oppressiveness, burdensomeness; formidability, hairiness [slang]; complication, intricacy, complexity 46; abstruseness 549.2.

.2 **tough proposition** [informal], large *or* tall order [informal]; **hard job, tough job** [informal], backbreaker, ballbuster [slang], **chore,** man-sized job; brutal task, Herculean task, Augean task; **uphill work** *or* **going,** rough go [informal], **heavy sledding,** hard pull [informal], dead lift [archaic]; tough lineup to buck [slang], hard road to travel; tough nut to crack *or* hard row to hoe *or* hard row of stumps [all informal]; bitch [slang]; **handful** [informal], all one can manage.

.3 **trouble, matter;** headache [slang], problem, besetment, **inconvenience, disadvantage; ado,** great ado; peck of troubles, "sea of troubles" [Shakespeare]; hornet's nest, Pandora's box, can of worms [informal]; **evil** 675.3; **bother, annoyance** 864.7; **anxiety, worry** 890.1,2.

.4 **predicament, plight, pickle** *or* hobble [both informal], **strait,** straits, parlous straits, **pinch, bind,** pass, clutch, crunch [informal]; pretty pass, pretty pickle [informal], nice *or* pretty predicament, **sorry plight, fine kettle of fish** [informal], how-do-you-do *or* fine how-do-you-do [both informal]; **spot** *or* **tight spot** *or* **squeeze** *or* tight squeeze [all informal], tightrope, ticklish *or* tricky spot [informal], sticky wicket [Brit informal]; **scrape** *or* **jam** *or* **hot water** [all informal]; tail in a gate *or* tit in the wringer [both slang]; slough, quagmire, morass, swamp, quicksand; **embarrassment,** embarrassing position *or* situation; **complication,** imbroglio, **mess,** holy *or* unholy mess [informal], mix *or* **stew** [both informal]; the devil to pay, hell to pay [slang].

.5 **impasse, corner** *or* **box** *or* **hole** [all informal]; **cul-de-sac, blind alley, dead end,** dead-end street; **extremity, end of one's rope** *or* **tether,** wit's end, nowhere to turn; **stalemate,** deadlock; stand, standstill, halt, stop.

.6 **dilemma,** horns of a dilemma, **quandary,** nonplus; **vexed question,** thorny problem, knotty point, knot, crux, node, nodus, Gordian knot, poser, teaser, perplexity, puzzle, enigma 549.8; paradox, oxymoron; asses' bridge, *pons asinorum* [L].

.7 **crux, hitch, pinch, rub,** snag, catch, joker [informal], where the shoe pinches.

.8 **unwieldiness, unmanageability; unhandiness,** inconvenience, impracticality; **awkwardness, clumsiness; cumbersomeness,** ponderousness, bulkiness, hulkiness.

.9 VERBS be difficult, present difficulties, **take some doing** [informal].

.10 **have difficulty, have trouble, have a hard time of it,** have one's hands full, be hard put, have much ado with; labor under difficulties, labor under a disadvantage; struggle, **flounder,** beat about, make heavy weather of it; swim against the current; walk on eggshells *or* hot coals, dance on a hot griddle.

.11 **get into trouble,** plunge into difficulties; **let oneself in for, put one's foot in it** [informal]; **get in a jam** *or* **hot water** *or* **the soup** [informal], **get into a scrape** [informal], **get in a mess** *or* **hole** *or* **box** *or* **bind** [informal]; paint oneself into a corner [informal], get one's ass in a bind *or* put oneself in a spot [both slang], put one's foot in one's mouth; have a tiger by the tail; burn one's fingers; get all tangled *or* snarled *or* wound up, get all balled up *or* bollixed up [slang].

.12 **trouble,** beset; **bother,** pother, **disturb, perturb,** irk, plague, **torment,** harass, **vex, distress** 866.13–16; inconvenience, **put out,** put out of the way, discommode 671.4;

concern, worry 890.3,4; **puzzle, perplex** 514.13; put to it, give one trouble, complicate matters; give one a hard time *or* give one a bad time *or* make it tough for [all informal]; be too much for; ail, be the matter.

.13 **cause trouble,** bring trouble, "sow the wind and reap the whirlwind" [Bible]; bring down upon one, bring down upon one's head, bring down around one's ears; **stir up a hornet's nest,** bring a hornet's nest about one's ears, open Pandora's box, open a can of worms [informal]; **raise hob** *or* **hell** [informal]; raise merry hell *or* play hob *or* play hell [all informal], play the deuce *or* devil [informal].

.14 **put in a hole** [informal], put in a spot [slang]; **embarrass; involve,** enmesh, entangle.

.15 **corner,** run *or* drive into a corner [both informal], **tree** [informal], chase up a tree *or* stump [informal], drive *or* force to the wall, put one's back to the wall, have one on the ropes [informal].

.16 ADJS **difficult,** difficile, dys– *or* dis–; **not easy,** no picnic; **hard, tough, rough, rugged,** rigorous, brutal, severe; wicked *or* mean *or* **hairy** [all slang], **formidable; arduous, strenuous, toilsome, laborious,** operose, Herculean; steep, uphill; hard-fought; hard-earned; jawbreaking; knotty, knotted; thorny, spiny, set with thorns; delicate, ticklish, tricky, critical, easier said than done; exacting, demanding; intricate, complex 46.4; abstruse 549.16.

.17 **troublesome,** besetting; **bothersome,** irksome, vexatious, painful, plaguey [informal], annoying 864.22; **burdensome,** oppressive, onerous, heavy *or* hefty [both informal], crushing, backbreaking; **trying,** grueling.

.18 **unwieldy, unmanageable, unhandy;** inconvenient, impractical; **awkward, clumsy, cumbersome,** unmaneuverable; contrary, perverse, crosswise; ponderous, bulky, hulky, hulking.

.19 **troubled,** beset, sore beset; **bothered, vexed,** irked, annoyed 866.21; plagued, **harassed** 866.24; distressed, perturbed 866.22; inconvenienced, embarrassed; put to it *or* hard put to it [both informal]; **worried, anxious** 890.6,7; puzzled 514.24.

.20 **in a predicament, in a sorry plight,** in a pretty pass; **in a mess** *or* **in a scrape** *or* **in a jam** *or* **in hot water** *or* **in the soup** [all informal]; in a spot *or* **in a fix** *or* in a tight spot *or* **in a hole** *or* in a bind *or* in a box [all informal], in a pickle [informal], in a nice *or* pretty pickle [informal]; **in trouble,** in Dutch [slang], **on the spot** *or* **behind the eight ball** [both informal]; on Queer Street [informal]; out on a limb [informal]; in deep water, out of one's depth.

.21 **in a dilemma,** on the horns of a dilemma, **in a quandary;** between two stools; between Scylla and Charybdis, between the devil and the deep blue sea.

.22 **at an impasse, at one's wit's end, at a loss,** at a stand *or* standstill; **nonplussed,** at a nonplus; **baffled, perplexed, bewildered,** mystified, stuck *or* stumped [both informal].

.23 **cornered,** in a corner, with one's back to the wall; **treed** *or* **up a tree** *or* up a stump [all informal]; **at bay,** *aux abois* [Fr].

.24 **straitened,** reduced to dire straits, in desperate straits, **pinched,** sore *or* sorely pressed, **hard pressed, hard up** [slang], **up against it** [slang]; driven from pillar to post; **desperate, in extremities,** *in extremis* [L], **at the end of one's rope** *or* **tether.**

.25 **stranded, grounded,** aground, **on the rocks,** high and dry; **stuck,** stuck *or* set fast; foundered, swamped; castaway, marooned, wrecked, shipwrecked.

.26 ADVS **with difficulty,** difficultly, with much ado, mogi–; hardly, painfully; the hard way, **arduously, strenuously, laboriously,** toilsomely.

.27 **unwieldily, unmanageably, unhandily,** inconveniently; **awkwardly, clumsily, cumbersomely;** ponderously.

732. FACILITY

.1 NOUNS **facility, ease, easiness,** facileness, **effortlessness;** lack of hindrance, **smoothness,** freedom; clear coast, clear road *or* course; smooth road, royal road, highroad; easy going, plain sailing, smooth *or* straight sailing; clarity, intelligibility 548; uncomplexity, uncomplicatedness, simplicity 45.

.2 **wieldiness,** wieldableness, **manageability,** manageableness, maneuverability, handiness; **convenience,** practicality, untroublesomeness; **flexibility,** pliancy, **pliability,** ductility, malleability; adaptability, feasibility.

.3 **easy thing,** mere child's play, simple twist of the wrist; **cinch** *or* **snap** *or* **pushover** *or* setup *or* breeze *or* duck soup *or* velvet *or* picnic *or* pie [all slang], piece of cake [Brit slang]; easy target, sitting duck [informal]; sinecure.

.4 **facilitation, easing,** smoothing; **speeding,** expediting, expedition, quickening, hastening; streamlining; simplifying, **simplification, clarification.**

.5 **disembarrassment, disentanglement, disencumbrance,** disinvolvement, uncluttering, unscrambling, unsnarling, disburdening, unhampering; **extrication,** disengagement, **freeing,** clearing.

.6 VERBS **facilitate, ease; grease the wheels** [informal]; **smooth, smooth** *or* **pave the way,** grease the ways, soap the ways [both informal], prepare the way, **clear the way,** make all clear for, make way for; run interference for [informal], open the way, open the door to; **open up, unclog,** unblock, unjam, unbar, loose 763.6; **lubricate,** remove friction, grease, oil; **speed, expedite,** quicken, hasten; **help along,** help on its way; **aid** 785.11; **explain** 552.11, make clear 548.6; **simplify** 45.4,5.

.7 **do easily,** make short work of, do with one's hands tied behind one's back, do with both eyes shut.

.8 **disembarrass, disencumber,** disburden, unhamper; **disentangle,** disembroil, disinvolve, unclutter, unscramble, unsnarl; **extricate,** disengage, **free,** free up, clear; liberate 763.4.

.9 **go easily, run smoothly,** work well, work like a machine, go like clockwork; present no difficulties, give no trouble, be painless, be effortless; flow, roll, glide, slide, coast, sweep, sail.

.10 **have it easy, have it soft** [informal], have it all one's own way, have the game in one's hands; win easily; breeze in *or* walk over the course *or* win in a walk *or* win in a canter *or* win hands down [all informal].

.11 **take it easy** *or* **go easy** [both informal], swim with the stream, drift with the current, go with the tide; cool it *or* not sweat it [both slang]; take it in one's stride, make little *or* light of, think nothing of.

.12 ADJS **easy, facile, effortless,** smooth, casual, painless; soft [informal], cushy [slang]; plain, uncomplicated, straightforward, **simple** 45.6–9, Mickey Mouse [informal], simple as ABC [informal], easy as pie *or* easy as falling off a log [both informal], like shooting fish in a barrel, like taking candy from a baby; **clear** 548.10; glib; **light,** unburdensome; nothing to it.

.13 **smooth-running,** frictionless, easy-running, easy-flowing; well-oiled, well-greased.

.14 **wieldy,** wieldable; tractable; flexible, pliant, yielding, malleable, ductile, pliable, **manageable,** maneuverable; handy, **convenient,** foolproof, practical, untroublesome; adaptable, feasible.

.15 ADVS **easily,** facilely, **effortlessly, readily, simply,** lightly, swimmingly [informal], without difficulty; no sweat *or* like nothing *or* slick as a whistle [all slang]; hands down [informal], with one hand tied behind one's back, with both eyes closed; **smoothly,** like clockwork; on easy terms.

733. SKILL

.1 NOUNS **skill,** skillfulness, **expertness, proficiency,** craft, expertise, **cleverness; dexterity,** dexterousness *or* dextrousness; **adroitness,** address, **adeptness, deftness,** handiness, practical ability; coordination, timing; quickness, readiness; **competence,** capability, capacity, ability; efficiency; **facility, prowess;** grace, style, finesse; **tact, tactfulness, diplomacy;** *savoir-faire* [Fr]; **artistry;** artfulness; **craftsmanship,** workmanship, artisanship; **know-how** [informal], savvy [slang]; technical skill, **technique;** technical brilliance, technical mastery, **virtuosity,** bravura, wizardry; brilliance 467.2; cunning 735; **ingenuity,** ingeniousness, resource, resourcefulness, wit; **mastery,** mastership, **command,** control, grip; marksmanship, seamanship, airmanship, horsemanship, etc.; –ery *or* –ry, –ics, –ship, –manship, –urgy.

.2 **agility, nimbleness, spryness,** lightness, featliness.

.3 **versatility, ambidexterity,** many-sidedness, all-roundedness [informal], Renaissance versatility; **adaptability,** adjustability, flexibility; Renaissance man.

.4 **talent,** flair, strong flair, **gift, endowment,** dowry, dower, natural gift *or* endowment, **genius,** instinct, **faculty,** bump [informal]; **power, ability, capability, capacity,** potential; caliber; **forte,** speciality, métier, long suit, strong point; **equipment, qualification;** talents, powers, naturals [archaic], parts; the goods *or* the stuff *or* what it takes [all slang], makings.

.5 **aptitude,** inborn *or* innate aptitude, aptness, felicity, flair; **bent, turn,** propensity, **leaning,** inclination, tendency; turn for, capacity for, gift for, genius for; an eye for, an ear for, a hand for.

.6 **knack, art, hang, trick,** way; **touch,** feel.

.7 **art, science, craft; skill; technique,** technic, **technics,** technology, technical knowledge *or* skill, technical know-how

[informal]; **mechanics,** mechanism; method 657.1.

.8 **accomplishment, acquirement, attainment;** finish.

.9 **experience, practice,** practical knowledge *or* skill; background, past experience, seasoning, tempering; **worldly wisdom,** knowledge of the world, blaséness, **sophistication;** sagacity 467.4.

.10 **masterpiece, masterwork,** *chef d'œuvre* [Fr]; **master stroke,** *coup de maître* [Fr]; **feat,** *tour de force* [Fr].

.11 **expert, adept,** proficient, –an *or* –ean *or* –ian, –ician, –ist; **artist, craftsman,** artisan, skilled workman, journeyman; technician; seasoned *or* experienced hand; shark *or* sharp [both informal], no slouch [slang]; graduate; **professional, pro** [informal]; **jack-of-all-trades,** handy man, Admirable Crichton [J. M. Barrie]; **authority,** professor, **consultant,** expert consultant, attaché, technical adviser, savant 476.3; diplomatist, diplomat; politician, statesman, elder statesman; connoisseur, *connaisseur* [Fr]; *cordon bleu* [Fr]; marksman, crack shot, dead shot.

.12 **talented person, talent,** man of parts, gifted person, prodigy, **genius;** mental genius, intellectual genius, intellectual prodigy, mental giant; gifted child, **child prodigy,** boy wonder [informal]; natural [informal].

.13 **master, past master;** master hand, **good hand,** skilled *or* practiced hand; ace *or* star *or* superstar *or* crackerjack *or* great *or* all-time great *or* topnotcher *or* first-rater [all informal]; **prodigy, wizard** *or* whiz [both informal], magician; **virtuoso; genius,** man of genius; mastermind; mahatma, sage 468.1.

.14 **champion,** champ [slang], world champion; **record holder,** world-record holder; laureate; medal winner, Olympic medal winner, medalist, award winner, prizeman, prizetaker, **prizewinner;** hall-of-famer.

.15 **veteran,** vet [informal], seasoned veteran, **old pro** [informal]; **old hand, old-timer** [informal]; old campaigner, war-horse [informal]; salt *or* old salt *or* old sea dog [all informal], shellback [slang].

.16 **sophisticate,** man of experience, **man of the world;** slicker *or* city slicker [both informal]; man-about-town; **cosmopolitan,** cosmopolite, citizen of the world.

.17 VERBS **excel in** *or* **at, shine in** *or* **at** [informal], be master of; be at home in; **have a gift** *or* **flair** *or* **talent** *or* **bent** *or* **faculty** *or* **turn for,** have a bump for [informal], **have a good head for,** have an ear for, have an eye for, be born for, show aptitude *or* talent for; have the knack *or* touch, have the hang of it; have something on the ball *or* plenty on the ball [slang].

.18 **know backwards and forwards, know one's stuff** *or* **know one's onions** [both slang], **know the ropes** *or* **know all the ins and outs** [both informal], know from A to Z *or* from alpha to omega, know from the ground up, know all the tricks, know all the tricks of the trade, know all the moves of the game; **know what's what, know a thing or two, know what it's all about, know the score** *or* know all the answers [both slang], "know a hawk from a handsaw" [Shakespeare]; have savvy [slang]; **know one's way about,** know the ways of the world, have been around [slang], have been through the mill [informal], have cut one's wisdom teeth *or* eyeteeth [informal], be long in the tooth, **not be born yesterday;** get around [informal].

.19 **exercise skill,** handle oneself well, demonstrate one's ability, **strut one's stuff** [slang], show expertise; cut one's coat according to one's cloth, play one's cards well.

.20 ADJS **skillful, good,** goodish, excellent, **expert, proficient; dexterous** *or* dextrous, **adroit, deft, adept, coordinated,** well-coordinated, **apt,** no mean, **handy;** quick, ready; **clever,** cute *or* slick [both informal], neat, clean; fancy, graceful, stylish; some *or* quite some *or* quite a *or* every bit a [all informal]; **masterly, masterful;** magisterial; authoritative, professional; the compleat *or* the complete; crack *or* crackerjack [both informal]; **virtuoso,** bravura, technically superb; **brilliant** 467.14; cunning 735.12; tactful, diplomatic, politic, statesmanlike; **ingenious,** resourceful, daedal, Daedalian; **artistic; workmanlike, well-done.**

.21 **agile, nimble, spry,** sprightly, fleet, featly, peart [dial], light, graceful, nimble-footed, light-footed, sure-footed; nimble-fingered, neat-fingered, neat-handed.

.22 **competent, capable, able, efficient, qualified, fit, fitted, suited, worthy;** journeyman; fit *or* fitted for; **equal to, up to;** up to snuff [slang], up to the mark [informal], *au fait* [Fr]; well-qualified, well-fitted, well-suited.

.23 **versatile, ambidextrous,** two-handed, all-

around [informal], **many-sided,** generally capable; **adaptable,** adjustable, flexible, resourceful, supple; amphibious.

.24 **skilled, accomplished; practiced; professional,** career; trained, coached, prepared, primed, finished; at one's best, at concert pitch; initiated, initiate; technical; conversant 475.20.

.25 **skilled in,** proficient in, adept in, versed in, **good at,** expert at, **handy at, a hand** *or* **good hand at,** master of, strong in, at home in; **up on,** well up on, well-versed 475.19,20.

.26 **experienced, practiced,** mature, matured, ripe, ripened, **seasoned,** tried, tried and true, **veteran,** old, an old dog at [informal]; sagacious 467.16–19; **worldly, worldly-wise,** world-wise, wise in the ways of the world, knowing, **sophisticated,** cosmopolitan, cosmopolite, blasé, dry behind the ears, not born yesterday, long in the tooth.

.27 **talented, gifted, endowed,** with a flair; born for, made for, cut out for [informal], with an eye for, with an ear for, with a bump for [informal].

.28 **well-laid, well-devised,** well-contrived, well-designed, well-planned, well-worked-out; well-invented, *ben trovato* [Ital]; **well-weighed, well-reasoned,** well-considered, well-thought-out; **cunning, clever.**

.29 ADVS **skillfully, expertly, proficiently,** excellently, well; **cleverly,** neatly, ingeniously, resourcefully; cunningly 735.13; **dexterously** *or* dextrously, **adroitly, deftly, adeptly,** aptly, handily; agilely, nimbly, featly, spryly; **competently, capably, ably,** efficiently; **masterfully;** brilliantly, superbly, with genius, with a touch of genius; **artistically,** artfully; with skill, with consummate skill, with finesse.

734. UNSKILLFULNESS

.1 NOUNS **unskillfulness,** skill-lessness, **inexpertness, unproficiency, uncleverness;** unintelligence 469; inadeptness, **undexterousness** *or* undextrousness, indexterity, **undeftness;** inefficiency; **incompetence** *or* incompetency, **inability, incapability, incapacity,** inadequacy; ineffectiveness, **ineffectuality; mediocrity,** pedestrianism; **inaptitude,** inaptness, unaptness, ineptness, maladroitness; unfitness, unfittedness; untrainedness, unschooledness; thoughtlessness, inattentiveness; maladjustment; rustiness [informal].

.2 **inexperience,** unexperience, unexperiencedness, unpracticedness; **rawness, greenness,** unripeness, callowness, unfledgedness, immaturity; ignorance 477; **unfamiliarity,** unacquaintance, unacquaintedness, unaccustomedness; **amateurishness,** amateurism, unprofessionalness, unprofessionalism.

.3 **clumsiness, awkwardness,** bumblingness, **maladroitness, unhandiness,** left-handedness, heavy-handedness, ham-handedness [informal]; handful of thumbs; **ungainliness,** uncouthness, **ungracefulness,** gracelessness, inelegance; **gawkiness,** gawkishness; **lubberliness, oafishness,** loutishness, boorishness, clownishness, lumpishness; **cumbersomeness,** hulkiness, **ponderousness; unwieldiness, unmanageability** 731.8.

.4 **bungling, blundering,** boggling, **fumbling,** muffing, **botching,** botchery, blunderheadedness; **sloppiness, carelessness** 534.2; too many cooks.

.5 **bungle, blunder, botch,** flub, boner *or* bonehead play [both slang], boggle, bobble *or* boo-boo [both slang], foozle [informal], bevue; **fumble, muff,** fluff, miscue [slang]; **slip,** trip, stumble; *gaucherie, étourderie, balourdise* [all Fr]; **hash** *or* **mess** [both informal]; bad job, sad work, clumsy performance; off day; **error, mistake** 518.3.

.6 **mismanagement, mishandling,** misdirection, misguidance, misconduct, **misgovernment,** misrule; misadministration, maladministration; malfeasance, malpractice, misfeasance, wrongdoing 982; nonfeasance, omission, **negligence,** neglect 534.6; bad policy, impolicy, inexpedience *or* inexpediency 671.

.7 **incompetent,** incapable; dull tool, mediocrity, **no conjuror;** one who will not set the Thames on fire [Brit]; greenhorn 477.8.

.8 **bungler, blunderer,** blunderhead, boggler, slubberer, bumbler, **fumbler, botcher;** bull in a china shop, ox; lubber, looby, **lout, oaf,** gawk, gowk [Brit dial], *klutz* [Yid], boor, **clown,** slouch; clodhopper, clodknocker, yokel; **clod,** clot [Brit], **dolt,** blockhead 471.3,4; awkward squad.

.9 [slang or informal terms] **goof,** goofer, goofball, foul-up, foozler, clumsy, fumble-fist, **butterfingers,** muff, muffer, stumblebum, stumblebunny, duffer, lummox, **slob,** lump, dub; rube, hick.

.10 VERBS not know how, not have the knack, not have it in one [informal]; not be up to [informal]; not be versed.

.11 **bungle, blunder,** bumble, boggle, **muff,** muff one's cue, **fumble,** be all thumbs,

have a handful of thumbs; **flounder,** muddle, lumber; stumble, **slip,** trip, trip over one's own feet, get in one's own way, miss one's footing, miscue; commit a *faux pas,* commit a gaffe; blunder on *or* upon *or* into; blunder away, be not one's day; **botch,** mar, **spoil, butcher, murder,** make sad work of; play havoc with, play the mischief with.

.12 [slang or informal terms] bobble, **goof,** put one's foot in it, stub one's toe, drop a brick, bonehead into it; bitch, bitch up, hash up, **mess up,** flub, **make a mess** *or* **hash of,** foul up, goof up, **screw up, louse up, gum up,** gum up the works, bugger, bugger up, play the deuce *or* devil *or* hell *or* merry hell with; go at it ass-backwards.

.13 **mismanage, mishandle, misconduct,** misdirect, misguide, **misgovern, misrule;** misadminister, maladminister; be negligent 534.6.

.14 not know what one is about, not know one's interest, make an ass of oneself, make a fool of oneself, stultify oneself, put oneself out of court, stand in one's own light, not know on which side one's bread is buttered, kill the goose that lays the golden egg, cut one's own throat, dig one's own grave, behave self-destructively, play with fire, burn one's fingers, jump out of the frying pan into the fire, "sow the wind and reap the whirlwind" [Bible], lock the barn door after the horse is stolen, count one's chickens before they are hatched, buy a pig in a poke, aim at a pigeon and kill a crow, put the cart before the horse, put a square peg into a round hole, run before one can walk.

.15 ADJS **unskillful,** skill-less, artless, **inexpert, unproficient, unclever;** inefficient; **undexterous** *or* undextrous, **undeft, inadept, unfacile; unapt, inapt, inept,** half-assed [slang], **poor;** mediocre, pedestrian; thoughtless, inattentive; unintelligent 469.13.

.16 **unskilled, unaccomplished, untrained,** untaught, unschooled, untutored, uncoached, uninitiated, **unprepared,** unprimed, unfinished, unpolished; **untalented, ungifted, unendowed; amateurish,** unprofessional, unbusinesslike, semiskilled.

.17 **inexperienced,** unexperienced, unversed, unconversant, **unpracticed;** undeveloped, unseasoned; **raw, green,** green as grass, unripe, callow, unfledged, immature, unmatured, fresh, not dry behind the ears, **untried;** unskilled in, unpracticed in, unversed in, unconversant with, unaccustomed to, unused to, unfamiliar *or* unacquainted with, new to, uninitiated in, a stranger to, a novice *or* tyro at; ignorant 477.12.

.18 **out of practice,** out of training *or* form, soft [informal], out of shape *or* condition, stiff, **rusty;** gone *or* run to seed [informal], not what one used to be [informal], losing one's touch, slipping, on the downgrade.

.19 **incompetent, incapable, unable, inadequate, unequipped, unqualified,** ill-qualified, **unfit, unfitted,** unadapted, not equal *or* up to, not cut out for [informal]; ineffective, **ineffectual;** unadjusted, maladjusted.

.20 **clumsy, awkward, bungling, blundering,** blunderheaded, bumbling, fumbling; **maladroit, unhandy,** left-hand, left-handed, heavy-handed, ham-handed *or* ham-fisted [both informal], clumsy-fisted, butterfingered [informal], **all thumbs,** fingers all thumbs, with a handful of thumbs; stiff; **ungainly,** uncouth, **ungraceful,** graceless, inelegant, *gauche* [Fr]; **gawky,** gawkish; **lubberly, loutish, oafish,** boorish, clownish, lumpish, slobbish [slang]; **sloppy, careless** 534.11; **ponderous, cumbersome,** lumbering, hulking, hulky; **unwieldy** 731.18.

.21 **botched, bungled,** fumbled, muffed, spoiled, **butchered,** murdered; **ill-managed,** ill-done, ill-conducted, ill-devised, ill-contrived, ill-executed; mismanaged, misconducted, **misdirected, misguided;** impolitic, ill-considered, ill-advised 470.9; negligent 534.10–13.

.22 [slang or informal terms] bobbled, bitched, bitched up, hashed up, **messed up, fouled up, screwed up, loused up,** gummed up, buggered, buggered up; ass-backwards.

.23 ADVS **unskillfully, inexpertly, unproficiently, uncleverly;** inefficiently; **incompetently, incapably,** inadequately, unfitly; **undexterously, undeftly, inadeptly,** unfacilely; **unaptly, inaptly, ineptly,** poorly.

.24 **clumsily, awkwardly; bunglingly, blunderingly; maladroitly,** unhandily; **ungracefully,** gracelessly, inelegantly, uncouthly; **ponderously, cumbersomely,** lumberingly, hulkingly, hulkily; ass-backwards [slang].

735. CUNNING

.1 NOUNS **cunning,** cunningness, **craft, craftiness,** callidity, **artfulness, art, artifice,**

wiliness, wiles, guile, **slyness,** insidiousness, suppleness [Scot], **foxiness,** slipperiness, shiftiness, trickiness; gamesmanship *or* one-upmanship [both informal]; **canniness, shrewdness,** sharpness, acuteness, astuteness, **cleverness** 733.1; resourcefulness, ingeniousness, wit, inventiveness, readiness; subtlety, subtilty, subtleness, Italian hand, fine Italian hand, finesse; sophistry 483; "the dark sanctuary of incapacity" [Chesterfield], "the ape of wisdom" [Locke]; satanic cunning, the cunning of the serpent; sneakiness, **stealthiness, stealth** 614.4; cageyness [informal], wariness 895.2.

.2 **Machiavellianism,** Machiavellism; **politics, diplomacy,** diplomatics; jobbery, jobbing.

.3 **stratagem, artifice,** art [archaic], **craft, wile,** strategy, **device,** wily device, **contrivance, expedient, design, scheme, trick,** cute trick, fetch, fakement [informal], gimmick [slang], **ruse, red herring, shift,** tactic, **maneuver,** move, coup, gambit, **ploy, dodge,** artful dodge; **game,** little game, racket *or* grift [both slang]; **plot,** conspiracy, **intrigue** 654.6; sleight, feint, jugglery; **subterfuge,** blind, dust in the eyes; chicanery, knavery, deceit, trickery 618.3,4.

.4 **machination, manipulation, wire-pulling** [informal]; influence, political influence, behind-the-scenes influence *or* pressure; **maneuvering,** maneuvers, tactical maneuvers; **tactics,** devices, expedients.

.5 **circumvention,** getting round *or* around; **evasion,** elusion, the slip [informal]; the runaround *or* buck-passing *or* passing the buck [all informal]; **frustration, foiling, thwarting** 730.3; **outwitting,** outsmarting, outguessing, **outmaneuvering.**

.6 **slyboots,** sly dog [informal], **fox,** reynard, dodger, Artful Dodger [Dickens], crafty rascal, smooth *or* slick citizen [informal], glib tongue, smooth *or* sweet talker, charmer; **trickster,** shyster [slang], Philadelphia lawyer [informal]; horse trader, Yankee horse trader; **swindler** 619.3.

.7 **strategist, tactician; maneuverer, machinator, manipulator, wire-puller** [informal]; calculator, schemer, **intriguer** 654.8.

.8 **Machiavellian,** Machiavel, Machiavellianist; **diplomat,** diplomatist, **politician** 746; political realist; influence peddler *or* power broker [both informal].

.9 VERBS **live by one's wits,** play a deep game; use one's fine Italian hand, finesse; shift, dodge, twist and turn, zig and zag; hide one's hand, cover one's path; **trick, deceive** 618.13–18.

.10 **maneuver, manipulate,** pull strings *or* wires; **machinate, contrive,** angle [informal], **jockey, engineer;** play games [informal]; **plot, scheme, intrigue** 654.10; **finagle, wangle;** gerrymander.

.11 **outwit, outsmart,** outguess, outfigure, **outmaneuver,** outgeneral, outflank, outplay; get the better *or* best of, go one better, know a trick worth two of that; **overreach,** outreach; **circumvent,** get round *or* around, **evade,** stonewall [slang], **elude, frustrate, foil,** give the slip *or* runaround [informal]; pass the buck [informal]; pull a fast one [slang], steal a march on; make a fool of, make a sucker *or* patsy of [slang]; be too much for, be too deep for; **deceive, victimize** 618.13–18.

.12 ADJS **cunning, crafty, artful, wily,** guileful, **sly,** insidious, supple [Scot], **shifty,** pawky [Brit], arch, **smooth, slick** [informal], **slippery,** snaky, serpentine, **foxy,** vulpine, feline; **canny, shrewd,** knowing, sharp, cute, acute, astute, **clever** 733.20; resourceful, ingenious, inventive, ready; subtle, subtile; sophistical 483.10; **tricky,** trickish, tricksy [archaic]; **Machiavellian,** Machiavellic, politic, diplomatic; strategic, tactical; deep, deep-laid; cunning as a fox *or* serpent, crazy like a fox [slang], slippery as an eel, too clever by half; sneaky, **stealthy** 614.12; cagey [informal], wary 895.9; **scheming, designing** 654.14; **deceitful** 618.20.

.13 ADVS **cunningly, craftily, artfully,** wilily, guilefully, insidiously, shiftily, foxily, trickily, smoothly, slick [slang]; **slyly,** on the sly; **cannily, shrewdly,** knowingly, astutely, **cleverly** 733.29; subtlely, subtilely; cagily [informal], warily 895.13.

736. ARTLESSNESS

.1 NOUNS **artlessness, ingenuousness, guilelessness; simplicity,** simpleness, plainness; simpleheartedness, simplemindedness; **unsophistication,** unsophisticatedness; *naïveté* [Fr], naïvety, naïveness, childlikeness; **innocence;** trustfulness, trustingness, unguardedness, unwariness, unsuspiciousness; **openness,** openheartedness, sincerity, candor 974.4; single-heartedness, single-mindedness, singleness of heart; directness, bluffness, bluntness, outspokenness.

.2 **naturalness,** naturalism, nature; state of nature; unspoiledness; **unaffectedness,** unaffectation, **unassumingness,** unpre-

tendingness, unpretentiousness, undisguise; **inartificiality,** unartificialness, genuineness.

.3 **unsophisticate,** simple soul, naïf, **ingenue, innocent, child,** mere child, infant, **babe,** babe in the woods, lamb, dove; child of nature, noble savage; yokel, rube *or* hick [both slang]; oaf, lout 471.5; dupe 620.

.4 VERBS wear one's heart on one's sleeve, look one in the face.

.5 ADJS **artless, simple,** plain, **guileless;** simplehearted, simpleminded; **ingenuous,** *ingénu* [Fr]; **unsophisticated, naïve;** childlike, born yesterday; **innocent;** trustful, trusting, unguarded, unwary, unreserved, confiding, unsuspicious; **open,** openhearted, sincere, candid, **frank** 974.17; single-hearted, single-minded; direct, bluff, blunt, outspoken.

.6 **natural,** naturelike, native; in the state of nature; unspoiled; **unaffected, unassuming, unpretending,** unpretentious, unfeigning, undisguising, undissimulating, undissembling, undesigning; **genuine, inartificial,** unartificial, unadorned, unvarnished, unembellished; homespun; pastoral, rural, arcadian, bucolic.

.7 ADVS **artlessly, ingenuously, guilelessly;** simply, plainly; naturally, genuinely; naïvely; openly, openheartedly.

737. BEHAVIOR

.1 NOUNS **behavior, conduct, deportment, comportment, manner, manners, demeanor, mien,** *maintien* [Fr], **carriage, bearing,** port, poise, posture, guise, **air,** address, presence; –phoria; tone, style, lifestyle; way of life, modus vivendi; way, ways; methods, method, methodology; practice, praxis; procedure, proceeding; **actions,** acts, goings-on, doings, movements, moves, tactics; action, doing 705.1; activity 707; objective *or* observable behavior; motions, gestures; pose, affectation 903; pattern, behavior pattern; culture pattern, behavioral norm, folkway, **custom** 642; behavioral science, social science.

.2 **good behavior,** sanctioned behavior; good citizenship; good manners, correct deportment, etiquette 646.3; courtesy 936; sociability 922; bad *or* poor behavior, misbehavior 738; discourtesy 937.

.3 **behaviorism,** behavior *or* behavioristic psychology; behavior therapy.

.4 VERBS **behave, act, do,** go on; **behave oneself, conduct oneself,** manage oneself, **handle oneself,** guide oneself, **comport oneself, deport oneself,** demean oneself, **bear oneself, carry oneself;** acquit oneself, quit oneself [archaic]; proceed, move; misbehave 738.4.

.5 **behave oneself, behave,** act well, **be good,** be nice, **do right,** do what is right, do the right *or* proper thing, keep out of mischief, play the game *or* mind one's P's and Q's [both informal], be on one's good *or* best behavior.

.6 **treat, use, do by,** deal by, **act** *or* **behave toward,** conduct oneself toward, act with regard to, conduct oneself vis-à-vis *or* in the face of; **deal with,** cope with, **handle;** respond to.

.7 ADJS **behavioral;** behaviorist, behavioristic; **behaved,** behaviored, **mannered,** demeanored, –phoric.

738. MISBEHAVIOR

.1 NOUNS **misbehavior, misconduct,** misdemeanor [archaic]; unsanctioned *or* nonsanctioned behavior; frowned-upon behavior; **naughtiness,** badness; impropriety; venial sin; **disorderly conduct,** disorder, disorderliness, disruptiveness, disruption, **rowdiness,** rowdyism, ruffianism, hooliganism; vandalism; roughhouse, horseplay; discourtesy 937; vice 981; misdoing, wrongdoing 982.

.2 **mischief, mischievousness; devilment, deviltry,** devilry; **roguishness,** roguery, scampishness; **waggery,** waggishness; **impishness,** devilishness, puckishness, elfishness; **prankishness,** pranksomeness; sportiveness, playfulness, *espièglerie* [Fr]; high spirits, youthful spirits; foolishness 470.

.3 **mischief-maker,** mischief, **rogue, devil,** knave, **rascal,** rapscallion, scapegrace, **scamp; wag** 881.12; buffoon 612.10; funmaker, joker, jokester, practical joker, prankster, life of the party, **cutup** [slang]; **rowdy,** ruffian, hoodlum, hood [informal], hooligan; **imp, elf, puck,** pixie, **minx,** bad boy, bugger *or* booger [both informal], little devil, little rascal, little monkey, *enfant terrible* [Fr].

.4 VERBS **misbehave,** misdemean [archaic], **misbehave oneself, misconduct oneself,** misdemean oneself [archaic], behave ill; get into mischief; **act up** *or* **carry on** *or* carry on something scandalous [all informal], sow one's wild oats; **cut up** [slang], horse around [informal], roughhouse *or* cut up rough [both slang]; play the fool 470.6.

.5 ADJS misbehaving, unbehaving; **naughty, bad;** improper, not respectable; out-of-or-

der *or* off-base *or* out-of-line [all informal]; **disorderly,** disruptive, **rowdy,** rowdyish, **ruffianly.**

.6 **mischievous,** mischief-loving, full of mischief; **roguish,** scampish, scapegrace, arch, knavish; **devilish; impish, puckish, elfish,** elvish; **waggish, prankish,** pranky, pranksome, trickish, tricksy; **playful,** sportive, high-spirited, *espiègle* [Fr]; foolish 470.8–10.

.7 ADVS **mischievously, roguishly,** knavishly, scampishly, devilishly; impishly, puckishly, elfishly; waggishly; prankishly, playfully, sportively, in fun.

739. AUTHORITY

.1 NOUNS **authority, prerogative, right, power,** faculty, competence *or* competency; regality, royal prerogative; constituted authority, vested authority; inherent authority; legal *or* lawful *or* rightful authority, legitimacy; derived *or* delegated authority, vicarious authority, indirect authority; **the say** *or* **the say-so** [both informal]; divine right, *jus divinum* [L]; absolute power, absolutism 741.9,10.

.2 **authoritativeness, authority, power,** powerfulness, magisterialness, **potency** *or* potence, puissance, **strength,** might, mightiness, clout [slang].

.3 **authoritativeness, masterfulness, lordliness,** magistrality, magisterialness; **arbitrariness,** peremptoriness, imperativeness, **imperiousness,** autocraticalness, high-handedness, dictatorialness, overbearingness, overbearance, overbearing, domineering, domineeringness, tyrannicalness, authoritarianism, bossism [informal].

.4 **prestige, authority, influence,** influentialness; pressure, **weight,** weightiness, moment, **consequence;** eminence, **stature,** rank, seniority, priority, precedence; **greatness** 34; **importance, prominence** 672.1,2.

.5 **governance, authority, jurisdiction, control, command, power, rule, reign,** regnancy, **dominion,** sovereignty, empire, empery, raj [India], **sway; government** 741; administration, disposition 747.3; **grip,** claws, **clutches,** hand, hands, iron hand, talons.

.6 **dominance** *or* dominancy, **dominion, domination; preeminence, supremacy, superiority** 36; **sovereignty,** suzerainty, suzerainship, **overlordship;** primacy, principality, **predominance** *or* predominancy, predomination, prepotence *or* prepotency; preponderance, **ascendance** *or* **ascendancy; upper** *or* **whip hand,** balance of power; eminent domain.

.7 **mastership,** masterhood, masterdom, **mastery; leadership, headship, lordship;** hegemony; supervisorship, directorship 747.4; hierarchy, nobility, aristocracy, **ruling class** 749.15; chairmanship; chieftainship, chieftaincy, chieftainry, chiefery *or* chiefry; presidentship, presidency; premiership, prime-ministership, prime-ministry; governorship; princeship, princedom, principality; rectorship, rectorate; suzerainty, suzerainship; regency, regentship; prefectship, prefecture; proconsulship, proconsulate; provostship, provostry; protectorship, protectorate; seneschalship, seneschalsy; pashadom, pashalic; sheikhdom; emirate, viziership, vizierate; magistrateship, magistrature, magistracy; mayorship, mayoralty; sheriffdom, sheriffcy, sheriffalty, shrievalty; consulship, consulate; chancellorship, chancellery, chancellorate; seigniory; tribunate, aedileship; deanery; patriarchate, patriarchy [archaic]; bishopric, episcopacy; archbishopric, archiepiscopacy, archiepiscopate; metropolitanship, metropolitanate; popedom, popeship, popehood, papacy, pontificate, pontificality; dictatorship, dictature.

.8 **sovereignty, royalty,** regnancy, **majesty,** empire, empery, imperialism, **emperorship; kingship,** kinghood; queenship, queenhood; kaisership, kaiserdom; czardom; rajaship; sultanship, sultanate; caliphate; the throne, the crown, the purple; royal insignia 569.3.

.9 **scepter, rod, staff,** staff *or* rod of office, wand, wand of office, baton, mace, truncheon, fasces; crosier, crook, cross-staff; caduceus; gavel; mantle; chain of office; portfolio.

.10 (seat of authority) **saddle** [informal], **helm, driver's seat** [informal]; seat, chair, bench; woolsack [England]; seat of state, seat of power; curule chair; dais.

.11 **throne,** royal seat; musnud *or* gaddi [both India]; Peacock throne.

.12 (acquisition of authority) **accession; succession,** rightful *or* legitimate succession; **usurpation,** arrogation, assumption, taking over, seizure; anointment, anointing, consecration, coronation; **delegation,** deputation, assignment, **appointment; election; authorization,** empowerment.

.13 VERBS **possess** *or* **wield authority, have power,** have the power, have the right, have the say *or* say-so· [informal], hold

the prerogative; carry authority, have clout [slang], have what one says go, have one's own way; show one's authority, crack the whip, throw one's weight around [informal]; **rule** 741.14, **dominate** 741.15, govern 741.12, **control** 741.13; supervise 747.10.

.14 **take command, take charge, take over,** take the helm, take the reins of government, take the reins into one's hand, get the power into one's hands, gain *or* get the upper hand, take the lead; ascend *or* mount *or* succeed to *or* accede to the throne; **assume command,** assume, **usurp,** arrogate, seize; usurp *or* seize the throne *or* crown *or* mantle, usurp the prerogatives of the crown; seize power, execute a *coup d'état.*

.15 ADJS **authoritative,** clothed with authority, **commanding, imperative; governing, controlling, ruling** 741.18; **preeminent, supreme,** leading, **superior** 36.12–14; **powerful, potent,** puissant, mighty; dominant, ascendant, hegemonic, hegemonistic; **influential, prestigious, weighty,** momentous, consequential, eminent, substantial, considerable; great 34.6; important, prominent 672.18; ranking, senior; authorized, empowered, duly constituted, competent; **official,** *ex officio* [L]; authoritarian; absolute, autocratic, monocratic; **totalitarian.**

.16 **imperious,** imperial, **masterful,** authoritative, feudal, aristocratic, **lordly,** magistral, **magisterial;** arrogant 912.9; **arbitrary, peremptory,** imperative; absolute, absolutist, absolutistic; **dictatorial,** authoritarian; **bossy** [informal], **domineering, high-handed, overbearing,** overruling; autocratic, monocratic, **despotic, tyrannical;** tyrannous, grinding, oppressive 864.24; repressive, suppressive 760.11; strict, severe 757.6.

.17 **sovereign; regal, royal, majestic,** purple; **kinglike, kingly,** "every inch a king" [Shakespeare]; **imperial,** imperious *or* imperatorious [both archaic]; imperatorial; monarchic(al), monarchal, monarchial; tetrarchic; princely, princelike; **queenly,** queenlike; dynastic.

.18 ADVS **authoritatively,** with authority; **commandingly, imperatively; powerfully, potently,** puissantly, mightily; **influentially, weightily,** momentously, consequentially; **officially,** *ex cathedra* [L].

.19 **imperiously, masterfully,** magisterially; **arbitrarily, peremptorily; autocratically, dictatorially, high-handedly, domineeringly, overbearingly, despotically, tyrannically.**

.20 **by authority of,** in the name of, in *or* by virtue of.

.21 **in authority, in power, in charge, in control, in command,** at the reins, at the head, **at the helm,** at the wheel, **in the saddle** *or* driver's seat [informal], on the throne; "drest in a little brief authority" [Shakespeare].

740. LAWLESSNESS

(absence of authority)

.1 NOUNS **lawlessness; licentiousness,** license, uncontrol, unrestraint 762.3; indiscipline, insubordination, mutiny, disobedience 767; **irresponsibility,** unaccountability; willfulness, unchecked *or* rampant will; interregnum, power vacuum.

.2 **anarchy,** anarchism; **disorderliness, unruliness,** misrule, **disorder,** disruption, disorganization, confusion, **turmoil, chaos,** primal chaos, tohubohu; antinomianism; **nihilism;** syndicalism, anarcho-syndicalism, criminal syndicalism, lynch law, mob rule *or* law, mobocracy, ochlocracy; **law of the jungle;** revolution 147; rebellion 767.4.

.3 **anarchist,** anarch; antinomian; **nihilist,** syndicalist, anarcho-syndicalist; revolutionist 147.3; mutineer, rebel 767.5.

.4 VERBS **reject** *or* **defy authority,** enthrone one's own will; **take the law in one's own hands,** act on one's own responsibility; do *or* go as one pleases, indulge oneself; be a law unto oneself, answer to no man, "swear allegiance to the words of no master" [Horace].

.5 ADJS **lawless; licentious, ungoverned,** undisciplined, unrestrained 762.33; insubordinate, mutinous, disobedient 767.8–11; **uncontrolled,** uncurbed, unbridled, unchecked, rampant, unreined, reinless; **irresponsible,** wildcat, unaccountable; self-willed, willful, headstrong, heady.

.6 **anarchic(al),** anarchial, anarchistic; **unruly, disorderly,** disorganized, **chaotic;** antinomian; **nihilistic,** syndicalistic.

.7 ADVS **lawlessly,** licentiously; anarchically, chaotically.

741. GOVERNMENT

.1 NOUNS **government,** governance, **discipline, regulation; direction, management, administration,** dispensation, disposition, oversight, **supervision** 747.2; **regime,** regimen; **rule, sway,** sovereignty, **reign,** regnancy; empire, empery; civil government,

political government; form *or* system of government, political organization, polity; –archy, –cracy *or* –ocracy.

.2 **control, mastery, mastership, command, power, jurisdiction, dominion, domination; hold, grasp,** grip, gripe; hand, hands, iron hand, clutches; talons, claws; helm, reins of government.

.3 **the government, the authorities; the powers that be,** the Establishment; Uncle Sam, Washington; John Bull, the Crown, His *or* Her Majesty's Government, Whitehall.

.4 (governments) federal government, federation; unitary government; republic, commonwealth, democracy, representative government, representative democracy, direct *or* pure democracy; constitutional *or* parliamentary government; "government of the people, by the people, for the people" [Lincoln]; social democracy, welfare state; mob rule, tyranny of the majority, mobocracy [informal], ochlocracy; pantisocracy; aristocracy, hierarchy, oligarchy; feudal system; monarchy, absolute monarchy, constitutional monarchy, limited monarchy; dictatorship, tyranny, autocracy, autarchy; dyarchy, duarchy, duumvirate; triarchy, triumvirate; totalitarian government *or* regime, police state; stratocracy, military government, militarism, garrison state; martial law, rule of the sword; regency; hierocracy, theocracy, thearchy; patriarchy, patriarchate; gerontocracy; technocracy, meritocracy; autonomy, self-government, home rule, self-determination; heteronomy, dominion rule, colonial government, colonialism, neocolonialism; provisional government; coalition government.

.5 matriarchy, matriarchate, gynarchy, gynocracy, gynecocracy; petticoat government.

.6 [slang or informal terms] foolocracy, gunocracy, mediocracy, moneyocracy, landocracy, cottonocracy, beerocracy, oiligarchy, parsonarchy, pedantocracy, pornocracy, snobocracy, squirearchy.

.7 **supranational government,** supergovernment, **world government,** World Federalism; League of Nations, United Nations 743.

.8 (principles of government) democratism, republicanism; constitutionalism, parliamentarism, parliamentarianism; monarchism, royalism; feudalism, feudality; imperialism; fascism, neofascism, Nazism, national socialism; statism, governmentalism; collectivism, communism 745.5, socialism 745.6; federalism; centralism; pluralism; political principles 745.

.9 **absolutism, dictatorship, despotism,** tyranny, autocracy, autarchy, monarchy, absolute monarchy; **authoritarianism;** totalitarianism; one-man rule, one-party rule; Caesarism, Stalinism, kaiserism, czarism; benevolent despotism, paternalism.

.10 **despotism, tyranny, fascism,** domineering, domination, oppression; heavy hand, high hand, iron hand, iron heel *or* boot; big stick, *argumentum baculinum* [L]; **terrorism,** reign of terror; thought control.

.11 **officialism, bureaucracy;** beadledom, bumbledom; **red-tapeism,** red-tapery, **red tape** [all informal]; official jargon 744.37.

.12 VERBS **govern, regulate; wield authority** 739.13; **command,** officer, captain, **head, lead,** be master, be at the head of, **preside over,** chair; **direct, manage, supervise, administer,** administrate 747.8–11; discipline; stand over.

.13 **control, hold in hand,** have in one's power, gain a hold upon; hold the reins, hold the helm, be in the driver's seat *or* the saddle [informal]; have control of, **have under control, have in hand** *or* **well in hand;** be master of the situation, have it all one's own way, have the game in one's own hands; pull the strings *or* wires.

.14 **rule, sway, reign,** bear reign, have the sway, wield the scepter, wear the crown, sit on the throne; rule over, overrule.

.15 **dominate, predominate,** preponderate, prevail; **have the ascendancy, have the upper** *or* **whip hand,** have at a disadvantage, have on the hip [archaic]; **master,** have the mastery of; bestride; dictate, lay down the law; **rule the roost** *or* wear the pants [both informal]; take the lead, play first fiddle; **lead by the nose, twist** *or* **turn around one's little finger; keep under one's thumb,** bend to one's will.

.16 **domineer,** domineer over, **lord it over;** browbeat, henpeck [informal], intimidate, bully, cow, bulldoze [informal], walk over, walk all over; castrate, unman; daunt, terrorize 891.26–28; **tyrannize,** tyrannize over, despotize; **grind,** grind down, break, **oppress,** suppress, repress, weigh *or* press heavy on; keep under, keep down, beat down, clamp down on [informal]; overbear, overmaster, overawe; override, ride over, trample *or* stamp *or* tread upon, trample *or* tread down, **trample** *or* **tread underfoot,** crush

under an iron heel, **ride roughshod over;** hold *or* keep a tight hand upon, rule with a rod of iron, rule with an iron hand *or* fist; enslave, subjugate 764.8; compel, coerce 756.4–7.

.17 ADJS **governmental,** gubernatorial; **political, civil,** civic; **official,** bureaucratic; democratic, republican, fascist, fascistic, oligarchal, oligarchic(al), aristocratic(al), theocratic, **federal,** federalist, federalistic, **constitutional,** parliamentary, parliamentarian; monarchic(al), monarchial, monarchal [archaic]; autocratic, monocratic, absolute, **authoritarian;** despotic, **dictatorial; totalitarian;** pluralistic; patriarchal, patriarchic(al); matriarchal, matriarchic(al); heteronomous; autonomous, self-governing.

.18 **governing, controlling, regulating,** regulative, regulatory, **commanding; ruling, reigning, sovereign,** regnant; **master, chief,** general, **boss** [informal], **head; dominant, predominant,** predominate, preponderant, preponderate, prepotent, prepollent, prevalent, **leading, paramount, supreme,** hegemonic, hegemonistic; ascendant, in the ascendant, in ascendancy; at the head, in chief; in charge 739.21.

.19 **executive, administrative,** ministerial; official, bureaucratic; **supervisory, directing, managing** 747.12–14.

.20 ADVS **under control, in hand,** well in hand; **in one's power,** under one's control.

742. LEGISLATURE, GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION

.1 NOUNS **legislature,** legislative body; **parliament, congress, assembly,** general assembly, house of assembly, legislative assembly, **national assembly, chamber of deputies,** federal assembly, diet, soviet, court; unicameral legislature, bicameral legislature; legislative chamber, upper chamber *or* house, lower chamber *or* house; state legislature, state assembly; provincial legislature, provincial parliament; city council, city board, board of aldermen, common council, commission; representative town meeting, town meeting.

.2 **Parliament** (Afghanistan, Austria, Barbados, Belgium, Canada, Ethiopia, Fiji, France, West Germany, India, Iran, Italy, Jamaica, Laos, Liechtenstein, Malagasy Republic, Malaysia, Rhodesia, Singapore, South Africa, Swaziland, Trinidad and Tobago, United Kingdom), Federal Parliament (Australia), National Assembly (Bhutan, Botswana, Bulgaria, Republic of China, El Salvador, Gabon, Guinea, Equatorial Guinea, Guyana, Hungary, Ivory Coast, Jordan, Kenya, South Korea, Kuwait, Malawi, Mauritania, Pakistan, Rwanda, Senegal, Tanzania, Thailand, Tunisia, Uganda, Upper Volta, North Vietnam, Zaïre, Zambia), Legislative Assembly (Costa Rica, Mauritius, Nauru, Western Samoa, Tonga), Federal Assembly (Czechoslovakia, Switzerland, Yugoslavia), Federal National Assembly (Cameroon), Grand National Assembly (Rumania, Turkey), People's Assembly (Albania, Egypt), Supreme People's Assembly (North Korea), **Congress** (Chile, Colombia, Honduras, Liberia, Mexico, US, Venezuela), National Congress (Brazil, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Guatemala), National People's Congress (People's Republic of China), People's Consultative Congress (Indonesia), House of Representatives (Cyprus, Gambia, Malta, New Zealand, Sierra Leone), People's Council (Maldive Islands, Syria), Great and General Council (San Marino), Council of the Valleys (Andorra), National Council (Monaco), Chamber of Deputies (Lebanon, Luxembourg), Legislative Chamber (Haiti), Chamber of Representatives (Morocco), Diet (Japan), Cortes (Spain), Eduskunta (Finland), Folketing (Denmark), Riksdag (Sweden), Althing (Iceland), Great People's Khural (Mongolia), Storting (Norway), States General (Netherlands), Supreme Soviet (USSR), Knesset (Israel), Volkskammer (East Germany), Oireachtas (Ireland), Sejm (Poland).

.3 **upper house, upper chamber; Senate** (Australia, Barbados, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Ethiopia, Fiji, France, Iran, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Liberia, Malagasy Republic, Malaysia, Mexico, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Philippines, Rhodesia, South Africa, Swaziland, Trinidad and Tobago, US, Venezuela), House of Elders (Afghanistan), Chamber of Nations (Czechoslovakia), Bundesrat (Austria, West Germany), Rajya Sabha (India), House of Councillors (Japan), Chamber of Notables (Jordan), King's Council (Laos), First Chamber (Netherlands), Lagting (Norway), Corporative Chamber (Portugal), Council of Nation-

alities (USSR), Council of States (Switzerland), Republican Senate (Turkey), **House of Lords** (United Kingdom).

.4 **lower house,** lower chamber; **House of Representatives,** House [informal] (Australia, Fiji, Jamaica, Japan, Liberia, Malaysia, Philippines, US), House of the People (Afghanistan), House of Assembly (Barbados, Rhodesia, South Africa, Swaziland), Chamber of Representatives (Belgium, Colombia), **Chamber of Deputies** (Brazil, Chile, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Ethiopia, Italy, Jordan, Mexico, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Venezuela), National Assembly (France, Laos, Malagasy Republic, Portugal, Turkey), **House of Commons** (Canada, United Kingdom), Chamber of the People (Czechoslovakia), Bundestag (West Germany), Lok Sabha (India), Majlis (Iran), Dáil (Ireland), Second Chamber (Netherlands), Odelsting (Norway), Council of the Union (USSR), National Council (Switzerland).

.5 (US Senate committees) Aeronautical and Space Sciences; Agriculture and Forestry; Appropriations; Armed Services; Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs; Budget; Commerce; District of Columbia; Finance; Foreign Relations; Government Operations; Interior and Insular Affairs; Judiciary; Labor and Public Welfare; Post Office and Civil Service; Public Works; Rules and Administration; Veterans' Affairs.

.6 (US House of Representatives committees) Agriculture; Appropriations; Armed Services; Banking, Currency and Housing; Budget; District of Columbia; Education and Labor; Government Operations; House Administration; Interior and Insular Affairs; Internal Security; International Relations; Interstate and Foreign Commerce; Judiciary; Merchant Marine and Fisheries; Post Office and Civil Service; Public Works and Transportation; Rules; Science and Technology; Small Business; Standards of Official Conduct; Veterans' Affairs; Ways and Means.

.7 (US executive departments) Department of State; Department of the Treasury; Department of Justice; Department of Defense; Department of the Interior; Department of Agriculture; Department of Commerce; Department of Labor; Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; Department of Housing and Urban Development; Department of Transportation.

.8 **cabinet,** ministry, **council,** advisory council, council of state, privy council, divan; shadow cabinet; kitchen cabinet, camarilla.

.9 (US Cabinet) Secretary of State; Secretary of the Treasury; Secretary of Defense; Secretary of the Interior; Secretary of Agriculture; Secretary of Commerce; Secretary of Labor; Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare; Attorney General; Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Secretary of Transportation.

.10 (British Cabinet) Prime Minister; First Lord of the Treasury; Chief Secretary, Treasury; Lord Chancellor; Lord President of the Council; Lord Privy Seal; Chancellor of the Exchequer; First Secretary of State; Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs; Secretary of State for the Home Department; Secretary of State for Employment and Productivity; Secretary of State for Defence; Secretary of State for Economic Affairs; Secretary of State for Scotland; Secretary of State for Education and Science; Secretary of State for Wales; First Lord of the Admiralty; President of the Board of Trade; Paymaster-General; Minister of Housing and Local Government; Minister of Technology; Minister of Transport; Minister of Power; President of the Board of Education; Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

.11 (US Agencies) ACTION; Administrative Conference of the United States; Agency for International Development; American Battle Monuments Commission; American National Red Cross; Appalachian Regional Commission; Architect of the Capitol; Atomic Energy Commission, AEC; Central Intelligence Agency, CIA; Civil Aeronautics Board, CAB; Commission of Fine Arts; Commission on Civil Rights; Council of Economic Advisors; Council on Environmental Quality; Council on International Economic Policy; District of Columbia; Domestic Council; Economic Development Administration, EDA; Energy Research Development Administration; Environmental Protection Agency, EPA; Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, EEOC; Export-Import Bank of the United States, EIB; Farm Credit Administration, FCA; Federal Aviation Agency,

FAA; Federal Bureau of Investigation, FBI; Federal Communications Commission, FCC; Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, FDIC; Federal Energy Administration; Federal Home Loan Bank Board; Federal Maritime Commission; Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service; Federal Power Commission, FPC; Federal Reserve System; Federal Trade Commission, FTC; Food and Drug Administration, FDA; Foreign Claims Settlement Commission of the United States; General Accounting Office, GAO; General Services Administration, GSA; Government Printing Office; Indian Claims Commission; Interstate Commerce Commission, ICC; Library of Congress; National Academy of Sciences; National Academy of Engineering; National Aeronautics and Space Administration, NASA; National Aeronautics and Space Council; National Credit Union Administration; National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities; National Labor Relations Board, NLRB; National Mediation Board; National Science Foundation, NSF; National Security Council; Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission; Office of Consumer Affairs; Office of Economic Opportunity, OEO; Office of Intergovernmental Relations; Office of Management and Budget; Office of Science and Technology; Office of the Special Representative for Trade Negotiations; Panama Canal Company; Railroad Retirement Board; Renegotiation Board; St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation; Securities and Exchange Commission, SEC; Selective Service System; Small Business Administration; Smithsonian Institution; Tennessee Valley Authority, TVA; United States Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; United States Civil Service Commission; United States Information Agency, USIA; United States Postal Service; United States Tariff Commission; United States Tax Court; Veterans Administration, VA.

.12 **capitol, statehouse; courthouse;** city hall.

.13 **legislation, lawmaking,** legislature [archaic]; **enactment,** enaction, constitution, passage, passing; **resolution,** concurrent resolution, joint resolution; act 998.3.

.14 (legislative procedure) introduction, first reading, committee consideration, tabling, filing, second reading, deliberation, **debate,** third reading, **vote,** division, roll call; **filibustering,** filibuster, talkathon [slang]; cloture 144.5; **logrolling;** steamroller methods.

.15 **veto,** executive veto, absolute veto, qualified *or* limited veto, suspensive *or* suspensory veto, item veto, pocket veto; veto power; veto message; senatorial courtesy.

.16 **referendum,** constitutional referendum, statutory referendum, optional *or* facultative referendum, compulsory *or* mandatory referendum; **mandate; plebiscite,** plebiscitum; initiative, direct initiative, indirect initiative; recall.

.17 **bill,** omnibus bill, hold-up bill, companion bills amendment; **clause, proviso;** enacting clause, dragnet clause, escalator clause, saving clause; **rider;** joker [informal]; **calendar, motion;** question, previous question, privileged question.

.18 VERBS **legislate,** make *or* enact laws, **enact, pass,** constitute, ordain, put in force; **put through, jam** *or* **steamroller** *or* **railroad through** [informal], lobby through; table, pigeonhole; take the floor, get the floor, have the floor; yield the floor; **filibuster; logroll,** roll logs; **veto, pocket, kill; decree** 752.9.

.19 ADJS **legislative,** legislatorial, lawmaking; deliberative; **parliamentary, congressional;** senatorial; bicameral, unicameral.

743. UNITED NATIONS, INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

.1 NOUNS **United Nations, UN;** League of Nations.

.2 (organs) Secretariat; General Assembly; Security Council; Trusteeship Council; International Court of Justice; Economic and Social Council, ECOSOC.

.3 (agencies) Food and Agricultural Organization, FAO; General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, GATT; Intergovernmental Maritime Consultative Organization, IMCO; International Atomic Energy Agency, IAEA; International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, World Bank; International Civil Aviation Organization, ICAO; International Development Association, IDA; International Finance Corporation, IFO; International Labor Organization, ILO; International Monetary Fund, the Fund; International Telecommunication Union, ITU; United Nations Children's Fund, UNICEF; United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization, UNESCO; Universal Postal Union, UPU; World Health Organization,

WHO; World Meteorological Organization, WMO.

.4 (ECOSOC commissions) Statistical Commission; Commission on Human Rights, Subcommission on Prevention of Discrimination and the Protection of Minorities; Social Development Commission; Commission on the Status of Women; Commission on Narcotic Drugs; Population Commission; Economic Commission for Europe, ECE; Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East, ECAFE; Economic Commission for Latin America, ECLA; Economic Commission for Africa.

.5 (non-UN international organizations) World Council of Churches, WCC; Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, OECD; North Atlantic Treaty Organization, NATO; Council of Europe; European Economic Community, Common Market, EEC; European Coal and Steel Community, ECSC; European Atomic Energy Community, Euratom; European Free Trade Association, EFTA; Colombo Plan for Cooperative Development in South and Southeast Asia, Colombo Plan; Central Treaty Organization, CENTO; Organization of American States, OAS; Latin American Free Trade Association, LAFTA; Central American Common Market, CACM; Arab League, AL; Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries, OPEC; Organization of African Unity, OAU; Southeast Asia Treaty Organization, SEATO; ANZUS Council; African-Malagasy-Mauritius Common Organization, OCAM; Asian and Pacific Council, ASPAC; Bank for International Settlements, BIS; Council for Mutual Economic Assistance, COMECON; Eastern European Mutual Assistance Treaty, Warsaw Pact; French Community; International Bureau of Weights and Measures; International Committee of the Red Cross, ICRC; International Criminal Police Organization, Interpol; Nordic Council; Commonwealth of Nations, British Commonwealth [informal].

744. POLITICS

.1 NOUNS **politics,** polity, the art of the possible, "economics in action" [Robert La Follette]; practical politics, *Realpolitik* [Ger]; empirical politics; party *or* partisan politics, partisanism, –partism; reform politics; power politics, *Machtpolitik* [Ger]; machine politics, bossism [informal], Tammany Hall, Tammanism [informal]; pressure-group politics; confrontation politics; consensus politics; career politics; petty politics, peanut politics [slang]; pork-barrel politics; kid-glove politics [slang]; silk-stocking politics [slang]; ward politics.

.2 **political science,** poli-sci [slang], **politics, government, civics;** political philosophy, political theory; political behavior; political economy, comparative government, international relations, public administration; political geography, geopolitics, *Geopolitik* [Ger].

.3 **statesmanship, statecraft,** political *or* governmental leadership, national leadership; transpartisan *or* suprapartisan leadership; "the wise employment of individual meanness for the public good" [Lincoln]; kingcraft, queencraft; senatorship.

.4 **policy, polity,** public policy; line, **party line,** party principle *or* doctrine *or* philosophy, **position,** bipartisan policy; noninterference, nonintervention, *laissez-faire* [Fr], laissez-faireism; free enterprise; go-slow policy; government control, governmentalism; planned economy, managed currency, price supports, pump-priming [informal]; autarky, economic self-sufficiency; free trade; protection, protectionism; bimetallism; strict constructionism; localism, sectionalism, states' rights, nullification.

.5 **foreign policy, foreign affairs;** world politics; **diplomacy,** diplomatic *or* diplomatics [both archaic]; shirt-sleeve diplomacy; shuttle diplomacy; dollar diplomacy, dollar imperialism; brinkmanship; **nationalism, internationalism;** expansionism, imperialism, manifest destiny, colonialism, neocolonialism; spheres of influence; balance of power; containment; deterrence; militarism, preparedness; tough policy, the big stick [informal], twisting the lion's tail; nonresistance, isolationism, neutralism, coexistence, peaceful coexistence; détente; compromise, appeasement; peace offensive; good-neighbor policy; open-door policy, open door; Monroe Doctrine; Truman Doctrine; Eisenhower Doctrine; Nixon Doctrine.

.6 **program;** Square Deal [Theodore Roosevelt], New Deal [F. D. Roosevelt], Fair Deal [Truman], New Frontier [J. F. Kennedy], Great Society [L. B. Johnson]; austerity program; Beveridge Plan [Brit];

five-year plan; Cultural Revolution [China]; Point Four; Marshall Plan.

.7 **platform,** party platform, **program,** declaration of policy; **plank; issue;** keynote address, keynote speech.

.8 **political convention, convention;** conclave, powwow [informal]; national convention, quadrennial circus [informal]; state convention, county convention, preliminary convention, nominating convention; constitutional convention.

.9 **caucus,** legislative *or* congressional caucus, packed caucus; secret caucus.

.10 **candidacy,** candidature [Brit], **running, running for office,** throwing one's hat in the ring [informal], standing *or* standing for office [both Brit].

.11 **nomination,** caucus nomination, direct nomination, petition nomination; acceptance speech.

.12 **electioneering,** campaigning, politicking [informal], **stumping** *or* **whistle-stopping** [both informal]; **rally,** clambake [informal]; campaign dinner, $100-a-plate dinner, fund-raising dinner.

.13 **campaign,** all-out campaign, hard-hitting campaign, hoopla *or* hurrah campaign [informal]; **canvass, solicitation;** front-porch campaign; grass-roots campaign; stump excursion *or* stumping tour *or* **whistle-stop campaign** [all informal]; TV *or* media campaign; campaign commitments *or* promises; campaign fund, campaign contribution; campaign button.

.14 **smear campaign,** mudslinging campaign; **whispering campaign;** muckraking, **mudslinging** *or* **dirty politics** [both informal], character assassination; political canard, roorback; last-minute lie.

.15 **election,** general election, by-election; congressional election, presidential election; partisan election, nonpartisan election; **primary,** primary election; direct primary, open primary, closed primary, nonpartisan primary, mandatory primary, optional primary, preference primary, presidential primary, presidential preference primary, runoff primary; caucus 744.9; runoff, runoff election; disputed *or* contested election; referendum.

.16 **election district, precinct, ward, borough;** congressional district; safe district; swing district [informal]; close borough, pocket borough, rotten borough [all Brit]; gerrymander, gerrymandered district, shoestring district; silk-stocking district *or* ward; single-member district *or* constituency.

.17 **suffrage, franchise, the vote,** right to vote; universal suffrage, manhood suffrage, woman *or* female suffrage; suffragism, suffragettism; suffragist, woman-suffragist, suffragette; household franchise; one man, one vote.

.18 **voting,** going to the polls, casting one's ballot; preferential voting, preferential system, alternative vote; proportional representation, PR, cumulative system *or* voting, Hare system, list system; single system *or* voting, single transferrable vote; plural system *or* voting; single-member district 744.16; absentee voting; proxy voting, card voting; voting machine; election fraud, colonization, floating, repeating, ballot-box stuffing; **vote** 637.6.

.19 **ballot, slate, ticket,** proxy [dial]; straight ticket, split ticket; Australian ballot; Massachusetts ballot, office-block ballot; Indiana ballot, party-column ballot; absentee ballot; long ballot, blanket ballot, jungle ballot [informal]; short ballot; nonpartisan ballot; sample ballot; party emblem.

.20 **polls,** poll, polling place, polling station [Brit], balloting place; voting booth, polling booth; ballot box; voting machine; pollbook.

.21 **returns,** election returns, **poll,** count, official count; **recount;** landslide, tidal wave.

.22 **electorate,** electors; **constituency,** constituents; electoral college.

.23 **voter, elector, balloter;** registered voter; fraudulent voter, floater, repeater, ballot-box stuffer; proxy.

.24 **political party, party,** major party, minor party, third party, splinter party; "the madness of many for the gain of a few" [Pope]; Republican Party, GOP (Grand Old Party); Democratic Party; Conservative Party, Liberal Party, Socialist Party, Socialist Labor Party, Socialist Workers Party, Communist Party, Prohibition Party; Anti-Masonic Party, Anti-Monopoly Party, Constitutional Union Party, Democratic-Republican Party, States' Rights Democratic Party *or* Dixiecrats [informal], Farmer-Labor Party, Federalist Party, Free Soil Party, Greenback Party, American Party *or* Know-Nothing Party, Liberal Republican Party, Liberty Party, National Republican Party, People's Party *or* Populist Party, Progressive Party, Bull Moose Party, Whig Party; Conservative Party *or* Tory Party, Liberal Party, Labour Party [all England]; party in power, opposition party, loyal opposi-

tion; **faction, camp; machine,** political *or* party machine, Tammany Hall; city hall; one-party system, two-party system, multiple party system.

.25 **partisanism,** partisanship, partisanry; Republicanism; Conservatism, Toryism; Liberalism; Whiggism, Whiggery.

.26 **nonpartisanism, independence,** neutralism; mugwumpery, mugwumpism.

.27 **partisan, party member,** party man; regular, stalwart, loyalist; wheelhorse, party wheelhorse; heeler, ward heeler, **party hack;** party faithful; Republican, Democrat, etc.; registered Republican, registered Democrat; Labourite, Conservative, Tory, Liberal, Whig [all England].

.28 **nonpartisan, independent, neutral, mugwump,** undecided *or* uncommitted voter; swing vote.

.29 **political influence, wire-pulling** [informal]; **social pressure, public opinion, special-interest pressure,** group pressure; **influence peddling; lobbying,** lobbyism; **logrolling,** back scratching.

.30 **wire-puller** [informal]; **influence peddler,** four-percenter, power broker, fixer [informal], five-percenter [slang]; logroller.

.31 **pressure group,** interest group, special-interest group, **special interests;** vested interests; financial interests, farm interests, labor interests, etc.; minority interests, ethnic vote, black vote, Jewish vote, Italian vote, etc.; **Black Power,** White Power, Polish Power, etc.

.32 **lobby,** legislative lobby, special-interest lobby; **lobbyist,** registered lobbyist, lobbyer, parliamentary agent [England].

.33 **front, movement,** coalition, political front; popular front, people's front, communist front, etc.; grass-roots movement, ground swell.

.34 (political corruption) **graft,** boodling [slang], jobbery; pork-barrel legislation *or* pork-barreling; political intrigue.

.35 **spoils of office; graft,** boodle [slang]; slush fund [slang]; campaign fund, campaign contribution; public tit *or* public trough [both slang]; spoils system; cronyism, nepotism.

.36 **political patronage, patronage, favors of office, pork** *or* **pork barrel** [both informal], plum, melon [informal].

.37 **political** *or* **official jargon; officialese,** federalese, Washingtonese, gobbledygook [all informal]; bafflegab [slang]; political doubletalk, bunkum [informal]; pussyfooting; pointing with pride and viewing with alarm.

.38 VERBS **politick** [informal], politicize; look after one's fences *or* mend one's fences [both informal]; caucus; gerrymander.

.39 **run for office,** run; **throw** *or* **toss one's hat in the ring** [informal], enter the lists *or* arena, stand *or* stand for office [both Brit]; contest a seat [Brit].

.40 **electioneer, campaign; stump,** take the stump, take to the stump, stump the country, take to the hustings, hit the campaign trail, **whistle-stop** [all informal]; **canvass,** go to the voters *or* electorate, solicit votes, ring doorbells; shake hands and kiss babies.

.41 **support, back** *or* **back up** [both informal], **endorse;** go with the party, follow the party line; **get on the bandwagon** [informal]; **nominate, elect, vote** 637.18–20.

.42 **hold office,** hold *or* occupy a post, fill an office, be the incumbent, be in office.

.43 ADJS **political,** politic, politico–; governmental, civic; geopolitical; statesmanlike; diplomatic; suffragist; politico-commercial, politico-diplomatic, politico-ecclesiastical, politico-economic(al), politico-ethical, politico-geographical, politico-judicial, politico-military, politico-moral, politico-religious, politico-scientific, politico-social, politico-theological.

.44 **partisan, party;** bipartisan, biparty, two-party.

.45 **nonpartisan, independent,** neutral, mugwumpian *or* mugwumpish [both informal], **on the fence.**

745. POLITICO-ECONOMIC PRINCIPLES

.1 NOUNS **conservatism, conservativeness, rightism;** "an unhappy crossbreed, the mule of politics that engenders nothing" [Disraeli]; old school tie [Brit]; standpattism, unprogressiveness, backwardness; **ultraconservatism, reaction,** reactionism, reactionarism, reactionaryism, reactionariness, die-hardism [informal], Toryism, Bourbonism; extreme rightism, radical rightism, know-nothingism; extreme right, extreme right wing; social Darwinism; laissez-faireism 706.1; **royalism, monarchism.**

.2 **moderatism, moderateness,** moderantism; middle of the road, moderate position, fence [informal], **center,** third force.

.3 **liberalism, progressivism, leftism; left, left wing.**

.4 **radicalism, extremism,** ultraism; radicalization; revolutionism; ultraconservatism 745.1; extreme left, extreme left wing,

left-wing extremism; New Left, Old Left; Jacobinism, sans-culottism, *sans-culotterie* [Fr]; **anarchism, nihilism,** syndicalism, anarcho-syndicalism, criminal syndicalism.

.5 **communism, Bolshevism, Marxism,** Marxism-Leninism, Leninism, Trotskyism, Stalinism, Maoism, Titoism, Castroism, revisionism; Marxian socialism; dialectical materialism; democratic centralism; dictatorship of the proletariat; **Communist Party;** Communist International, Comintern; Communist Information Bureau, Cominform; iron curtain 730.5.

.6 **socialism,** collective ownership, public ownership; **collectivism;** creeping socialism; state socialism, *Staatsozialismus* [Ger]; guild socialism; Fabian socialism, Fabianism; utopian socialism; Marxian socialism, Marxism 745.5; phalansterism; Owenism; Saint-Simonianism, Saint-Simonism; **nationalization.**

.7 **welfarism,** welfare statism; womb-to-tomb security, cradle-to-grave security; social welfare; social security, social insurance; old-age and survivors insurance; unemployment compensation, unemployment insurance; workmen's compensation, workmen's compensation insurance; health insurance, Medicare, Medicaid, state medicine, **socialized medicine;** sickness insurance; public assistance, **welfare, relief,** welfare payments, aid to dependent children, ADC, old-age assistance, aid to the blind, aid to the permanently and totally disabled; guaranteed income, guaranteed annual income; welfare state; welfare capitalism.

.8 **capitalism,** capitalistic system, **free enterprise,** private enterprise, free-enterprise economy, free-enterprise system, free economy; finance capitalism; *laissez-faire* [Fr], laissez-faireism; private sector; private ownership; state capitalism; **individualism,** rugged individualism.

.9 **conservative,** conservatist, **rightist, right-winger;** Bircher; "a person who has something to conserve" [Edward Young], "the leftover progressive of an earlier generation" [Edmund Fuller]; standpat *or* standpatter [both informal]; hard hat; social Darwinist; ultraconservative, extreme right-winger, **reactionary,** reactionarist, reactionist, diehard, Bourbon, Tory; **royalist, monarchist,** imperialist; **right, right wing; radical right.**

.10 **moderate,** moderatist, moderationist, moderantist, centrist, middle-of-the-roader [informal]; center.

.11 **liberal,** liberalist, **progressive,** progressivist, **leftist, left-winger;** welfare stater; Lib-Lab [Brit informal]; **left.**

.12 **radical, extremist,** ultra, ultraist; **revolutionary,** revolutionist; subversive; extreme left-winger, left-wing extremist, **red** [informal], Bolshevik; yippie; Jacobin, sans-culotte; **anarchist,** nihilist, syndicalist, anarcho-syndicalist; Wobbly [slang]; mild radical, parlor Bolshevik [informal], pink *or* parlor pink [both slang], pinko [derog]; lunatic fringe.

.13 **Communist,** Bolshevist; Bolshevik, **Red** [informal], bolshie [slang], commie [derog]; Marxist, Leninist, Marxist-Leninist, Trotskyite *or* Trotskyist, Stalinist, Maoist, Titoist, Castroite, revisionist; card-carrying Communist, avowed Communist; fellow traveler, Communist sympathizer, comsymp [slang].

.14 **socialist,** collectivist; state socialist; Fabian, Fabian socialist; Marxist 745.13; utopian socialist; Fourierist, phalansterian; Saint-Simonian; Owenite.

.15 **capitalist,** individualist, rugged individualist; rich man 837.6,7.

.16 VERBS **politicize;** democratize, republicanize, socialize, communize; nationalize 815.7.

.17 ADJS **conservative, right-wing,** right of center; old-line, die-hard, standpat [informal], unprogressive, nonprogressive; ultraconservative, **reactionary,** reactionist.

.18 **moderate,** centrist, middle-of-the-road [informal].

.19 **liberal, liberalistic,** liberalist, **progressive,** progressivistic; **leftist, left-wing,** on the left, left of center.

.20 **radical, extreme, extremist,** extremistic, ultraist, ultraistic; revolutionary, revolutionist; subversive; ultraconservative 745.17; extreme left-wing, **red** [informal]; anarchistic, nihilistic, syndicalist, anarcho-syndicalist; mildly radical, pink [slang].

.21 **Communist, communistic,** Bolshevik, Bolshevist, bolshie [slang], Red [informal], commie [derog]; **Marxist,** Leninist, Marxist-Leninist, Trotskyite *or* Trotskyist, Stalinist, Maoist, Titoist, Castroite, revisionist.

.22 **socialist, socialistic,** collectivistic; Fabian; Fourieristic, phalansterian; Saint-Simonian.

.23 **capitalist, capitalistic,** bourgeois, individ-

ualistic, nonsocialistic, free-enterprise, private-enterprise.

746. POLITICIAN

.1 NOUNS **politician,** politico, political leader, professional politician, –crat *or* –ocrat; party leader, party boss *or* party chieftain [both informal]; machine politician, political hack, Tammany man; pol [informal]; old campaigner, war-horse; wheelhorse; reform politician, reformer.

.2 **statesman,** stateswoman, solon, public man, national leader; "a politician who is held upright by equal pressure from all directions" [Eric Johnston], "a successful politician who is dead" [Thomas B. Reed]; elder statesman.

.3 **legislator, lawmaker,** solon, lawgiver; **congressman,** congresswoman, Member of Congress; **senator; representative;** Speaker of the House; majority leader, minority leader; floor leader; whip, party whip; Member of Parliament, MP; state senator, assemblyman, chosen freeholder, councilman, alderman, city father.

.4 (petty politician) **two-bit** *or* **peanut politician** [slang], politicaster, statemonger [archaic], political dabbler; hack, party hack.

.5 (corrupt politician) **dirty** *or* **crooked politician** [informal], jackleg politician [slang]; **grafter,** boodler [informal]; spoilsman, spoilsmonger; influence peddler 744.30.

.6 (political intriguer) strategist, machinator, gamesman, wheeler-dealer [slang]; operator *or* finagler *or* **wire-puller** [all informal]; **logroller,** pork-barrel politician; Machiavellian 654.8; behind-the-scenes operator, gray eminence, *éminence grise* [Fr]; power behind the throne, kingmaker [informal].

.7 (political leader) **boss** [slang], cacique, sachem, man higher up [informal]; keynoter [informal], policy maker; standard-bearer; ringleader 648.11.

.8 **henchman,** hanger-on; heeler *or* **ward heeler** [both informal]; hatchet man.

.9 **candidate, aspirant,** hopeful *or* political hopeful [both informal], office seeker *or* hunter, baby kisser [slang]; running mate; **dark horse;** stalking-horse; favorite son; presidential timber; defeated candidate, also-ran *or* dud [both slang]; lame duck.

.10 **campaigner,** electioneer, **stumper** [informal], whistle-stopper [slang], stump speaker *or* orator [informal].

.11 **officeholder,** office-bearer [Brit], jack-in-office, public servant, public official, incumbent, holdover, lame duck; new broom [slang]; president-elect; ins, the powers that be.

.12 **political worker, committeeman,** committeewoman, precinct captain, precinct leader, district leader; party chairman, state chairman, national chairman, chairman of the national committee.

.13 ADJS **statesmanlike,** statesmanly.

747. DIRECTION, MANAGEMENT

.1 NOUNS **direction, management, managing,** managery [archaic], handling, **running** [informal], **conduct;** governance, **command, control, government** 741; **authority** 739; **regulation,** ordering, husbandry; manipulation; **guidance, lead, leading; steering,** steerage, pilotage, the conn, the helm, the wheel.

.2 **supervision, superintendence,** intendance, **bossing** [informal]; **surveillance,** oversight, eye; **charge, care, auspices, jurisdiction; responsibility,** accountability 962.2.

.3 **administration,** executive function *or* role, command function; **decision-making; disposition,** disposal, **dispensation;** officiation.

.4 **directorship, directorate, managership,** leadership, headship, governorship, chairmanship, convenership [Brit], presidency, generalship, captainship; mastership 739.7; dictatorship, sovereignty 739.8; superintendence *or* **superintendency,** intendancy, foremanship, overseership, supervisorship; stewardship, custody, guardianship, proctorship.

.5 **helm,** rudder, tiller, wheel, **reins,** reins of government.

.6 **domestic management, housekeeping,** homemaking, housewifery, ménage, husbandry [archaic]; domestic economy, home economics.

.7 **efficiency engineering,** scientific management, industrial engineering, management engineering, management consulting; management theory; efficiency expert, management consultant; time and motion study, time-motion study, time study.

.8 VERBS **direct, manage, regulate, conduct, carry on, handle, run** [informal]; **control, command, govern** 741.12; pull the strings *or* **mastermind** [both informal]; quarterback, call the signals; **order, prescribe;** lay down the law, make the rules; **head,** head up, officer, captain, skipper [informal];

lead, take the lead, lead on; manipulate, maneuver, engineer; take command 739.14; be responsible for.

.9 **guide, steer, drive, run** [informal]; herd, shepherd; **pilot,** take the helm, be at the helm *or* wheel *or* tiller *or* rudder, hold the reins, **be in the driver's seat.**

.10 **supervise, superintend, boss** [informal], **oversee,** overlook, ride herd on [informal], stand over, keep an eye on *or* upon, keep in order; cut work out for; straw-boss [informal]; take care of 699.19.

.11 **administer,** administrate; **officiate; preside,** preside over, preside at the board; chair, chairman, occupy the chair.

.12 ADJS **directing, directive,** directory, directorial; **managing, managerial; commanding, controlling, governing** 741.18; regulating, regulative, regulatory; **head, chief;** leading, guiding.

.13 **supervising,** supervisory, overseeing, **superintendent, boss** [informal]; **in charge** 739.21.

.14 **administrative, administrating;** ministerial, **executive; officiating, presiding.**

.15 ADVS in the charge of, in the hands of, in the care of; **under the auspices of,** under the aegis of; in one's charge, on one's hands, under one's care, under one's jurisdiction.

748. DIRECTOR

.1 NOUNS **director,** *directeur* [Fr], **governor,** rector, **manager, administrator,** intendant, **conductor;** person in charge, responsible person; ship's husband, supercargo; impresario, producer; deputy, agent 781.

.2 **superintendent,** super [informal]; **supervisor, foreman,** monitor, **head,** headman, overman, Big Brother [Orwell], **boss** [informal], chief, gaffer, ganger [both Brit], taskmaster; sirdar [India], **overseer,** overlooker; inspector, surveyor, visitor; proctor; subforeman, **straw boss** [informal]; slave driver; boatswain; floorman, floorwalker, floor manager; noncommissioned officer 749.19; controller, comptroller, auditor.

.3 **executive,** executive officer, executive director, executive secretary; officer, official; **president,** prexy [slang], chief executive officer, chief executive, managing director, provost, prefect, warden, archon; magistrate; **chairman of the board; chancellor,** vice-chancellor; vice-president, VP, veep [informal]; secretary; treasurer; dean; **management,** the administration 748.11.

.4 **steward,** bailiff [Brit], factor [Scot], seneschal; majordomo, butler, housekeeper, *maître d'hôtel* [Fr]; master of ceremonies, MC *or* emcee [both informal], master of the revels; proctor, procurator, attorney; guardian, custodian 699.6–12; curator, librarian; landreeve; croupier.

.5 **chairman,** chairwoman, **chair,** convener [Brit], speaker, presiding officer.

.6 **leader,** conductor [archaic]; file leader, fugleman; pacemaker, pacesetter; bellwether, bell mare, bell cow, Judas goat; standard-bearer, torchbearer; **leader of men,** born leader, charismatic leader *or* figure, inspired leader; messiah, Mahdi; führer, duce; forerunner 66.1; ringleader 648.11; precentor, coryphaeus, choragus, symphonic conductor, choirmaster 464.17, 18.

.7 **guide,** guider; **shepherd,** herd, herdsman, drover, cowherd, goatherd, etc.; tour guide, tour director *or* conductor, cicerone, mercury [archaic], courier, dragoman; **pilot,** river pilot, navigator, **helmsman,** timoneer, steersman, steerer, coxswain, boatsteerer, boatheader; automatic pilot, Gyropilot; pointer, guidepost 568.4.

.8 **guiding star,** cynosure [archaic], **polestar,** polar star, lodestar, Polaris, **North Star.**

.9 **compass,** magnetic compass, gyrocompass, gyroscopic compass, gyrostatic compass, Gyrosin compass, surveyor's compass, mariner's compass; needle, magnetic needle; direction finder, radio compass, radio direction finder, RDF; inertial guidance *or* inertial navigation system; loran, shoran.

.10 **directory, guidebook,** handbook, Baedeker; city directory, business directory; telephone directory, telephone book, phone book [informal], classified directory, Yellow Pages; **bibliography;** catalog, index, handlist, checklist, finding list; itinerary, road map, roadbook; reference book 605.6.

.11 **directorate,** directory, **management, the administration,** the brass *or* top brass [both informal], the people upstairs *or* the people in the front office [both informal], executive hierarchy; the executive, executive arm *or* branch; **cabinet; board,** governing board *or* body, board of directors, board of trustees, board of regents; steering committee, executive committee, interlocking directorate; cadre, executive council; infrastructure; council 755.

749. MASTER

.1 NOUNS **master, lord, lord and master,** overlord, seigneur *or* seignior, paramount, lord paramount, liege, liege lord, *padrone* [Ital], *patron, chef* [both Fr], patroon; **chief** *or* **boss** [both informal], sahib [India], *bwana* [Swahili]; employer; husband, man of the house, master of the house, goodman [archaic or dial], paterfamilias; patriarch, elder; teacher, rabbi, guru, starets; church dignitary, ecclesiarch 1038.9.

.2 **mistress,** governess, dame, madam; **matron, housewife,** homemaker, goodwife [Scot], lady of the house, chatelaine; housemistress, housemother; rectoress, abbess, mother superior; great lady, first lady; matriarch, dowager.

.3 **chief,** principal; top dog *or* kingpin *or* kingfish [all informal]; master, dean, doyen, doyenne [fem], high priest [informal], superior, senior; **leader** 748.6; important person, personage 672.8–10.

.4 **figurehead,** nominal head, dummy, lay figure, front man *or* front [both informal], stooge *or* Charlie McCarthy [both slang], puppet, creature.

.5 **governor, ruler,** –arch, –crat *or* –ocrat; **captain,** master, **commander,** commandant, intendant, castellan, chatelain, chatelaine; **director, manager, executive** 748.3.

.6 **head of state, chief of state; premier, prime minister, chancellor,** grand vizier, dewan [India]; doge; **president,** chief executive, the man in the White House.

.7 **potentate, sovereign, monarch, ruler, prince,** dynast, **crowned head, emperor,** *imperator* [L], king-emperor, **king,** anointed king, majesty, royalty, royal, royal personage; petty king, tetrarch, kinglet; grand duke; paramount, lord paramount, suzerain, overlord, overking, high king; **chief, chieftain,** high chief; prince consort 918.7.

.8 (rulers) **caesar,** *Kaiser* [Ger], **czar;** Holy Roman Emperor; Dalai Lama; **pharaoh;** pendragon, rig, ardri; **mikado,** tenno; shogun, tycoon; khan *or* cham; shah, padishah; negus; bey; **sheikh;** sachem, sagamore; Inca; cacique; kaid.

.9 (princes of India) **raja, maharaja,** rana, nizam, jam; Great Mogul, Mogul.

.10 (Muslim rulers) **sultan,** Grand Turk, grand seignior; caliph, imam; hakim; khan *or* cham; nizam, nawab; emir; Great Mogul, Mogul.

.11 **sovereign queen, sovereign princess, princess, queen,** queen regent, queen regnant, **empress,** czarina, *Kaiserin* [Ger]; rani, maharani [both India]; grand duchess; queen consort.

.12 **regent,** protector, prince regent, queen regent.

.13 (regional governors) **governor,** governor-general, lieutenant governor; **viceroy,** vice-king, exarch, proconsul, khedive, stadtholder; nabob, nawab, subahdar [all India]; gauleiter; eparch; palatine; tetrarch; burgrave; collector; hospodar, vaivode; dey, bey *or* beg, beglerbeg, wali *or* vali, satrap; provincial.

.14 **tyrant, despot,** warlord; **autocrat,** autarch; oligarch; absolute ruler *or* master *or* monarch, omnipotent *or* all-powerful ruler; **dictator,** duce, führer, commissar, pharaoh, caesar, czar; usurper, arrogator; **oppressor, hard master,** driver, **slave driver,** Simon Legree [Harriet B. Stowe]; **martinet, disciplinarian,** stickler.

.15 **the authorities, the powers that be,** ruling class *or* classes, **the Establishment,** the interests, the power elite, the power structure; **they,** them; the inner circle; the ins *or* the ingroup [both informal]; **management, the administration;** higher echelons, **top brass** [informal]; higher-ups, the people upstairs *or* the people in the front office [all informal]; **the top** [informal], the corridors of power; prelacy, hierarchy; ministry; **bureaucracy, officialdom;** directorate 748.11.

.16 **official, officer,** officiary, functionary *or* functionnaire, *fonctionnaire* [Fr]; **public official,** public servant; officeholder, office-bearer *or* placeman [both Brit]; civil servant; bureaucrat, mandarin, red-tapist; petty tyrant, jack-in-office.

.17 (public officials) **minister,** secretary, secretary of state [Brit], undersecretary, cabinet minister, cabinet member, minister of state [Brit]; chancellor; warden; archon; magistrate; syndic; commissioner; commissar; county commissioner; city manager, mayor, *maire* [Fr], lord mayor, burgomaster *or* burghermaster; headman, induna [Africa]; **councilman,** councilwoman, councillor, city councilman, elder, city father, alderman, bailie [Scot], selectman; supervisor, county supervisor; reeve, portreeve; legislator 746.3.

.18 **commissioned officer, officer;** top brass, the brass [both informal]; **commander in chief,** generalissimo, captain general; hetman, sirdar; general of the army, general

of the air force, five-star general [informal], **marshal,** *maréchal* [Fr], field marshal; general officer, **general,** four-star general [informal]; lieutenant general, three-star general [informal]; major general, two-star general [informal], brigadier general, one-star general [informal], brigadier [Brit]; field officer; **colonel,** chicken colonel [slang]; lieutenant colonel; **major;** company officer; **captain,** subahdar, risaldar [both India]; subaltern [Brit], **lieutenant,** jemadar [India]; first lieutenant; second lieutenant, shavetail [slang], sublieutenant [Brit]; **commander,** commandant, the Old Man [slang]; **commanding officer,** CO, executive officer, exec [slang]; chief of staff; aide, aide-de-camp, ADC; officer of the day, OD, orderly officer [Brit]; staff officer; senior officer, junior officer.

.19 **noncommissioned officer,** noncom [informal], NCO; warrant officer, chief warrant officer; centurion; sergeant, sarge [slang], havildar [India]; first sergeant, top sergeant [informal], topkick [slang]; sergeant major, master sergeant, sergeant first class, technical sergeant, platoon sergeant, staff sergeant, mess sergeant, color sergeant, acting sergeant, lance sergeant [Brit]; **corporal,** naik [India]; acting corporal, lance corporal [Brit], lance-jack [Brit slang].

.20 **naval officer; fleet admiral,** navarch, **admiral,** vice admiral, rear admiral, **commodore, captain, commander,** lieutenant commander, **lieutenant,** lieutenant junior grade, ensign; warrant officer; petty officer, master chief petty officer, senior chief petty officer, chief petty officer, petty officer first class, petty officer second class, petty officer third class; skipper.

.21 (heraldic officials) herald, king of arms, king at arms, earl marshal; Garter, Garter King of Arms, Clarenceux, Clarenceux King of Arms, Norroy and Ulster, Norroy and Ulster King of Arms, Norroy, Norroy King of Arms, Lyon, Lyon King of Arms; College of Arms.

750. SERVANT, EMPLOYEE

.1 NOUNS **retainer,** dependent, follower; myrmidon, yeoman; vassal, liege, liege man, feudatory, homager; inferior, **underling, subordinate,** understrapper; **minion,** creature, hanger-on, lackey, flunky, stooge [informal]; peon, serf, slave 764.7.

.2 **servant,** servitor, help; domestic, domestic servant, house servant; **menial,** drudge, slavey [informal]; scullion, turnspit.

.3 **employee;** pensioner, **hireling, mercenary,** myrmidon; hired man, hired hand, man *or* girl Friday, right-hand man, assistant 787.6; worker 718.

.4 **man,** manservant, serving man, gillie [Scot], **boy,** *garçon* [Fr], houseboy, houseman; butler; valet, *valet de chambre* [Fr], gentleman, gentleman's gentleman; driver, chauffeur, coachman; gardener; lord-in-waiting, lord of the bedchamber, equerry.

.5 **attendant,** tender, usher, squire, yeoman; errand boy, errand girl, gofer [slang], office boy, office girl, copyboy; page, footboy; bellboy, bellman, bellhop; cabin boy; printer's devil; chore boy; caddie; bootblack, boots [Brit]; trainbearer; cupbearer, Ganymede, Hebe; orderly, batman [Brit]; steward, **stewardess, hostess,** airline stewardess, airline hostess.

.6 **lackey, flunky,** livery *or* liveried servant; **footman,** *valet de pied* [Fr].

.7 **waiter, waitress;** carhop; counterman, soda jerk [informal]; busboy; headwaiter, *maître d'hôtel* [Fr], maitre d' [informal]; hostess; wine steward, sommelier; bartender, barkeeper *or* barkeep, barman, barmaid [Brit].

.8 **maid, maidservant,** servitress, **girl,** servant girl, *bonne* [Fr], serving girl, wench, biddy [informal], hired girl; lady-help [Brit], au pair girl, ayah [India], amah [China]; live-in maid, live-out maid; **handmaid,** handmaiden; **lady's maid,** waiting maid *or* woman, gentlewoman, abigail, soubrette; lady-in-waiting, maid-in-waiting, lady of the bedchamber; companion; chaperon; betweenmaid, tweeny [both Brit]; duenna; parlormaid; kitchenmaid, scullery maid; cook; housemaid, chambermaid, *femme de chambre, fille de chambre* [both Fr], upstairs maid; nursemaid 699.8.

.9 **factotum, do-all** [archaic], general servant [Brit], man of all work; maid of all work, domestic drudge, slavey [informal].

.10 **majordomo, steward,** house steward, **butler,** chamberlain, *maître d'hôtel* [Fr], seneschal; **housekeeper.**

.11 **staff, personnel, employees,** help, hired help, the help, **crew, gang,** men, force, servantry, retinue 73.6.

.12 **service,** servitude [archaic], servitorship, *servitium* [L]; **employment, employ; min-**

istry, ministration, attendance, tendance; serfdom, peonage, slavery 764.1.

.13 VERBS **serve, work for,** be in service with; minister *or* administer to, pander to, do service to; **help** 785.11; **care for,** do for [informal], **look after,** take care of; **wait, wait on** *or* **upon, attend,** tend, attend on *or* upon, dance attendance upon, wait on hand and foot; lackey, valet, maid, chore; drudge 716.14.

.14 ADJS **serving,** servitorial, servitial, **ministering,** waiting, **attending,** attendant; in the train of, in one's pay *or* employ; helping 785.20; **menial, servile** 907.12.

751. PRECEPT

.1 NOUNS **precept,** prescript, **prescription, teaching; instruction, direction, charge,** commission, **injunction,** dictate; **order,** command 752.

.2 **rule, law, canon,** rubric, **maxim,** dictum, moral; norm, convention; formula, form; rule of action *or* conduct, moral precept; commandment, *mitzvah* [Heb]; ordinance, imperative, **regulation,** *règlement* [Fr]; **principle,** principium, settled principle, general principle *or* truth, tenet; standard; **guideline,** working rule, working principle; guiding principle, golden rule; **code.**

.3 **formula,** form [archaic], **recipe,** receipt; **prescription;** formulary.

.4 ADJS **preceptive,** didactic, instructive, **prescriptive;** prescript, prescribed, mandatory, hard and fast, binding, dictated; formulary, standard, regulation, official, authoritative, canonical, statutory, rubric(al).

752. COMMAND

.1 NOUNS **command, commandment, order,** direct order, **bidding,** behest, hest [archaic], imperative, **dictate,** dictation, will, pleasure, say-so [informal], word, word of command, *mot d'ordre* [Fr]; special order.

.2 **injunction, charge,** commission, **mandate.**

.3 **direction, directive, instruction, rule, regulation;** prescript, prescription, precept 751; general orders.

.4 **decree,** decreement [archaic], decretum, decretal, rescript, fiat, **edict,** *edictum* [L]; **law** 998.3; **rule, ruling,** dictum, ipse dixit; **ordinance,** *ordonnance* [Fr], appointment [archaic]; **proclamation,** pronouncement, pronunciamento, **declaration,** ukase; bull, brevet [archaic]; decree-law, *décret loi* [Fr]; *senatus consultum* [L], senatus consult; diktat.

.5 **summons, bidding, beck, call,** calling, nod, **beck and call,** preconization; convocation; evocation, calling forth, invocation; requisition, indent [Brit].

.6 (legal order) **injunction,** interdict, mandatory injunction, prohibitory injunction; mandate; **writ, process,** precept; **notice,** notification; **warrant,** bench warrant, justice's warrant, search warrant, death warrant, warrant of arrest, warrant of attorney; mittimus, mandamus, caveat, capias, nisi prius [Brit], fieri facias, levari facias, elegit, habere facias possessionem, habere facias seisinam.

.7 **summons,** writ of summons, **subpoena, citation,** monition; certiorari; venire *or* venire facias, venire facias de novo *or* venire de novo; habeas corpus, writ of habeas corpus, habeas corpus ad faciendum et recipiendum *or* habeas corpus cum causa, habeas corpus ad prosequendum, habeas corpus ad subjiciendum, habeas corpus ad testificandum; garnishment.

.8 process server, summoner.

.9 VERBS **command, order, dictate, direct, instruct,** mandate, **bid, enjoin, charge,** commission, call on *or* upon; issue a writ *or* injunction; **decree, rule, ordain,** promulgate; give an order *or* direct order, issue a command, say the word, give the word *or* word of command; call the tune [informal], call the signals *or* play [slang]; order about *or* around; proclaim, declare, pronounce 559.12,13.

.10 **prescribe,** require, demand, **dictate,** impose, lay down, set, appoint, make obligatory *or* mandatory; authorize 777.11.

.11 **lay down the law,** put one's foot down [informal], read the riot act.

.12 **summon, call,** demand, preconize; call for, send for *or* after, bid come; **cite, summons** [informal], **subpoena,** serve; page; convoke, convene, call together; call away; muster, invoke, conjure; order up, summon up, muster up, call up, conjure up; evoke, call forth, summon forth, call out; recall, call back, call in; requisition, indent [Brit].

.13 ADJS **mandatory,** mandated, **imperative, compulsory,** prescript, prescriptive, **obligatory,** must [informal]; dictated, imposed, required, entailed, decretory; decisive, final, peremptory, absolute, hard-and-fast, ultimate, conclusive, binding, irrevocable, without appeal.

.14 **commanding,** imperative, jussive, pe-

remptory; **directive, instructive; mandating,** dictating, compelling, obligating, **prescriptive,** preceptive; decretory, decretive, decretal.

.15 ADVS **commandingly, imperatively,** peremptorily.

.16 **by order** *or* **command,** at the word of command, as ordered *or* required, to order; mandatorily, compulsorily, obligatorily.

753. DEMAND

.1 NOUNS **demand, claim, call; requisition,** requirement, order, rush order, indent [Brit]; call for, demand for; heavy demand, draft, drain, levy, tax, taxing; imposition, impost, tribute, duty, contribution; insistent demand, rush; exorbitant *or* extortionate demand, exaction, extortion, blackmail; **ultimatum,** nonnegotiable demand; notice, warning 703.

.2 **stipulation, provision,** proviso, condition, term, string [informal], exception, reservation; **qualification** 507.

.3 **insistence, importunity,** importunateness, importunacy, **demandingness,** pertinaciousness, pertinacity; pressure, pressingness, urgency, exigency 672.4; persistence 625.1.

.4 VERBS **demand, ask, ask for,** make a demand; **call for,** call on *or* upon one for, appeal to one for; cry for, clamor for; **claim,** challenge, **require;** levy, **impose,** impose on one for; **exact, extort,** screw; blackmail; **requisition,** make *or* put in requisition, indent [Brit]; **order,** put in *or* place an order, order up; deliver *or* issue an ultimatum; warn 703.5.

.5 **claim, pretend to, lay claim to, challenge;** assert *or* vindicate a claim *or* right *or* title to.

.6 **stipulate,** stipulate for, specifically provide, set conditions *or* terms, make reservations; **qualify** 507.3,4.

.7 **insist, insist on** *or* **upon,** stick to [slang], set one's heart *or* mind upon; **take one's stand upon,** stand on *or* upon; stand upon one's rights, **put one's foot down** [informal]; brook *or* take no denial, not take 'no' for an answer; **maintain, contend,** assert 523.4; urge, press 648.14; **persist** 625.2–6.

.8 ADJS **demanding, exacting,** exigent; draining, taxing, exorbitant, extortionate, grasping; **insistent,** instant, **importunate,** urgent, pertinacious, pressing, loud, clamant, crying, clamorous; persistent 625.7.

.9 requisitorial, requisitory.

.10 ADVS **demandingly, exactingly,** exigently; exorbitantly, extortionately; **insistently, importunately, urgently,** pressingly, clamorously, loudly, clamantly.

.11 **on demand,** at demand, **on call,** upon presentation.

754. ADVICE

.1 NOUNS **advice, counsel, recommendation, suggestion;** proposal; advising, advocacy; **direction, instruction,** guidance, briefing; **exhortation,** hortation, expostulation, remonstrance; **admonition,** monition, caution, caveat, **warning** 703; **idea,** thought, opinion 501.6; **consultation,** parley 597.6; council 755.

.2 piece of advice, **word of advice, word to the wise,** *verbum sapienti* [L], verb. sap. *or* verbum sap., word in the ear, **flea in the ear** [informal], **tip** [informal], a few words of wisdom, one's two cents' worth [informal].

.3 **adviser, counsel, counselor, consultant,** professional consultant, expert; instructor, guide, **mentor,** nestor, orienter; confidant, personal adviser; admonisher, monitor, Dutch uncle; Polonius [Shakespeare], preceptist; **teacher** 565; meddler, buttinsky [slang], kibitzer *or* backseat driver [both informal].

.4 **advisee,** counselee.

.5 VERBS **advise, counsel, recommend, suggest, advocate,** propose, submit; **instruct,** coach, guide, direct, brief; prescribe; give a piece of advice, put a flea in one's ear [informal], speak words of wisdom; meddle, kibitz [informal]; confer, consult with 597.11.

.6 **admonish, exhort,** expostulate, remonstrate, preach; **enjoin, charge,** call upon one to; caution, issue a caveat; warn 703.5,6; move, prompt, **urge, incite, encourage, induce, persuade** 648.12–23.

.7 **take** *or* **accept advice, follow advice,** follow, follow implicitly; solicit advice, desire guidance, implore counsel; **be advised by;** have at one's elbow, take one's cue from.

.8 ADJS **advisory,** recommendatory; consultative, consultatory; directive, instructive; **admonitory,** monitory, monitorial, cautionary, **warning** 703.7; **expostulative,** expostulatory, **remonstrative,** remonstratory, remonstrant; **exhortative,** exhortatory, hortative, hortatory, preachy [informal], **didactic,** moralistic, sententious.

755. COUNCIL

.1 NOUNS **council,** *concilium* [L], deliberative *or* advisory body, deliberative assembly, consultative assembly; chamber, **board,** court, bench; **congress,** diet, synod, soviet; legislature 742; **cabinet,** divan, council of ministers, council of state, US Cabinet 742.9, British Cabinet 742.10; kitchen cabinet, camarilla; staff; junta, directory; Sanhedrin; privy council, common council, county council, parish council, borough council, city council; brain trust [informal], group *or* corps *or* body of advisers; council of war; council fire; syndicate, **association** 788; **conference** 597.6; **assembly** 74.2; tribunal 1001.

.2 **committee,** subcommittee, standing committee, special committee, ad hoc committee; committee of one.

.3 **forum,** discussion group, **round table, panel;** open forum.

.4 ecclesiastical council, chapter, classis, conclave, conference, congregation, consistory, convention, convocation, presbytery, session, synod, vestry; parochial council, parochial church council; diocesan conference, diocesan court; provincial court, plenary council; ecumenical council; Council of Nicaea, Council of Trent, Lateran Council, Vatican Council; conciliarism.

.5 ADJS **conciliar,** council; consultative, deliberative, advisory; synodal, synodic(al).

.6 ADVS **in council, in conference, in consultation, in a huddle** [slang], in conclave; **in session,** sitting.

756. COMPULSION

.1 NOUNS **compulsion, obligation,** obligement; **necessity** 639; **inevitability** 639.7; **irresistibility, compulsiveness; forcing,** enforcement; **constraint,** coaction; **restraint** 760.

.2 **force,** *ultima ratio* [L]; **brute force,** naked force, rule of might, big battalions, **main force,** physical force; the right of the strong, the law of the jungle; **tyranny** 741.10; steamroller [informal].

.3 **coercion,** intimidation, **duress; the strong arm** *or* strong-arm tactics [both informal], the sword, the mailed fist, the bludgeon, the boot in the face, the jackboot, the big stick, the club, *argumentum baculinum* [L]; **pressure, high pressure,** high-pressure methods; **violence** 162.

.4 VERBS **compel, force, make;** have, cause, cause to; **constrain, bind,** tie, tie one's hands; **restrain** 760.7; enforce, **drive,** impel; use force upon, force one's hand.

.5 **oblige, necessitate, require,** exact, demand, **dictate,** impose, call for; take *or* brook no denial; leave no option *or* escape, admit of no option.

.6 **press; pressure** *or* **high-pressure** *or* lean on *or* squeeze [all informal], twist one's arm [slang]; ram *or* cram down one's throat; **bring pressure to bear upon, put pressure on,** bear down on, bear down upon, bear against, bear hard upon; put the screw *or* screws on [informal], put the screw *or* screws to [informal].

.7 **coerce,** use violence, intimidate, **strong-arm** [slang], bully, steamroller *or* bulldoze [both informal], bludgeon, blackjack; hijack, shanghai, dragoon.

.8 **be compelled, be coerced,** have to 639.10.

.9 ADJS **compulsory, compulsive,** compulsatory, **compelling; pressing, driving,** imperative, imperious; constraining, coactive; **restraining** 760.11; **irresistible.**

.10 **obligatory, compulsory,** imperative, mandatory, required, dictated, **binding;** involuntary; **necessary** 639.12; **inevitable** 639.15.

.11 **coercive, forcible;** steamroller *or* bulldozer *or* sledgehammer *or* strong-arm [all informal]; violent 162.15.

.12 ADVS **compulsively,** compulsorily, **compellingly,** imperatively, imperiously.

.13 **forcibly, by force,** by main force, by *force majeure,* by a strong arm; by force of arms, *vi et armis* [L].

.14 **obligatorily,** compulsorily, mandatorily, by stress of, under press of; at the point of a gun, at the point of the sword *or* bayonet, at bayonet point; under the lash; of necessity.

757. STRICTNESS

.1 NOUNS **strictness, severity, harshness, stringency,** astringency; **discipline,** strict *or* tight *or* rigid discipline, regimentation; **austerity, sternness,** grimness, ruggedness, **toughness** [informal]; Spartanism; authoritarianism; demandingness, exactingness; **meticulousness** 533.3.

.2 **firmness, rigor, rigorousness,** rigidness, rigidity, stiffness, **hardness,** obduracy, obdurateness, **inflexibility,** inexorability, unyieldingness, unbendingness, impliability, unrelentingness, **relentlessness; uncompromisingness;** stubbornness, obstinacy 626; purism; precisianism, puritanism, fundamentalism, orthodoxy.

.3 **firm hand, iron hand,** heavy hand, strong hand, tight hand, tight rein; tight ship.

.4 VERBS **hold** *or* **keep a tight hand upon,** keep a firm hand on, keep a tight rein on, rule with an iron hand, rule with a rod of iron; regiment, discipline; run a tight ship, keep in line; maintain the highest standards, not spare oneself nor anyone else.

.5 **deal hardly** *or* **harshly with,** deal hard measure to, lay a heavy hand on, bear hard upon, not pull one's punches [slang]; throw one's back at [informal].

.6 ADJS **strict, exacting,** exigent, demanding, not to be trifled with, **stringent,** astringent; **severe, harsh,** dour, unsparing; **stern, grim, austere,** rugged, **tough** [informal]; Spartan, Spartanic; authoritarian; **meticulous** 533.12.

.7 **firm, rigid, rigorous,** rigorist, rigoristic, stiff, **hard,** iron, obdurate, **inflexible,** ironhanded, inexorable, dour, **unyielding,** unbending, impliable, **relentless,** unrelenting, procrustean, muscle-bound; **uncompromising;** stubborn, obstinate 626.8; purist, puristic; puritan, puritanic(al), fundamentalist, orthodox; ironbound, rockbound, ironclad [informal]; straitlaced *or* straightlaced, hidebound.

.8 ADVS **strictly, severely, stringently, harshly; sternly,** grimly, **austerely,** ruggedly, toughly [informal].

.9 **firmly, rigidly, rigorously,** stiffly, hardly, obdurately, **inflexibly,** impliably, inexorably, unyieldingly, unbendingly; **uncompromisingly, relentlessly,** unrelentingly; ironhandedly, with a firm *or* strong *or* heavy *or* tight *or* iron hand.

758. LAXNESS

.1 NOUNS **laxness, laxity, slackness, looseness,** relaxedness; loosening, relaxation; imprecision, sloppiness [informal], carelessness, remissness, negligence 534.1–4; indifference 636; leniency 759; permissiveness; overpermissiveness, overindulgence, softness; easygoingness, easiness; weakness 160; impotence 158; unrestraint 762.3.

.2 **unstrictness,** nonstrictness, undemandingness, unsevereness, unharshness; unsternness, unaustereness; flexibility, pliancy.

.3 VERBS **hold a loose rein, give free rein to,** give the reins to, **give one his head,** give a free course to, give rope enough to; permit all *or* anything.

.4 ADJS **lax, slack, loose,** relaxed; imprecise, sloppy [informal], careless, slipshod; remiss, negligent 534.10–13; indifferent 636.6–8; lenient 759.7; permissive; overpermissive, overindulgent, soft; easy, easygoing; weak 160.12; impotent 158.13–15; unrestrained 762.23.

.5 **unstrict,** undemanding, **unexacting; unsevere, unharsh; unstern,** unaustere; **flexible,** pliant, yielding.

759. LENIENCY

.1 NOUNS **leniency** *or* lenience, lenientness, lenity; **clemency,** clementness, **mercifulness,** mercy, **humaneness,** humanity, pity, **compassion** 944.1; **mildness, gentleness,** tenderness, softness, moderateness; **easiness,** easygoingness; laxness 758; **forbearance,** forbearing, patience 861; acceptance, **tolerance** 526.4.

.2 **compliance, complaisance,** obligingness, accommodatingness, **agreeableness;** affability, graciosity, graciousness, generousness, decency, amiability; kindness, kindliness, benignity, **benevolence** 938.

.3 **indulgence, humoring,** obliging; favoring, gratification, pleasing; **pampering,** cosseting, **coddling,** mollycoddling, **spoiling; permissiveness,** overpermissiveness, overindulgence.

.4 **spoiled child,** *enfant gâté* [Fr], pampered darling, mama's boy, mollycoddle; *enfant terrible* [Fr], naughty child.

.5 VERBS **be easy on,** handle with kid gloves *or* velvet gloves, use a light hand *or* light rein, spare the rod; **tolerate,** bear with 861.5.

.6 **indulge, humor, oblige;** favor, please, gratify, satisfy, **cater to; give way to,** yield to, let one have his own way; **pamper,** cosset, **coddle,** mollycoddle, **spoil;** spare the rod and spoil the child.

.7 ADJS **lenient, mild, gentle,** tender, humane, compassionate, **clement,** merciful 944.7; soft, moderate, **easy,** easygoing; lax 758.4,5; forgiving 947.6; **forbearing, forbearant,** patient 861.9; accepting, **tolerant** 526.11.

.8 **indulgent, compliant,** complaisant, **obliging, accommodating, agreeable,** amiable, gracious, generous, benignant, affable, decent, kind, kindly, benign, benevolent 938.13–15; permissive, overpermissive, overindulgent.

.9 **indulged, pampered, coddled, spoiled,** spoiled rotten [informal].

760. RESTRAINT

.1 NOUNS **restraint, constraint; inhibition;** legal restraint, injunction, interdict; **control, curb, check,** rein, arrest, arrestation; **retardation,** deceleration, slowing down; cooling *or* cooling off *or* cooling down

[all informal]; retrenchment, curtailment; self-control 624.5; **hindrance** 730; rationing; thought control; restraint of trade, monopoly, protection, protectionism, protective tariff, tariff wall; **prohibition** 778.

.2 **suppression, repression; subdual,** quelling, putting down, smashing, crushing; quashing, squashing *or* squelching [both informal]; smothering, stifling, suffocating, strangling, throttling; extinguishment, quenching; crackdown [informal]; censorship.

.3 **restriction, limitation, confinement;** circumscription 234; stint, cramping, cramp; qualification 507.

.4 **shackle,** restraint, **restraints, fetter, hamper,** trammel, trammels, **manacle,** gyves, bond, **bonds,** irons, chains, Oregon boat; stranglehold; **handcuffs,** cuffs; stocks, bilbo, pillory; hobbles, hopples; straitjacket *or* straightjacket, strait-waistcoat [Brit], camisole; yoke, collar; bridle, halter; **muzzle, gag;** tether; leash, leading strings; reins.

.5 **lock,** bolt, bar, padlock; barrier 730.5.

.6 restrictionist, protectionist, monopolist; censor.

.7 VERBS **restrain, constrain, control, govern,** guard, contain, keep under control, put *or* lay under restraint; **inhibit,** straiten [archaic]; enjoin, prohibit 778.3; **curb, check, arrest, bridle,** rein, snub; **retard,** slow down, decelerate; **cool** *or* **cool off** *or* **cool down** [all informal]; retrench, curtail; hold, keep, withhold, hold up [informal], **keep from;** hinder 730.10; **hold back, keep back,** pull, set back; **hold in, keep in,** pull in, rein in; **hold** *or* **keep in check, hold at bay,** dompt, hold in leash; hold fast, keep a tight hand on; restrain oneself, not go too far, not go off the deep end [informal].

.8 **suppress, repress,** stultify; **keep down,** hold down, keep under; **subdue, quell, put down,** smash, **crush; quash, squash** *or* **squelch** [both informal]; **extinguish,** quench, stanch, damp down, pour water on, drown, kill; **smother, stifle,** suffocate, asphyxiate, strangle, throttle, choke off, **muzzle, gag;** censor, silence; sit on *or* sit down on [both slang]; jump on *or* crack down on *or* clamp down on *or* shut down on [all informal], put *or* keep the lid on [slang]; bottle up, cork, cork up.

.9 **restrict, limit, narrow, confine,** tighten; circumscribe 234.4; keep in *or* within bounds, keep from spreading, localize, hem, hem in, box, box in *or* up; **cramp,** stint; qualify 507.3.

.10 **bind, restrain, tie,** tie up, **strap,** lash, leash, pinion, fasten, secure, make fast; **hamper, trammel,** entrammel; rope; **chain,** enchain; **shackle, fetter, manacle,** gyve, **put in irons; handcuff, tie one's hands; tie hand and foot,** hog-tie [informal]; straitjacket; hobble, hopple; tether, picket, moor, anchor; tie down, pin down, peg down; get a stranglehold on, put a half nelson on [informal]; **bridle.**

.11 ADJS **restraining, constraining; inhibiting,** inhibitive; **suppressive, repressive,** stultifying.

.12 **restrictive,** limitative, restricting, **narrowing, limiting, confining,** cramping.

.13 **restrained, constrained, inhibited,** pent-up; guarded; controlled, curbed, bridled; **under restraint,** under control, in check, under discipline; slowed down, retarded, arrested, in remission; in *or* on leash, in leading strings.

.14 **suppressed, repressed; subdued,** quelled, put down, smashed, crushed; quashed, squashed *or* squelched [both informal]; smothered, stifled, suffocated.

.15 **restricted, limited, confined;** circumscribed 234.6, hemmed in, hedged in *or* about, boxed in; landlocked; weatherbound, windbound, icebound, snowbound; cramped, stinted; qualified 507.10.

.16 **bound, tied,** tied up, tied down, strapped, hampered, trammeled, shackled, handcuffed, fettered, manacled, tethered; **in bonds,** in irons *or* chains, ironbound.

761. CONFINEMENT

.1 NOUNS **confinement,** locking up, lockup, caging, penning, impoundment, **restraint,** restriction; check, constraint 760.1.

.2 **quarantine, isolation,** cordoning off, segregation, separation, seclusion; sanitary cordon, *cordon sanitaire* [Fr], cordon; quarantine flag, yellow flag, yellow jack.

.3 **imprisonment, jailing,** incarceration, **internment,** immurement, immuration; **detention, captivity,** duress, durance, durance vile; close arrest, house arrest; term of imprisonment.

.4 **commitment,** committal, consignment; recommitment, remand; mittimus [law].

.5 **custody,** custodianship, keep [archaic], **keeping, care, charge, ward,** guarding, hold, protective *or* preventive custody; protection, safekeeping 699.1.

.6 **arrest,** arrestment, arrestation, pinch *or*

bust [both slang]; **capture, apprehension, seizure,** netting [informal].

.7 **place of confinement;** limbo, hell, purgatory; pound, pinfold *or* penfold; **cage; enclosure,** pen, coop 236.3.

.8 **prison,** prisonhouse, **penitentiary,** pen [slang], keep, penal institution, bastille, state prison, federal prison; house of detention, detention home; **jail, gaol** [Brit], jailhouse, lockup, tollbooth [Scot], bridewell [Brit]; maximum-security prison, minimum-security prison; **guardhouse, stockade; brig; dungeon,** oubliette, black hole; **reformatory,** house of correction, reform school, training school, industrial school, borstal *or* borstal institution [both Brit]; debtor's prison, sponging house; **prison camp,** internment camp, detention camp, labor camp, forced-labor camp, **concentration camp;** prisoner-of-war camp *or* stockade, POW camp; cell; bullpen; solitary confinement, the hole [slang]; condemned cell, death cell, death house *or* death row; penal settlement *or* colony, Devil's Island.

.9 [slang *or* informal terms] **jug, can, coop, cooler,** hoosegow, slammer, stir, clink, pokey, quod *or* chokey [both Brit].

.10 **jailer, gaoler** [Brit], **keeper, warder,** prison guard, **turnkey,** bull *or* screw [both slang]; **warden,** governor [Brit], commandant, principal keeper; custodian, guardian 699.6; **guard** 699.9.

.11 **prisoner, captive,** *détenu* [Fr], cageling; **convict,** con [slang]; **jailbird** [informal], gaolbird [Brit informal], stir bird [slang]; **internee; prisoner of war,** POW; political prisoner; lifer [informal]; trusty; parolee, ticket-of-leave man *or* ticket-of-leaver [both Brit]; ex-convict; chain gang.

.12 VERBS **confine, shut in,** coop in, hem in, fence in, wall in, rail in; **shut up, coop up, pen up,** box up, mew up, bottle up, cork up, seal up, **impound;** pen, coop, pound [archaic], crib, mew, cloister, immure, cage, encage; **enclose** 236.5; **hold, keep in,** hold *or* keep in custody, **detain,** keep in detention, constrain, **restrain,** hold in restraint; check, inhibit 760.7; restrict 760.9; shackle 760.10.

.13 **quarantine, isolate,** segregate, separate, seclude; **cordon, cordon off,** seal off, rope off.

.14 **imprison, incarcerate, intern,** immure; **jail,** gaol [Brit], jug [slang], throw into jail, throw under the jailhouse [dial]; throw *or* cast in prison, clap up, clap in jail *or* prison; **lock up,** lock in, bolt in, put *or* keep under lock and key; hold captive, hold prisoner, hold in captivity; hold under close *or* house arrest.

.15 **arrest,** make an arrest, put under arrest, pick up, **take captive, take prisoner, apprehend, capture,** seize, net [informal], lay by the heels, **take into custody.**

.16 [slang *or* informal terms] **bust, pinch,** make a pinch, nab, pull in, **run in,** collar.

.17 **commit,** consign, commit to prison, send to jail, send up *or* send up the river [both slang]; commit to an institution, institutionalize; recommit, remit, remand.

.18 **be imprisoned, do** *or* **serve time** [informal].

.19 ADJS **confined,** in confinement, **shut-in,** pent, **pent-up,** kept in, under restraint; "cabined, cribbed, confined" [Shakespeare]; impounded; **detained;** restricted 760.15; cloistered, enclosed 236.10.

.20 **quarantined,** isolated, segregated, separated; cordoned, cordoned *or* sealed *or* roped off.

.21 **jailed,** jugged [slang], **imprisoned, incarcerated, interned,** immured; **in prison,** in stir [slang], in captivity, **behind bars,** locked up, under lock and key, in durance vile.

.22 **under arrest, in custody,** in hold, in charge [Brit], under *or* in detention; under close arrest, under house arrest.

762. FREEDOM

.1 NOUNS **freedom, liberty; license,** loose [archaic]; run *or* the run of [both informal], "the right to live as we wish" [Epictetus], "the will to be responsible to ourselves" [Nietzsche], "political power divided into small fragments" [Thomas Hobbes], "the choice of working or starving" [Samuel Johnson]; the Four Freedoms [F. D. Roosevelt], freedom of speech and expression, freedom of worship, freedom from want, freedom from fear; constitutional freedom; academic freedom, *Lehrfreiheit, Lernfreiheit* [both Ger].

.2 **right, rights, civil rights,** civil liberties, constitutional rights, legal rights; Bill of Rights, Petition of Right, Declaration of Right, Declaration of the Rights of Man, Magna Charta *or* Magna Carta; **unalienable rights, human rights,** natural rights, "life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness" [Thomas Jefferson].

.3 **unrestraint, unconstraint,** noncoercion, nonintimidation; **unreserve,** irrepressibility, uninhibitedness; immoderacy, intem-

perance, incontinence, uncontrol, unruliness, indiscipline; **abandon,** abandonment, **licentiousness,** wantonness, riotousness, wildness; permissiveness, unstrictness, laxness 758.

.4 **latitude, scope, room,** range, way, field, maneuvering space *or* room; **margin,** clearance, **space,** open space, elbowroom, **leeway** [informal], sea room, wide berth; **tolerance; free scope,** full *or* ample scope, **free hand,** free play, free course; **carte blanche,** blank check; no holds barred; swing, play, full swing; rope, long rope *or* tether, rope enough to hang oneself.

.5 **independence, self-determination, self-government,** self-direction, **autonomy,** home rule; autarky, autarchy, self-containment, self-sufficiency; **individualism,** rugged individualism, **self-reliance,** self-dependence; inner-direction; Declaration of Independence.

.6 **free will,** free choice, **discretion,** option, choice, say, say-so [informal], free decision; **full consent;** absolute *or* unconditioned *or* noncontingent free will.

.7 **own free will, own account, own accord, own hook** *or* own say-so [both informal], own discretion, own choice, **own initiative,** personal initiative, own responsibility, personal *or* individual responsibility, own volition, own authority, own power; own way, own sweet way [informal].

.8 **exemption,** exception, **immunity; release,** discharge; **franchise, license,** charter, patent, liberty; diplomatic immunity, congressional *or* legislative immunity; privilege 958.4; permission 777.

.9 **noninterference, nonintervention; isolationism; laissez-faireism,** let-alone principle *or* doctrine *or* policy; *laissez-faire, laissez-aller* [both Fr]; liberalism, free enterprise, free competition, self-regulating market; capitalism 745.8; free trade.

.10 **liberalism,** libertarianism, latitudinarianism; broad-mindedness, open-mindedness, toleration, tolerance; unbigotedness 526.1; libertinism, **freethinking,** free thought; **liberation** 763.

.11 **freeman,** freewoman; citizen, free citizen, burgess; franklin; freedman, freedwoman, dedition.

.12 **independent, free lance; individualist,** rugged individualist; free spirit; **liberal,** libertarian, latitudinarian; libertine, freethinker; free trader; **nonpartisan,** neutral, mugwump; isolationist; nonaligned nation; third world, third force.

.13 VERBS **liberalize,** ease; **free, liberate** 763.4.

.14 **exempt, free, release,** discharge, **let go** *or* **let off** [both informal], **excuse,** spare, except, grant immunity, dispense from; give dispensation from; dispense with, save the necessity; remit, remise; absolve 1007.4.

.15 **give a free hand,** let one have his head, **give one his head; give the run of** [informal], give the freedom of; give one leeway [informal], give full play; give one scope *or* space *or* room; **give rein** *or* **free rein to,** give the reins to, give bridle to, give one line, give one rope; **give one carte blanche, give one a blank check;** let go one's own way, let one go at will.

.16 **not interfere, leave** *or* **let alone, let be,** leave be [informal], leave *or* let well enough alone, let sleeping dogs lie; **keep hands off,** not tamper, not meddle, not involve oneself, not get involved, butt out *or* not butt in [both slang], let it take its course, live and let live, leave to oneself; mind one's own business.

.17 **be free,** feel free, feel at liberty; **go at large,** breathe the air of freedom; **have free scope,** have a free hand, have the run of [informal]; be at home, feel at home.

.18 **let oneself go,** let go, let loose *or* cut loose [both informal], **give way to,** open up, let it all hang out [informal]; go all out, go flat out [Brit], pull out all the stops; go unrestrained, run wild, have one's fling, sow one's wild oats.

.19 (be independent *or* self-sufficient) **shift for oneself, fend for oneself,** strike out for oneself, look out for number one [slang]; **go it alone, be one's own man,** pull a lone oar, play a lone hand [informal], **paddle one's own canoe** [informal]; stand on one's own legs *or* own two feet, stand on one's own [informal], suffice to oneself, do for oneself, make one's own way; ask no favors, ask no quarter; **be one's own boss** [informal], ask leave of no man; **go one's own way,** take one's own course; do on one's own, do on one's own initiative, do on one's own hook *or* say-so [informal], do in one's own sweet way [informal]; **have a will of one's own,** have one's own way, do what one likes *or* wishes *or* chooses, **do as one pleases,** go as one pleases, please oneself [informal], **suit oneself;** have a free mind, free-lance.

.20 ADJS **free,** eleuther(o)–; **at liberty, at large,** on the loose, **loose,** unengaged, disengaged, detached, unattached, uncommitted, uninvolved, clear, in the clear, go-as-you-please, easygoing, footloose,

footloose and fancy-free, "afoot and lighthearted" [Whitman], free and easy; free as air, free as a bird, free as the wind; scot-free; **freeborn; freed, liberated, emancipated,** released.

.21 **independent,** self-dependent, self–; free-spirited, freewheeling, **self-determined,** self-directing, one's own man; inner-directed, **individualistic;** self-governed, **self-governing, autonomous,** sovereign; self-reliant, self-sufficient, self-subsistent, self-supporting, self-contained, autarkic, autarchic; nonpartisan, neutral, **nonaligned;** third-world, third-force.

.22 **free-acting,** free-going, free-moving, free-working; freehand, freehanded; **free-spoken,** outspoken, **plain-spoken, open,** direct, candid, blunt 974.17.

.23 **unrestrained, unconstrained, unforced,** uncompelled, uncoerced; unmeasured, **uninhibited, unsuppressed, unrepressed, unreserved,** go-go; **uncurbed, unchecked, unbridled,** unmuzzled; **unreined,** reinless; **uncontrolled,** unmastered, unsubdued, ungoverned, **unruly;** out of control, out of hand, out of one's power; **abandoned,** intemperate, immoderate, **incontinent, licentious,** loose, wanton, rampant, riotous, wild; irrepressible; lax 758.4,5.

.24 **nonrestrictive,** unrestrictive; **permissive;** indulgent 759.8; lax 758.4,5; **liberal,** libertarian, latitudinarian; broad-minded, open-minded, tolerant; unbigoted 526.8; libertine; freethinking.

.25 **unhampered, untrammeled, unhandicapped, unimpeded,** unhindered, unprevented, unclogged, unobstructed; clear, unencumbered, unburdened, unladen, unembarrassed, disembarrassed.

.26 **unrestricted, unconfined, uncircumscribed,** unbound [archaic], unbounded, unmeasured; **unlimited,** limitless, illimitable; unqualified, unconditioned, **unconditional,** without strings, no strings; **absolute,** perfect, unequivocal, full, plenary, open, **wide-open** [informal].

.27 **unbound,** untied, **unfettered,** unshackled, unchained; unmuzzled, ungagged; uncensored.

.28 **unsubject,** ungoverned, unenslaved, **unenthralled;** unvanquished, unconquered, unsubdued, unquelled, untamed, unbroken.

.29 **exempt, immune;** exempted, **released, excused,** excepted, let off [informal], spared; **privileged, licensed,** favored, chartered; permitted; **unliable,** unsubject, irresponsible, unaccountable, unanswerable.

.30 **quit, clear, free, rid; free of, clear of, quit of, rid of, shut of** [informal], shed of [dial].

.31 ADVS **freely,** free; **without restraint,** without stint, **unreservedly,** with abandon; outright.

.32 **independently, alone, by oneself,** all by one's lonesome [informal], under one's own power, **on one's own** *or* **on one's own hook** [both informal], on one's own initiative; **on one's own account** *or* **responsibility,** on one's own say-so [informal]; **of one's own free will, of one's own accord,** of one's own volition, at one's own discretion.

763. LIBERATION

.1 NOUNS **liberation, freeing,** setting free, setting at liberty; **deliverance, delivery; rescue** 702; **emancipation,** disenthrallment, manumission; enfranchisement, affranchisement; Emancipation Proclamation; women's liberation 958.6; gay liberation.

.2 **release,** unhanding, **loosing,** unloosing; unbinding, untying, unbuckling, unshackling, unfettering, unlashing, unstrapping, untrussing *or* unpinioning [both archaic], unmanacling, unleashing, unchaining, untethering, unhobbling, unharnessing, unyoking, unbridling; unmuzzling, ungagging; unlocking, unlatching, unbolting, unbarring; unpenning, uncaging; **discharge, dismissal;** parole; demobilization, separation from the service.

.3 **extrication,** freeing, releasing, clearing; **disengagement,** disentanglement, untangling, unsnarling, unraveling, disentwining, disinvolvement, unknotting, disembarrassment, disembroilment; dislodgment, breaking out *or* loose.

.4 VERBS **liberate, free, deliver, set free,** set at liberty, set at large; **emancipate,** manumit, disenthrall; enfranchise, affranchise; **rescue** 702.3.

.5 **release, unhand, let go, let loose, turn loose,** cast loose, let out, let off, let go free; **discharge, dismiss;** let out on bail, grant bail to, go bail for [informal]; parole, put on parole; demobilize, separate from the service.

.6 **loose,** loosen, unloose, unloosen; **unbind, untie,** unstrap, unbuckle, unlash, untruss *or* unpinion [both archaic]; **unfetter, unshackle,** unmanacle, unchain, unhandcuff, untie one's hands; unleash, un-

tether, unhobble; unharness, unyoke, unbridle; unmuzzle, ungag; unlock, unlatch, unbolt, unbar; unpen, uncage.

.7 **extricate, free, release, clear,** get out; **disengage,** disentangle, untangle, unsnarl, unravel, disentwine, disinvolve, unknot, disembarrass, disembroil; dislodge, break out *or* loose, cut loose, tear loose.

.8 **free oneself from,** deliver oneself from, **get free of,** get quit of, **get rid of,** get clear of, **get out of,** get well out of; **throw off, shake off; escape** 632.6.

.9 **go free,** go scot free, go at liberty, **get off,** get off scot-free, get out of.

.10 ADJS **liberated, freed, emancipated, released;** delivered, rescued, ransomed, redeemed; extricated, unbound, untied, unshackled, etc.; free 762.20; on parole.

764. SUBJECTION

.1 NOUNS **subjection, subjugation; domination** 741.2; **restraint, control** 760.1; **bondage, captivity; thrall, thralldom,** enthrallment; **slavery,** enslavement; **servitude,** compulsory *or* involuntary servitude, servility, bond service, indentureship; **serfdom,** serfhood, villenage, **vassalage;** helotry, helotism; debt slavery, **peonage;** feudalism, feudality; absolutism, tyranny 741.9,10; deprivation of freedom, disenfranchisement, disfranchisement.

.2 **subservience** *or* subserviency, subjecthood, subordinacy, **subordination,** juniority, **inferiority;** lower status, subordinate role, satellite status; **service,** servitorship 750.12.

.3 **dependence** *or* dependency, tutelage, chargeship, wardship; clientship, clientage.

.4 **subdual, quelling,** crushing, trampling *or* treading down, reduction, humbling, humiliation; **breaking, taming,** domestication, gentling; conquering 727.1; suppression 760.2.

.5 **subordinate,** junior, secondary, **inferior; underling,** understrapper, low man on the totem pole [informal]; assistant, helper 787.6; right-hand man 787.7; servant, employee 750.

.6 **dependent, charge, ward,** client, protégé, encumbrance; pensioner, pensionary; public charge, ward of the state.

.7 **subject, vassal,** liege, liege man, liege subject, homager; **captive; slave,** servant, chattel, chattel slave, **bondsman,** bondman, **bondslave,** theow, thrall; indentured servant; bondwoman, bondswoman, bondmaid; odalisque, concubine; galley slave; **serf,** helot, villein; churl; debt slave, **peon.**

.8 VERBS **subjugate, subject, subordinate; dominate** 741.15; disfranchise, disenfranchise, divest *or* deprive of freedom; **enslave,** enthrall, make a chattel of; take captive, lead captive *or* into captivity; **hold in subjection,** hold in bondage, **hold captive,** hold in captivity; **hold down,** keep down, keep under; **keep under one's thumb,** have tied to one's apron strings, hold in leash, hold in leading strings, hold in swaddling clothes, hold *or* keep at one's beck and call; vassalize, make dependent *or* tributary; peonize.

.9 **subdue, master,** overmaster, **quell, crush, reduce,** beat down, **break,** break down, overwhelm; tread underfoot, trample underfoot, roll in the dust, trample in the dust, drag at one's chariot wheel; **suppress** 760.8; **conquer** 727.10; tyrannize 741.16; unman 158.12; bring low, **bring to terms, humble,** humiliate, bend, **bring one to his knees, bend to one's will.**

.10 **have subject,** twist *or* turn *or* wind around one's little finger, make lie down and roll over, have eating out of one's hand, **lead by the nose,** make a puppet of, make putty of, make a sport *or* plaything of; use as a doormat, treat like dirt under one's feet.

.11 **domesticate, tame, break,** bust [slang]; gentle [informal], break in, break to harness; housebreak.

.12 **depend on,** be at the mercy of, be the sport *or* plaything *or* puppet of, be putty in the hands of; not dare to say one's soul is one's own.

.13 ADJS **subject, dependent,** tributary, client; **subservient, subordinate, inferior;** servile; liege, **vassal,** feudal, feudatory.

.14 **subjugated,** subjected, **enslaved, enthralled, captive,** bond, unfree; disenfranchised, disfranchised, **oppressed, suppressed** 760.14; **in subjection, in bondage, in captivity,** in slavery, in bonds, in chains; under the lash, under the heel; **in one's power,** in one's control, in one's hands *or* clutches, in one's pocket, **under one's thumb,** at one's mercy, under one's command *or* orders, at one's beck and call, at one's feet.

.15 **subdued, quelled,** crushed, broken, reduced, humbled, humiliated, brought to one's knees, brought low, made to grovel; **tamed, domesticated,** broken to harness, housebroken *or* housebroke.

.16 **downtrodden,** downtrod [archaic], kept

down *or* under, ground down, overborne, trampled, **oppressed; abused,** misused; **henpecked, browbeaten,** led by the nose, in leading strings, tied to one's apron strings, ordered around [informal], regimented, tyrannized; slavish, servile, submissive 765.12–16; unmanned 158.19; treated like dirt under one's feet.

.17 PREPS **under, below, beneath,** underneath, subordinate to; at the feet of; under the heel of; at the beck and call of.

.765. SUBMISSION

.1 NOUNS **submission,** submittal, **yielding; compliance,** complaisance, **acquiescence, acceptance;** going along with [informal], assent 521; consent 775; **obedience** 766; subjection 764; **resignation,** resignedness; **deference,** homage, kneeling, obeisance; **passivity,** passiveness, supineness, nonresistance, nonopposition, nonopposal, nondissent.

.2 **surrender, capitulation;** renunciation, giving over, abandonment, relinquishment, **cession;** giving up *or* in, backdown [informal]; retreat, recession, recedence.

.3 **submissiveness, docility, tractability,** biddability, yieldingness, compliableness [archaic], pliancy, pliability, flexibility, malleability, moldability, ductility, plasticity, facility; agreeableness, agreeability; subservience, **servility** 907.

.4 **manageability, governability, controllability,** manipulability, manipulatability, corrigibility, untroublesomeness; **tameness,** housebrokenness; tamableness, domesticability.

.5 **meekness, gentleness, tameness, mildness,** peaceableness, quietness, lamblikeness, dovelikeness; humility 906.

.6 VERBS **submit, comply, take, accept,** go along with [informal], **acquiesce,** be agreeable, accede, **assent** 521.8; **consent** 775.2; relent, **succumb,** resign, resign oneself, not resist; take one's medicine, swallow the pill, face the music; **knuckle down** *or* **under,** knock under [archaic], take it, swallow it; take it lying down; put up with it, grin and bear it, make the best of it, **live with it;** obey 766.2.

.7 **yield, give way, give ground, back down, give up, give in,** cave in [informal], withdraw from *or* quit the field, break off combat, cease resistance, have no fight left.

.8 **surrender, capitulate,** acknowledge defeat, **cry quits,** cry pax [Brit], **say uncle** [informal], beg a truce, pray for quarter, implore mercy, **throw in the towel, throw in the sponge** [both informal], show *or* wave the white flag, lower *or* haul down *or* strike one's flag *or* colors, throw down *or* lay down *or* deliver up one's arms, hand over one's sword, yield the palm, pull in one's horns [informal], come to terms; renounce, abandon, relinquish, **cede,** give over.

.9 **submit to, yield to, defer to,** bow to, give way to, knuckle under to, succumb to.

.10 **bow down,** bow, bend, stoop, crouch, **bow one's head,** bend the neck, bow submission; genuflect, curtsy; **bow to,** bend to, knuckle to [informal], bend *or* bow to one's will, bend to one's yoke; kneel to, **bend the knee to, fall on one's knees before,** crouch before, **fall at one's feet,** throw oneself at the feet of, prostrate oneself before, **truckle to,** cringe to; **kowtow,** bow and scrape, grovel, do obeisance *or* homage.

.11 **eat dirt, eat crow, eat humble pie,** lick the dust, kiss the rod.

.12 ADJS **submissive, compliant,** compliable [archaic], complaisant, complying, **acquiescent,** consenting 775.4; **assenting,** accepting, agreeable; subservient, abject, **obedient** 766.3; servile; **resigned,** uncomplaining; unassertive; **passive,** supine, **unresisting,** nonresisting, unresistant, nonresistant, nonresistive, nonopposing, nondissenting.

.13 **docile, tractable,** biddable, **yielding,** pliant, pliable, flexible, malleable, moldable, ductile, plastic, facile [archaic], like putty in one's hands.

.14 **manageable, governable, controllable,** manipulable, manipulatable, handleable, corrigible, restrainable, untroublesome; domitable, tamable, domesticable.

.15 **meek, gentle, mild,** peaceable, pacific, quiet; **subdued, chastened, tame,** tamed, broken, housebroken, domesticated; lamblike, gentle as a lamb, dovelike; humble 906.9.

.16 **deferential, obeisant; subservient, obsequious,** servile 907.12,13; crouching, prostrate, prone, on one's belly, on one's knees, on one's marrowbones [informal], on bended knee.

.17 ADVS **submissively, compliantly,** complaisantly, acquiescently, agreeably; **obediently** 766.6; **resignedly,** uncomplainingly, with resignation; **passively,** supinely, unresistingly, unresistantly, nonresistively.

.18 **docilely, tractably,** biddably, **yieldingly,**

pliantly, pliably, malleably, flexibly, plastically, facilely [archaic].

.19 **meekly, gently, tamely, mildly,** peaceably, pacifically, quietly, like a lamb.

766. OBEDIENCE

.1 NOUNS **obedience** *or* obediency, **compliance; acquiescence, submission,** submissiveness 765.1–5; servility 907; willingness, **dutifulness,** duteousness; **service,** servitium, homage, fealty, **allegiance,** loyalty, faith, suit and service *or* suit service, observance [archaic]; **conformity** 82; law-abidingness.

.2 VERBS **obey, mind, heed, keep, observe,** listen *or* hearken to; **comply, conform** 82.3; stay in line *or* not get out of line *or* not get off base [all informal], toe the line *or* mark, obey the rules, follow the book, **do what one is told;** do as one says, do the will of, defer to, do one's bidding, come at one's call, lie down and roll over for [slang]; take orders, attend to orders, do suit and service, follow the lead of; **submit** 765.6–11.

.3 ADJS **obedient, compliant,** complying; **acquiescent, submissive** 765.12–15; willing, **dutiful,** duteous; loyal, faithful, devoted; conforming; law-abiding.

.4 **at one's command,** at one's pleasure, at one's disposal, at one's nod, at one's call, **at one's beck and call.**

.5 **henpecked, tied to one's apron strings,** on a string, on a leash, in leading strings.

.6 ADVS **obediently, compliantly; acquiescently, submissively** 765.17; willingly, **dutifully,** duteously; loyally, faithfully, devotedly; in obedience to, in compliance *or* conformity with.

.7 at your service *or* command *or* orders, as you please, as you will, as thou wilt [archaic].

767. DISOBEDIENCE

.1 NOUNS **disobedience,** nonobedience, **noncompliance; undutifulness,** undueousness; willful disobedience; **insubordination,** indiscipline; **unsubmissiveness, intractability,** indocility 626.4, recusancy; nonconformity 83; lawlessness, waywardness, frowardness, naughtiness; violation, transgression, infraction, infringement, lawbreaking; civil disobedience, passive resistance; uncooperativeness, noncooperation.

.2 **refractoriness, recalcitrance** *or* recalcitrancy, recalcitration, contumacy, **contumaciousness, obstreperousness,** defiance, defiance of authority, **unruliness,** restiveness, fractiousness, orneriness [informal]; wildness, breachiness [dial]; **obstinacy, stubbornness** 626.1.

.3 **rebelliousness, mutinousness;** riotousness; insurrectionism, insurgentism; factiousness, **sedition,** seditiousness; treasonableness, traitorousness, subversiveness; extremism 745.4.

.4 **revolt, rebellion, revolution, mutiny, insurrection, insurgence** *or* insurgency, *émeute* [Fr], **uprising,** rising, outbreak, general uprising, *levée en masse* [Fr], **riot,** civil disorder; peasant revolt, *jacquerie* [Fr]; putsch, *coup d'état* [Fr].

.5 **rebel,** revolter; **insurgent,** insurrectionary, insurrecto, **insurrectionist;** malcontent, *frondeur* [Fr]; **mutineer,** rioter, brawler; maverick [informal], insubordinate, nonconformist 83.3; agitator 648.11; extremist 745.12; revolutionary, revolutionist 147.3; traitor, subversive 619.10,11.

.6 VERBS **disobey,** not mind, not heed, not keep *or* observe, not listen *or* hearken, pay no attention to, **ignore, disregard, defy,** set at defiance, fly in the face of, snap one's fingers at, scoff at, flout, go counter to, set at naught, set naught by, care naught for; be a law unto oneself, refuse to cooperate; not conform 83.4; **violate,** transgress 769.4; break the law 999.5.

.7 **revolt, rebel,** kick over the traces, reluct, reluctate; **rise up,** rise, arise, rise up in arms, mount the barricades; **mutiny,** mutineer [archaic]; insurge, insurrect, **riot,** run riot; revolutionize, revolution, revolute, subvert, overthrow 147.4; strike 789.8.

.8 ADJS **disobedient, transgressive,** uncomplying, violative, lawless, wayward, froward, naughty; recusant, nonconforming 83.5; **undutiful,** unduteous; self-willed, willful, obstinate 626.8; **undisciplined,** ill-disciplined, indisciplined.

.9 **insubordinate, unsubmissive,** indocile, **uncompliant, uncooperative,** noncooperative, noncooperating, **intractable** 626.12.

.10 **refractory, recalcitrant, contumacious, obstreperous, defiant, unruly,** restive, impatient of control *or* discipline, fractious, ornery [informal]; wild, breachy [dial].

.11 **rebellious,** rebel, breakaway; **mutinous,** mutineering; **insurgent, insurrectionary,** riotous, turbulent; factious, **seditious,** seditionary; revolutionary, revolutional; traitorous, treasonable, subversive; extreme, extremistic 745.20.

.12 ADVS **disobediently,** uncompliantly, against *or* contrary to order and disci-

pline; **insubordinately, unsubmissively,** indocilely, **uncooperatively;** unresignedly; disregardfully, floutingly, **defiantly;** intractably 626.17; obstreperously, contumaciously, restively, fractiously; **rebelliously,** mutinously; riotously.

768. OBSERVANCE

.1 NOUNS **observance,** observation; **keeping,** adherence, heeding; compliance, conformance, conformity, accordance; **performance, practice,** execution, discharge, carrying out *or* through; acquittal, acquittance [both archaic], fulfillment, satisfaction; respect, heed, care 533.1.

.2 VERBS **observe, keep, heed, follow;** regard, **respect,** attend to, **comply with,** conform to; hold by, **abide by,** adhere to; **live up to,** act up to, **be faithful to,** keep faith with, do justice to, do the right thing by; **fulfill,** fill, meet, satisfy; **make good,** keep *or* make good one's word *or* promise, be as good as one's word, redeem one's pledge, stand to one's engagement.

.3 **perform, practice,** do, execute, discharge, carry out *or* through, carry into execution, do one's office, fulfill one's role, discharge one's function.

.4 ADJS **observant,** regardful, mindful; **faithful,** devout, devoted, true, loyal, constant; dutiful, duteous; as good as one's word; practicing, active; compliant, conforming; punctual, punctilious, scrupulous, meticulous, conscientious 533.12.

769. NONOBSERVANCE

.1 NOUNS **nonobservance,** inobservance, unobservance, nonadherence; nonconformity, disconformity, **nonconformance, noncompliance;** inattention, **disregard** 531.1; laxity 758.1; **nonfulfillment, nonperformance,** nonfeasance, failure, dereliction, delinquency, omission, default, slight, oversight; **negligence; neglect** 534.

.2 **violation, infraction, breach,** breaking; **infringement, transgression, trespass,** contravention; offense 999.4; breach of promise, breach of contract, breach of trust *or* faith, bad faith, breach of privilege; breach of the peace.

.3 VERBS **disregard,** pay no regard to 531.3; **neglect** 534.6.

.4 **violate, break; infringe, transgress, trespass,** contravene, trample on *or* upon, trample underfoot, do violence to, make a mockery of; **defy,** set at defiance, flout, set at naught, set naught by; take the law into one's own hands; break one's promise, break one's word, etc.

.5 ADJS **nonobservant,** inobservant, unobservant, nonadherent; nonconforming, unconforming, noncompliant, uncompliant; inattentive, **disregardful** 531.6; **negligent** 534.10; unfaithful, untrue, unloyal, inconstant.

770. PROMISE

.1 NOUNS **promise, pledge,** troth, plight, faith, parole, **word, word of honor,** solemn declaration *or* word; **oath,** vow 523.3; avouch, avouchment; **assurance, guarantee,** warranty.

.2 **engagement, undertaking, commitment, agreement,** obligation, recognizance; **understanding,** gentlemen's agreement; verbal agreement, informal agreement, pactum [law]; contract 771.1,3; preengagement.

.3 **betrothal,** betrothment, espousal, **engagement,** handfasting *or* affiance [both archaic], troth, marriage contract *or* vow, plighted troth *or* faith *or* love; banns, banns of matrimony.

.4 VERBS **promise,** give *or* make a promise, hold out an expectation; **pledge,** plight, troth, **vow; give one's word,** pledge *or* pass one's word, give one's parole, **give one's word of honor,** plight one's troth *or* faith, pledge *or* plight one's honor; **swear** 523.5; vouch, avouch, **warrant, guarantee, assure;** underwrite, countersign.

.5 **engage, undertake, commit,** obligate, bind, **agree to,** answer for, be answerable for, take on oneself, be responsible for, be security for, go bail for, accept obligation *or* responsibility, bind oneself to; have an understanding; enter into a gentlemen's agreement; take the vows *or* marriage vows; shake hands on; contract 771.6.

.6 **affiance, betroth,** troth, **plight, engage,** contract, contract an engagement, pledge *or* promise in marriage; **plight one's troth, become engaged;** publish the banns.

.7 ADJS **promissory,** votive; under *or* upon oath, on one's word, on one's word of honor, on the Book, under hand and seal.

.8 **promised, pledged, bound, committed,** compromised, **obligated; sworn,** warranted, **guaranteed,** assured, underwritten; contracted 771.12; **engaged, plighted, affianced, betrothed,** intended.

771. COMPACT

.1 NOUNS **compact, pact, contract,** legal contract, valid contract, **covenant,** convention, transaction, paction [Scot], accord, **agreement,** mutual agreement, formal agreement, legal agreement, stipulation, **understanding,** arrangement, **bargain,** dicker *or* **deal** [both informal]; union contract, wage contract, employment contract, collective agreement; cartel, consortium; protocol; bond, binding agreement, ironclad agreement, covenant of salt; gentleman's agreement *or* gentlemen's agreement; promise 770.

.2 **treaty,** international agreement, *entente, entente cordiale* [both Fr], concord, concordat, cartel, convention, paction, capitulation; **alliance, league;** nonaggression pact, mutual-defense treaty; NATO, North Atlantic Treaty Organization; SEATO, Southeast Asia Treaty Organization.

.3 (contracts) indenture, indent; **deed,** deed poll, title deed, contract by deed; deed of arrangement, arrangement; specialty contract, specialty, formal contract, special contract; parol contract, simple contract; quasi contract, contract quasi, implied contract; deed *or* covenant of indemnity, recognizance; contract of record; insurance policy, policy, group policy; bond, promissory note, debenture, debenture bond; mortgage deed, deed of trust.

.4 arrangement, settlement; signing, signature, sealing, closing, conclusion; adjustment, accommodation; solemnization.

.5 **execution, completion; transaction; carrying out, discharge, fulfillment,** prosecution, effectuation; enforcement; observance 768.

.6 VERBS **contract,** compact, **covenant, bargain, agree, engage,** undertake, make a deal [informal], do a deal [Brit informal], stipulate, agree to, bargain for; **promise** 770.4.

.7 **treat with, negotiate, bargain,** make terms, sit down with, sit down at the bargaining table.

.8 **sign, shake hands,** seal, formalize, make legal and binding; agree on terms, come to an agreement 521.10; strike a bargain 827.18.

.9 **arrange, settle; adjust,** accommodate, **compose,** fix, make up, straighten out, work out; **conclude,** close, **close with,** settle with.

.10 **execute, complete, transact,** promulgate, **make;** make out, fill out; **discharge, fulfill,** render, administer; **carry out,** carry through, put through, prosecute; effect, effectuate, implement; enforce, put in force; **abide by, honor,** adhere to, **observe** 768.2.

.11 ADJS contractual, covenantal, conventional.

.12 **contracted,** compacted, **covenanted, agreed, bargained for,** stipulated; engaged, undertaken; **promised** 770.8; arranged, settled; under hand and seal, **signed,** sealed; signed, sealed, and delivered.

.13 ADVS **as agreed upon, as promised,** as contracted for, according to the contract *or* bargain *or* agreement.

772. SECURITY

(thing given as a pledge)

.1 NOUNS **security, surety,** indemnity, **guaranty, guarantee, warranty, warrant, insurance, assurance; bond,** tie; stocks and bonds 834.1–4.

.2 **pledge, gage,** *pignus, vadium* [both L]; undertaking; **earnest,** earnest money, god's penny, handsel; escrow; token payment; pawn, hock [slang]; **bail,** bond, vadimonium, replevin, replevy, recognizance; mainprise; **hostage,** surety.

.3 **deposit, stake,** forfeit; caution money, caution; **collateral,** collateral security *or* warranty; margin.

.4 **mortgage,** mortgage deed, deed of trust, lien, security agreement; vadium mortuum *or* mortuum vadium; dead pledge; vadium vivum, living pledge, antichresis; hypothec, hypothecation, bottomry, bottomry bond; adjustment mortgage, blanket mortgage, chattel mortgage, closed mortgage, participating mortgage, installment mortgage, leasehold mortgage, trust mortgage; first mortgage, second mortgage, third mortgage.

.5 **lien,** general lien, particular lien; pignus legale, common-law lien, statutory lien, judgment lien, pignus judiciale, tax lien, mechanic's lien; mortgage bond.

.6 **guarantor,** warrantor, guaranty, guarantee; mortgagor; insurer, underwriter; sponsor, surety; godparent, godfather, godmother; bondsman, bailsman, mainpernor.

.7 **warrantee,** mortgagee; insuree, policyholder; godchild, godson, goddaughter.

.8 guarantorship, **sponsorship,** sponsion.

.9 VERBS **secure, guarantee, guaranty, warrant, assure, insure,** ensure, bond, **certify;** countersecure; **sponsor,** be sponsor for, sign for, sign one's note, **back,** stand behind, stand up for; **endorse;** sign, **underwrite,** undersign, subscribe to; confirm, attest 505.12.

.10 **pledge,** impignorate, handsel [Brit], **deposit, stake,** post, **put up,** put up as collateral; **pawn,** put in pawn, spout *or* put up the spout [both archaic], **hock** *or* **put in hock** [both informal]; mortgage, hypothecate, bottomry, bond; go **bail.**

.11 ADJS **secured,** covered, **guaranteed, warranted,** certified, **insured,** ensured, **assured;** certain, sure 513.13.

.12 **pledged,** staked, posted, deposited, **put up,** put up as collateral; on deposit, at stake; as earnest; **pawned,** in pawn, **in hock** [informal], up the spout [archaic].

.13 **in trust,** held in trust, held in pledge, fiduciary; in escrow.

773. OFFER

.1 NOUNS **offer,** offering, proffer, presentation, **bid,** submission; **advance, overture,** approach, invitation; hesitant *or* tentative *or* preliminary approach, **feeler** [informal]; asking price.

.2 **proposal, proposition, suggestion,** instance; **motion,** resolution; sexual advance *or* approach *or* invitation *or* overture, indecent proposal, pass [slang], improper suggestion; request 774.

.3 **ultimatum,** last word, final offer, firm price.

.4 VERBS **offer, proffer, present,** tender, **put up, submit, extend,** prefer [archaic], **hold out,** hold forth, place in one's way, lay at one's feet, put *or* place at one's disposal.

.5 **propose, submit,** prefer; **suggest,** recommend, **advance,** proposition [informal], commend to attention, **propound, pose, put forward,** bring forward, put *or* set forth, put it to, put *or* set *or* lay *or* bring before; **bring up, broach, moot,** introduce, open up, launch, start; **move, make a motion,** offer a resolution; postulate 499.12.

.6 **bid,** bid for, make a bid.

.7 **make advances,** approach, overture, **make an overture;** make a pass *or* throw a pass [both slang], proposition [informal], solicit, importune.

.8 **urge upon, press upon,** ply upon, push upon, force upon, thrust upon; **press, ply;** insist 753.7.

.9 **volunteer, come** *or* **step forward, offer** *or* **proffer** *or* **present oneself,** be at one's service, not wait to be asked, not wait for an invitation, need no prodding.

774. REQUEST

.1 NOUNS **request,** asking; the touch [slang]; desire, wish, expressed desire; **petition,** petitioning, impetration, address; **application; requisition,** indent [Brit]; demand 753.

.2 **entreaty, appeal, plea, bid,** suit, call, cry, clamor, *cri du cœur* [Fr]; **supplication, prayer,** rogation, **beseechment,** imploring, imploration, obsecration, obtestation, adjuration, imprecation; **invocation,** invocatory plea *or* prayer.

.3 **importunity,** importunateness, urgency, pressure, **urging, pressing, plying;** buttonholing; dunning; **teasing,** pestering, plaguing, nagging; **coaxing,** wheedling, cajolery, cajolement, blandishment.

.4 **invitation, invite** *or* **bid** [both informal], engraved invitation, bidding, biddance, **call,** calling, **summons.**

.5 **solicitation, canvass; suit,** addresses; **courting, wooing.**

.6 **beggary,** mendicancy, mendicity; **begging,** cadging, scrounging; mooching *or* bumming *or* panhandling [all slang].

.7 **petitioner, supplicant,** suppliant, suitor; **solicitor** 830.7; **applicant,** solicitant, claimant; **aspirant,** seeker; **candidate,** postulant; bidder.

.8 **beggar, mendicant,** scrounger, **cadger; bum** *or* bummer *or* **moocher** *or* **panhandler** [all informal]; *schnorrer* [Yid]; hobo, tramp 274.3; loafer 708.8; mendicant friar; mendicant order.

.9 VERBS **request, ask,** make a request, **beg leave,** make bold to ask; **desire,** wish, express a wish for, crave; **ask for,** order, put in an order for, bespeak, call for, trouble one for; whistle for [informal]; **requisition,** make a requisition, indent [Brit]; make application, **apply for,** file for, **put in for;** demand 753.4.

.10 **petition,** present *or* prefer a petition, sign a petition, circulate a petition; **pray,** sue; **apply to, call on** *or* **upon;** memorialize.

.11 **entreat, implore, beseech, beg,** crave, **plead, appeal, pray, supplicate,** impetrate, obtest; adjure, conjure; invoke, imprecate [archaic], **call on** *or* **upon,** cry on *or* upon, **appeal to,** cry to, run to; go cap in hand to; kneel to, go down on one's knees to, fall on one's knees to, go on bended knee to, throw oneself at the feet of, get *or* come down on one's marrow-

bones [informal]; plead for, clamor for, cry for; call for help.

.12 **importune, urge, press,** pressure [informal], apply *or* exert pressure, push, **ply;** dun; **beset,** buttonhole, besiege; work on [informal], **tease,** pester, plague, nag, nag at, bug [slang]; **coax,** wheedle, cajole, blandish.

.13 **invite, ask, call, summon, call in, bid come,** extend *or* issue an invitation, request the presence of, request the pleasure of one's company.

.14 **solicit, canvass; court, woo,** address, sue, sue for, pop the question [informal]; **seek, bid for,** look for; fish for, angle for.

.15 beg, **scrounge, cadge; mooch** *or* **bum** *or* **panhandle** [all informal]; **hit** *or* hit up *or* **touch** *or* put the touch on *or* make a touch [all slang]; pass the hat [informal].

.16 ADJS **supplicatory, suppliant,** supplicant, supplicating, **prayerful,** precative; **petitionary; begging,** mendicant, cadging, scrounging, mooching [slang]; on one's knees *or* bended knees, on one's marrowbones [informal]; with joined *or* folded hands.

.17 **imploring, entreating, beseeching, begging, pleading, appealing,** precatory, precative, adjuratory.

.18 **importunate; teasing,** pestering, plaguing, nagging, dunning; **coaxing,** wheedling, cajoling; **insistent, demanding, urgent** 753.8.

.19 **invitational,** inviting, invitatory.

.20 INTERJS **please,** prithee [archaic], pray, do, **pray do;** be so good as to, be good enough, have the goodness; will you, may it please you; **if you please,** *s'il vous plaît* [Fr]; I beg you, *je vous en prie* [Fr]; for God's *or* goodness *or* heaven's *or* mercy's sake.

775. CONSENT

.1 NOUNS **consent, assent, agreement,** accord [archaic], acceptance, approval, blessing, approbation, sanction, endorsement, ratification; affirmation, affirmative, affirmative voice *or* vote, aye, okay *or* OK [both informal]; **permission** 777; **willingness,** readiness, promptness, promptitude, eagerness, unreluctance, unloathness, ungrudgingness, tacit *or* unspoken *or* silent *or* implicit consent, **connivance; acquiescence, compliance;** submission 765.

.2 VERBS **consent, assent,** give consent, yield assent, accede to, accord to *or* grant [both archaic], say yes, say aye, vote affirmatively, vote aye, nod, nod assent; **accept, agree to,** go along with [informal]; be in accord with, be in favor of, take kindly to, **approve of,** hold with; **approve,** give one's blessing to, okay *or* OK [both informal]; sanction, endorse, ratify; consent to silently *or* by implication, wink at, **connive at; be willing,** turn a willing ear; deign, condescend 906.7; have no objection, not refuse; permit 777.9.

.3 **acquiesce, comply, comply with,** fall in with, be persuaded, come round *or* around, come over, come to [dial]; submit 765.6–11.

.4 ADJS **consenting, assenting,** affirmative, approving, agreeing, favorable, accordant, consentient; sanctioning, endorsing, ratifying; **acquiescent, compliant,** compliable [archaic]; submissive 765.12–16; **willing, agreeable,** content; ready, prompt, eager, unreluctant, unloath, nothing loath, ungrudging, unrefusing; permissive 777.14.

.5 ADVS **consentingly, assentingly,** affirmatively, approvingly, favorably, agreeably, accordantly; acquiescently, compliantly; willingly 622.8; **yes** 521.18.

776. REFUSAL

.1 NOUNS **refusal, rejection,** turndown *or* turning down [both informal]; thumbsdown [informal]; nonconsent, nonacceptance; **declining,** declination, declension, declinature; **denial,** disclamation, disclaimer, disallowance; **repudiation** 638.1; disagreement, dissent 522; recantation 628.3; contradiction 524.2; negation, abnegation, negative, negative answer, nay, no, nix [slang]; unwillingness 623; disobedience 767; noncompliance, nonobservance 769; withholding, holding back, retention, deprivation.

.2 **repulse, rebuff,** peremptory *or* flat *or* point-blank refusal, summary negative; slap in the face [informal], kick in the teeth [slang]; short shrift.

.3 VERBS **refuse, decline,** not consent, refuse consent, **reject, turn down** [informal], decline to accept, not buy [slang]; not think of, not hear of [both informal]; **say no,** say nay, vote nay, vote in the negative, disagree, dissent 522.4; vote negatively, shake one's head, negative, negate; **turn thumbs down on** [informal]; be unwilling 623.3; turn one's back upon, turn a deaf ear to, set oneself against, set one's face against, be unmoved, harden one's heart, resist entreaty *or* persuasion; stand aloof, have nothing to do with, wash one's hands of; hold out against; put *or* set

one's foot down [informal], refuse point-blank *or* summarily; decline politely *or* with thanks, beg off; **repudiate,** disallow, disclaim 638.2.

.4 **deny, withhold,** hold back; grudge, begrudge; close the hand *or* purse; deprive one of.

.5 **repulse, rebuff, repel,** slap one in the face [informal], kick one in the teeth [slang], give one short shrift, shut *or* slam the door in one's face, turn one away, send to the right-about [informal]; deny oneself to, refuse to receive, not be at home to, cut, **snub** 966.5–7.

.6 ADJS **unconsenting,** nonconsenting, **negative; unwilling** 623.5; **uncompliant,** uncomplying, uncomplaisant, inacquiescent, uncooperative; disobedient 769.8–11; rejective, declinatory; deaf to, not willing to hear of.

.7 PHRS **I refuse, I won't,** I will not, I will no such thing; over my dead body, far be it from me, not if I can help it, not likely, not on your life, count me out, include me out, I'm not taking any, I won't buy it, it's no go, like hell I will, I'll be hanged if I will, try and make me, you have another guess coming, you should live so long, I'll see you in hell first, nothing doing [all informal]; out of the question, not to be thought of, impossible; **no,** by no means.

777. PERMISSION

.1 NOUNS **permission, leave, allowance,** vouchsafement; **consent** 775; permission to enter, admission, ticket, ticket of admission; **license,** liberty 762.1; **okay** *or* **OK** *or* **the go-ahead** *or* **the green light** [all informal]; special permission, charter, patent, dispensation, release, waiver.

.2 **sufferance, tolerance,** toleration, **indulgence;** winking, overlooking, connivance; permissiveness.

.3 **authorization, authority, sanction,** countenance, **warrant,** warranty, fiat; empowerment, enabling, entitlement, enfranchisement, certification; clearance, security clearance; ratification 521.4.

.4 **carte blanche,** blank check [informal], **full authority,** full power, free hand, open mandate.

.5 **grant, concession;** charter, franchise, liberty, diploma, patent, letters patent, brevet; royal grant.

.6 **permit, license, warrant;** building permit, learner's permit; driver's license, marriage license, hunting license, fishing license, etc.; nihil obstat, imprimatur.

.7 **pass, passport, safe-conduct,** safeguard, protection; visa; clearance, clearance papers; bill of health, clean bill of health, pratique, full pratique.

.8 **permissibility,** permissibleness, **allowableness; admissibility,** admissibleness; justifiableness, warrantableness, sanctionableness; **validity,** legitimacy, lawfulness, licitness, legality.

.9 VERBS **permit, allow, admit, let,** leave [dial], give permission, give leave, make possible; consent 775.2; **grant,** accord, vouchsafe; **okay** *or* **OK** *or* **give the go-ahead** *or* **give the green light** [all informal], say the word *or* give the word [both informal]; dispense, release.

.10 **suffer, countenance,** have, **tolerate,** brook, condone, endure, stomach, bear, bear with, put up with, stand for, hear of [informal]; indulge 759.6; shut one's eyes to, wink at, blink at, overlook, connive at; leave the door *or* way open.

.11 **authorize, sanction, warrant;** give official sanction *or* warrant, legitimize, validate, legalize; empower, give power, enable, entitle; **license, privilege;** charter, patent, enfranchise, franchise; certificate, certify; ratify 521.12.

.12 **give carte blanche,** issue *or* accord *or* give a blank check [informal], give full power *or* authority, give an open mandate, give a free hand, leave alone, leave it to one; permit all *or* anything, open the floodgates, remove all restrictions.

.13 **may,** can, have permission, **be permitted** *or* **allowed.**

.14 ADJS **permissive,** admissive, permitting, allowing; consenting 775.4; **unprohibitive,** nonprohibitive; tolerating, **suffering, tolerant; indulgent,** lenient 759.7; lax 758.4,5.

.15 **permissible, allowable, admissible;** justifiable, warrantable, sanctionable; licit, lawful, legitimate, legal, legitimized, legalized.

.16 **permitted, allowed,** admitted; tolerated, on sufferance; unprohibited, unforbidden.

.17 **authorized,** empowered, entitled; **warranted, sanctioned; licensed, privileged;** chartered, patented; franchised, enfranchised.

.18 ADVS **permissively,** admissively; **tolerantly, indulgently.**

.19 **permissibly, allowably,** admissibly; with permission, by one's leave; licitly, lawfully, legitimately, legally.

.20 PHRS **by your leave,** with your permission, if you please, may I?

778. PROHIBITION

.1 NOUNS **prohibition, forbidding,** forbiddance; **ruling out, disallowance,** denial, rejection 633; refusal 776; **repression, suppression** 760.2; **ban, embargo, injunction,** prohibitory injunction, **proscription,** inhibition, **interdict,** *interdictum* [L], interdiction; index, index expurgatorius, index librorum prohibitorum; **taboo;** thou-shalt-not *or* don't *or* no-no [all informal]; law, statute 998.3; preclusion, exclusion, **prevention** 730.2; forbidden fruit, contraband; Eighteenth Amendment, Volstead Act, Prohibition Party; sumptuary laws *or* ordinances; zoning, zoning laws, restrictive covenants.

.2 **veto,** negative [archaic]; absolute veto, qualified *or* limited negative *or* veto, suspensive *or* suspensory veto, item veto, pocket veto.

.3 VERBS **prohibit, forbid; disallow, rule out;** deny, reject 638.2; say no to, **refuse** 776.3; **bar,** debar, preclude, exclude, exclude from, shut out, shut the door to, **prevent** 730.14; **ban,** put under the ban, **outlaw; repress, suppress** 760.8; **enjoin,** put under an injunction, issue an injunction against, issue a prohibitory injunction; **proscribe,** inhibit, **interdict,** put *or* lay under an interdict *or* interdiction; put on the Index; embargo, lay *or* **put an embargo on; taboo.**

.4 **not permit** *or* **allow, not have, not suffer** *or* **tolerate,** not endure, not stomach, not bear, not bear with, not countenance, not brook, brook no, not condone, not accept, not put up with, not go along with [informal]; not stand for *or* not hear of [both informal], put *or* set one's foot down on [informal].

.5 **veto,** put one's veto upon, decide *or* rule against, **negative,** kill.

.6 ADJS **prohibitive,** prohibitory, prohibiting, **forbidding;** inhibitive, inhibitory, **repressive, suppressive** 760.11,12; proscriptive, interdictive, interdictory; preclusive, exclusive, **preventive** 730.19.

.7 **prohibited, forbidden,** forbade, forbid, *verboten* [Ger], **barred; vetoed; unpermissible,** nonpermissible, not permitted *or* allowed, **unallowed;** disallowed, ruled out; off limits, out of bounds; unauthorized, **unsanctioned,** unlicensed; banned, under the ban, **outlawed,** contraband; taboo, tabooed, untouchable; **illegal,** unlawful, illicit.

779. REPEAL

.1 NOUNS **repeal, revocation,** revoke, revokement, renege, **rescinding,** rescindment, rescission, **abrogation,** cassation, reversal; suspension; waiving, **waiver, setting aside; countermand,** counterorder; **annulment,** nullification, withdrawal, **invalidation,** voiding, voidance, vacation, vacatur, defeasance; **cancellation,** canceling, cancel, write-off; **abolition,** abolishment; **recall,** retraction, recantation 628.3.

.2 VERBS **repeal, revoke, rescind,** reverse, **abrogate,** renege, renig [informal]; suspend; **waive, set aside; countermand,** counterorder; **abolish,** do away with; **cancel,** write off; **annul,** nullify, disannul, withdraw, **invalidate,** void, vacate, make void, declare null and void; **overrule,** override; **recall,** retract, recant 628.9.

.3 ADJS **repealed, revoked, rescinded,** etc.; **invalid,** void, **null and void.**

780. COMMISSION

.1 NOUNS **commission,** commissioning, **delegation,** devolution, devolvement, **deputation;** commitment, entrusting, entrustment, **assignment,** consignment; **errand, task, office; care,** cure, **responsibility,** purview, jurisdiction; **mission,** legation, embassy; **authority,** authorization, power to act, full power, plenipotentiary power, empowerment, vicarious *or* delegated authority; **warrant,** license, **mandate, charge, trust,** brevet, exequatur; **agency,** agentship, factorship; regency, regentship; lieutenancy; trusteeship, executorship; **proxy,** procuration, power of attorney.

.2 **appointment, assignment,** designation, **nomination,** naming, selection, tabbing [informal]; **ordainment,** ordination; posting, transferral.

.3 **installation,** installment, **instatement,** induction, placement, **inauguration,** investiture, taking office; **accession,** accedence; coronation, enthronement.

.4 **engagement, employment, hiring, appointment,** taking on [informal]; retainment, briefing [Brit]; preengagement, bespeaking; reservation, booking.

.5 **rental, rent; lease,** let [Brit]; hire, hiring; sublease, subrent; **charter,** bareboat charter; lend-lease.

.6 **enlistment, enrollment; conscription, draft, drafting, induction,** impressment, press; call, draft call, call-up, summons,

call to the colors, letter from Uncle Sam [informal]; **recruitment,** recruiting; **muster,** levy; mobilization; selective service, compulsory military service.

.7 indenture, binding over; **apprenticeship.**

.8 **assignee, appointee,** selectee, nominee, candidate; licensee, licentiate; deputy, agent 781.

.9 VERBS **commission, authorize,** empower, accredit; **delegate,** devolute, devolve, devolve upon, depute, **deputize; assign,** consign, **commit, charge, entrust,** give in charge; license, charter, warrant; detail, detach, post, transfer, send out, mission, send on a mission.

.10 **appoint, assign,** designate, **nominate,** name, select, tab [informal]; **ordain,** ordinate [archaic].

.11 **install,** instate, induct, **inaugurate,** invest, put in, place, **place in office;** chair; crown, throne, enthrone, anoint.

.12 **be instated, take office,** accede; take *or* mount the throne; attain to.

.13 **employ, hire,** give a job to, take into employment, take into one's service, take on [informal], recruit, **engage,** sign up *or* on [informal]; retain, brief [Brit]; bespeak, preengage; sign up for [informal], **reserve,** book.

.14 **rent, lease, let** [Brit], hire, job, **charter; sublease, sublet,** underlet.

.15 **rent out, rent; lease,** lease out; let *or* let off *or* let out [all Brit]; **hire out,** hire; charter; **sublease, sublet,** underlet; lend-lease, lease-lend; lease-back; farm, farm out; job.

.16 **enlist,** list [archaic], **enroll, sign up** *or* **on** [informal]; **conscript, draft, induct,** press, impress, commandeer; detach, detach for service; summon, call up, call to the colors; **mobilize,** call to active duty; **recruit, muster,** levy, raise, muster in; join 788.14.

.17 indenture, article, bind, bind over; **apprentice.**

.18 ADJS **commissioned, authorized, accredited;** delegated, deputized, appointed.

.19 **employed, hired, hireling, paid,** mercenary; rented, leased, let [Brit]; sublet, subleased; chartered.

.20 **indentured,** articled, bound over; **apprenticed, apprentice,** prentice *or* 'prentice.

.21 ADVS **for hire,** for rent, to let, to lease.

781. DEPUTY, AGENT

.1 NOUNS **deputy, proxy, representative, substitute,** vice, vicegerent, **alternate,** backup *or* backup man [both informal], alter ego, **surrogate,** procurator, secondary, stand-in, understudy, pinch hitter [informal], utility man; second in command, executive officer; exponent, advocate, pleader, paranymph, attorney, champion; lieutenant, vicar, vicar general; locum tenens, locum [informal]; amicus curiae; co–; dummy, figurehead 749.4.

.2 **delegate,** legate; **commissioner,** commissary, *commissionaire* [Fr], commissar; **messenger,** herald, **emissary, envoy; minister,** secretary.

.3 **agent, instrument,** implement, **tool; steward** 748.4; **functionary; official** 749.16; clerk, **secretary;** amanuensis; factor, consignee; general agent, special agent; actor's agent, baggage agent, business agent *or* walking delegate, claim agent, commercial agent, commission agent, customer agent, federal agent, Federal [informal], fed [slang], freight agent, insurance agent, land agent, law agent, literary agent, loan agent, news agent, passenger agent, press agent, parliamentary agent, purchasing agent, real estate agent, sales agent, station agent, theatrical agent, ticket agent, travel agent; puppet, cat's-paw 658.3; dupe 620.

.4 **go-between, middleman, intermediary, medium,** intermedium, intermediate, interagent, **internuncio,** broker; connection [slang], **contact; negotiator,** negotiant; interpleader; arbitrator, mediator 805.3.

.5 **spokesman,** spokeswoman, official spokesman, speaker, **voice,** mouthpiece [informal]; herald; prolocutor, prolocutress *or* prolocutrix; reporter, rapporteur.

.6 **diplomat,** diplomatist, diplomatic agent, diplomatic [archaic]; **emissary, envoy, legate, minister,** foreign service officer; **ambassador,** ambassadress, ambassador-at-large; envoy extraordinary, plenipotentiary, **minister plenipotentiary;** nuncio, internuncio, apostolic delegate; vice-legate; resident, minister resident; *chargé d'affaires* [Fr], chargé; secretary of legation, chancellor [Brit]; **attaché,** commercial attaché, military attaché; **consul,** consul general, vice-consul, consular agent; career diplomat.

.7 **foreign office, foreign service,** diplomatic service; diplomatic mission, diplomatic staff *or* corps, *corps diplomatique* [Fr]; **embassy, legation;** consular service.

.8 vice-president, vice-chairman, vice-governor, vice-director, vice-master, vice-chancellor, vice-premier, vice-warden, vice-consul, vice-legate; vice-regent, viceroy,

vicegerent, vice-king, vice-queen, vicereine.

.9 **secret agent,** operative, cloak-and-dagger operative, **undercover man,** inside man [slang]; **spy,** espionage agent; counterspy, double agent; **spotter; scout,** reconnoiterer; **intelligence agent** *or* **officer;** CIA man, military-intelligence man, naval-intelligence man; spy-catcher [informal], counterintelligence agent.

.10 **detective, operative, investigator, sleuth,** Sherlock Holmes [A. Conan Doyle]; police detective, Bow Street runner *or* officer [England], **plainclothesman;** private detective, private investigator, inquiry agent [Brit]; hotel detective, house detective, house dick [slang], store detective; arson investigator; narcotics agent, narc [slang]; FBI agent, G-man [informal], treasury agent, T-man [informal], revenuer [slang], Federal [informal], fed [slang]; Federal Bureau of Investigation, FBI; Secret Service.

.11 [slang or informal terms] **dick,** gumshoe, gumshoe man, hawkshaw, sleuthhound, beagle, flatfoot, tec; eye, private eye; skip tracer, spotter.

.12 **secret service,** intelligence service, intelligence bureau *or* department; intelligence, military intelligence, naval intelligence; **counterintelligence.**

.13 (group of delegates) **delegation, deputation, commission, mission;** committee, subcommittee.

.14 VERBS **represent, act for,** act on behalf of, substitute for, appear for, answer for, speak for, hold the proxy of, hold a brief for, act in the place of, stand in for, stand in the stead of, serve in one's stead, pinch-hit for [informal]; understudy, back up [informal]; front for [slang]; deputize, commission 780.9.

.15 ADJS **deputy,** deputative; **acting,** representative; vice–.

.16 **diplomatic,** ambassadorial, consular, ministerial, plenipotentiary.

.17 ADVS by proxy, indirectly; in behalf of 149.12.

782. PROMOTION

.1 NOUNS **promotion, preferment, advancement, advance,** upping [informal], rise, elevation, upgrading, step up, step up the ladder; **raise,** pay raise, **boost** [informal]; exaltation, aggrandizement; ennoblement, knighting; graduation, passing.

.2 VERBS **promote, advance,** prefer [archaic], up [informal], elevate, upgrade; kick upstairs [informal]; **raise,** raise one's pay, up one's pay *or* boost one's pay [both informal]; exalt, aggrandize; **ennoble,** knight; pass, graduate.

783. DEMOTION, DEPOSAL

.1 NOUNS **demotion, degrading,** degradation, disgrading, downgrading, debasement, abasement, humbling, casting down, **reduction,** bump *or* bust [both slang]; stripping of rank, depluming, displuming.

.2 **deposal, deposition, removal,** displacement, deprivation, **ousting,** unseating; **cashiering, firing** [informal], **dismissal** 310.5; forced resignation; kicking upstairs [informal]; **superannuation,** pensioning off, **retirement; suspension;** impeachment; purge, **liquidation; overthrow,** overthrowal; **dethronement,** disenthronement, discrownment; **disbarment,** disbarring; unfrocking, defrocking, unchurching; deconsecration, expulsion, excommunication 310.1,4.

.3 VERBS **demote, degrade,** disgrade, downgrade, debase, abase, humble, **lower, reduce,** bump *or* bust [both slang]; strip of rank, cut off one's spurs, deplume, displume.

.4 **depose, remove from office,** give the gate [slang], divest *or* deprive *or* strip of office, **remove,** displace, **oust; suspend; cashier,** drum out, strip of rank, **break,** bust [slang]; **dismiss** 310.19; **purge, liquidate; overthrow; retire,** superannuate, pension, pension off, put out to pasture [informal]; kick upstairs [informal]; **unseat,** unsaddle; **dethrone,** disenthrone, unthrone, uncrown, discrown; **disbar; unfrock,** defrock, unchurch; strike off the roll, read out of; **expel,** excommunicate 310.13,17; deconsecrate.

784. RESIGNATION

(retirement from office)

.1 NOUNS **resignation,** demission, **withdrawal, retirement,** retiral [Brit], superannuation, emeritus status; **abdication;** voluntary resignation; forced resignation, deposal 783; relinquishment 633.3.

.2 VERBS **resign,** demit, **quit,** leave, **vacate,** withdraw from; **retire,** superannuate, be superannuated, be pensioned *or* pensioned off, be put out to pasture [informal]; relinquish, give up 633.7; retire from office, stand down, stand *or* step aside, give up one's post, hang up one's spurs

[informal]; **tender** *or* **hand in one's resignation,** send in one's papers, turn in one's badge *or* uniform; **abdicate,** renounce the throne, give up the crown; pension off 783.4.

.3 ADJS **retired,** in retirement, superannuated, on pension, pensioned, pensioned off, emeritus, emerita [fem].

785. AID

.1 NOUNS **aid, help, assistance, support, succor, relief, comfort,** ease, remedy; **service, benefit** 665.4; ministry, ministration, office, offices, good offices; yeoman's service; therapy 689; protection 699; rescue 702.

.2 **assist, helping hand, hand, lift; boost** *or* leg *or* leg up [all informal]; help in time of need.

.3 **support, maintenance, sustainment,** sustentation, **sustenance, subsistence,** provision; **keep, upkeep; livelihood, living,** meat, bread, daily bread; **nurture, nourishment;** mothering, care, tender loving care, TLC [informal]; manna, manna in the wilderness; economic support, price support, subsidy, subsidization, subvention, endowment.

.4 **patronage, fosterage, tutelage, sponsorship, auspices,** aegis, care, guidance, **championship;** seconding; interest, advocacy, encouragement, **backing, abetment;** countenance, **favor, goodwill,** charity, **sympathy.**

.5 **furtherance, helping along, advancement,** advance, **promotion, forwarding,** facilitation, speeding, easing *or* smoothing of the way, clearing of the track, greasing of the wheels, expedition, expediting, rushing; special *or* preferential treatment.

.6 **self-help,** self-helpfulness, **self-support,** self-sustainment, self-improvement; independence 762.5.

.7 helper, assistant 787.6; benefactor 942.

.8 **reinforcements, support, relief,** auxiliaries, reserves, reserve forces.

.9 **facility, accommodation, appliance, convenience,** amenity, appurtenance; advantage.

.10 **helpfulness,** aidfulness [archaic]; serviceability, utility, **usefulness** 665.3; **advantageousness,** profitability, favorableness, beneficialness 674.1.

.11 VERBS **aid, help, assist,** comfort, abet [archaic], **succor,** relieve, **ease,** doctor, remedy; be of some help; do good, do a world of good, **benefit, avail** 674.10; **favor, befriend; give help,** render assistance, proffer aid, come to the aid of, rush *or* fly to the assistance of, lend one aid, **give** *or* **lend** *or* **bear a hand** *or* **helping hand,** stretch forth *or* hold out a helping hand; take by the hand, take in tow; **give an assist, give a leg up** [informal], give a lift *or* give a boost [both informal], help a lame dog over a stile; **save,** redeem, bail out [informal], **rescue** 702.3; protect 699.18–20; set up, put on one's feet; give new life to, resuscitate, rally, reclaim, revive, **restore** 694.11–21; be the making of; see one through.

.12 **support, lend support,** give *or* furnish *or* afford support; **maintain, sustain, keep,** upkeep [Brit]; **uphold,** hold up, bear, upbear, **bear up,** bear out; reinforce, undergird, bolster, **bolster up,** buttress, shore, shore up, prop, prop up, crutch; **finance,** fund, subsidize, subvention, subventionize; pick up the tab *or* check [informal].

.13 **back, back up, stand behind, stand back of,** get behind, get in behind, get in back of; **stand by,** stick by *or* **stick up for** [both informal], **champion; second, take the part of,** take up *or* adopt *or* espouse the cause of, **go to bat for** [informal], take up the cudgels for, run interference for [informal]; **side with,** take sides with, associate oneself with, join oneself to, align oneself with, come down *or* range oneself on the side of.

.14 **abet, aid and abet, encourage,** hearten, embolden, comfort [archaic]; advocate, hold a brief for [informal], countenance, keep in countenance, **endorse, lend oneself to,** lend one's countenance to, lend one's favor *or* support to, lend one's offices, put one's weight in the scale, plump for *or* thump the tub for [both informal], lend one's name to, give one's support *or* countenance to, give moral support to, hold one's hand, make one's cause one's own; subscribe [Brit], **favor, go for** [informal], smile upon, shine upon.

.15 **patronize, sponsor,** take up.

.16 **foster, nurture, nourish,** mother, care for, lavish care on, feed, sustain, cultivate, **cherish;** pamper, coddle, cosset, fondle [archaic]; **nurse,** suckle, cradle; dry-nurse, wet-nurse; spoon-feed.

.17 **further, forward, advance, promote,** encourage, **boost** [informal], favor, advantage, **facilitate,** set *or* put *or* push forward, give an impulse to; speed, expedite, quicken, hasten, lend wings to; conduce to, make for, contribute to.

.18 **serve,** render service to, do service for, **work for, labor in behalf of; minister to,** pander to, cater to; attend 750.13.

.19 **oblige, accommodate, favor,** do a favor, do a service.

.20 ADJS **helping,** assisting, serving; **assistant, auxiliary,** adjuvant, subservient, subsidiary, ancillary, accessory; ministerial, ministering, ministrant; fostering, nurtural, nutricial; instrumental 658.6.

.21 **helpful,** aidful [archaic]; **profitable, salutary,** good for, **beneficial** 674.12; remedial, therapeutic; **serviceable, useful** 665.18–22; contributory, conducive, constructive, positive, furthersome [archaic]; at one's service, at one's command, at one's beck and call.

.22 **favorable, propitious;** kind, kindly, kindly-disposed, **well-disposed,** well-affected, well-intentioned, well-meant, **well-meaning;** benevolent, beneficent, benign, benignant; friendly, amicable, neighborly; cooperative.

.23 self-helpful, self-helping, self-improving; **self-supporting, self-sustaining;** self-supported, self-sustained; independent 762.21.

.24 ADVS **helpfully,** helpingly; **beneficially,** favorably, profitably, advantageously, to advantage, to the good; serviceably, **usefully** 665.25.

.25 PREPS helped by, with the help *or* assistance of, by the aid of; **by means of** 658.7.

.26 **for, on** *or* **in behalf of,** in aid of, in the name of, on account of, **for the sake of,** in the service of, in furtherance of, in favor of; remedial of.

.27 **behind, back of** [informal], supporting, **in support of.**

786. COOPERATION

.1 NOUNS **cooperation, collaboration, coaction,** concurrence, synergy, synergism; community, harmony, concordance, concord, fellowship, fellow feeling, solidarity, concert, **teamwork;** pulling together, joining of forces, pooling, pooling of resources; bipartisanship, mutualism, mutuality, mutual assistance, coadjuvancy; reciprocity; joint effort, common effort, combined *or* joint operation, common enterprise *or* endeavor, collective *or* united action, mass action; coagency; coadministration, cochairmanship, codirectorship, duet, duumvirate; trio, triumvirate, troika; quartet, quintet, sextet, septet, octet; symbiosis, commensalism; **cooperativeness,** collaborativeness, team spirit, morale, esprit, *esprit de corps* [Fr]; communism, communalism, communitarianism, collectivism; ecumenism, ecumenicism, ecumenicalism; **collusion,** complicity 654.6.

.2 **affiliation, alliance, alignment, association,** combination, **union,** unification, **coalition,** fusion, merger, coalescence, coadunation, amalgamation, **league, federation, confederation,** confederacy, consolidation, incorporation, inclusion, integration; hookup *or* tie-up *or* tie-in [all informal]; **partnership,** copartnership, copartnery, cahoots [slang]; colleagueship, collegialism, collegiality; **fraternity,** confraternity, fraternization, fraternalism; sorority; **fellowship,** sodality, comradeship, freemasonry.

.3 VERBS **cooperate, collaborate,** do business with *or* **play ball** [both slang], coact, concur; concert, harmonize, concord; **join,** band, league, **associate, affiliate,** ally, **combine, unite,** fuse, merge, coalesce, amalgamate, federate, confederate, consolidate; hook up *or* tie up *or* tie in [all informal]; partner, be in league, go **into partnership with,** go partners [informal], go *or* be in cahoots with; **join together,** club together, league together, band together, etc.; **work together,** get together *or* team up [both informal], work as a team, act together, act in concert, **pull together; hold together, hang together,** keep together, **stand together,** stand shoulder to shoulder; lay *or* put *or* get heads together; make common cause, throw in together [slang], unite efforts, join in; reciprocate; **conspire,** collude 654.10.

.4 **side with,** take sides with, **unite with; join, join with;** join up with *or* get together with *or* team up with [all informal], strike in with [archaic]; **throw in with** *or* string along with *or* swing in with [all informal], **go along with; line up with** [informal], align with, align oneself with, range with, range oneself with, stand in with [slang]; **join hands with,** be hand in glove with, go hand in hand with; act with, take part with, **go in with;** cast in one's lot with, join one's fortunes with, stand shoulder to shoulder with, be cheek by jowl with, sink or swim with, stand or fall with; make common cause with, pool one's interests with; enlist under the banner of, rally round, flock to.

.5 ADJS **cooperative, cooperating,** cooperant;

collaborative, coactive, coacting, coefficient, synergetic, synergic(al), synergistic(al); **fellow,** co–; concurrent, concurring, concerted; harmonious, harmonized, concordant, **common, communal,** collective; **mutual,** reciprocal; **joint, combined** 52.5; coadjuvant, coadjutant; symbiotic, commensal; uncompetitive, noncompetitive, communalist, communalistic, communist, communistic, communitarian, collectivist, collectivistic, ecumenic(al); **conniving, collusive** 654.14.

.6 ADVS **cooperatively,** cooperatingly, coactively, coefficiently, concurrently, **jointly,** combinedly, **conjointly,** concertedly, in concert with; harmoniously, concordantly; communally, collectively, **together;** as one, with one voice, unanimously, in chorus, in unison, as one man; **side by side, hand in hand, hand in glove, shoulder to shoulder, back to back,** "all for one, one for all" [Dumas père].

.7 **in cooperation, in collaboration, in partnership, in cahoots** [slang], **in collusion,** in league.

.8 PREPS **with, in cooperation with,** etc.

787. ASSOCIATE

.1 NOUNS **associate, confederate,** consociate, **colleague,** fellow member, **companion, fellow,** bedfellow, **crony,** consort, cohort, compeer, compatriot, confrere, brother, brother-in-arms, **ally,** adjunct, coadjutor; **comrade** 928.3; –ster; co–.

.2 **partner,** pardner *or* pard [both dial], **mate, teammate,** comate, copemate *or* copesmate [both archaic], copartner, side partner, buddy [informal], **sidekick** *or* sidekicker [both slang]; playmate, messmate, tentmate, roommate, classmate, pewmate, waymate, cupmate, shopmate, shipmate, jailmate, schoolmate, tablemate, cradlemate, bedmate, housemate, lovemate, shelfmate, couchmate, birthmate, watchmate, clubmate; nominal *or* holding-out *or* ostensible *or* quasi partner, general partner, special partner, silent partner, secret partner, dormant *or* sleeping partner.

.3 **accomplice,** cohort, confederate, fellow conspirator, coconspirator, partner *or* accomplice in crime; *particeps criminis, socius criminis* [both L]; **accessory,** accessory before the fact, accessory after the fact; **abettor.**

.4 **collaborator,** cooperator; coauthor; **collaborationist.**

.5 **co-worker, workfellow, fellow worker, buddy** [informal], butty [Brit informal]; **teammate, yokefellow,** yokemate; benchfellow, shopmate.

.6 **assistant, helper,** auxiliary, aider, **aid,** aide, paraprofessional; **help, helpmate, helpmeet;** deputy, agent 781; **attendant, second,** acolyte, acolythist [archaic]; best man, paranymph; servant 750; adjutant, aide-de-camp; lieutenant, executive officer; coadjutant, coadjutor; coadjutress, coadjutrix; supporting actor *or* player, supporting instrumentalist, sideman.

.7 **right-hand man,** right hand, strong right hand, **man Friday,** fidus Achates, second self, alter ego, confidant.

.8 **man, henchman,** gillie; hanger-on, satellite, **follower,** disciple, adherent, votary; creature, lackey, flunky, stooge [slang], jackal, minion, myrmidon; sycophant 907.3; goon [slang], thug 943.3–4; puppet, cat's-paw 658.3; dummy, figurehead 749.4.

.9 **supporter, upholder,** maintainer, sustainer; support, **mainstay, standby** [informal], stalwart, reliance, dependence; **abettor, seconder,** second; endorser, sponsor; **backer, promoter,** angel [slang], **patron,** Maecenas; friend at *or* in court; **champion,** defender, apologist, **advocate,** –arian, –ist, –ite, paranymph, exponent, protagonist; **well-wisher,** favorer, encourager, sympathizer; **partisan,** sider [archaic], sectary, votary; **fan** *or* buff [both informal], aficionado, **admirer,** lover.

788. ASSOCIATION

.1 NOUNS **association, society,** body; **alliance, coalition, league, union;** council; bloc, axis; **partnership; federation, confederation,** confederacy; grouping, assemblage 74; **combination,** combine; *Bund, Verein* [both Ger]; **gang** *or* **ring** *or* mob [all informal]; machine, political machine; economic community, common market, free trade area, customs union; credit union; cooperative, cooperative society, consumer cooperative, Rochdale cooperative; college, **group,** corps, band 74.3.

.2 **community, society, commonwealth;** body; kinship group, **clan,** moiety, totem, phyle, phratry *or* phratria, gens, caste, subcaste, endogamous group; **family,** extended family, nuclear family; order, **class,** social class, economic class; colony, settlement; **commune,** ashram; socio–.

.3 **fellowship,** sodality; **society,** guild, order; **brotherhood, fraternity,** confraternity,

confrerie, fraternal order; **sisterhood, sorority; club,** country club; secret society.

.4 **party, interest, camp, side;** interest group, pressure group, ethnic group; minority group, vocal minority; silent majority; **faction,** division, **sect,** wing, **caucus,** splinter, splinter group, breakaway group, offshoot; **political party** 744.24.

.5 **school, sect,** class, order; **denomination, communion,** confession, faith, church; **persuasion, ism; disciples, followers,** adherents.

.6 **clique, coterie, set, circle,** ring, junto, junta, cabal, camarilla, **clan,** group; **crew** *or* mob *or* **crowd** *or* **bunch** *or* outfit [all informal]; cell; cadre, inner circle; closed *or* charmed circle; ingroup, we-group; elite, elite group.

.7 **team,** squad, string; eleven, nine, eight, five; **crew,** rowing crew; varsity, first team, first string; reserves, second team, second string, third string; platoon; complement; **cast,** company.

.8 **organization,** establishment, **foundation, institution, institute.**

.9 **company, firm, concern, house,** *compagnie* [Fr], *compañía* [Sp]; **business, industry, enterprise,** business establishment, commercial enterprise; **partnership,** copartnership; joint-stock association, joint-stock company, *Aktiengesellschaft* [Ger], *aktiebolag* [Swed]; **corporation,** corporate body, body corporate, conglomerate corporation, conglomerate, diversified corporation; holding company, consolidating company; **trust, syndicate, cartel,** combine, pool, consortium, plunderbund [slang]; combination in restraint of trade; stock company 833.15; operating company; utility, public utility; chamber of commerce, junior chamber of commerce; trade association.

.10 **branch, organ, division,** wing, arm, offshoot, **affiliate; chapter,** lodge, post; **local;** branch office.

.11 **member,** affiliate, belonger, insider, initiate, one of us, cardholder, card-carrier, card-carrying member; **enrollee,** enlistee; **associate,** socius, **fellow;** brother, sister; comrade; honorary member; life member; member in good standing, dues-paying member; charter member; clubman, clubwoman, clubber [informal]; fraternity man, Greek [slang], sorority woman, sorority girl; guildsman; committeeman; conventionist, conventioner, conventioneer; joiner [informal]; pledge.

.12 **membership,** members, associates, affiliates, body of affiliates, constituency.

.13 **partisanism,** partisanship, **partiality; factionalism, sectionalism,** faction; sectarianism, denominationalism; **cliquism,** cliquishness, cliqueyness; **clannishness,** clanship; exclusiveness; ethnocentricity; party spirit, *esprit de corps* [Fr]; the old college spirit.

.14 VERBS **join,** join up [informal], **enter, go into,** come into, get into, make oneself part of, swell the ranks of; **enlist, enroll, affiliate, sign up** *or* **on** [informal], take up membership, take out membership; inscribe oneself, put oneself down; associate oneself with, affiliate with, league with, team *or* team up with; sneak in, creep in, insinuate oneself into; **combine, associate** 52.3,4.

.15 **belong,** hold membership, be a member, be on the rolls, be inscribed, subscribe, hold *or* carry a card.

.16 ADJS **associated, corporate,** incorporated; **combined** 52.5.

.17 **associational, social, society, communal;** organizational; coalitional; sociable 922.18.

.18 **cliquish,** cliquey, **clannish;** ethnocentric.

.19 **partisan,** party; **partial,** interested; **factional, sectional,** sectarian, sectary, denominational.

.20 ADVS **in association, conjointly** 786.6,7.

789. LABOR UNION

.1 NOUNS **labor union,** trade union, trade guild [Brit]; organized labor; collective bargaining; craft union, horizontal union; industrial union, vertical union; **local,** union local, local union; company union.

.2 **union shop,** preferential shop, **closed shop;** open shop; nonunion shop; **labor contract, union contract;** maintenance of membership.

.3 **labor unionist, trade unionist, union member,** unionist, cardholder; shop steward, bargainer, negotiator; business agent; union officer; union *or* labor organizer, organizer.

.4 **striker;** sitdown striker; holdout [informal].

.5 (strike enforcer) **picket; goon** [slang], strong-arm man; flying squadron *or* squad, goon squad [slang].

.6 **strikebreaker, scab** *or* **rat** *or* **fink** *or* scissorbill [all slang], **blackleg** [Brit].

.7 **strike, walkout** *or* tie-up [both informal], turnout [Brit informal], job action; slowdown, rulebook slowdown, sick-in *or* sick-

out [both informal]; work stoppage, sit-down strike, sit-down, wildcat strike, outlaw strike; sympathy strike; **boycott,** boycottage; buyer's *or* consumer's strike; **lockout;** revolt 767.4.

.8 VERBS **organize, unionize.**

.9 **strike, go on strike, go out, walk out;** shut it down; slow down; sit down; **boycott;** picket; hold out [informal]; **lock out;** revolt 767.7.

.10 **break a strike; scab** *or* **rat** *or* **fink** [all slang], **blackleg** [Brit].

790. OPPOSITION

.1 NOUNS **opposition,** opposing, opposure, crossing, traversal, oppugnation, bucking [informal], standing against; contraposition 15.1; **resistance** 792; **contention** 796; negation 524; **rejection** 638; **counteraction,** counterworking 178.1; refusal 776; **contradiction,** challenge, contravention, contraversion, rebutment, rebuttal, denial, impugnation, impugnment; crosscurrent, undercurrent, head wind.

.2 **hostility, antagonism, repugnance,** oppugnancy, **antipathy,** enmity, bad blood, inimicalness; contrariness, contrariety, perverseness, **obstinacy** 626; fractiousness, refractoriness, recalcitrance 767.2; uncooperativeness, noncooperation, negativeness; **friction, conflict,** clashing, **collision,** cross-purposes, dissension, disaccord 795; rivalry, vying, competition 796.2.

.3 VERBS **oppose, counter, cross,** traverse, go *or* **act in opposition to, go against,** run against, **run counter to,** fly in the face of, fly in the teeth of; **protest** 522.5; set oneself against, set one's face against, be *or* play at cross-purposes; **take issue with, take one's stand against,** declare oneself against, stand and be counted against, vote against; make a stand against, make a dead set against; join the opposition; not put up with, not abide, not be content with; counteract, counterwork, countervail 178.6; **resist,** withstand 792.3.

.4 **contend against,** militate against, **contest, combat, battle,** reluct, reluctate, **fight against, strive against,** struggle against, labor against, **take on** [informal], grapple with, join battle with, close with, antagonize [archaic], **fight, buck** [informal], buffet, beat against, beat up against, breast, stem, breast *or* stem the tide *or* current *or* flood, breast the wave, buffet the waves; rival, compete with *or* against, vie with *or* against; offer resistance 792.3.

.5 **confront, affront,** front, **meet,** face; **encounter** 796.16.

.6 **contradict,** cross, traverse, contravene, controvert, rebut, deny, **gainsay;** challenge, contest; oppugn, call into question; **belie,** be contrary to, come in conflict with, negate 524.3,4; **reject** 638.2.

.7 **be against,** be agin [dial]; discountenance 969.10,11; not hold with, not have anything to do with; have a crow to pluck *or* pick, have a bone to pick.

.8 ADJS **oppositional, opponent, opposing, opposed; anti** [informal], enantio–; **adverse, adversary,** adversative, oppugnant, antithetic(al), repugnant, con [informal], **contrary, counter; negative; opposite,** oppositive; overthwart [archaic], cross; **contradictory;** unfavorable, unpropitious 544.17; **hostile, antagonistic,** unfriendly, enemy, inimical, alien, antipathetic(al); fractious, refractory, recalcitrant 767.10; uncooperative, noncooperative; perverse, obstinate 626.8–11; **conflicting, clashing,** dissentient, disaccordant 795.15; rival, competitive 796.26.

.9 ADVS **in opposition, in confrontation,** eyeball-to-eyeball [slang], **at variance, at cross-purposes, at odds,** at issue, at war with, up in arms, with crossed bayonets, at daggers drawn, at daggers, in hostile array, poised against one another; contra, contrariwise, counter, cross, athwart; against the tide *or* wind *or* grain.

.10 PREPS **opposed to, adverse to,** counter to, **in opposition to,** in conflict with, at cross-purposes with; **against,** agin [dial], dead against, athwart; **versus,** vs.; **con,** contra, face to face with, *vis-à-vis* [Fr].

791. OPPONENT

.1 NOUNS **opponent, adversary, antagonist, assailant, foe,** foeman, **enemy;** adverse *or* opposing party, opposite camp, **the opposition,** the loyal opposition; **combatant** 800.

.2 **competitor, contestant,** contender, vier, player, entrant; **rival,** corrival, emulator; the field.

.3 **oppositionist,** opposer; obstructionist, obstructive, negativist, naysayer; **objector, protester,** dissident, dissentient; **resister;** noncooperator; **disputant,** litigant, plaintiff, defendant; quarreler, irritable man, scrapper [slang], wrangler, brawler; diehard, bitter-ender, last-ditcher, intransigent, irreconcilable.

792. RESISTANCE

.1 NOUNS **resistance,** withstanding, renitence *or* renitency, repellence *or* repellency; **defiance** 793; **opposition** 790; **stand; repulsion,** repulse, rebuff; **objection, protest,** remonstrance, **dispute,** challenge, demur, **complaint;** dissentience, **dissent** 522; reaction, hostile *or* combative reaction, counteraction 178; revolt 767.4; recalcitrance *or* recalcitrancy, recalcitration, fractiousness, refractoriness 767.2; **reluctance** 623.1; **obstinacy** 626; passive resistance, noncooperation; uncooperativeness, negativism.

.2 VERBS **resist, withstand; stand; endure** 861.5; **stand up, bear up, hold up, hold out; defy** 793.3–6; be proof against, bear up against; **repel, repulse,** rebuff.

.3 **offer resistance,** not turn the other cheek, show fight, **withstand,** stand, **take one's stand,** make a stand, make a stand against, take one's stand against, **stand up to,** stand up against, stand at bay; front, **confront,** meet head-on, **face up to,** face down, face out; **object, protest,** remonstrate, **dispute,** challenge, **complain,** complain loudly, **dissent** 522.4,5; reluct, make a determined resistance; kick against, recalcitrate, "kick against the pricks" [Bible]; put up a fight *or* struggle [informal], not take lying down; **revolt** 767.7; **oppose** 790.3; **contend with** 796.18; **strive against** 790.4.

.4 **stand fast, stand** *or* **hold one's ground,** make a resolute stand, **hold one's own,** remain firm, stick *or* stick fast [both informal], **stick to one's guns, stay it out, stick it out** [informal], **hold out,** not back down, not give up, not submit, **never say die; fight to the last ditch,** die hard, sell one's life dearly, go down with flying colors.

.5 ADJS **resistant, resistive,** resisting, renitent, **withstanding,** repellent; obstructive, retardant, retardative; **unyielding,** unsubmissive 626.9–12; rebellious 767.11; **proof against** 159.18; **objecting, protesting,** disputing, disputatious, complaining, dissentient, dissenting 522.6,7; recalcitrant, fractious, refractory 767.10; **reluctant** 623.5–7; noncooperative, uncooperative; up in arms, on the barricades, not lying down.

793. DEFIANCE

.1 NOUNS **defiance,** defying, defial [archaic]; **daring,** daringness, **audacity,** boldness, bold front, brash bearing, brashness, brassiness [informal], brazenness, bravado, insolence; arrogance 912; sauciness, cheekiness [informal], pertness, impudence, impertinence; bumptiousness, cockiness; **contempt,** contemptuousness, derision, **disdain,** disregard, despite.

.2 **challenge, dare,** double dare; **defy** *or* defi; gage, gage of battle, gauntlet, glove, chip on the shoulder, slap of the glove, invitation *or* bid to combat; war cry, war whoop, battle cry, rebel yell.

.3 VERBS **defy,** bid defiance, hurl defiance, snarl *or* shout *or* scream defiance; **dare,** double-dare, outdare; **challenge,** call out, throw *or* fling down the gauntlet *or* glove *or* gage, knock the chip off one's shoulder; beard, face, face out, stare down, **confront, affront,** front; pluck by the beard, slap one's face, double *or* shake one's fist at; show fight, show one's teeth, bare one's fangs; dance the war dance; **brave** 893.11.

.4 **flout,** disregard, **slight,** slight over, treat with contempt, set at defiance, fly in the teeth *or* face of, **snap one's fingers at; thumb one's nose at,** cock a snook at, bite the thumb at; **disdain, despise, scorn** 966.3; laugh at, laugh to scorn, laugh out of court, laugh in one's face; hold in derision, scout, scoff at, **deride** 967.8,9.

.5 **show** *or* **put up a bold front,** bluster, throw out one's chest, crow, look big, stand with arms akimbo.

.6 **take a dare,** accept a challenge, **take one up on** *or* **call one's bluff** [both informal]; take up the gauntlet.

.7 ADJS **defiant,** defying, challenging; **daring, bold,** brash, brassy [informal], brazen, **audacious,** insolent; arrogant 912.9–14; saucy, cheeky [informal], pert, impudent, impertinent; bumptious, cocky; **contemptuous,** disdainful, derisive, disregardful, greatly daring, regardless of consequences.

.8 ADVS **in defiance of,** in the teeth of, in the face of, under one's very nose.

794. ACCORD

(harmonious relationship)

.1 NOUNS **accord,** accordance, **concord,** concordance, **harmony,** symphony; **rapport;** good vibrations [informal], good vibes [slang]; amity 927.1; frictionlessness; *rapprochement* [Fr]; **sympathy,** empathy, identity, feeling of identity, fellow feeling, **fellowship,** kinship, **affinity; agreement, understanding,** like-mindedness;

congeniality, **compatibility; oneness,** unity, unison, union; **community,** communion, community of interests; solidarity, team spirit, esprit, *esprit de corps* [Fr]; mutuality, sharing, reciprocity, mutual supportiveness; bonds of harmony, ties of affection, cement of friendship; happy family; peace 803; **love,** *agape* [Gk], charity, *caritas* [L], brotherly love; correspondence 26.1.

.2 VERBS **get along,** harmonize, **agree with, agree, get along with,** get on with, cotton to *or* hit it off with [both informal], harmonize with, **be in harmony with,** be in tune with, fall *or* chime in with, blend in with, go hand in hand with, **be at one with;** sing in chorus, be on the same wavelength [informal]; **sympathize,** empathize, identify with, respond to, understand one another, enter into one's views, enter into the ideas *or* feelings of; **accord,** correspond 26.6; reciprocate, interchange 150.4.

.3 ADJS **in accord,** accordant [archaic], **harmonious, in harmony,** in tune, attuned, agreeing, in concert, **in rapport,** *en rapport* [Fr], amicable 927.14–20; frictionless; **sympathetic,** empathic, empathetic, **understanding,** sympathetico– *or* sympatho–; **like-minded,** akin, of the same mind, of one mind, at one, united, together; concordant, corresponding 26.9; agreeable, congenial, **compatible; peaceful** 803.9,10.

795. DISACCORD

(unharmonious relationship)

.1 NOUNS **disaccord, discord,** discordance *or* discordancy, **unharmoniousness,** inharmoniousness, disharmony, inharmony, disaffinity, incompatibility, incompatibleness; noncooperation; **conflict,** open conflict, **friction,** rub; jar, jangle, clash, clashing; strained relations, **tension; unpleasantness;** mischief; **contention** 796; **enmity** 929; Eris, Discordia.

.2 **disagreement, difficulty, misunderstanding, difference,** difference of opinion, agreement to disagree, **variance,** division, dividedness; **odds,** cross-purposes; polarity of opinion, polarization; disparity 27.1.

.3 **dissension, dissent,** dissidence, flak [informal]; bickering, infighting, faction, factiousness, partisanship, partisan spirit; **divisiveness; quarrelsomeness;** litigiousness; pugnacity, bellicosity, combativeness, **aggressiveness,** contentiousness, belligerence 797.15; irritability, shrewishness, irascibility 951.2.

.4 **falling-out, breach of friendship,** parting of the ways; **alienation, estrangement, disaffection,** disfavor; **breach, break, rupture, schism, split, rift,** cleft, **disunity, disunion, disruption,** separation, cleavage, divergence, division, dividedness; division in the camp, house divided against itself; open rupture, breaking off of negotiations, recall of ambassadors.

.5 **quarrel,** open quarrel, **dispute, argument,** polemic, slanging match [Brit], fliting [archaic or dial], **controversy,** altercation, **fight, squabble, contention,** strife, **tussle,** bicker, wrangle, snarl, **tiff, spat,** fuss; **fracas,** donnybrook *or* donnybrook fair; broil, embroilment, imbroglio; words, sharp words, logomachy; **feud,** blood feud, vendetta; brawl 796.5.

.6 [slang or informal terms] **row, rumpus,** ruckus, ruction, shindy, barney [Brit], set-to, run-in, **scrap, hassle,** rhubarb, dustup; knock-down-and-drag-out, knock-down-and-drag-out quarrel *or* fight.

.7 **bone of contention,** apple of discord, sore point, tender spot, delicate *or* ticklish issue, rub; **bone to pick,** crow to pluck *or* pick *or* pull; *casus belli* [L], grounds for war.

.8 VERBS **disaccord, disagree, differ,** differ in opinion, hold opposite views, **be at variance,** not get along, pull different ways, be at cross-purposes, have no measures with, misunderstand one another; **conflict, clash,** collide, jostle, jangle, jar; live like cat and dog, live a cat-and-dog life.

.9 **have a bone to pick with,** have a crow to pluck with *or* pick with *or* pull with.

.10 **fall out,** have a falling-out, **break with, split,** separate, **diverge,** divide, agree to disagree, **part company,** come to *or* reach a parting of the ways.

.11 **quarrel, dispute,** differ [archaic], flite [archaic or dial], altercate, **fight, squabble,** tiff, spat, **bicker, wrangle,** spar, broil, have words, set to, join issue, make the fur fly; **feud; brawl** 796.14.

.12 [slang or informal terms] **row, scrap, hassle,** make *or* kick up a row; lock horns, bump heads.

.13 **pick a quarrel,** fasten a quarrel on, look for trouble, pick a bone with, pluck a crow with; have a chip on one's shoulder.

.14 **sow dissension,** stir up trouble, make trouble; **alienate, estrange,** separate, **divide, disunite,** disaffect, **come between;**

irritate, provoke, aggravate; **set at odds,** set at variance; **set against,** pit against, sic **on** *or* **at, set on,** set by the ears, set at one's throat; fan the flame, pour oil on the blaze, light the fuse.

.15 ADJS **disaccordant, unharmonious,** inharmonious, disharmonious, **discordant,** out of accord, dissident, dissentient, **disagreeing, differing; conflicting,** clashing, colliding; like cats and dogs.

.16 **at odds, at variance, at loggerheads,** at square [archaic], at cross-purposes; at war, at strife, at feud, at daggers *or* at daggers drawn, up in arms.

.17 **partisan,** polarizing, **divisive,** factional, factious; **quarrelsome,** bickering, disputatious, wrangling, eristic(al), polemic(al); litigious, pugnacious, combative, **aggressive,** bellicose, belligerent 797.25; irritable, shrewish, irascible 951.19.

796. CONTENTION

.1 NOUNS **contention, contest,** contestation, combat, **conflict, strife, war, struggle,** cut and thrust; **warfare** 797; **hostility,** enmity 929; **quarrel, altercation, controversy,** polemic, debate, argument, dispute, **disputation,** litigation; words, war of words, paper war, logomachy; **fighting,** scrapping [slang]; **quarreling, bickering, wrangling, squabbling;** contentiousness, **quarrelsomeness** 795.3; cat-and-dog life; Kilkenny cats.

.2 **competition, rivalry,** vying, emulation, jockeying [informal]; cutthroat competition; run for one's money; gamesmanship, lifemanship, one-upmanship.

.3 **contest, engagement, encounter, match,** matching, meet, meeting, derby, **trial, test,** *concours, rencontre* [both Fr]; fight, bout, go [informal]; joust, tilt; tournament, tourney; rally; **game** 878.9,34,35; **games,** Olympic games, Olympics, gymkhana.

.4 **fight, battle, fray,** affray, combat, action, conflict, embroilment, **clash; brush, skirmish,** scrimmage; tussle, **scuffle, struggle,** scramble, shoving match; exchange of blows, *passage d'arms* [Fr], passage at *or* of arms, clash of arms; **quarrel** 795.5; pitched battle, battle royal, hand-to-hand fight, stand-up fight [informal], running fight *or* engagement; tug-of-war; bullfight, tauromachy; dogfight, cockfight; street fight, rumble [informal]; air *or* aerial combat, sea *or* naval combat, ground combat, armored combat, infantry combat, fire fight, hand-to-hand combat, house-to-house combat.

.5 **free-for-all,** knock-down-and-drag-out [informal], **brawl,** broil, melee, scrimmage, **fracas,** donnybrook *or* donnybrook fair; riot; rumpus, ruckus, ruction, row [all informal].

.6 **death struggle, life-and-death** *or* **life-or-death struggle, fight to the death,** *guerre à mort, guerre à outrance* [both Fr], all-out war, total war, last-ditch fight, fight to the last ditch.

.7 **duel,** single combat, monomachy, satisfaction, **affair of honor.**

.8 **fencing, swordplay.**

.9 **boxing, fighting,** noble *or* manly art of self-defense, **fisticuffs, pugilism, prizefighting,** the fights [informal], the ring; **boxing match, prizefight,** spar, bout; shadowboxing; close fighting, infighting, the clinches [informal]; Chinese boxing; savate.

.10 **wrestling,** rassling [dial], grappling, *sumo* [Jap]; **martial arts;** jujitsu, judo, karate, *aikido* [all Jap], *t'ai chi chu'an, kung-fu, wu-su* [all Chin], *tae-kwan-do* [Korean]; catch-as-catch-can; wrestling match, wrestling meet; Greco-Roman wrestling, Cornish wrestling, Westmorland wrestling, Cumberland wrestling.

.11 **racing, track,** track sports; **horse racing,** the turf, the sport of kings; dog racing, automobile racing.

.12 **race,** contest of speed *or* fleetness; derby; **heat, lap;** footrace, **run,** dash, hundred-yard dash, etc.; sprint, sprint race; marathon, marathon race; relay, relay race; torch race, match race, obstacle race, hurdle race, cross-country race, point-to-point race, three-legged race, sack race, potato race; walk; automobile race, road race, endurance race, track race *or* speedway race, stock-car race, drag race; Grand Prix, Le Mans, Indianapolis 500; motorcycle race, bicycle race; boat race, yacht race, regatta; air race; dog race.

.13 **horse race,** flat race, harness race, trotting race, quarter-horse race, steeplechase *or* chase, hurdle race; invitational race, claiming race, plate race [informal], purse race, stake race *or* stake, sweepstakes *or* sweepstake, sweep [informal], handicap race *or* handicap; Kentucky Derby, Preakness Stakes, Belmont Stakes; Grand National, Derby.

.14 VERBS **contend, contest,** jostle; **fight, battle, combat, war,** put up a fight [informal]; wage war 797.18; **strive, struggle,**

scramble, **tussle, scuffle; quarrel** 795.11,12; clash, collide; **wrestle,** rassle [dial], grapple, grapple with, go to the mat with; **come to blows,** close, **mix it up** [slang], exchange blows *or* fisticuffs, **box,** spar, give and take; cut and thrust, **fence,** thrust and parry; **joust, tilt, tourney,** run a tilt *or* a tilt at, break a lance with; **duel,** fight a duel, give satisfaction; feud; skirmish; fight one's way; fight the good fight; **brawl,** broil; **riot.**

.15 **lift** *or* **raise one's hand against;** make war on 797.19; draw the sword against, take up the cudgels, couch one's lance; square up *or* off [informal], come to the scratch; have at, jump; lay on, lay about one; **pitch into** *or* **sail into** [both informal], light into *or* lay into [both slang], strike the first blow, draw first blood; **attack** 798.15.

.16 **encounter, come up against,** fall *or* run foul *or* afoul of; close with, come to close quarters, bring to bay, meet *or* fight hand-to-hand.

.17 **engage, take on** [informal], enter the ring *or* arena with, put on the gloves with, match oneself against; **join issue,** try conclusions, **join battle, do** *or* **give battle,** engage in battle.

.18 **contend with, engage with,** cope with, **fight with, strive with, struggle with,** wrestle with, grapple with, bandy with [archaic], try conclusions with, measure swords with, tilt with, **cross swords with;** exchange shots, shoot it out with [informal]; **lock horns** *or* **bump heads** [both informal], fall *or* go to loggerheads [archaic]; **tangle with** *or* **mix it up with** [both slang], have a brush with; have it out, fight *or* battle it out, settle it; fight tooth and nail, fight like devils, ask and give no quarter, make blood flow freely, battle *à outrance,* fight to the death.

.19 **compete, compete with, challenge,** jockey [informal], **vie, vie with,** cope [archaic], enter into competition with, **meet;** try *or* test one another; **rival,** emulate, outvie.

.20 **race,** race with, run a race; horse-race, boat-race.

.21 **contend for, strive for, struggle for, fight for,** vie for; stickle for, stipulate for, make a point of.

.22 **dispute, contest,** take issue with; **fight over, quarrel over, wrangle over, squabble over,** bicker over, strive *or* contend about.

.23 ADJS **contending,** contesting; **contestant,** disputant; striving, struggling; fighting, battling, warring; **warlike** 797.25; **quarrelsome** 795.17.

.24 **competitive,** competing, **vying,** rivaling, **rival,** emulous, in competition, in rivalry; **cutthroat.**

797. WARFARE

.1 NOUNS **warfare, war,** warring, warmaking, **combat, fighting,** *la guerre* [Fr], –machy; armed conflict, armed combat, military operations, the sword, arbitrament of the sword, appeal to arms *or* the sword, resort to arms, force *or* might of arms, bloodshed; **state of war, hostilities,** belligerence *or* belligerency, open war *or* warfare *or* hostilities; **hot war, shooting war;** total war, all-out war; **wartime; battle** 796.4; **attack** 798.

.2 "an epidemic insanity" [Emerson], "a brain-spattering, windpipe-slitting art", "the feast of vultures, and the waste of life" [both Byron], "the business of barbarians" [Napoleon], "the trade of kings" [Dryden], "a by-product of the arts of peace" [Ambrose Bierce], "a conflict which does not determine who is right—but who is left" [anon], "the continuation of politics by other means" [von Clausewitz], "an emblem, a hieroglyphic, of all misery" [Donne], "politics with bloodshed" [Mao Tse-tung].

.3 civil war, revolutionary war, religious war *or* holy war *or* jihad, war of independence, people's war, war of national liberation; limited war, brushfire war, police action; undeclared war; preventive war, war to end war; world war, general war, global war; Armageddon.

.4 air *or* aerial warfare, sea *or* naval warfare, amphibious warfare, land warfare, three-dimensional war; submarine warfare; trench warfare, siege warfare, underground warfare; offensive warfare, defensive warfare; war of movement, mobile warfare; motorized warfare, mechanized warfare; position warfare, war of position; irregular warfare, guerrilla warfare, bush-fighting; jungle warfare; chemical warfare, gas warfare; biological warfare, bacteriological warfare, virus warfare, germ warfare; psychological warfare; conventional war *or* warfare; atomic war *or* warfare, atom war, A-war, H-war; push-button warfare, technological warfare, slide-rule warfare, missile warfare; war of attrition.

.5 **cold war,** inactive war, phony war, twi-

light war, armed neutrality; **psychological warfare, war of nerves;** economic warfare.

.6 **battle array,** order of battle, **disposition, deployment;** open order; close formation; echelon.

.7 **campaign,** war, **drive, expedition,** hostile expedition; **crusade,** holy war, jihad.

.8 **operation,** action; **movement; mission; operations,** military operations, naval operations; combined operations, joint operations, coordinated operations; active operations, amphibious operations, airborne operations, fluid operations, major operations, minor operations, night operations, overseas operations; war plans, staff work; logistics; war game, dry run, kriegspiel, maneuver, maneuvers.

.9 **strategy, tactics;** applied tactics; offensive strategy, defensive strategy; aerial tactics, infantry tactics, airborne tactics, paratroop tactics, cavalry tactics, guerrilla tactics, mobile tactics, armored tactics, columnar tactics, mob tactics, fire tactics, barrier tactics, shock tactics, blitzkrieg tactics, scorched-earth tactics, linear tactics, grand tactics, maneuver tactics; diversion, feint, diversionary movement; encirclement, investment, encircling movement, pincers movement; infiltration.

.10 **warcraft,** war, arms, **military science,** art *or* rules *or* science of war; siegecraft; **generalship,** soldiership; chivalry, knighthood, knightly skill.

.11 **declaration of war,** challenge; defiance 793.

.12 **call to arms, call-up,** call to the colors, **rally; mobilization; muster,** levy; conscription, recruitment 780.6; **rallying cry,** slogan, watchword, catchword, exhortation; **battle cry,** war cry, war whoop, rebel yell; banzai, gung ho, St. George, Montjoie, Geronimo, go for broke; **bugle call,** trumpet call, clarion, clarion call.

.13 **service,** duty; active service *or* duty; military obligation; selective service, national service [Brit].

.14 **militarization,** activation, **mobilization;** war *or* wartime footing, national emergency; martial law, suspension of civil rights; garrison state, military dictatorship; remilitarization, reactivation; arms race; war clouds, war scare.

.15 **warlikeness,** unpeacefulness, war *or* warlike spirit, ferocity, fierceness; **combativeness, contentiousness; hostility, antagonism;** unfriendliness 929.1; aggression, **aggressiveness; belligerence** *or* belligerency, **pugnacity,** pugnaciousness, bellicosity, **truculence,** fight [informal]; chip on one's shoulder [informal]; militancy, **militarism,** martialism, militaryism; saber rattling; **chauvinism, jingoism,** hawkishness [informal], bellicism, **warmongering,** waving of the bloody shirt; warpath; quarrelsomeness 795.3.

.16 (rallying devices and themes) battle flag, banner, colors, gonfalon, bloody shirt, fiery cross *or* crostarie, atrocity story, enemy atrocities; martial music, war song, battle hymn, national anthem; national honor, face; foreign threat, totalitarian threat, Communist threat, colonialist *or* neocolonialist *or* imperialist threat, Western imperialism, yellow peril; expansionism, manifest destiny; independence, self-determination.

.17 war-god, Mars, Ares, Odin *or* Woden *or* Wotan, Tyr *or* Tiu *or* Tiw; war-goddess, Athena, Minerva, Bellona, Enyo, Valkyrie.

.18 VERBS **war, wage war, make war, carry on war** *or* **hostilities,** engage in hostilities, wield the sword; battle, **fight** 796.14; spill *or* shed blood.

.19 **make war on,** levy war on, "let slip the dogs of war" [Shakespeare]; **attack** 798.15–28; **declare war, challenge,** throw *or* fling down the gauntlet; defy 793.3–6; open hostilities, plunge the world into war; launch a holy war on, go on a crusade against.

.20 **go to war,** break the peace, take up the gauntlet, **go on the warpath, rise up in arms, take** *or* **resort to arms,** take arms, take up arms, take up the cudgels *or* sword, fly *or* appeal to the sword, unsheathe one's weapon, come to cold steel; take the field.

.21 **campaign,** undertake operations, pursue a strategy, make an expedition, go on a crusade.

.22 **serve,** do duty; fulfill one's military obligation, wear the uniform; **soldier,** see *or* do active duty; **bear arms,** carry arms, shoulder arms, shoulder a gun; see action *or* combat, hear shots fired in anger.

.23 **call to arms, call up,** call to the colors, **rally; mobilize; muster,** levy; conscript, recruit 780.16; give the battle cry, wave the bloody shirt, beat the drums, blow the bugle *or* clarion.

.24 **militarize, activate, mobilize,** go on a wartime footing, gird *or* gird up one's loins, muster one's resources; reactivate,

remilitarize, take out of mothballs [informal].

.25 ADJS **warlike, militant,** fighting, warring, battling; **martial, military,** soldierly, soldierlike; **combative, contentious,** gladiatorial; trigger-happy [informal]; **belligerent, pugnacious, truculent, bellicose,** scrappy [slang], full of fight; **aggressive,** offensive; fierce, ferocious, savage, bloody, bloody-minded, bloodthirsty, sanguinary, sanguineous; **unpeaceful,** unpeaceable, unpacific; **hostile, antagonistic, enemy,** inimical; unfriendly 929.9; quarrelsome 795.17.

.26 **militaristic, warmongering,** saber-rattling; **chauvinistic,** chauvinist, **jingoistic,** jingoist, jingoish, jingo; hawkish [informal], of the war party.

.27 **embattled,** battled, **engaged,** at grips, in combat; **arrayed, deployed,** ranged, in battle array, in the field; **armed** 799.14.

.28 ADVS **at war, up in arms;** in the midst of battle, in the thick of the fray *or* combat; in the cannon's mouth, at the point of the gun; at swords' points, at the point of the bayonet *or* sword.

.29 **wars**

Algerian War
American Revolution
Arab-Israeli War
Balkan Wars
Boer War
Civil War (American)
Civil War (English)
Civil War (Spanish)
Civil Wars (Chinese)
Civil Wars (Roman)
Crimean War
Crusades
Franco-Prussian War
French and Indian War
French Revolution
Gallic Wars
Greco-Persian Wars
Hundred Years' War
Indian Wars
Indochina War
Italian Wars of Independence
Korean War
Macedonian-Persian War
Manchurian War
Mexican War
Napoleonic Wars
Peloponnesian Wars
Persian Wars
Punic Wars
Russian Revolution
Russo-Japanese War
Samnite Wars
Seven Weeks' War
Seven Years' War
Sino-Japanese War
Six Day War
Southeast Asian War
Spanish-American War
Thirty Years' War
Vietnam War
War Between the States
War of 1812
War of the Austrian Succession
War of the Polish Succession
War of the Spanish Succession
Wars of the French Revolution
Wars of the Roses
World War I
World War II

.30 **battles**

Actium
Adrianople
Aegates Isles
Aegospotami
Agincourt
Antietam
Anzio
Arbela-Gaugamela
Ardennes
Austerlitz
Ayacucho
Balaclava
Bannockburn
Bataan-Corregidor
Battle of Britain
Battle of the Bulge
Belleau Wood
Bennington
Bismarck Sea
Blenheim
Borodino
Bosworth Field
Bouvines
Boyne
Brunanburh
Buena Vista
Bull Run
Bunker Hill
Cannae
Caporetto
Caudine Forks
Chaeronea
Châlons-sur-Marne
Chancellorsville
Château-Thierry
Chattanooga
Chickamauga
Constantinople
Coral Sea
Crécy
Cunaxa
Cynoscephalae
Dardanelles
Dienbienphu
Drogheda
Dunkirk
El Alamein
Flodden
Fontenoy
Fredericksburg
Gaza
Gettysburg
Granicus River
Guadalcanal
Hampton Roads
Hastings
Hohenlinden
Inchon
Ipsus
Issus
Ivry-la-Bataille
Iwo Jima
Jena-Auerstedt
Jutland
Khartoum
Kwajalein-Eniwetok
Lake Erie
Lake Trasimenus
Langside
Leipzig
Leningrad
Lepanto
Leuctra
Lexington and Concord
Leyte
Long Island
Lucknow
Lüleburgaz
Lützen
Maldon
Manila Bay
Mantinea
Marathon
Marengo
Mariana Islands
Marne River
Marston Moor
Metaurus River
Meuse River-Argonne Forest
Midway
Minden
Monmouth
Mukden
Naseby
Nashville
Navarino
New Orleans
Nile River
Normandy
Novgorod
Okinawa
Omdurman
Orleans
Panipat
Passero Cape
Pearl Harbor
Petersburg
Pharsalus
Philippi
Philippine Sea
Plassey
Plataea
Plevna
Poitiers
Port Arthur
Pydna
Quebec
Ravenna
Rocroi
Rossbach
Saint-Mihiel
Saipan
Salamis
Salerno
Santiago de Cuba
Saratoga
Sedan
Sempach
Sevastopol
Shiloh
Singapore
Soissons
Solferino
Somme River
Spanish Armada
Spotsylvania
Stalingrad
Syracuse
Tannenberg
Tarawa-Makin
Tertry
Teutoburger Wald
Thermopylae
Tours
Trafalgar
Valmy
Verdun
Vicksburg
Vienna
Wagram
Wake Island
Waterloo
Yalu River
Yorktown
Ypres
Zama

798. ATTACK

.1 NOUNS **attack, assault,** assailing, assailment; **offense, offensive; aggression; onset, onslaught; strike;** descent on *or* upon; **charge,** rush, dead set at, run at *or* against; **drive, push** [informal]; **sally, sortie;** infiltration; *coup de main* [Fr]; frontal attack *or* assault, head-on attack, flank attack; mass attack; banzai attack *or* charge; hit-and-run attack; breakthrough; **counterattack, counteroffensive;** amphibious attack; gas attack; diversionary attack, diversion; assault and battery, simple assault, mugging [informal], aggravated assault, armed assault, unprovoked assault; **blitzkrieg, blitz,** lightning attack, lightning war, panzer warfare, sudden *or* devastating *or* crippling attack, shock tactics; atomic *or* thermonuclear attack, first-strike capacity, megadeath, overkill.

.2 **surprise attack,** surprise, surprisal, unforeseen attack, **sneak attack** [informal]; Pearl Harbor.

.3 **thrust, pass, lunge, swing,** cut, stab, jab; feint; home thrust.

.4 **raid, foray,** razzia; **invasion, incursion,** inroad, irruption; **air raid, air strike,** air attack, shuttle raid, fire raid, saturation raid; escalade, scaling, boarding.

.5 **siege, besiegement, beleaguerment;** encompassment, investment, encirclement, envelopment; blockading, blockade; cutting of supply lines; vertical envelopment; pincer movement.

.6 **storm,** storming, taking by storm.

.7 **bombardment, cannonade; strafe,** strafing; **air raid, blitzkrieg, blitz,** lightning attack, lightning war.

.8 **bombing, blitz,** dive-bombing, glide-bombing, skip-bombing, shuttle bombing, area bombing, interdiction bombing, pattern bombing, carpet bombing, precision bombing, pinpoint bombing, saturation bombing, tactical bombing, strategic bombing, high-altitude bombing, low-altitude bombing.

.9 **gunfire, fire, firing,** musketry, **shooting,** fireworks *or* gunplay [both informal]; gunfight, shoot-out; shellfire; rocket fire; antiaircraft fire, flak *or* flack; automatic-weapons fire, cross fire, curtain fire, direct fire, dry fire, file fire, ground fire, horizontal fire, interdiction fire, machine-gun fire, mortar fire, vertical fire, percussion fire, pistol fire, platoon fire, plunging fire, high-angle fire, raking fire, rapid fire, ricochet fire, rifle fire, rolling fire, time fire, zone fire, fire of demolition; firepower.

.10 **volley, salvo,** burst, spray, **fusillade,** drumfire, **cannonade,** cannonry, **broadside,** enfilade; **barrage,** antiaircraft barrage, box barrage, emergency barrage, mortar barrage, normal barrage, standing barrage, rolling *or* creeping barrage.

.11 **stabbing,** piercing; **knifing,** bayonetting; the sword; **impalement, transfixion.**

.12 **stoning,** lapidation.

.13 **assailant,** assailer, **attacker;** assaulter, mugger [informal]; **aggressor;** invader, raider.

.14 **zero hour,** H hour; D day, target day.

.15 VERBS **attack, assault, assail,** harry, assume *or* take the offensive; commit an assault upon, mug [informal]; **strike, hit, pound** 283.13,14; **go at, come at,** have at, lay at [dial], go for [informal], **launch out against,** make a set *or* dead set at; **pitch into** *or* **light into** *or* **sail into** *or* wade into *or* lay into [all informal]; **fall on** *or* **upon, set on** *or* **upon, descend on** *or* upon, come down on, swoop down on; pounce upon, land on, land on like a ton of bricks, crack down on [informal]; **lift** *or* **raise a hand against,** draw the sword against, take up the cudgels against; **lay hands on,** lay a hand on, bloody one's hands with; gang up on, attack in force; jump *or* bushwhack [both informal], surprise, **ambush; blitz,** attack *or* hit like lightning.

.16 **lash out at,** let drive at, let fly at, strike out at; **strike at,** hit at, poke at, thrust at, **swing at,** swing on, **take a swing** *or* **crack** *or* **swipe** *or* **poke** *or* **shot at** [informal], make a thrust *or* pass at, lunge at, aim *or* deal a blow at, flail at, flail away at, take a fling *or* shy at; cut and thrust; feint.

.17 **launch an attack,** kick off an attack, mount an attack, **push, thrust,** mount *or* open an offensive, **drive; advance against** *or* **upon, march upon** *or* **against,** bear down upon; **infiltrate; strike;** flank; press the attack, follow up the attack; **counterattack;** gas.

.18 **charge,** rush, **rush at, fly at,** run at, dash at, make a dash *or* rush at; tilt at, go full tilt at, make *or* run a tilt at, ride full tilt against; **jump off,** go over the top [informal].

.19 **besiege, lay siege to,** encompass, surround, **encircle,** envelop, invest, set upon on all sides, get in a pincers, close the jaws of the pincers *or* trap; **blockade;** be-

set, beleaguer, harry, harass, drive *or* press one hard; soften up.

.20 **raid,** foray, make a raid; **invade,** inroad, make an inroad, make an irruption into; escalade, scale, scale the walls, board; storm, take by storm, overwhelm, inundate.

.21 **pull a gun on,** draw a gun on; **get the drop on** *or* **beat to the draw** [both slang].

.22 **fire upon,** fire at, **shoot at,** pop at *or* take a pop at [both slang], take *or* fire *or* let off a shot at; **open fire,** commence firing, open up on [slang]; aim at, take aim at, zero in on, take dead aim at, draw a bead on; **snipe,** snipe at; **bombard, blast, strafe, shell,** cannonade, mortar, barrage, blitz; pepper, fusillade, fire a volley; rake, enfilade; pour a broadside into; cannon; **torpedo; shoot** 285.13.

.23 **bomb,** drop a bomb, lay an egg [slang]; dive-bomb, glide-bomb, skip-bomb, pattern-bomb, etc.; atom-bomb, hydrogen-bomb.

.24 **mine,** plant a mine, trigger a mine.

.25 **stab, stick** [informal], **pierce,** plunge in; **run through, impale,** spit, **transfix,** transpierce; **spear,** lance, poniard, bayonet, saber, sword, put to the sword; **knife,** dirk, dagger, stiletto; spike.

.26 **gore,** horn, tusk.

.27 **pelt, stone,** lapidate [archaic], pellet; brickbat *or* egg [both informal].

.28 **hurl at, throw at, cast at,** heave at, chuck at [informal], fling at, sling at, toss at, shy at, fire at, let fly at; hurl against, hurl at the head of.

.29 ADJS **attacking,** assailing, assaulting, charging, driving, thrusting, advancing; **invading,** invasive, invasionary, incursive, incursionary, irruptive.

.30 **offensive, combative,** on the offensive *or* attack; **aggressive** 797.25.

.31 ADVS **under attack, under fire;** under siege.

.32 INTERJS **attack!,** advance!, **charge!,** over the top!, up and at 'em!, give 'em hell!, let 'em have it!, fire!, open fire!; banzai!

799. DEFENSE

.1 NOUNS **defense,** defence [Brit], **guard,** ward; **protection** 699; resistance 792; self-defense, self-protection, self-preservation; deterrent capacity; defense in depth; the defensive; defenses, psychological defenses, ego defenses, defense mechanism, escape mechanism, avoidance reaction, negative taxis *or* tropism.

.2 civil defense; Office of Emergency Planning, OEP, Office of Civil Defense, OCD, Air Defense Command; conelrad (control of electromagnetic radiation for civil defense), Emergency Broadcast System, EBS, Civil Defense Warning System; radar defenses, distant early warning *or* DEW Line; antimissile missile, antiballistic-missile system, ABM.

.3 **armor,** armature; armor plate; body armor, suit of armor, plate armor; panoply, harness; **mail,** chain mail, chain armor, **coat of mail,** hauberk, habergeon; bulletproof vest; shield, buckler; **protective covering,** cortex, **thick skin,** shell 228.15; spines, needles.

.4 **fortification; bulwark, rampart, parapet, battlement,** merlon; vallation [archaic], vallum, contravallation, circumvallation; **earthwork,** work, bank [archaic], dike, mound, parados; **stockade, palisade; barricade;** abatis; entanglement, barbed-wire entanglement; fieldwork; casemate; breastwork; mantelet; ravelin; redan; lunette; **bastion,** demibastion, banquette, curtain, tenaille; advanced work, outwork, barbican, redoubt, sconce, fortalice [archaic]; glacis; scarp, escarp, escarpment, counterscarp; machicolation, loophole, balistraria; bartizan; drawbridge, portcullis, cheval-de-frise *or* chevaux-de-frise; postern gate, sally port; **fence, barrier** 730.5; **enclosure** 236.3.

.5 **entrenchment, trench,** ditch, fosse; **moat; dugout,** abri; **bunker; foxhole,** slit trench; approach trench, communication trench, fire trench, gallery, parallel, coupure; tunnel, fortified tunnel; sap, single *or* double sap, flying sap; mine, countermine.

.6 **stronghold,** hold, safehold, fasthold, **fastness,** keep, ward, **bastion,** donjon, **citadel, castle,** tower, tower of strength, strong point; mote *or* motte; **fort, fortress,** post; **bunker, pillbox,** blockhouse, garrison, garrison house; acropolis; peel, peel tower; rath; martello tower, martello; **bridgehead, beachhead.**

.7 **defender, champion, advocate; upholder; supporter** 787.9; vindicator, apologist; **protector** 699.5; **guard** 699.9; paladin.

.8 VERBS **defend, guard, shield,** screen, secure, guard against; defend tooth and nail; **safeguard, protect** 699.18–20; stand by the side of, flank; **advocate, champion** 1006.10.

.9 **fortify,** embattle, battle [archaic]; **arm; armor,** armor-plate; **man;** garrison, man the garrison; **barricade, blockade;** bul-

wark, wall, palisade, fence; castellate, crenellate; bank; entrench, **dig in**; mine.

.10 **fend off, ward off, stave off, hold off,** keep off, beat off, parry, fend, counter, turn aside; **hold** *or* **keep at bay,** keep at arm's length; stop, check, block, hinder, obstruct; **repel, repulse, rebuff, drive back,** put back, push back; go on the defensive, fight a holding *or* delaying action, fall back to prepared positions.

.11 ADJS **defensive,** defending, **guarding,** shielding, screening; **protective** 699.23; self-defensive, self-protective, self-preservative.

.12 **fortified,** battlemented, embattled, battled [archaic]; castellated, crenellated, casemated, machicolated.

.13 **armored,** armor-plated; in armor, panoplied, armed cap-a-pie, armed at all points, in harness, "in complete steel" [Shakespeare]; mailed, mailclad, ironclad; loricate, loricated.

.14 **armed,** hoplo–; heeled *or* carrying [both slang]; accoutered, **in arms,** bearing *or* wearing *or* carrying arms, under arms, sword in hand; **well-armed,** heavy-armed, full-armed, bristling with arms, **armed to the teeth;** light-armed.

.15 **defensible, defendable, tenable.**

.16 ADVS **defensively, in defense,** in self-defense; **on the defensive,** on guard; **at bay,** *aux abois* [Fr], with one's back to the wall.

.17 **armor**

aegis
armet
backplate
bard
basinet
beaver
brassard
breastplate
brigandine
buckler
bulletproof vest
burganet
byrnie
cabasset
camail
casque
casquetel
chamfron
coif
corselet
cubitiere
cuirass
cuisse
épaulière
face guard
gas mask
gauntlet
gorget
greaves
habergeon
hauberk
headpiece
heaume
helm
helmet
jamb
jambeau
knee plate
lorica
mail
morion
nasal
nosepiece
pallette
pavise
Pickelhaube [Ger]
plate
rerebrace
rondel
sallet
shield
skirt of tasses
solleret
tasse
tuille
vambrace
visor

800. COMBATANT

.1 NOUNS **combatant, fighter, battler,** scrapper [slang]; **contestant, contender, competitor, rival;** disputant, wrangler, squabbler, bickerer, quarreler; struggler, tussler, scuffler; brawler, rioter; feuder; **belligerent,** militant; gladiator; jouster, tilter; **knight,** belted knight; swordsman, blade, sword, *sabreur, beau sabreur* [both Fr]; fencer, foilsman, swordplayer [archaic]; duelist; gamecock, fighting cock; **tough,** rough, rowdy, **ruffian,** thug, **hoodlum, hood** [informal], hooligan, streetfighter, bully, bullyboy, bravo; gorilla *or* goon *or* plug-ugly [all slang], hatchet man *or* enforcer [both informal], strong-arm man, strong arm, strong-armer; swashbuckler.

.2 **pugilist,** pug *or* palooka [both slang], **boxer, fighter, prizefighter,** fisticuffer, bruiser, sparrer; flyweight, bantamweight, featherweight, lightweight, welterweight, middleweight, light heavyweight, heavyweight; judo *or* jujitsu *or* karate expert, brown belt, black belt; Chinese boxer; savate expert.

.3 **wrestler,** rassler [dial], grappler, scuffler, matman.

.4 **bullfighter,** toreador, *torero* [Sp]; banderillero, picador, matador.

.5 **militarist, warmonger,** war dog *or* hound, war hawk, **hawk** [informal]; **chauvinist, jingo,** jingoist.

.6 **serviceman,** military man; navy man 276.4; air serviceman 279.3,4; **soldier, warrior,** brave, fighting man, legionary, hoplite, **man-at-arms,** rifleman, rifle; **cannon fodder,** food for powder; warrioress, Amazon; spearman, pikeman, halberdier.

.7 (common soldiers) **GI,** GI Joe, **doughboy, Yank;** Tommy Atkins *or* **Tommy** *or* Johnny *or* swaddy [all Brit]; redcoat; *poilu* [Fr]; Aussie, Anzac, digger [all Austral]; jock [Scot]; Fritz, Jerry, Heinie, Hun [derog], Boche [derog], Kraut [derog] (German soldier); Janissary (Turkish soldier); sepoy [India]; askari [Africa].

.8 **enlisted man,** noncommissioned officer 749.19; **common soldier, private,** buck private [slang]; private first class, pfc.

.9 **infantryman, foot soldier;** footslogger *or* paddlefoot *or* doughfoot *or* **dogface** *or* grunt [all slang]; light infantryman, chasseur, *Jäger* [Ger], Zouave; **rifleman,** rifle, musketeer; fusileer, carabineer; **sharpshooter,** marksman, expert rifleman, *bersagliere* [Ital]; **sniper;** grenadier.

.10 **artilleryman,** artillerist, **gunner,** guns

[slang], cannoneer, machine gunner; **bomber,** bomb thrower, bombardier.

.11 **cavalryman,** mounted infantryman, **trooper;** dragoon, light *or* heavy dragoon; lancer, lance, uhlan, hussar; cuirassier; spahi; cossack.

.12 **tank corpsman, tanker,** tank crewman.

.13 **engineer,** combat engineer, pioneer, Seabee; sapper, sapper and miner.

.14 **elite troops,** special troops, **shock troops,** storm troops, elite corps; commandos, rangers, Special Forces, Green Berets, marines, paratroops, guardsmen, Schutzstaffel, SS, Waffen-SS, Gurkhas.

.15 **irregular,** casual; **guerrilla,** partisan, franctireur; **bushfighter,** bushwhacker [slang]; underground, resistance, maquis; Vietcong, VC, Charley [slang]; *maquisard* [Fr], underground *or* resistance fighter.

.16 **mercenary, hireling,** *condottiere* [Ital], free lance, free companion, **soldier of fortune,** adventurer; gunman, gun, hired gun, hired killer, professional killer.

.17 **recruit, rookie** [slang], **conscript,** drafted man, **draftee, inductee, selectee, enlistee,** enrollee, trainee, boot [slang]; **raw recruit,** tenderfoot; awkward squad [slang]; draft, levy.

.18 **veteran, vet** [informal], campaigner, old campaigner, old soldier, war-horse [informal].

.19 (military units) **unit, organization,** tactical unit, **outfit** [informal]; **army,** field army, army group, corps, **division,** wing, regiment, battle group, battalion, garrison, **company,** troop, brigade, legion, phalanx, cohort, **platoon,** section, **battery,** maniple, combat team, combat command; task force; **squad,** squadron; detachment, detail, posse; kitchen police, KP; column, flying column; rank, file; train, field train; cadre.

.20 **corps;** army corps, *corps d'armée* [Fr]; corps troops; air corps, armored corps, tank corps, engineer corps, corps of engineers, army service corps, drum corps, bugle corps, quartermaster corps, signal corps, corps of signals, medical corps, rifle corps, marine corps, staff corps, motor corps, adjutant general corps, judge advocate general corps, ordnance corps, chemical corps, transportation corps, dental corps, veterinary corps, army nurse corps, military police corps; corps of cadets.

.21 **arm, branch, service,** arm *or* branch of the service.

.22 **army,** this man's army [slang], **armed force, armed service,** fighting machine; **the military,** military establishment; **soldiery, forces, troops, host,** array, legions; ranks, rank and file; **standing army, regular army,** regulars, professional *or* career soldiers; the line, troops of the line; line of defense, first *or* second line of defense; ground forces, ground troops; storm troops; paratroops, ski troops; occupation force.

.23 **militia,** organized militia, national militia, mobile militia, territorial militia, reserve militia; home reserve; **National Guard,** Air National Guard, state guard; home guard; minutemen, trainband, yeomanry.

.24 **reserves,** auxiliaries, **second line of defense,** landwehr, army reserves, home reserves, territorial reserves, territorial *or* home defense army, supplementary reserves, organized reserves; US Army Reserve, US Naval Reserve, US Marine Corps Reserve, US Air Force Reserve, US Coast Guard Reserve.

.25 **volunteers,** volunteer army, volunteer militia, volunteer navy.

.26 **navy,** naval forces, **first line of defense; fleet,** flotilla, argosy, armada, squadron, escadrille, division, task force, task group; mosquito fleet; United States Navy, USN; Royal Navy, RN; marine, mercantile *or* merchant marine, merchant navy, merchant fleet; naval militia; naval reserve; coast guard; Seabees, Naval Construction Battalion.

.27 **marines,** sea soldiers, Marine Corps, Royal Marines; **leathernecks** *or* devil dogs *or* gyrenes [all slang], jollies [Brit informal].

.28 **air force,** air corps, air service, air arm; strategic air force, tactical air force; squadron, escadrille, flight, wing.

.29 **air force;** US Air Force, USAF; US Army Air Force, USAAF; Royal Air Force, RAF; Royal Canadian Air Force, RCAF; Royal Australian Air Force, RAAF; US National Air Service, USNAS; Naval Air Division, NAD, Navy Air, Fleet Air Arm; Army-Navy Air Corps, ANAC; Far East Air Force, FEAF; Air Command, Bomber Command, Coastal Command; Strategic Air Command, SAC, Air Transport Command, ATC; Air Transport Service, ATS; Military Air Transport Service, MATS; Naval Air Transport Service, NATS; Carrier Aircraft Service Unit, CASU; Airborne Reconnaissance Force, ARF.

.30 (women's services) Women Accepted for

Volunteer Emergency Service, WAVE, Waves; Women's Army Corps, WAC, Wacs; Women's Royal Army Corps, WRAC, Wracs; Women's Army Auxiliary Corps, WAAC, Waacs; Women's Royal Naval Corps, WREN, Wrens; Women's Air Force, WAF, Wafs; Women's Royal Air Force, WRAF, Wrafs; Women's Auxiliary Air Force, WAAF, Waafs; Women's Air Force Service Pilots, WASP, Wasps; Women's Reserve of the Marine Corps, WAM, Wams; Women's Auxiliary of the US Coast Guard, Spars; Army Nurse Corps, Navy Nurse Corps.

.31 **guards,** household troops; **yeomen of the guard, beefeaters,** Life Guards, Horse Guards, Foot Guards, Grenadier Guards, Coldstream Guards, Scots Guards, Irish Guards; Swiss Guards.

.32 **war-horse, charger,** courser, trooper.

801. ARMS

.1 NOUNS **arms, weapons,** deadly weapons, instruments of destruction; **weaponry, armament, munitions, ordnance,** munitions of war, *apparatus belli* [L]; musketry; missilery; small arms; side arms; stand of arms; conventional weapons, nonnuclear weapons; **nuclear weapons,** atomic weapons, thermonuclear weapons, A-weapons; biological weapons; weapons of mass destruction.

.2 **armory, arsenal,** magazine, dump; ammunition depot, ammo dump [informal]; park, gun park, artillery park, park of artillery; atomic arsenal, thermonuclear arsenal.

.3 **ballistics, gunnery,** musketry, artillery; rocketry, missilery; archery.

.4 **sword, blade,** good *or* trusty sword; steel, **cold steel;** Excalibur.

.5 **gun, firearm;** shooting iron *or* gat *or* rod *or* heater *or* piece [all slang]; shoulder weapon *or* gun *or* arm; **rifle,** musket, recoilless rifle; shotgun, smoothbore gun *or* weapon, sawed-off shotgun; **pistol,** handgun, automatic, repeater, **revolver,** six-shooter *or* six-gun [both informal], Saturday night special [informal]; flamethrower, flame projector; **blowgun,** blowpipe, sumpit *or* sumpitan; peashooter.

.6 **artillery, cannon, cannonry, ordnance,** engines of war; field artillery; heavy artillery, heavy field artillery; siege artillery, bombardment weapons, breakthrough weapons; siege engine; mountain artillery, coast artillery, trench artilléry, antiaircraft artillery, flak [slang]; battery.

.7 **antiaircraft gun,** AA gun, ack-ack [slang], pom-pom [informal], *Fliegerabwehrkanone* [Ger], skysweeper, Bofors, Oerlikon.

.8 **ammunition, ammo** [informal], **powder and shot,** iron rations [informal].

.9 **explosive,** high explosive; **powder,** nitro powder, smokeless powder; **gunpowder,** "villanous saltpetre" [Shakespeare]; **guncotton,** nitrocotton; cellulose nitrate, pyroxylin, **nitroglycerin,** melinite, cordite, gelignite, lyddite, Ballistite; **TNT,** trinitrotoluene, trinitrotoluol; **dynamite,** giant powder; plastic explosive.

.10 **charge, load;** blast; warhead, payload.

.11 **cartridge,** cartouche, **shell;** ball cartridge; blank cartridge, dry ammunition.

.12 **missile, projectile,** bolt; brickbat, stone, rock, Irish confetti [slang]; boomerang; bola; throwing-stick, throw stick, waddy [Austral]; countermissile; **rocket** 281.2–6, 14,15; **torpedo** 281.16.

.13 **shot,** bar shot, bird shot, buckshot, canister shot, cannon shot, case shot, chain shot, crossbar shot, duck shot, langrage *or* langrel shot, round shot, split shot, swan shot; grapeshot, grape; **ball,** cannonball, rifle ball, minié ball; **bullet,** slug, pellet; dumdum bullet, expanding bullet, explosive bullet, manstopping bullet, manstopper; tracer bullet, tracer; **shell,** high-explosive shell, **shrapnel.**

.14 **bomb,** bombshell; time bomb, infernal machine; **grenade,** hand grenade, rifle grenade, concussion grenade, smoke grenade, incendiary grenade, wall grenade, gas grenade, tear-gas grenade; petard, carcass; depth charge, depth bomb, ash can [slang]; aerial bomb, fire bomb, incendiary bomb, antipersonnel bomb.

.15 **atomic bomb, atom bomb, A-bomb,** fission bomb, nuclear explosive, atomic warhead, nuclear warhead, thermonuclear warhead; **hydrogen bomb, H-bomb,** fusion bomb, thermonuclear bomb, superbomb, hell bomb; cobalt bomb; **plutonium bomb;** clean bomb, dirty bomb; nuclear artillery, tactical nuclear weapons, low-yield *or* limited nuclear weapons, nukes [slang].

.16 **arrow, shaft, dart,** reed, **bolt,** tox(o)– *or* toxi–; quarrel; chested arrow, footed arrow, bobtailed arrow, cloth yard shaft; arrowhead, barb; flight, volley.

.17 **bow,** crossbow, longbow, carriage bow; **bow and arrow.**

.18 sling, slingshot; throwing-stick, throw stick, spear-thrower, atlatl, wommera; **catapult,** arbalest, ballista, trebuchet.

.19 launcher, projector, bazooka; rocket launcher 281.10.

.20 brass knuckles; knucks *or* brass knucks [both informal], knuckles, knuckle-dusters.

.21 knives

barong
bolo
bowie knife, bowie
edge tool 348.2,13
gravity knife
machete
parang
shiv [slang]
switchblade knife, switchblade
throwing knife *or* iron
trench knife
yataghan

.22 daggers

bayonet
dirk
dudgeon [archaic]
kris
kuttar
misericord
poniard, poignard
skean, skean dhu
stiletto

.23 spears

assegai
bill
gisarme
halberd
javelin
lance
partisan
pike
spontoon

.24 swords

backsword
bilbo
broadsword
claymore
cutlass
épée
falchion
foil
glaive [archaic]
rapier
saber
scimitar
smallsword
Toledo
tuck [archaic]

.25 axes

battle-ax
broadax
halberd
hatchet
Lochaber ax
poleax
tomahawk

.26 clubs

bastinado
bat
billy, billy club
blackjack
bludgeon
cane
clavi–
cosh [Brit slang]
cudgel
ferule
knobkerrie
knobstick
life preserver
loaded cane
mace
morning star
nightstick
paddle
quarterstaff
ram, battering ram
sandbag
shillelagh
spontoon
staff
stave
stick
truncheon
war club

.27 guns and launchers

air gun
air pistol
air rifle
antiaircraft gun, AA gun
antisubmarine mortar
antitank gun
antitank rifle
arquebus
atomic cannon
atomic gun, atom gun
automatic
automatic pistol
automatic rifle, auto-rifle
ball-turret gun
bazooka
BB gun
belly-gun
Big Bertha
blunderbuss
bolt-action rifle
bombard
breechloader
Bren gun, Bren
brown Bess
Browning automatic rifle, BAR
bulldog
burp gun [informal]
caliver
cane gun
cannon
carbine
carronade
chassepot
culverin
dart gun
derringer
escopeta
falconet
field gun, fieldpiece
firelock
flintlock
forty-five, .45
forty-four, .44
fowling piece
fusil
Garand rifle, Garand
Gatling gun
hackbut
handgun
harpoon gun
harquebus
hedgehog
horse pistol
howitzer
lever-action rifle
Lewis gun
Long Tom
machine gun
machine pistol
matchlock
M-14
mine thrower, *Minenwerfer* [Ger]
mitrailleuse [Fr]
M-1
mortar
mountain gun
M-16
musket
musketoon
muzzle-loader
needle gun
pedrero
petronel
pistol
pom-pom
popgun
pump gun
recoilless rifle
repeater
revolver
rifle
riot gun
rocket launcher
semiautomatic rifle, semiautomatic
shotgun
shoulder arm *or* gun *or* weapon
siege gun
six-gun, six-shooter [informal]
skysweeper
smoothbore
Sten gun, Sten
submachine gun
swivel, swivel gun
tear-gas gun
thirty-eight, .38
thirty-thirty, .30-30
thirty-two, .32
Thompson submachine gun, tommy gun [informal]
trench mortar
turret gun
twenty-two, .22
wind-gun [archaic]
Y-gun
zip gun

.28 gun makes

Armstrong
Benet-Mercie
Beretta
Bofors
Browning
Colt
Enfield
Flobert
Garand
Garling
Gatling
Hotchkiss
Krupp
Lancaster
Lee-Enfield
Lee-Metford
Lewis
Luger
Mannlicher
Marlin
Martini-Henry
Mauser
Maxim
Minié
Mossberg
Oerlikon
Paixhans
Parrott
Remington
Savage
Smith and Wesson
Snider
Spandau
Springfield
Stevens
Vickers
Vickers-Maxim
Webley-Scott

Westley Richards
Whitworth
Winchester

.29 **gun parts**

barrel
bolt
breech
butt
chamber
cock
cylinder
flintlock
gun carriage
gunflint
gunlock
gunstock
hair trigger
hammer
lock
magazine
muzzle
receiver
sear
sear pin
sight
stock
trigger

.30 **bombs**

aerial bomb
antipersonnel bomb
antisubmarine bomb
atomic bomb, A-bomb
azon bomb, azon
blockbuster
citybuster
concussion bomb
delayed-action bomb
demolition bomb
depth bomb, depth charge
dynamite bomb
fireball
fire bomb
fission bomb
fragmentation bomb
fusion bomb
gas bomb
hydrobomb
hydrogen bomb, H-bomb
incendiary, incendiary bomb
petard
pipe bomb
plutonium bomb
razon bomb
robot bomb
roc
rocket bomb 281.4
satchel charge
smoke bomb
stench bomb, stink bomb
tear-gas bomb
thermonuclear bomb
time bomb

.31 **mines**

aerial mine
antenna mine
antipersonnel mine
antitank mine
booby trap
buoyant mine
castrator mine
Claymore mine
floating mine
fougasse
ground mine
land mine
Leon mine
limpet mine
magnetic mine
oyster mine
pressure mine
set gun
sonic mine, acoustic mine
spring gun
submarine mine

802. ARENA

.1 NOUNS **arena, scene of action, site,** scene, setting, background, **field, ground,** terrain, sphere, place, locale, milieu, precinct, purlieu; course, range, walk [archaic]; campus; **theater,** stage, stage set *or* setting, scenery; **platform; forum,** agora, marketplace, open forum, public square; **amphitheater,** circus, **hippodrome, coliseum,** colosseum, **stadium, bowl; hall, auditorium;** gymnasium, gym [informal], palaestra; **lists,** tiltyard, tilting ground; floor, **pit,** cockpit; bear garden; **ring,** prize ring, boxing ring, canvas, squared circle [informal], wrestling ring, mat, bull ring; parade ground; athletic field 878.12.

.2 **battlefield, battleground,** battle site, **field,** combat area, **field of battle;** field of slaughter, field of blood *or* bloodshed, aceldama, killing ground, shambles; **the front,** front line, **line,** enemy line *or* lines, firing line, battle line, line of battle; combat zone; **theater, theater of operations,** theater *or* seat of war; communications zone, zone of communications; no-man's-land; demilitarized zone, DMZ; jump area, landing beach.

.3 campground, camp, encampment, bivouac, tented field.

803. PEACE

.1 NOUNS **peace,** *pax* [L]; **peacetime,** piping time of peace, the storm blown over; freedom from war, cessation of combat, exemption from hostilities, public tranquillity, "liberty in tranquillity" [Cicero]; **harmony,** accord 794.

.2 **peacefulness, tranquillity, serenity, calmness, quiet,** peace and quiet, quietude, quietness, quiet life, restfulness; order, orderliness, law and order.

.3 **peace of mind,** peace of heart, peace of soul *or* spirit, peace of God, "peace which passeth all understanding" [Bible].

.4 **peaceableness, unpugnaciousness,** uncontentiousness, nonaggression; irenicism, dovishness [informal], **pacifism,** pacificism; peaceful coexistence; **nonviolence.**

.5 **noncombatant,** nonbelligerent, nonresistant, nonresister; **civilian,** citizen.

.6 **pacifist,** pacificist, peacenik [informal], **peace lover, dove,** dove of peace [both informal]; pacificator, peacemaker, peacemonger; **conscientious objector,** conchie [slang].

.7 VERBS **keep the peace,** remain at peace, wage peace; refuse to shed blood, keep one's sword in its sheath; forswear violence, beat one's swords into plowshares; pursue the arts of peace.

.8 [Bible] "be at peace among yourselves", "follow after the things which make for peace", "follow peace with all men", "as much as lieth in you, live peaceably with all men", "seek peace, and pursue it", "have peace one with another", "be of one mind, live in peace".

.9 ADJS **pacific, peaceful, peaceable; tranquil, serene;** idyllic, pastoral; halcyon, soft, piping, **calm, quiet,** restful, **untroubled,** orderly, **at peace;** concordant 794.3; bloodless; peacetime.

.10 **unbelligerent, unhostile,** unbellicose, **unpugnacious, uncontentious,** unmilitant,

unmilitary, **nonaggressive,** noncombative, nonmilitant; noncombatant, civilian; **pacific, peaceable,** peace-loving, dovish [informal]; **pacifistic,** pacifist, irenic; **nonviolent;** conciliatory 804.12.

.11 INTERJS **peace!, peace be with you!,** peace be to you!, *pax vobiscum!, pax tecum!* [both L]; *shalom!, shalom aleichem!* [both Heb], *salaam aleikum!* [Arab]; "peace be to this house!", "peace be within thy walls, and prosperity within thy palaces", "let the peace of God rule in your hearts" [all Bible]; go in peace!, *vade in pace!* [L].

804. PACIFICATION

.1 NOUNS **pacification, peacemaking,** peacemongering, **conciliation, propitiation, placation, appeasement, mollification,** dulcification; **calming, soothing,** tranquilization 162.2; détente, relaxation of tension, easing of relations; mediation 805; placability; peace-keeping force, United Nations troops.

.2 **peace offer,** offer of parley, parley; peace feelers; **peace offering,** propitiatory gift; **olive branch; white flag,** truce flag, flag of truce; calumet, peace pipe, **pipe of peace;** downing of arms, hand of friendship, empty hands, outstretched hand.

.3 **reconciliation,** reconcilement, *rapprochement* [Fr], **reunion,** shaking of hands, making up *or* kissing and making up [both informal].

.4 **adjustment,** accommodation, resolution, composition of differences, compromise, arrangement, settlement, terms.

.5 **truce, armistice, peace;** pacification, treaty of peace, suspension of hostilities, **cease-fire,** stand-down, breathing spell, cooling-off period; Truce *or* Peace of God, Pax Dei, Pax Romana; temporary arrangement, *modus vivendi* [L]; hollow truce, *pax in bello* [L]; demilitarized zone, buffer zone, neutral territory.

.6 **disarmament,** reduction of armaments; **demilitarization,** deactivation, disbanding, disbandment, **demobilization,** mustering out, reconversion, decommissioning.

.7 VERBS **pacify, conciliate, placate, propitiate, appease, mollify,** dulcify; **calm, soothe,** tranquilize 163.7; smooth, smooth over, smooth down, smooth one's feathers; allay, lay, lay the dust; pour oil on troubled waters, pour balm on, take the edge off of, take the sting out of; cool [slang], defuse.

.8 **reconcile, bring to terms, bring together,** reunite, heal the breach; bring about a détente; **harmonize,** restore harmony, put in tune; adjust, settle, compose, accommodate, arrange matters, settle differences, resolve, compromise; **patch things up,** fix up [informal], patch up a friendship *or* quarrel, weave peace between, smooth it over; mediate 805.6.

.9 **make peace,** cease hostilities, raise a siege; **bury the hatchet, smoke the pipe of peace;** negotiate a peace, dictate peace; make a peace offering, hold out the olive branch, hoist *or* show *or* wave the white flag.

.10 **make up** *or* **kiss and make up** *or* make it up *or* make matters up [all informal], **shake hands,** come round, come together, come to an understanding, **come to terms,** let the wound heal, let bygones be bygones, forgive and forget, put it all behind one, settle *or* compose one's differences.

.11 **disarm, lay down one's arms,** down *or* ground one's arms, sheathe the sword, turn swords into plowshares; **demilitarize,** deactivate, **demobilize, disband,** reconvert, decommission.

.12 ADJS pacificatory, **pacific,** irenic, **conciliatory,** reconciliatory, **propitiatory,** propitiative, **placative,** placatory, **mollifying, appeasing; pacifying, soothing** 163.15.

.13 **pacifiable, placable, appeasable.**

805. MEDIATION

.1 NOUNS **mediation,** intermediation, **intercession; intervention,** interposition, putting oneself between, stepping in, declaring oneself in, involvement, interagency.

.2 **arbitration,** arbitrament, compulsory arbitration, binding arbitration; umpirage, refereeship, mediatorship.

.3 **mediator,** intermediator, intermediate agent, intermediate, intermedium, **intermediary,** interagent, internuncio; **medium; intercessor,** interceder; ombudsman; **intervener,** interventor, interventionist; **go-between, middleman** 781.4; connection [slang]; front *or* front man [both slang]; deputy, agent 781; **spokesman,** spokeswoman, **mouthpiece; negotiator,** negotiant, negotiatress *or* negotiatrix.

.4 **arbitrator,** arbiter, impartial arbitrator, third party, unbiased observer; **moderator; umpire, referee, judge;** magistrate 1002.1.

.5 **peacemaker,** make-peace, reconciler,

smoother-over; **pacifier,** pacificator; **conciliator,** propitiator, **appeaser;** marriage counselor, family counselor.

.6 VERBS **mediate,** intermediate, **intercede,** go between; **intervene,** interpose, step in, declare oneself a party, involve oneself, put oneself between disputants, use one's good offices, act between; represent 781.14; **negotiate,** bargain, **treat with,** make terms, meet halfway; **arbitrate,** moderate; **umpire, referee,** judge.

.7 **settle, arrange,** adjust, straighten out, bring to terms *or* an understanding; make peace 804.9.

.8 ADJS **mediatory,** mediatorial, mediative, mediating, going *or* coming between; intermediatory, intermediary, intermedial, intermediate, **middle,** intervening, mesne, interlocutory; interventional, arbitrational, arbitrative; **intercessory,** intercessional; pacificatory 804.12.

806. NEUTRALITY

.1 NOUNS **neutrality, neutralism,** strict neutrality; noncommitment, noninvolvement; **independence, nonpartisanism, nonalignment;** anythingarianism *or* nothingarianism [both informal]; mugwumpery, mugwumpism, fence-sitting; **evasion, cop-out** [slang], abstention; **impartiality** 976.4.

.2 **indifference,** indifferentness, Laodiceanism; passiveness 706.1; apathy 856.4.

.3 **middle course** *or* **way,** *via media* [L]; **middle ground,** neutral ground, center, **middle of the road, fence** [informal]; medium, **happy medium;** mean, **golden mean;** moderation, moderateness 163.1; compromise 807; halfway measures, half measures, half-and-half measures.

.4 **neutral,** neuter; **independent, nonpartisan;** mugwump, fence-sitter; anythingarian *or* nothingarian [both informal]; third force, third world.

.5 VERBS **remain neutral,** stand neuter, sit it out [informal], **keep in the middle of the road, sit on the fence** *or* **straddle** [both informal], trim; **evade,** evade the issue, duck the issue [informal], **cop out** [slang], abstain.

.6 **steer a middle course,** hold *or* keep *or* preserve a middle course, walk a middle path, follow the *via media,* strike *or* preserve a balance, **keep a happy medium,** keep the golden mean, avoid both Scylla and Charybdis; be moderate 163.5.

.7 ADJS **neutral,** neuter; noncommitted, uncommitted, noninvolved, uninvolved; **indifferent,** Laodicean; passive 706.6; apathetic 856.13; neither one thing nor the other, neither hot nor cold; even, half-and-half, fifty-fifty [informal]; **on the fence** [informal], **in the middle of the road,** centrist, moderate, midway; **independent, nonpartisan; nonaligned,** third-force, third-world; **impartial** 976.10.

807. COMPROMISE

(mutual concession)

.1 NOUNS **compromise,** composition, adjustment, accommodation, settlement, mutual concession, give-and-take; abatement of differences; bargain, deal [informal], arrangement, understanding; **concession,** giving way, yielding; surrender, desertion of principle, evasion of responsibility, cop-out [slang].

.2 VERBS **compromise,** make *or* reach a compromise, compound, compose, accommodate, adjust, settle, make an adjustment *or* arrangement, **make a deal** [informal], come to an understanding, strike a bargain; strike a balance, take the mean, **meet halfway,** split the difference, go fifty-fifty [informal], give and take; play politics; steer a middle course 806.6; **make concessions,** give way, yield; surrender, desert one's principles, evade responsibility, duck responsibility [informal], cop out [slang].

808. POSSESSION

.1 NOUNS **possession,** possessing, **owning,** having title to; seisin, nine points of the law, *de facto* possession, *de jure* possession, lawful *or* legal possession; property rights, proprietary rights; **title,** derivative title, original title; adverse possession, squatting, squatterism, squatter's right; claim, legal claim; usucapion, prescription; **occupancy,** occupation; **hold, holding, tenure; tenancy,** tenantry, **lease,** leasehold, sublease, underlease, undertenancy; gavelkind; villenage, villein socage, villeinhold; socage, free socage; burgage; frankalmoign, lay fee; tenure in chivalry, knight service; fee fief, fiefdom, feud, feodum; freehold, alodium; fee simple, fee tail, fee simple absolute, fee simple conditional, fee simple defeasible *or* fee simple determinable; fee position; dependency, colony, mandate; prepossession [archaic], preoccupation, preoccupancy; chose in possession, bird in hand; property 810.

.2 **ownership,** possessorship, *dominium* [L], **proprietorship,** proprietary; lordship, overlordship, seigniory; dominion, sovereignty 739.5; landownership, landowning, landholding, land tenure.

.3 **monopoly,** monopolization; **corner,** cornering, a corner on [all informal]; exclusive possession; engrossment, forestallment.

.4 VERBS **possess, have, hold,** have and hold, **occupy, fill, enjoy,** boast; be possessed of, have tenure of, have in hand, be seized of, have in one's grip *or* grasp, have in one's possession, be enfeoffed of; **command,** have at one's command *or* pleasure *or* disposition *or* disposal; claim, usucapt; squat, squat on, claim squatter's right.

.5 **own,** have for one's own *or* very own, have to one's name, call one's own, have title to, have the deed for, hold in fee simple.

.6 **monopolize,** hog [slang], take it all, have all to oneself, have exclusive possession of *or* exclusive rights to; engross, forestall, tie up; **corner** *or* get a corner on *or* corner the market [all informal].

.7 **belong to,** pertain to, appertain to; vest in.

.8 ADJS **possessed, owned,** held; –an *or* –ean *or* –ian; in seisin, in fee, in fee simple, free and clear; **own,** of one's own; **in one's possession, in hand,** in one's grip *or* grasp, at one's command *or* disposal; on hand, by one, in stock, in store.

.9 **possessing, having, holding,** having and holding, **occupying, owning; in possession of, possessed of,** seized of, master of; tenured; enfeoffed; endowed with, blessed with; worth; propertied, property-owning, landed, landowning, landholding; –ed *or* –'d.

.10 **possessive,** possessory, **proprietary.**

.11 **monopolistic,** monopoloid, monopolizing, hogging *or* hoggish [both slang].

809. POSSESSOR

.1 NOUNS **possessor, holder,** keeper, haver, enjoyer, –er; have [informal].

.2 **proprietor,** proprietary, **owner;** *rentier* [Fr]; titleholder, deedholder; proprietress, proprietrix; **master, mistress, lord,** laird [Scot]; **landlord, landlady;** lord of the manor, mesne lord, mesne, feudatory, feoffee; squire, country gentleman; householder; beneficiary, cestui, cestui que trust, cestui que use.

.3 **landowner,** landholder, property owner, propertied *or* landed person, man of property, freeholder; landed interests, landed gentry, slumlord, rent gouger; absentee landlord.

.4 **tenant, occupant,** occupier, incumbent, **resident; lodger,** roomer, paying guest; **renter,** hirer [Brit], **lessee,** leaseholder; subtenant, sublessee, underlessee, undertenant; tenant at sufferance, tenant at will; tenant from year to year, tenant for years, tenant for life; squatter; homesteader.

.5 **trustee,** fiduciary, holder of the legal estate; depository, depositary.

810. PROPERTY

.1 NOUNS **property, properties, possessions, holdings,** havings, goods, chattels, goods and chattels, **effects,** estate and effects, what one can call one's own, what one has to one's name; hereditament, corporeal hereditament, incorporeal hereditament; acquest.

.2 **belongings, appurtenances,** trappings, paraphernalia, appointments, accessories, perquisites, appendages, appanages, choses local; **things,** material things, mere things; choses, choses in possession, choses in action; personal effects, chattels personal, movables, choses transitory; one's all.

.3 **impedimenta,** luggage, dunnage, baggage, bag and baggage, traps, tackle, apparatus, gear, outfit, duffel.

.4 **estate, interest, equity, stake,** part, percentage; **right, title, claim,** holding; use, trust, benefit; absolute interest, vested interest, contingent interest, beneficial interest, equitable interest; easement, right of common, common, right of entry; limitation; settlement, strict settlement.

.5 (estates) particular estate, legal estate, equitable estate, paramount estate, vested estate, estate at sufferance, estate at will, estate in possession, estate for years, estate for life, estate pour autre vie; feudal estate, fee, feud, feod [archaic], feodum, fief, estate in fee; fee simple; fee tail, estate tail *or* in tail; copyhold; lease, leasehold; remainder; reversion; estate in expectancy.

.6 freehold, estate of freehold; alodium, alod; frankalmoign, lay fee, tenure in *or* by free alms; mortmain, dead hand.

.7 **real estate, realty,** real property, chattels real, tenements; *praedium* [L], landed property *or* estate, **land, lands,** property, grounds, acres; lot, lots, parcel, plot, plat,

quadrat; demesne, domain [archaic]; messuage, manor, honor, toft [Brit].

.8 **assets, means, resources;** stock, stock-in-trade; one's worth, what one is worth; circumstances, funds 835.14; wealth 837; **material assets,** tangible assets, tangibles; intangible assets, intangibles; current assets, deferred assets, fixed assets, frozen assets, liquid assets, quick assets, assets and liabilities, net assets, net worth; assessed valuation.

.9 ADJS **propertied,** proprietary; **landed.**

.10 real, praedial; manorial, seignioral, seigneurial; feudal, feudatory, feodal.

.11 freehold, leasehold, copyhold; alodial.

811. ACQUISITION

.1 NOUNS **acquisition,** gaining, getting, getting hold of [informal], coming by, **acquirement, obtainment,** obtention, **attainment,** securement, winning; trover; accession; addition 40; **procurement,** procural, procurance, procuration; **earnings,** making, pulling *or* dragging down [slang], moneymaking, moneygetting, moneygrubbing.

.2 **collection, gathering,** gleaning, bringing together, assembling, **accumulation,** cumulation, **amassment.**

.3 **gain, profit,** percentage [informal], get [Brit dial], **take,** take-in [informal], rake-off [slang]; **gains, profits, earnings, winnings, return, returns, proceeds,** gettings, makings; **income** 841.4; **receipts** 844; pickings, gleanings; pelf, lucre, filthy lucre; perquisite, perk *or* perks [both Brit]; cleanup *or* killing [both slang]; net *or* neat profit, clean *or* clear profit, net; gross profit, gross; paper profits; capital gains; interest, dividends; hoard, store 660; wealth 837.

.4 **profitableness, profitability,** gainfulness, remunerativeness, rewardingness.

.5 **yield, output,** make, production; **proceeds,** produce, product; **crop, harvest,** fruit, vintage, bearing; second crop, aftermath; bumper crop.

.6 **find,** finding, **discovery; trove,** *trouvaille* [Fr]; treasure trove, buried treasure; foundling; waifs, waifs and strays; **windfall,** windfall money, windfall profit, **bonus, gravy** [slang], bunce [Brit slang].

.7 **godsend, boon, blessing;** manna, manna from heaven, loaves and fishes.

.8 VERBS **acquire, get, gain, obtain, secure, procure; win,** score; **earn,** make, pull down *or* drag down [both slang]; **reap, harvest;** contract; take, catch, capture, corral [informal]; **net,** bag, sack; come *or* enter into possession, **come into, come by,** come in for, be seized of; draw, derive.

.9 **take possession, take up,** take over, get hold of [informal], get at, **lay hands on,** get one's fingers *or* hands on, make one's own; grab, glom on to [both slang], annex.

.10 **collect, gather, glean, pick, pluck,** cull, **take up,** pick up, get *or* gather in, gather to oneself, bring *or* get together, scrape together; amass, assemble, accumulate 660.11; **scrape up,** rake up, **dig up,** grub, grub up, round up, scare up [informal].

.11 **profit, make** *or* **draw** *or* **realize** *or* **reap profit, make money;** coin money, make a killing, clean up; gain by, **capitalize on,** commercialize, make capital out of, **cash in on** *or* make a good thing of [both informal], turn to profit *or* account, **realize on,** make money by, obtain a return, turn a penny *or* an honest penny; **gross, net; realize, clear.**

.12 **be profitable,** pay, repay, pay off [informal], yield a profit, be gainful, be worthwhile *or* worth one's while, be a good investment.

.13 ADJS **obtainable, attainable, available,** accessible, to be had.

.14 **acquisitive,** acquiring; grasping, grabby [slang]; greedy 634.27.

.15 **gainful,** productive, **profitable, remunerative, lucrative,** fat, **paying,** well-paying; advantageous, worthwhile; banausic, moneymaking, breadwinning.

.16 ADVS **profitably, gainfully,** remuneratively, lucratively, **at a profit,** in the black; for money; advantageously, to advantage, to profit, to the good.

812. LOSS

.1 NOUNS **loss, losing, privation, deprivation, bereavement,** taking away; stripping, dispossession, despoilment, spoliation, robbery; divestment, denudation; **sacrifice,** forfeit, **forfeiture,** denial, nonrestoration; expense, cost, debit; detriment, injury, damage; destruction, ruin, perdition, total loss, dead loss; losing streak [informal]; **loser** 727.5.

.2 **waste,** wastage, **exhaustion, depletion,** depreciation, dissipation, wearing, wearing away, erosion, ablation, using, using up, consumption, expenditure, impoverishment, drain, shrinkage, leakage, evaporation; decrement, decrease 39.

.3 **losses,** losings.

.4 VERBS **lose,** incur loss, **suffer loss,** undergo privation *or* deprivation, be bereaved of *or* bereft of, have no more, meet with a loss; drop, kiss good-bye [both slang]; let slip, let slip through one's fingers; **forfeit,** default; **sacrifice; miss,** wander from, go astray from; **mislay,** misplace; lose out.

.5 **waste, deplete, depreciate,** dissipate, wear, wear away, erode, ablate, consume, drain, **shrink,** dribble away; decrease 39.6; squander 854.3,4.

.6 **go to waste,** come to nothing, come to naught, go up in smoke *or* go down the drain [both informal]; run to waste, go to pot [informal], run *or* go to seed; dissipate, leak, leak away, scatter to the winds, "waste its sweetness on the desert air" [Thomas Gray].

.7 ADJS **lost, gone;** forfeited, forfeit; by the board, out the window; long-lost; lost to; wasted, consumed, depleted, dissipated, expended, worn away, eroded, ablated, used, used up, shrunken; squandered 854.9; irretrievable 889.15.

.8 **bereft, bereaved,** divested, denuded, **deprived of,** shorn of, parted from, bereaved of, stripped of, dispossessed of, despoiled of, robbed of; **out of,** minus [informal], wanting, lacking; cut off, cut off without a cent.

.9 ADVS **at a loss, unprofitably,** to the bad [informal]; in the red [slang]; out, out of pocket.

813. RETENTION

.1 NOUNS **retention,** retainment, **keeping, holding, maintenance, preservation;** prehension; keeping *or* holding in, **bottling up** *or* corking up [both informal], locking in, suppression, repression, inhibition, retentiveness, retentivity; **tenacity** 50.3.

.2 **hold, purchase, grasp, grip,** gripe, **clutch, clamp, clinch, clench;** seizure 822.2; bite, nip; **cling,** clinging; toehold, foothold, footing; **clasp, hug, embrace,** bear hug; grapple; firm hold, tight grip, iron grip, grip of steel, death grip.

.3 (wrestling holds) half nelson, full nelson, quarter nelson, three-quarter nelson, stranglehold, toehold, lock, hammerlock, headlock, scissors, bear hug.

.4 (prehensile organs) **clutches, claws, talons,** pounces, unguals, *ungues, ungulae* [both L], chel(i)–, onych(o)–, ungui–; **nails,** fingernails; **pincers,** nippers, chelae; **tentacles; fingers,** digits, hooks [slang]; **hands,** paws, meathooks, mitts [both slang]; palm, palmi–; prehensile tail; **jaws,** mandibles, maxillae; **teeth,** fangs.

.5 VERBS **retain, keep, save,** save up, **maintain, preserve;** keep *or* hold in, **bottle up** *or* cork up [both informal], lock in, suppress, repress, inhibit, keep to oneself; persist in; hold one's own, hold one's ground.

.6 **hold, grip,** gripe, **grasp, clutch,** clip, **clinch, clench;** bite, nip; grapple; **clasp, hug, embrace; cling, cling to,** cleave to, stick to, adhere to, freeze to; **hold on to,** hold fast *or* tight, hang on to, keep a firm hold upon; **hold on, hang on** [informal], hold on like a bulldog, stick like a leech, cling like a winkle, hang on for dear life; keep hold of, never let go.

.7 **hold, keep, harbor,** bear, have, have and hold, hold on to; **cherish,** fondle, entertain, treasure, treasure up; **foster, nurture, nurse;** embrace, hug, clip [Brit dial], cling to; bosom *or* embosom [both archaic], take to the bosom.

.8 ADJS **retentive,** keeping, holding, gripping, grasping; **tenacious,** clinging; vise-like.

.9 **prehensile,** raptorial; fingered, digitate *or* digitated, digital; clawed, taloned, jawed, toothed, dentate, fanged.

.10 **incommunicable,** noncommunicable, **unimpartable;** inalienable, indefeasible; noninfectious, noncontagious, not catching.

.11 ADVS **for keeps** [informal], to keep, **for good,** for good and all, for always; forever 112.12.

.12 **gripping instruments**

chuck	grip
clamp	holdfast
clasp	jaws
clinch	nippers
clip	paper clip
cramp	pincers
dog	pincette
forceps	pliers
grab	tie clip
grabhook	tongs
grapnel, grapple, grapler	tweezers
	vise
grappling iron *or* hook	wrench 348.20

814. RELINQUISHMENT

.1 NOUNS **relinquishment, release,** giving up, letting go, dispensation; **disposal,** disposition, riddance, getting rid of, dumping 668.3; **renunciation,** forgoing, forswearing, swearing off, resignation, abjuration, **abandonment** 633; recantation, retraction 628.3; **surrender,** cession, yielding; sacrifice.

.2 **waiver, quitclaim,** deed of release.

.3 VERBS **relinquish, give up,** render up, **surrender, yield,** cede; spare; resign, vacate; drop, **waive,** dispense with; **forgo,** do without, get along without, forswear, abjure, **renounce,** swear off, **abandon** 633.5–7; recant, retract 628.9; disgorge, throw up; have done with, wash one's hands of; **part with,** give away, dispose of, rid oneself of, get rid of, dump 668.7; kiss goodbye [slang]; **sacrifice,** make a sacrifice; quitclaim.

.4 **release, let go,** leave go [dial], **let loose of,** unhand, unclutch, unclasp, relax one's grip *or* hold.

.5 ADJS **relinquished,** released, disposed of; waived, dispensed with; forgone, forsworn, renounced, abjured, **abandoned** 633.8; recanted, retracted; **surrendered,** ceded, yielded; sacrificed.

815. PARTICIPATION

.1 NOUNS **participation, partaking, sharing,** having a part *or* share *or* voice, contribution, association; involvement, engagement; complicity; **voting** 744.18, **suffrage** 744.17; partnership, copartnership, copartnery, joint control, cochairmanship, joint chairmanship; joint tenancy, cotenancy; joint ownership, condominium.

.2 **communion,** community, communal effort *or* enterprise, **cooperation,** cooperative society; **collectivity,** collectivism, collective enterprise, collective farm, kibbutz, kolkhoz; **democracy,** participatory democracy, town meeting; collegiality; common ownership, public ownership, state ownership, communism, socialism 745.5,6; profit sharing; sharecropping.

.3 **communization,** communalization, **socialization, nationalization, collectivization.**

.4 **participator, participant, partaker, sharer;** party, **a party to,** accomplice, accessory; partner, copartner; cotenant; shareholder.

.5 VERBS **participate, partake, contribute,** chip in, involve *or* engage oneself; **have a hand in,** have a finger in, have a finger in the pie, have to do with, have a part in, be an accessory to, be implicated in, be a party to; **participate in,** partake of *or* in, **take part in,** take an active part in, **join, join in,** make oneself part of, join oneself to, associate oneself with, play *or* perform a part in, get in the act [slang]; **have a voice in,** help decide, be in on the decisions, vote, have suffrage, be enfranchised; **enter into,** go into; make the scene [slang]; sit in, sit in on; bear a hand, pull an oar.

.6 **share, share in,** come in for a share, **go shares,** be partners in, have a stake in, have a percentage *or* piece of [informal], **divide with, divvy up with** [slang], halve, go halves; go halvers *or* **go fifty-fifty** *or* go even stephen [all informal], split the difference, **share and share alike;** do one's share *or* part, pull one's weight; cooperate 786.3; apportion 816.6.

.7 **communize,** communalize, **socialize, collectivize, nationalize.**

.8 ADJS **participating, participative,** participant, participatory; involved, engaged; implicated, accessory; **partaking, sharing.**

.9 **communal, common,** general, public, collective, popular, social, societal; **mutual,** commutual [archaic], reciprocal, associated, **joint,** conjoint, **in common,** share and share alike; **cooperative** 786.5; profit-sharing; collectivistic, **communistic,** socialistic 745.21,22.

816. APPORTIONMENT

.1 NOUNS **apportionment, portioning, division,** divvy [slang], **partition,** repartition, partitionment, partitioning, parceling, budgeting, rationing, **dividing, sharing,** sharing out, splitting, cutting, slicing, cutting the pie [informal], divvying up [slang].

.2 **distribution,** dispersion, **disposal,** disposition; dole, doling, doling out, giving out, passing around; **dispensation,** administration, issuance; disbursal, disbursement, paying out.

.3 **allotment, assignment, appointment,** setting aside, **earmarking,** tagging; appropriation; **allocation.**

.4 **dedication, commitment, devotion, consecration,** hallowing, ordainment, ordination.

.5 **portion, share, interest, part,** stake, stock, **piece,** bit, segment, –ile; **bite** *or* **cut** *or* **slice** *or* **chunk** [all informal], a piece of the action [informal], **lot, allotment, end** [informal], **proportion, percentage,** measure, quantum, **quota,** deal *or* dole [both archaic], meed, moiety, mess, helping; contingent; dividend; **commission,** rake-off [slang]; equal share, half, halver [informal]; **lion's share,** bigger half, big end [slang]; small share, modicum; **allowance, ration, budget; fate,** destiny 640.2.

.6 VERBS **apportion, portion, parcel, partition, part, divide,** share; share with, share and share alike, divide with, go halvers *or*

fifty-fifty *or* even stephen with [informal]; divide into shares, **share out** *or* **around,** divide up, divvy up [slang], **split,** split up, carve, cut, slice, carve up, slice up, cut up, cut *or* slice the pie *or* melon [informal].

.7 **proportion,** proportionate, prorate, divide *pro rata.*

.8 **parcel out, portion out,** measure out, spoon out, **deal out, dole out, mete out,** ration out, give out, pass around; mete, dole, deal; **distribute,** disperse; **dispense,** dispose [archaic], issue, administer; disburse, pay out.

.9 **allot,** lot, **assign, appoint, set,** detail; **allocate,** make assignments *or* allocations, schedule; **set apart** *or* **aside, earmark,** tag, mark out for; set off, mark off, portion off; assign to, appropriate to *or* for; reserve, restrict to, restrict 234.5; **ordain, destine, fate.**

.10 **budget, ration;** allowance, put on an allowance.

.11 **dedicate, commit, devote, consecrate,** set apart.

.12 ADJS **apportioned,** portioned out, parceled, allocated, etc.; **apportionable,** divisible, distributable, dispensable, severable.

.13 **proportionate,** proportional; prorated, *pro rata* [L]; half; halvers *or* fifty-fifty *or* even stephen [all informal], half-and-half, equal; **distributive,** distributional; **respective,** particular, per head, per capita, several.

.14 ADVS **proportionately, in proportion,** *pro rata* [L]; **distributively; respectively,** severally, each to each; share and share alike, in equal shares, half-and-half; fifty-fifty *or* even stephen [both informal].

817. TRANSFER OF PROPERTY OR RIGHT

.1 NOUNS **transfer,** transference; **conveyance,** conveyancing; **giving** 818; **delivery,** deliverance; **assignment,** assignation; **consignment,** consignation; conferment, conferral, settling, settlement; vesting; bequeathal 818.10; **sale** 829; surrender, cession; transmission, transmittal; disposal, disposition; demise; alienation, abalienation; amortization, amortizement; enfeoffment; deeding; bargain and sale; lease and release; **exchange,** barter, trading.

.2 devolution, succession, reversion; shifting use, shifting trust.

.3 VERBS **transfer, convey, deliver,** hand, pass, negotiate; **give** 818.12–21; **hand over, turn over, pass over; assign, consign,** confer, settle, settle on; cede, surrender; bequeath 818.18; **sell** 829.8–12; **make over, sign over,** sign away; transmit, **hand down, hand on, pass on,** devolve upon; demise; alienate, alien, abalienate, amortize; enfeoff; **deed,** deed over, give title to; **exchange,** barter, trade.

.4 **change hands,** change ownership; devolve, pass on, descend, succeed [archaic].

.5 ADJS **transferable, conveyable,** negotiable, alienable; **assignable,** consignable; devisable, bequeathable; heritable, inheritable.

818. GIVING

.1 NOUNS **giving, donation, bestowal,** bestowment; **endowment,** gifting [informal], **presentation,** presentment; **award,** awarding; grant, granting; accordance, vouchsafement [archaic]; conferment, conferral; investiture; **delivery,** deliverance, surrender; **concession,** communication, impartation, impartment; **contribution,** subscription; accommodation, supplying, furnishment, provision 659; **offer** 773; **liberality** 853.

.2 **commitment, consignment,** assignment, **delegation,** relegation, commendation, remanding, **entrustment;** enfeoffment, infeudation *or* infeodation.

.3 **charity,** almsgiving; **philanthropy** 938.4.

.4 **gift, present,** presentation, *cadeau* [Fr], **offering,** fairing [Brit]; tribute, **award;** oblation 1032.7; handsel; box [Brit]; Christmas present *or* gift, birthday present *or* gift; peace offering; white elephant [informal].

.5 **gratuity, largess, bounty,** liberality, donative, sportula; perquisite, perks [Brit informal]; consideration, fee [archaic], **tip,** *pourboire* [Fr], *Trinkgeld* [Ger], sweetener, inducement; grease *or* salve *or* palm oil [all slang]; **premium, bonus,** something extra, **gravy** [slang], bunce [Brit slang], lagniappe; honorarium; incentive pay, time and a half, double time; bribe 651.2.

.6 **donation,** donative; **contribution, subscription; alms,** pittance, **charity, dole, handout** [slang], alms fee, widow's mite; Peter's pence; **offering,** offertory, votive offering, collection; tithe.

.7 **benefit,** benefaction, benevolence, **blessing, favor, boon,** grace; manna.

.8 **subsidy,** subvention, subsidization, support, price support, depletion allowance,

tax benefit *or* write-off; **grant,** grant-in-aid, bounty; **allowance, stipend,** allotment; **aid,** assistance, financial assistance; **help,** pecuniary aid; scholarship, fellowship; **welfare,** public welfare, public assistance, relief, relief *or* welfare payments, welfare aid, dole, aid to dependent children; guaranteed annual income; alimony; annuity; pension, old-age insurance, retirement benefits.

.9 **endowment,** investment, **settlement,** foundation; **dowry,** *dot* [Fr], portion, marriage portion; **dower,** widow's dower; jointure, legal jointure, thirds; appanage.

.10 **bequest,** bequeathal, **legacy,** devise; inheritance 819.2; **will, testament,** last will and testament; probate, attested copy; codicil.

.11 **giver, donor,** donator, gifter [informal], presenter, bestower, conferrer, grantor, awarder, imparter, vouchsafer; fairy godmother, lady bountiful, Santa Claus, sugar daddy [informal]; cheerful giver; **contributor, subscriber,** supporter, backer, financer, funder, angel [informal]; patron, patroness, Maecenas; almsgiver, almoner; **philanthropist** 938.8; assignor, consignor; settler; testate, testator, testatrix; feoffor.

.12 VERBS **give, present, donate,** slip [slang], let have; **bestow, confer, award, allot, render,** bestow on; impart, communicate; **grant,** accord, **allow,** vouchsafe, yield, afford; **tender,** proffer, offer, extend, issue, dispense, administer; serve, help to; deal, dole, mete; **give out, deal out, dole out, mete out, hand out** *or* dish out [both informal], fork out *or* shell out [both slang]; make a present of, gift *or* gift with [both informal], give as a gift; be generous *or* liberal with, give freely; pour, shower, rain, snow, heap, lavish 854.3.

.13 **deliver, hand, pass,** reach, forward, render, put into the hands of; transfer 271.9; **hand over,** give over, deliver over, fork over [slang], **pass over, turn over,** come across with [informal]; hand out, give out, pass out, distribute, circulate; hand in, give in; **surrender,** resign.

.14 **contribute, subscribe, chip in** [informal], kick in [slang], give one's share *or* fair share; put oneself down for, pledge; contribute to, give to, **donate to,** gift *or* gift with [both informal]; put something in the pot, sweeten the kitty.

.15 **furnish, supply, provide, afford,** provide for; **accommodate with,** favor with, indulge with; **heap upon,** pour on, shower down upon, **lavish upon.**

.16 **commit, consign, assign, delegate,** relegate, confide, commend, remit, remand, give in charge; **entrust,** trust, give in trust; enfeoff, infeudate.

.17 **endow,** invest, vest; endow with, favor with, bless with, grace with, vest with; **settle on** *or* **upon; dower.**

.18 **bequeath, will,** will and bequeath, **leave, devise, will to,** hand down, hand on, pass on, transmit; **make a will,** draw up a will, execute a will, make a bequest, write one's last will and testament, write into one's will; add a codicil; entail.

.19 **subsidize, finance,** fund; **aid, assist, support, help,** pay the bills, pick up the check *or* tab [informal]; pension, pension off.

.20 **thrust upon, force upon, press upon,** push upon, obtrude on, ram *or* cram down one's throat.

.21 **give away,** dispose of, part with, sacrifice, spare.

.22 ADJS philanthropic, eleemosynary, **charitable** 938.15; **generous** 853.4.

.23 **giveable,** presentable, bestowable; impartable, communicable; bequeathable, devisable; allowable.

.24 **given,** allowed, accorded, granted, vouchsafed, bestowed, etc.; gratuitous 850.5; God-given, providential.

.25 donative, contributory; concessive; testate, testamentary; intestate.

.26 **endowed,** dowered, invested; dower, dowry, dotal; subsidiary, stipendiary, pensionary.

.27 ADVS as a gift, gratis, on one, on the house, free; to his heirs, to the heirs of his body, to his heirs and assigns, to his executors *or* administrators and assigns.

819. RECEIVING

.1 NOUNS **receiving,** receival, **receipt, getting, taking; acquisition** 811; derivation; **assumption, acceptance;** admission, admittance; **reception** 306.

.2 **inheritance,** heritance [archaic], **heritage, patrimony, birthright, legacy, bequest,** bequeathal; reversion; entail; heirship; **succession,** line of succession, mode of succession, law of succession; primogeniture, ultimogeniture, postremogeniture, borough-English, coheirship, coparcenary, gavelkind; hereditament, corporeal *or* incorporeal hereditament; **heritable; heirloom.**

.3 **recipient, receiver,** accepter, getter, taker,

acquirer, obtainer, procurer; payee, endorsee; addressee, consignee; holder, trustee; **hearer,** viewer, beholder, audience, auditor, listener, looker, spectator; –ee.

.4 **beneficiary,** allottee, **donee, grantee,** patentee; **assignee, assign; devisee, legatee,** legatary [archaic]; feoffee; almsman, almswoman; stipendiary; pensioner, pensionary; annuitant; –ee.

.5 **heir,** heritor, inheritor, *heres* [L]; **heiress,** inheritress, inheritrix; coheir, joint heir, fellow heir, coparcener; heir portioner [Scot]; heir expectant; **heir apparent,** apparent heir; **heir presumptive,** presumptive heir; statutory next of kin; legal heir, heir at law, heir general, heir of line *or* heir whatsoever [both Scot]; heir of inventory *or* beneficiary heir [both Scot]; heir of provision [Scot], heir by destination; heir of the body; heir in tail, heir of entail; fideicommissary heir, fiduciary heir; reversioner; remainderman; **successor,** next in line.

.6 VERBS **receive, get, gain, secure,** have, come by, be in receipt of; **obtain, acquire** 811.8–10; **admit, accept, take,** take off one's hands, **take in** 306.10; assume, take on, take over; **derive, draw,** draw *or* derive from; have an income of, drag down *or* pull down [both slang]; have coming in, have in prospect, come in for.

.7 **inherit,** heir [dial], **come into,** come in for, come by, step into a fortune; step into the shoes of, succeed to.

.8 **be received, come in,** come to hand, pass *or* fall into one's hands, go into one's pocket, come *or* fall to one, fall to one's share *or* lot; **accrue,** accrue to.

.9 ADJS **receiving,** on the receiving end; **receptive,** recipient 306.16.

.10 **received, accepted, admitted, recognized, approved.**

820. LENDING

.1 NOUNS **lending, loaning;** moneylending, lending at interest; advance, advancing, advancement; **usury,** loan-sharking *or* shylocking [both slang]; lend-lease.

.2 **loan,** lend [dial], **advance,** accommodation; secured loan, collateral loan; unsecured loan; call loan, call money, demand loan; time loan, time money; term loan, long-term loan, short-term loan; installment loan; clearance loan, day loan, morning loan; selfliquidating loan; bank loan, Wall Street loan; policy loan; foreign loan, external loan.

.3 **lender, loaner;** loan officer; **moneylender,** moneymonger; money broker; banker 836.10; **usurer,** Shylock, loan shark [informal]; **pawnbroker;** mortgagee, mortgage holder.

.4 **lending institution,** savings and loan association, finance company *or* corporation, loan office, mortgage company; **bank** 836.13; **credit union; pawnshop, pawnbroker,** pawnbrokery, **hock shop** [informal], *mont-de-piété* [Fr], sign of the three balls.

.5 VERBS **lend, loan, advance,** accommodate with; loan-shark [slang]; float *or* negotiate a loan; lend-lease, lease-lend.

.6 ADJS **loaned, lent.**

.7 ADVS **on loan,** on security; in advance.

821. BORROWING

.1 NOUNS **borrowing,** money-raising; touching *or* hitting *or* hitting-up [all slang]; **pawning,** pledging, hocking [slang]; financing, mortgaging; installment buying, installment plan, hire purchase [Brit]; debt, debtor 840.4.

.2 **adoption, appropriation, taking,** deriving, **derivation, assumption; imitation,** simulation, copying, mocking; borrowed plumes; plagiarism, plagiary, pastiche, pasticcio; infringement, pirating.

.3 VERBS **borrow,** borrow the loan of, get on credit *or* trust, get on tick *or* get on the cuff [both informal]; get a loan, float *or* negotiate a loan, go into the money market, **raise money; touch** *or* **hit up** *or* hit one for [all slang]; run into debt 840.6; pawn 772.10.

.4 **adopt, appropriate,** take, take on, take over, assume, make use of, derive from; **imitate,** simulate, copy, mock, steal one's stuff [slang]; plagiarize, steal; pirate, infringe.

822. TAKING

.1 NOUNS **taking,** possession, taking possession, taking away; **claiming,** staking one's claim; **acquisition** 811; **reception** 819.1; **theft** 824.

.2 **seizure, grab,** grabbing, snatching, snatch, –lepsy; **kidnapping, abduction,** forcible seizure; power grab, coup, *coup d'état* [Fr], seizure of power; hold 813.2; **catch,** catching; **capture,** collaring [informal], nabbing [slang]; **apprehension,** prehension; **arrest,** arrestation, taking into custody; picking up *or* taking in *or* running in [all informal]; dragnet.

.3 **sexual possession,** taking; sexual assault,

ravishment, **rape,** violation; defloration, deflowerment, devirgination.

.4 **appropriation, taking over, takeover** [informal], **adoption, assumption, usurpation,** arrogation; requisition, indent [Brit]; preoccupation, prepossession, preemption; **conquest,** occupation, subjugation, enslavement, colonization.

.5 (seizure and appropriation) **attachment, annexation,** annexure [Brit]; **confiscation,** sequestration; impoundment; **commandeering, impressment;** expropriation, nationalization, socialization, communalization, communization, collectivization; levy; distraint, distress; garnishment; execution; eminent domain, angary, right of eminent domain, right of angary.

.6 **deprivation,** deprivement, **privation, divestment, bereavement;** relieving, disburdening, disburdenment; curtailment, abridgment [archaic]; disentitlement.

.7 **dispossession,** disseisin, expropriation; reclaiming, repossessing, **repossession,** foreclosure; **eviction** 310.2; disendowment; **disinheritance,** disherison, disownment.

.8 **extortion, shakedown** [informal], **blackmail,** bloodsucking, vampirism; protection racket; badger game.

.9 **rapacity,** rapaciousness, ravenousness, sharkishness, wolfishness, **predaciousness,** predacity; pillaging, looting 824.5.

.10 **take, catch, bag,** capture, seizure, **haul;** booty 824.11.

.11 **taker;** partaker; **catcher, captor,** capturer.

.12 **extortionist,** extortioner, **blackmailer,** racketeer, shakedown artist [informal], **bloodsucker,** leech, **vampire;** raptor, predator, harpy, **vulture,** shark; profiteer; rackrenter.

.13 VERBS **take,** possess, take possession; **get,** get into one's hold *or* possession; pocket, palm; draw off, drain off; **claim,** stake one's claim, enforce one's claim; partake; **acquire** 811.8–11; **receive** 819.6; **steal** 824.13–19.

.14 **seize,** take *or* get hold of, **lay hold of,** catch *or* grab hold of, glom on to [slang], **lay hands on,** lay one's hands on, clap hands on [informal], get into one's grasp *or* clutches; get one's fingers *or* hands on, get between one's finger and thumb; **grab, grasp, grip,** gripe [archaic], **grapple, snatch,** nip, nail [slang], **clutch,** claw, clinch, clench; **clasp, hug, embrace;** snap up, nip up, whip up, catch up; pillage, loot 824.16; take by assault *or* storm; **kidnap, abduct,** carry off; shanghai; take by the throat, throttle.

.15 **possess sexually,** take; **rape,** ravish, violate, assault sexually, lay violent hands on; deflower, deflorate, devirginate.

.16 **seize on** *or* **upon,** fasten upon; spring *or* pounce upon, jump [informal], swoop down upon; **catch at, snatch at,** snap at, jump at, make a grab for, scramble for.

.17 **catch, take,** land *or* nail [both informal], hook, **snag, snare,** sniggle, spear, harpoon; ensnare, enmesh, entangle, tangle, foul, tangle up with; **net,** mesh; **bag,** sack; **trap,** entrap; lasso, rope, noose.

.18 **capture, apprehend, collar** [informal], **nab** [slang], grab [informal], lay by the heels, take prisoner; **arrest,** place *or* put under arrest, take into custody; pick up *or* take in *or* run in [all informal].

.19 **appropriate, adopt, assume, usurp,** arrogate, accroach; requisition, indent [Brit]; **take possession of,** possess oneself of, take for oneself, arrogate to oneself, take up, **take over, help oneself to,** make use of, make one's own, make free with, dip one's hands into; take it all, take all of, hog, monopolize, sit on; preoccupy, prepossess, preempt; jump a claim; **conquer,** overrun, occupy, subjugate, enslave, colonize; squat on.

.20 (seize and appropriate) **attach, annex; confiscate,** sequester, sequestrate, impound; **commandeer,** press, **impress;** expropriate, nationalize, socialize, communalize, communize, collectivize; exercise the right of eminent domain, exercise the right of angary; levy, distrain, replevy, replevin; garnishee, garnish.

.21 **take from,** take away from, **deprive of,** relieve one of, disburden one of, lighten one of, ease one of; **deprive, bereave, divest;** tap, milk, mine, drain, bleed, curtail, abridge [archaic]; cut off; disentitle.

.22 **wrest,** wring, wrench, **rend,** rip; **extort, exact,** squeeze, screw, **shake down** [informal], **blackmail,** levy blackmail, badger *or* play the badger game [both slang]; **force from, wrest from, wrench from, wring from, tear from, rip from, rend from,** snatch from, pry loose from.

.23 **dispossess,** disseise, expropriate, foreclose; **evict** 310.15; disendow; **disinherit,** disherison, **disown,** cut out of one's will, **cut off,** cut off with a shilling, cut off without a cent.

.24 **strip,** strip bare *or* clean, **fleece** [informal], **shear,** denude, skin *or* pluck [both slang], flay, **despoil, divest,** pick clean, pick the bones of; deplume, displume; **milk; bleed, bleed white;** exhaust, drain,

dry, suck dry; **impoverish,** eat out of house and home.

.25 ADJS **taking, catching;** privative, deprivative; confiscatory, annexational, expropriatory; **thievish** 824.20,21.

.26 **rapacious, ravenous,** ravening, vulturous, vulturine, sharkish, **wolfish,** lupine, predacious, **predatory,** raptorial; vampirish, **bloodsucking,** parasitic; **extortionate; grasping,** grabby [slang]; all-devouring, all-engulfing.

823. RESTITUTION

.1 NOUNS **restitution, restoration,** restoring, giving back, sending back, **return;** reddition [archaic]; extradition, rendition; repatriation; recommitment, remandment, remand; remitter.

.2 **reparation, recompense,** paying back, squaring [informal], repayment, reimbursement, refund, **compensation, indemnification,** retribution, **atonement,** redress, satisfaction, **amends,** making good, **requital.**

.3 **recovery,** regainment; **retrieval,** retrieve; **recuperation,** recoup, recoupment; **retake,** retaking, recapture; **repossession,** resumption, reoccupation; **reclamation,** reclaiming, revindication; **redemption,** ransom, salvage, trover; replevin, replevy; revival, restoration 694.

.4 VERBS **restore, return, give back,** take back, bring back, put back; remit, send back; repatriate; extradite; recommit, remand.

.5 **make restitution,** make reparation, **make amends,** make good, make up for, atone, give satisfaction, redress, **recompense,** pay back, square [informal], repay, reimburse, refund, **compensate, requite,** indemnify, make it up to; pay damages, pay reparations; pay conscience money.

.6 **recover, regain, retrieve,** recuperate, **recoup, get back,** come by one's own; **redeem,** ransom; **reclaim,** revindicate; **repossess,** resume, reoccupy; **retake,** recapture, take back; replevin, replevy; revive, renovate, restore 694.11–18.

.7 ADJS **restitutive,** restitutory, **restorative;** compensatory, indemnificatory, retributive, reparative; reversionary, reversional, revertible; redeeming, redemptive, redemptional.

.8 ADVS **in restitution,** in reparation, in recompense, in compensation, in retribution, in requital, in amends, in atonement, to atone for.

824. THEFT

.1 NOUNS **theft, thievery,** stealage, **stealing,** thieving, **purloining,** klept(o)–; swiping *or* lifting *or* snatching *or* snitching *or* pinching [all slang]; conveyance [archaic], **appropriation,** conversion, liberation [slang], annexation [informal]; **pilfering,** pilferage, **filching,** scrounging [informal], moonlight requisition [informal]; abstraction; sneak thievery; shoplifting, boosting [slang]; poaching; **graft; embezzlement** 667.1; **fraud, swindle** 618.8.

.2 **larceny,** petit *or* petty larceny, petty theft, grand larceny, grand theft, simple larceny, mixed *or* aggravated larceny.

.3 **robbery,** robbing; bank robbery; banditry, **highway robbery;** armed robbery, **holdup,** heist *or* stickup [both slang], holdup *or* stickup job [slang]; assault and robbery, **mugging** [slang]; purse snatching; **pocket picking; hijacking** [informal]; asportation; cattle stealing, **cattle rustling** *or* cattle lifting [both informal]; **extortion** 822.8.

.4 **burglary,** burglarizing, housebreaking, **breaking and entering,** break and entry, break-in, unlawful entry; second-story work [slang]; safebreaking, **safecracking** *or* safeblowing [both informal].

.5 **plundering, pillaging, looting, sacking,** freebooting, ransacking, rifling, spoiling, **despoliation,** despoilment, despoiling; rapine, spoliation, depredation, direption [archaic], **raiding,** reiving [Scot], ravage, ravaging, ravagement, rape, ravishment; **pillage, plunder,** sack; brigandage, brigandism, banditry; **marauding,** foraging; raid, foray, razzia.

.6 **piracy, buccaneering, privateering, freebooting;** letters of marque, letters of marque and reprisal; air piracy, airplane hijacking, skyjacking.

.7 **plagiarism,** plagiarizing, plagiary, **piracy,** literary piracy, appropriation, borrowing, cribbing; infringement of copyright; autoplagiarism.

.8 **abduction, kidnapping; shanghaiing,** impressment, crimping.

.9 **grave-robbing,** body-snatching [informal], resurrectionism.

.10 **theft, steal,** grab, filch, pinch *or* lift [both slang]; rip-off [slang]; **heist** *or* **job** *or* caper [all slang]; robbery, burglary, etc.

.11 **booty,** spoil, **spoils, loot, swag** [slang], ill-gotten gains, **plunder,** prize, haul, take, pickings, stealings, stolen goods, hot goods *or* items [slang]; **boodle** *or* squeeze *or* **graft** [all informal]; perquisite, perks

[Brit informal], pork barrel, spoils of office, public trough; till, public till; blackmail.

.12 **thievishness,** larcenousness, taking ways [slang], light fingers, sticky fingers; kleptomania, bibliokleptomania.

.13 VERBS **steal, thieve, purloin, appropriate,** annex *or* borrow [both informal], **take,** snatch, palm, bag [informal], **make off with,** walk off with, run off *or* away with, abstract, disregard the distinction between *meum* and *tuum;* **lift** *or* hook *or* crib *or* **cop** *or* **pinch** *or* nip *or* snitch *or* snare [all slang], have one's hand in the till; **pilfer, swipe** [slang], **filch,** scrounge [informal]; shoplift, boost [slang]; poach; rustle; **embezzle** 667.4; defraud, swindle 618.17; **extort** 822.22.

.14 **rob,** commit robbery; pick one's pockets; hold up, stick up [informal]; mug [slang]; hijack [informal]; heist *or* knock over [both slang], rip off [slang].

.15 **burglarize,** burgle [informal], commit burglary, crack a crib [slang]; crack *or* blow a safe [informal].

.16 **plunder, pillage, loot, sack,** ransack, rifle, freeboot, spoil, spoliate, despoil, depredate, prey on *or* upon, **raid,** reive [Scot], ravage, ravish, raven, sweep, gut; **fleece** 822.24; maraud, foray, forage.

.17 **pirate,** buccaneer, privateer, freeboot.

.18 **plagiarize, pirate,** borrow *or* crib [both informal], appropriate; **pick one's brains;** infringe a copyright.

.19 **abduct,** abduce, spirit away, **carry off** *or* **away,** run off *or* away with; **kidnap,** snatch [slang], hold for ransom; skyjack; **shanghai,** crimp, impress.

.20 ADJS **thievish, thieving, larcenous, light-fingered, sticky-fingered;** kleptomaniac(al), burglarious; brigandish, piratic(al), piratelike; fraudulent 618.20.

.21 **plunderous, plundering, looting,** pillaging, ravaging, marauding, spoliatory; predatory, predacious.

.22 **stolen,** pilfered, purloined; pirated, plagiarized; hot [informal].

825. THIEF

.1 NOUNS **thief, robber,** stealer, purloiner, lifter [slang], *ganef* [Yid], **crook** [informal]; larcenist, larcener; **pilferer, filcher,** petty thief, chicken thief, scrounger [slang]; sneak thief, prowler; shoplifter, booster [slang]; poacher; **grafter,** petty grafter; jewel thief; **swindler,** con man 619.3,4; land pirate, land shark, land-grabber; grave robber, body snatcher, resurrectionist, ghoul; embezzler, peculator, white-collar thief; den of thieves.

.2 **pickpocket,** cutpurse, fingersmith *or* dip [both slang]; mobsman *or* swell-mobsman [both Brit]; **purse snatcher;** light-fingered gentry.

.3 **burglar,** yegg *or* cracksman [both slang]; housebreaker, cat burglar, cat man, second-story thief *or* worker; **safecracker,** safebreaker, safeblower; pete blower *or* pete man *or* peterman [all slang].

.4 **bandit, brigand,** dacoit; **gangster** [informal], mobsman, mobster, racketeer; **thug, hoodlum** 943.4.

.5 **robber, holdup man** *or* stickup man [both informal]; highwayman, highway robber, footpad, road agent, bushranger [Austral]; mugger [slang], sandbagger; train robber; bank robber, **hijacker** [informal].

.6 **plunderer, pillager, looter, marauder,** rifler, sacker, spoiler, despoiler, spoliator, depredator, **raider,** moss-trooper, freebooter, rapparee, reiver [Scot], forayer, forager, ravisher, ravager; wrecker.

.7 **pirate, corsair, buccaneer, privateer,** sea rover, rover, picaroon; viking, sea king; Blackbeard (Edward Teach), Captain Kidd, Jean Lafitte, Henry Morgan; Captain Hook [J. M. Barrie], Long John Silver [Stevenson]; air pirate, airplane hijacker, skyjacker.

.8 cattle thief, abactor, rustler *or* **cattle rustler** [both informal].

.9 **plagiarist,** plagiarizer, cribber [informal], **pirate,** literary pirate, copyright infringer.

.10 **abductor, kidnapper; shanghaier,** crimp, crimper.

.11 (famous thieves) Barabbas, Robin Hood, Jesse James, Clyde Barrow, John Dillinger, Claude Duval, Jack Sheppard, Willie Sutton, Dick Turpin, Jonathan Wild; Autolycus, Macheath [John Gay], Thief of Baghdad, Jean Valjean [Hugo], Jimmy Valentine [O. Henry], Raffles [E. W. Hornung], Bill Sikes [Dickens].

826. ILLICIT BUSINESS

.1 NOUNS illicit business, illegitimate business, illegal operations, illegal commerce *or* traffic, shady dealings, **racket** [informal]; **the rackets** [informal], the syndicate, **organized crime, Mafia,** Cosa Nostra; **black market,** gray market; narcotics traffic; prostitution, traffic in women, white slavery; usury, loan-sharking [slang]; protection racket; bootlegging, moonshining [informal]; gambling 515.7.

.2 **smuggling,** contrabandage, contraband; narcotics smuggling, dope smuggling [slang], jewel smuggling, cigarette smuggling; gunrunning, rumrunning.

.3 **contraband,** smuggled goods; narcotics, drugs, dope [slang], jewels, cigarettes; bootleg liquor 996.17; stolen goods *or* property, hot goods *or* items [slang].

.4 **racketeer;** Mafioso; **black marketeer,** gray marketeer; bootlegger, moonshiner [informal]; pusher *or* dealer [both informal], narcotics *or* dope *or* drug pusher [informal].

.5 **smuggler,** contrabandist, runner; gunrunner, rumrunner.

.6 **fence,** receiver, **receiver of stolen goods,** swagman *or* swagsman [both slang].

.7 VERBS (deal in illicit goods) push *or* shove [both slang]; **sell under the counter; black-market,** black-marketeer; bootleg, moonshine [informal]; fence [informal].

.8 **smuggle,** run, sneak.

827. COMMERCE, ECONOMICS

.1 NOUNS **commerce, trade, traffic,** truck, intercourse, **dealing, dealings; business,** business dealings *or* affairs *or* relations, commercial affairs *or* relations; the business world, the world of trade *or* commerce, the marketplace; merchantry, mercantile business; **market,** marketing, state of the market, buyers' market, sellers' market; **industry** 716.4; big business, small business; fair trade, free trade, reciprocal trade, unilateral trade, multilateral trade; balance of trade; restraint of trade.

.2 **trade, trading, doing business, trafficking;** barter, bartering, **exchange,** interchange, swapping [informal]; give-and-take, horse trading [informal], **dealing,** wheeling and dealing [informal]; **buying and selling; wholesaling,** jobbing; brokerage, agency; **retailing,** merchandising 829.2.

.3 **negotiation, bargaining, haggling,** higgling, **dickering, chaffering,** chaffer, haggle; hacking out *or* working out *or* hammering out a deal, coming to terms; collective bargaining, package bargaining, pattern bargaining.

.4 **transaction,** business *or* commercial transaction, **deal,** business deal, negotiation [archaic], operation, turn; package deal.

.5 **bargain, deal** [informal], dicker; **trade, swap** [informal]; horse trade [informal]; trade-in; blind bargain, pig in a poke; hard bargain.

.6 **custom,** patronage, trade; **goodwill,** repute, good name.

.7 **economy, economic system,** national economy, world economy, local economy, town economy, urban economy, village economy, farm economy, rural economy, handicraft economy, industrial economy, mercantile economy, barter economy, diversified economy, consumer economy, war economy, planned economy, collectivized economy, capitalist *or* capitalistic economy, free-enterprise *or* private-enterprise economy, *laissez-faire* economy, socialist *or* socialistic economy; hot *or* overheated economy; healthy *or* sound economy; **gross national product,** GNP.

.8 **standard of living,** standard of life, standard of comfort; real wages, take-home pay *or* take-home; **cost of living;** cost-of-living index, consumer price index.

.9 **business cycle, economic cycle,** business fluctuations; peak, peaking; low, bottoming out [informal]; prosperity, boom [informal]; crisis, recession, **depression,** slowdown, cooling off, slump *or* bust [both informal], downturn; upturn, expanding economy, recovery; **growth,** economic growth, high growth rate, expansion, market expansion, economic expansion.

.10 **economics,** eco *or* econ [both informal], economic science, the dismal science; political economy; dynamic economics; theoretical economics, plutology; classical economics; Keynesian economics, Keynesianism; econometrics; economism, economic determinism; economic man.

.11 **economist,** economic expert *or* authority; political economist.

.12 **commercialism,** mercantilism; industrialism; Mercury, Hermes.

.13 **commercialization;** industrialization.

.14 VERBS **trade, deal, traffic, truck, buy and sell, do business; barter; exchange,** change, interchange, give in exchange, take in exchange, **swap** [informal], switch; swap horses *or* horse-trade [both informal]; trade off; trade in; trade sight unseen, make a blind bargain, sell a pig in a poke; **ply one's trade** 656.12.

.15 **deal in, trade in, traffic in, handle,** carry, be in; market, merchandise, **sell,** retail, wholesale, job.

.16 **trade with, deal with, traffic with, do business with,** have dealings with, have truck with, transact business with; frequent as a customer, shop at, trade at, **patronize,** take one's business *or* trade to;

open an account with, have an account with.

.17 **bargain, drive a bargain, negotiate, haggle,** higgle, chaffer, huckster, **dicker,** hack out *or* work out *or* hammer out a deal; **bid,** bid for, cheapen, beat down, jew down [derog]; underbid, outbid; drive a hard bargain.

.18 **strike a bargain,** make a bargain, make a dicker, **make a deal,** get oneself a deal, put through a deal, shake hands, shake on it [informal]; bargain for, agree to; **come to terms** 521.10; be a bargain, be a go *or* be a deal [both informal], be on [slang].

.19 put on a business basis *or* footing, make businesslike; commercialize; industrialize.

.20 (adjust the economy) cool *or* cool off the economy; heat *or* heat up the economy.

.21 ADJS **commercial, business, trade,** trading, **mercantile,** merchant; commercialistic, mercantilistic; industrial; wholesale, retail.

.22 **economic;** socio-economic, politico-economic(al); ec(o)– *or* oec(o)– *or* oik(o)–.

828. PURCHASE

.1 NOUNS **purchase, buy,** emption; **buying,** purchasing; **shopping, marketing;** window-shopping; impulse buying; shopping spree; repurchase, rebuying; mail-order buying, catalog buying; installment buying, hire purchase [Brit]; buying up, cornering, coemption [archaic]; buying power, purchasing power; consumer sovereignty, consumer power, consumerism; money illusion.

.2 emption, right of emption, right of sole emption; **option,** first option, **first refusal,** refusal, preemption, right of preemption, prior right of purchase.

.3 **clientele,** clientage, **patronage, custom,** trade, carriage trade; **market,** public, purchasing public; urban market, rural market, youth market, suburban market, etc.

.4 **customer, client; patron,** patronizer [informal], regular customer *or* buyer, regular; **prospect;** mark *or* sucker [both slang].

.5 **buyer,** purchaser, emptor, **consumer,** vendee; **shopper,** marketer; window-shopper, browser; purchasing agent, customer agent.

.6 by-bidder, decoy, come-on man *or* shill [both slang].

.7 VERBS **purchase, buy,** procure, make *or* complete a purchase, make a buy, make a deal for, blow oneself to [slang]; **buy up,** regrate, **corner,** monopolize, engross; buy out; buy off; buy in, buy into, buy a piece of; repurchase, rebuy, buy back; buy on credit, buy on the installment plan.

.8 **shop, market, go shopping,** go marketing; window-shop, browse.

.9 **bid,** make a bid, offer, offer to buy, make an offer; give the asking price; by-bid, shill [slang]; bid up; bid in.

.10 ADJS **purchasing, buying,** in the market; cliental.

.11 **bought,** store-bought, boughten *or* store-boughten [both dial], purchased.

829. SALE

.1 NOUNS **sale; wholesale, retail; market, demand,** outlet; buyers' market, sellers' market; mass market; conditional sale; tie-in sale, tie-in; turnover; bill of sale.

.2 **selling, merchandising, marketing; wholesaling,** jobbing; **retailing;** mail-order selling, direct-mail selling, catalog selling; **vending, peddling, hawking, huckstering;** market *or* marketing research, consumer research, consumer preference study, consumer survey; sales campaign, promotion, sales promotion; **salesmanship,** high-pressure salesmanship, hard sell [informal], low-pressure salesmanship, soft sell [informal]; sellout.

.3 **sale,** closing-out sale, going-out-of-business sale, inventory-clearance sale, distress sale, fire sale; bazaar; rummage sale, white elephant sale, garage sale, flea market; tax sale.

.4 **auction,** auction sale, vendue, outcry, sale at *or* by auction, sale to the highest bidder; Dutch auction; **auction block, block.**

.5 **sales talk, sales pitch,** patter; **pitch** *or* spiel *or* ballyhoo [all slang].

.6 **sales resistance,** consumer *or* buyer resistance.

.7 **salability,** salableness, merchandisability, **marketability,** vendibility.

.8 VERBS **sell, merchandise, market,** move, turn over, sell off, make *or* effect a sale; convert into cash, turn into money; **sell out,** close out; sell up [Brit]; **retail,** sell retail, sell over the counter; **wholesale,** sell wholesale, job, be jobber *or* wholesaler for; dump, unload, flood the market with; sacrifice, sell at a sacrifice *or* loss; resell, sell over; undersell, undercut, cut under; sell short; sell on consignment.

.9 **vend,** dispense, **peddle, hawk, huckster.**

.10 **put up for sale,** put up, ask bids *or* offers for, offer for sale, offer at a bargain.

.11 **auction, auction off, auctioneer,** sell at

auction, sell by auction, put up for auction, **put on the block,** bring under the hammer; knock down, sell to the highest bidder.

.12 **be sold, sell,** bring, realize, sell for.

.13 ADJS **sales,** selling, market, **marketing, merchandising, retail,** retailing, wholesale, wholesaling.

.14 **salable, marketable,** retailable, merchandisable, merchantable, vendible; in demand.

.15 **unsalable,** nonsalable, **unmarketable;** on one's hands, on the shelves, not moving, not turning over, unbought, unsold.

.16 ADVS **for sale,** to sell, up for sale, in *or* on the market, in the marts of trade; at a bargain, marked down.

.17 **at auction,** at outcry, at public auction *or* outcry, by auction, **on the block,** under the hammer.

830. BUSINESSMAN, MERCHANT

.1 NOUNS **businessman,** businesswoman; enterpriser, entrepreneur, man of commerce; small *or* little businessman; big businessman, magnate, tycoon [informal], baron, king, top executive, business leader; director, manager 748.1; big boss; **industrialist,** captain of industry; banker, financier 836.9,10.

.2 **merchant,** merchandiser, marketer, **trader,** trafficker, **dealer,** monger, chandler; **tradesman,** tradeswoman; **storekeeper, shopkeeper;** regrater; **wholesaler,** jobber, middleman; importer, exporter; **distributor; retailer,** retail merchant, retail dealer *or* seller.

.3 (merchants) grocer, groceryman; greengrocer; fruiterer; butcher; baker; poulterer; fishmonger, fishwife; ironmonger [Brit], hardwareman; drysalter [Brit]; perfumer; haberdasher, furnisher, clothing merchant; draper; shoe *or* footwear merchant; bookseller, bookdealer; chandler; confectioner; florist; furrier; jeweler; newsdealer; saddler; stationer; tobacconist; wine merchant, vintner, liquor merchant.

.4 **salesman,** seller, salesperson, salesclerk; **saleswoman,** saleslady, salesgirl; **clerk,** shop clerk, store clerk, shop assistant; floorwalker; **agent, sales agent,** selling agent; scalper *or* ticket scalper [both informal]; sales engineer; sales manager; salespeople, sales force, sales personnel.

.5 **traveling salesman, traveler, commercial traveler,** traveling agent, traveling man *or* woman, knight of the road, bagman [Brit], drummer; detail man; door-to-door salesman, canvasser.

.6 **vendor, peddler, huckster, hawker,** higgler, cadger [Scot], colporteur, chapman [Brit]; cheap-jack *or* cheap-john [both informal]; coster *or* costermonger [both Brit]; sidewalk salesman.

.7 **solicitor,** canvasser; tout, touter, **pitchman, barker, spieler,** ballyhooer, **ballyhoo man** [all informal].

.8 **auctioneer,** auction agent.

.9 **broker,** note broker, bill broker [Brit], discount broker, cotton broker, hotel broker, insurance broker, mortgage broker, diamond broker, furniture broker, ship broker, grain broker; stockbroker 833.10; pawnbroker 820.3; money broker, money changer, cambist; land broker, real estate broker, Realtor, real estate agent, estate agent [Brit].

.10 **ragman,** old-clothesman, rag-and-bone man [Brit]; **junkman,** junk dealer.

.11 **tradesmen, tradespeople,** tradesfolk, **merchantry.**

831. MERCHANDISE

.1 NOUNS **merchandise, commodities, wares, goods,** effects, vendibles, **consumer goods,** consumer items, goods for sale; stock, staples, stock-in-trade; inventory; line, line of goods; sideline; job lot; mail-order goods, catalog goods.

.2 **commodity, ware,** vendible, **product, article, item,** article of commerce *or* merchandise; staple, staple item, standard article; special, feature, leader, lead item, loss leader; seconds; drug, drug on the market.

.3 **dry goods, soft goods;** textiles 378.5,11; yard goods, white goods, linens, napery; men's wear, ladies' wear, children's wear, infants' wear; sportswear, sporting goods; leatherware, leather goods.

.4 **hard goods, durables,** durable goods; fixtures, white goods, **appliances** 659.4; tools and machinery 348; **hardware,** ironmongery [Brit]; sporting goods, **housewares,** housefurnishings, kitchenware; tableware, dinnerware; flatware, hollow ware; metalware, brassware, copperware, silverware, ironware, tinware; woodenware; glassware; chinaware, earthenware, clayware, stoneware, graniteware; enamelware; ovenware.

.5 **furniture,** furnishings, home furnishings.

.6 **notions, sundries,** novelties, knickknacks, odds and ends; toilet goods, toiletries; cosmetics; giftware.

.7 **groceries,** grocery [Brit], food items, baked goods, packaged goods, canned goods, tinned goods [Brit]; green goods, **produce,** truck.

832. MARKET

(place of trade)

.1 NOUNS **market, mart, store, shop,** salon, boutique, wareroom, emporium, house, establishment, *magasin* [Fr]; **retail store; wholesale house, discount store, discount house,** warehouse, mail-order house; **general store,** country store; **department store; co-op** [informal], cooperative; **variety store,** variety shop, **dime store; ten-cent store** *or* five-and-ten *or* five-and-dime [all informal]; chain store; concession; **trading post,** post; **supermarket;** countinghouse.

.2 **marketplace, mart, market, open market,** market overt; **shopping center,** shopping plaza, plaza, shopping mall, shopping *or* shop *or* commercial complex; emporium, rialto; staple; **bazaar, fair,** trade fair, show, auto show, boat show, etc., exposition; flea market, flea fair, street market, *marché aux puces* [Fr].

.3 **booth, stall, stand;** newsstand, kiosk, news kiosk.

.4 (stores) hardware store, ironmongery [Brit]; stationery store, stationers; toy shop; hobby shop; novelty shop; confectionery, candy store, sweet shop; drugstore, pharmacy, apothecary, chemist *or* chemist's shop [both Brit]; tobacco store, cigar store, tobacconists, smoke shop; secondhand store, secondhand shop, thrift shop; antique store; gift shop; bookstore 605.18; trimming store, dry goods store; clothing store, clothiers, sweater shop, dress shop, specialty shop, haberdashery, men's-wear shop, ladies'-wear shop, children's shop; florists; fur salon; furniture store; jewelry store, jewelers; leather goods store, luggage shop; saddlery; shoe store, bootery; hat shop, milliners; sporting goods store; liquor store, package store; automobile showroom, used-car lot; schlock shop *or* schlock house [both slang].

.5 **grocery,** grocery store, food store, food shop; **supermarket;** *bodega* [Sp], superette, groceteria; delicatessen, deli [informal], appetizing store; health food store; vegetable store *or* market, greengrocery, fruit stand; butcher shop, meat market, pork store, *charcuterie* [Fr]; bakery, bakeshop; dairy, creamery.

.6 **commissary, canteen, post exchange,** PX.

.7 **gas station, filling station, service station.**

.8 **vending machine,** vendor, coin machine, coin-operated machine, slot machine, **automat.**

.9 **salesroom,** wareroom; showroom; auction room.

.10 **counter,** shopboard [archaic]; notions counter; showcase; peddler's cart, pushcart.

833. STOCK MARKET

.1 NOUNS **stock market, the market, Wall Street;** ticker market; open market, competitive market; steady market, strong market, hard *or* stiff market; unsteady market, spotty market; weak market; long market; top-heavy market; market index, stock price index, Dow-Jones Industrial Average.

.2 **active market,** brisk market, lively market.

.3 **inactive market,** slow market, stagnant market, flat market, tired market, sick market; investors on the sidelines.

.4 **rising market,** booming market, buoyant market; **bull market,** bullish market.

.5 **declining market,** sagging market, retreating market, off market, soft market; **bear market,** bearish market; **slump,** sag; break, break in the market; **crash,** smash.

.6 **rigged market,** manipulated market, pegged market, put-up market.

.7 **stock exchange, exchange,** Wall Street, 'change [Brit], **stock market,** bourse, **board;** the Exchange, New York Stock Exchange, the Big Board; American Stock Exchange, Amex, curb, curb market, curb exchange; over-the-counter market, telephone market, outside market; third market; exchange floor; commodity exchange, pit, corn pit, wheat pit, etc.; quotation board; **ticker,** stock ticker; ticker tape.

.8 **financial district,** Wall Street, the Street; Lombard Street.

.9 **stockbrokerage,** brokerage, brokerage house, brokerage office; wire house; bucket shop, boiler room [both slang].

.10 **stockbroker,** sharebroker [Brit], **broker,** jobber, stockjobber, dealer, stock dealer; Wall Streeter; stock-exchange broker, *agent de bourse* [Fr]; floor broker, floor trader, floorman, specialist; pit man; curb broker; odd-lot dealer; two-dollar broker; broker's agent, customer's broker *or* cus-

tomer's man, registered representative; bond crowd.

.11 **speculator,** adventurer, operator; big operator, smart operator; **plunger,** gunslinger; scalper; stag [Brit]; lame duck; margin purchaser.

.12 **bear,** short, short seller; shorts, short interest, short side; short account, bear account.

.13 **bull,** long, longs, long interest, long side; long account, bull account.

.14 **stockholder,** stockowner, **shareholder;** bondholder, coupon clipper [slang]; stockholder of record.

.15 **stock company,** joint-stock company; issuing company; stock insurance company.

.16 **trust,** investment company; investment trust, holding company; closed-end investment company, closed-end fund; open-end fund, mutual fund; load fund, no-load fund; growth fund, income fund, dual purpose fund.

.17 **pool,** bear pool, bull pool, blind pool.

.18 **stockbroking,** brokerage, stockbrokerage, jobbing, stockjobbing, stockjobbery, stock dealing; bucketing, legal bucketing.

.19 **speculation,** agiotage; stockjobbing, stockjobbery; **venture,** flutter; flier, plunge; scalping; liquidation, profit taking; arbitrage; buying in, covering shorts; short sale; spot sale; round trade *or* transaction, turn; risk *or* venture capital, equity capital.

.20 **manipulation, rigging; raid,** bear raid, bull raid; **corner,** corner in, corner on the market, monopoly; washing, washed *or* wash sale.

.21 **option,** stock option, right, **put, call,** put and call, right of put and call; straddle, spread; strip; strap.

.22 **panic,** bear panic, rich man's panic.

.23 VERBS **speculate,** venture, operate, **play the market,** buy *or* sell *or* deal in futures; **plunge,** take a flier; scalp; bucket, bucketshop; stag *or* stag the market [both Brit]; trade on margin; pyramid; be long, go long, be long of the market, be on the long side of the market; be short, be short of the market, be on the short side of the market; margin up, apply *or* deposit margin; wait out the market, hold on; be caught short, miss the market, overstay the market; scoop the market, make a scoop *or* killing.

.24 **sell,** convert, liquidate; throw on the market, dump, unload; **sell short,** go short, make a short sale; cover one's short, fulfill a short sale; make delivery, clear the trade; close out, sell out, terminate the account.

.25 manipulate the market, **rig the market;** bear, **bear the market;** bull, **bull the market;** raid the market; hold *or* peg the market; whipsaw; wash sales.

.26 corner, get a corner on, **corner the market;** monopolize, engross; buy up, absorb.

834. SECURITIES

.1 NOUNS **securities, stocks and bonds,** investment securities; active securities, marketable securities; obsolete securities; digested securities, undigested securities; gilt-edged securities; speculative securities, cats and dogs [slang]; international securities, foreign securities, American Depository Receipts; government securities, governments, treasury bill, treasury note, treasury certificate, treasury bond, short-term note; municipal securities; corporation securities; outstanding securities; registered securities, unregistered securities; senior securities, junior securities; listed securities; unlisted securities, outside securities, over-the-counter securities; negotiable securities, negotiables; callable securities, subject to call; noncallable securities, not subject to call; convertible securities, convertibles; stamped securities; margined securities; legal securities; certificate of deposit; banker's acceptance; note; warrant; futures contract; portfolio.

.2 **stock, stocks,** shares [Brit], equity, equities, equity security, corporate stock, capital stock; authorized capital stock, issued capital stock, unissued capital stock; floating stock; treasury stock; active stock, inactive stock; **preferred stock,** preference stock [Brit], cumulative preferred stock, convertible preferred stock, cumulative convertible preferred stock, participating preferred stock; **common stock,** ordinary shares [Brit]; voting stock; nonvoting stock, voting-right certificate; assessable stock; nonassessable stock; no-par stock; letter stock; guaranteed stock; deferred stock; ten-share unit stock; quarter stock, eighth stock; high-grade stock, quality stock, seasoned stock, standard stock, blue chip stock, blue chip, pale blue chip; fancies [slang]; penny stock; speculative stock; growth stock; income stock; cyclical stock; defensive stock, protective stock; specialty stock; hot issue, glamour issue, high-flier [informal]; new

issue; special situation stock; long stock, short stock; borrowed stock, loaned stock; hypothecated stock; watered stock; industrials, rails, utilities, steels, coppers, etc.; stock split, split; reverse split; stock list; stock ledger, share ledger [Brit].

.3 **share,** lot; preference share; dummy share; holding, holdings, stockholding, stockholdings; block; round lot, full lot, even lot, board lot; odd lot, fractional lot.

.4 **bond, debenture;** negotiable bond, nonnegotiable bond; long-term bond, short-term bond; government bond; savings bond, Series E bond, appreciation bond, Series H bond, current income bond; war bond, defense bond, Liberty bond; treasury bond; Federal Agency bond, Fannie Mae, Ginnie Mae; municipal bond, tax-exempt bond, corporation stock [Brit], state bond, revenue bond, general obligation bond, turnpike bond, bond anticipation note, tax anticipation note; corporate bond; bearer bond, bearer certificate, coupon bond; registered bond, registered certificate; interchangeable bond; callable bond, redeemable bond; noncallable bond; optional bond; convertible bond, convertible debenture; participating bond; installment bond; serial bond; perpetual bond, annuity bond; consolidated annuities, consolidated stock, consols; tax-free bond; definitive bond; guaranteed bond; interim bond; deferred bond, extended bond; refunding bond; assented bond; assumed bond; adjustment bond; joint bond; voting bond; income bond; small bond, baby bond; secured bond, unsecured bond; sinking-fund bond; mortgage bond, general mortgage bond, trustee mortgage bond, purchase money bond, first mortgage bond, firsts [pl], second mortgage bond, seconds [pl]; collateral trust bond; equipment bond, equipment note, equipment trust bond, equipment trust certificate, equipment trust; high-grade bond; premium bond; par bond; discount bond, deep-discount bond; indenture, trust indenture; nominal rate, coupon rate, current yield, yield to maturity.

.5 **stock certificate,** certificate of stock; street certificate; interim certificate; **coupon.**

.6 **issue,** issuance; **flotation;** stock issue, secondary issue; bond issue.

.7 **dividend;** regular dividend; extra dividend, special dividend, plum *or* melon [both slang]; cumulative dividend, accumulated dividends, accrued dividends; interim dividend; cash dividend; stock dividend; optional dividend; scrip dividend; liquidating dividend; phony dividend; **interest** 840.3.

.8 **assessment,** Irish dividend.

.9 **price, quotation;** bid-and-asked prices, bid price, asked *or* asking *or* offering price; actual *or* delivery *or* settling price, put price, call price; opening price, closing price; high, low; market price, quoted price, flash price; issue price; fixed price; parity; **par,** issue par; par value, nominal value, face value; stated value; book value; market value; bearish prices, bullish prices; swings, fluctuations; flurry, flutter; rally, decline.

.10 **margin;** thin margin, shoestring margin; exhaust price.

.11 (commodities) spots, spot grain, etc.; futures, future grain, etc.

.12 VERBS **issue, float,** put on the market; issue stock, go public [informal]; float a bond issue.

.13 **declare a dividend,** cut a melon [slang].

.14 ADVS dividend off, ex dividend; dividend on, cum dividend; coupon off, ex coupon; coupon on, cum coupon; warrants off, ex warrants; warrants on, cum warrants; when issued.

835. MONEY

.1 NOUNS **money, currency, legal tender, medium of exchange,** circulating medium, sterling [Brit], **cash,** hard cash, cold cash; specie, coinage, mintage, coin of the realm, gold; **silver;** dollars; pounds, shillings, and pence; **the wherewithal,** the wherewith; lucre, **filthy lucre** [informal], the almighty dollar, pelf, root of all evil, mammon; "the sinews of war" [Libanius], "the sinews of affairs" [Laertius], "the ruling spirit of all things" [Publilius Syrus], "coined liberty" [Dostoyevsky]; **hard currency,** soft currency; fractional currency, postage currency, postal currency; managed currency; necessity money, scrip, emergency money.

.2 [slang or informal terms] **dough, bread, jack, kale,** mazuma, mopus, gelt, gilt, rhino, spondulics, oof, ooftish, wampum, possibles, moolah, boodle, blunt, dinero, **sugar,** brass, tin, rocks, simoleons, shekels, berries, chips, **bucks,** green, green stuff, the needful, grease, ointment, oil of palms, cabbage.

.3 **wampum,** wampumpeag, peag, sewan, roanoke; cowrie.

.4 **specie,** hard money; coin, piece, piece of money, piece of silver *or* gold; roll of coins, rouleau; **gold piece;** ten-dollar gold piece, eagle; five-dollar gold piece, half eagle; twenty-dollar gold piece, double eagle; guinea, sovereign, pound sovereign, crown, half crown; doubloon; ducat; napoleon, louis d'or; moidore.

.5 **paper money; bill,** dollar bill, etc.; **note,** negotiable note, legal-tender note; **bank note,** Federal Reserve note; national bank note; government note, treasury note; silver certificate; gold certificate; scrip; fractional note, shinplaster [slang]; fiat money, assignat.

.6 [slang or informal terms] **folding money,** the long green, mint leaves, lettuce, greenbacks, frogskins, skins.

.7 (US denominations) mill; cent, penny, copper, red cent [informal]; five cents, nickel; ten cents, dime; twenty-five cents, quarter, two bits [informal]; fifty cents, half dollar, four bits [informal]; dollar, dollar bill; buck *or* smacker *or* frogskin *or* fish *or* skin [all slang]; silver dollar, cartwheel *or* iron man [both slang]; two-dollar bill, two-spot [slang]; five-dollar bill; fiver *or* five-spot *or* fin [all slang]; ten-dollar bill; tenner *or* ten-spot *or* sawbuck [all slang]; twenty-dollar bill, double sawbuck [slang]; fifty-dollar bill, half a C [slang]; hundred-dollar bill; C *or* C-note *or* century [all slang]; five hundred dollars, half grand [slang], five-hundred-dollar bill, half G [slang]; thousand dollars, G *or* grand [both slang], thousand-dollar bill, G-note *or* yard [both slang].

.8 (British denominations) mite; farthing; halfpenny *or* ha'penny, bawbee [Brit informal], mag *or* meg [both Brit dial]; penny; pence, p; new pence, np; twopence *or* tuppence; threepence *or* thrippence, threepenny bit *or* piece; fourpence, fourpenny, groat; sixpence, tanner [Brit slang], teston; shilling, bob [Brit slang]; florin; half crown, half dollar [Brit informal]; crown, dollar [Brit informal]; pound, quid [slang]; guinea; fiver (£5), tenner (£10), pony (£25), monkey (£500), plum (£100,000), marigold (£1,000,000) [all Brit slang].

.9 (foreign denominations) afghani (Afghanistan), anna, pie *or* pai (India), azteca (Mexico), baht *or* tical (Thailand), balboa (Panama), bolivar (Venezuela), cent (Australia, Netherlands, etc.), centavo (Portugal, Argentina, Mexico, etc.), centesimo (Italy, Uruguay); centime (Belgium, France, Switzerland), centimo (Spain, Venezuela, etc.), colón (Costa Rica, El Salvador), conto, cruzeiro (Brazil), cordoba (Nicaragua), dinar (Algeria, Kuwait, Iraq, Iran, Yugoslavia); dirham (Morocco); dollar (Australia, Liberia, Malaysia, etc.), dong (North Vietnam), drachma (Greece), ekpwele (Equatorial Guinea), escudo (Chile, Portugal), florin, guilder, gulden, stiver (Netherlands), forint (Hungary), franc (France, Belgium, Switzerland, Burundi, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chad, Congo, Dahomey, Gabon, Guinea, Ivory Coast, Luxembourg, Malagasy Republic, Mali, Niger, Rwanda, Senegal, Togo, Upper Volta), gourde (Haiti), groschen (Austria), guaraní (Paraguay), kip (Laos), kopeck, ruble (Russia), koruna (Czechoslovakia), krona (Sweden); krone (Denmark, Norway, Austria), kwacha (Malawi, Zambia), kyat (Burma), lek (Albania), lempira (Honduras), leone (Sierra Leone), leu (Romania), lev (Bulgaria), lilangeni (Swaziland), lira (Italy, Turkey); Mark, Deutschmark, Reichsmark, Pfennig (Germany), markka (Finland), piaster (South Vietnam), milreis, reis (Brazil), ouguiya (Mauritania), peseta (Spain), peso (Argentina, Mexico, etc.), pistareen, piece of eight (Spain), pound (United Kingdom, Cyprus, United Arab Republic, Gambia, Ghana, Ireland, Israel, Lebanon, Malta, New Zealand, Nigeria, Sudan, Syria, Turkey), quetzal (Guatemala), rand (South Africa), rial (Iran), riel (Cambodia), riyal (Saudi Arabia), rupee (India, Pakistan, etc.), rupiah (Indonesia), schilling (Austria), shekel (ancient Near East), shilling (Kenya, Tanzania, Uganda), sol (Peru), sucre (Ecuador), soldo (Italy), sou (France), taka (Bangladesh), tugrik (Mongolia), won (South Korea), yen (Japan), yuan (China), zaïre (Zaïre), zloty (Poland).

.10 **counterfeit,** counterfeit money, phony *or* bogus money [informal], false *or* bad money, queer [slang], base coin, green goods [slang]; **forgery,** bad check, rubber check *or* kite [both slang].

.11 **negotiable instrument** *or* **paper,** commercial paper, paper, bill; **bill of exchange,** bill of draft; certificate, certificate of deposit, CD; **check,** cheque [Brit]; blank check; bank check, teller's check; treasury check; cashier's check, certified check;

traveler's check *or* banker's check; letter of credit, commercial letter of credit; **money order,** MO; postal order *or* post-office order [both Brit]; draft, warrant, voucher, debenture; **promissory note, note, IOU;** note of hand; acceptance, acceptance bill, bank acceptance, trade acceptance; due bill; demand bill, sight bill, demand draft, sight draft; time bill, time draft; exchequer bill *or* treasury bill [both Brit]; checkbook.

.12 **token, counter,** slug; **scrip, coupon; check, ticket,** tag; hat check, baggage check.

.13 **sum,** amount of money; round sum, lump sum.

.14 **funds, finances, moneys,** exchequer, purse, budget, pocket; treasure, substance, **assets,** resources, **pecuniary resources, means,** wherewithal, command of money; balance; pool, **fund, kitty** [informal]; checking account, bank account; Swiss bank account, unnumbered *or* unregistered bank account; reserves, cash reserves; savings, savings account, nest egg [informal]; life savings; bottom dollar [informal].

.15 **capital, fund;** moneyed capital; principal, corpus; circulating capital, floating capital; fixed capital, working capital, equity capital, risk *or* venture capital; capital structure; capital gains distribution; capitalization.

.16 **money market,** supply of short-term funds; tight money, cheap money; **borrowing** 821; **lending** 820; discounting, note discounting, note shaving, dealing in commercial paper.

.17 **bankroll;** roll *or* wad [both slang]; shoestring [informal].

.18 **ready money,** the ready [informal], available funds, **cash, money in hand, cash in hand,** balance in hand, immediate resources, liquid assets, cash supply; treasury.

.19 **petty cash, pocket money, pin money,** spending money, **change,** small change.

.20 precious metals; **gold,** yellow stuff [slang]; nugget, gold nugget; **silver, copper, nickel,** coin gold *or* silver; bullion, ingot, bar.

.21 standard of value, gold standard, silver standard; monometallism, bimetallism; money of account.

.22 (science of coins) **numismatics,** numismatology; numismatist, numismatologist.

.23 monetization; issuance, circulation; remonetization; demonetization; revaluation, devaluation.

.24 **coining,** coinage, mintage, striking, stamping; **counterfeiting, forgery;** coin-clipping.

.25 **coiner,** minter, mintmaster, moneyer; **counterfeiter, forger;** coin-clipper.

.26 VERBS monetize; **issue,** utter, **circulate;** remonetize, reissue; demonetize; revalue, devalue, devaluate.

.27 discount, discount notes, deal in commercial paper, shave; borrow 820.3, lend 820.5.

.28 **coin, mint; counterfeit, forge;** utter, pass *or* shove the queer [slang].

.29 **cash,** cash in [informal], liquidate, convert into cash.

.30 ADJS **monetary, pecuniary,** nummary, **financial;** capital; fiscal; sumptuary; numismatic; sterling.

.31 convertible, liquid, negotiable.

836. FINANCE, INVESTMENT

.1 NOUNS **finance, finances, money matters;** world of finance, **high finance,** investment banking, international banking, Wall Street banking, Lombard Street; economics 851.

.2 **financing, funding, backing,** financial backing, **sponsorship, patronization,** support, financial support; **stake** *or* **grubstake** [both informal]; subsidy 818.8; provision of capital, capitalization; deficit financing.

.3 **investment, venture, risk,** plunge [informal], speculation; prime investment.

.4 **banking,** money dealing, money changing; investment banking.

.5 **financial condition,** state of the exchequer; **credit rating,** Dun and Bradstreet rating.

.6 **solvency,** soundness, solidity; credit standing; unindebtedness.

.7 **crisis,** financial crisis; dollar crisis, dollar gap.

.8 **financier,** moneyman, **capitalist,** finance capitalist; Wall Streeter; investor; financial expert, economist, authority on money and banking.

.9 **financer, backer,** funder, **sponsor, patron, supporter,** angel [slang]; staker *or* grubstaker [both informal], meal ticket [slang].

.10 **banker, money dealer,** moneymonger; money broker; discounter, note broker, bill broker [Brit]; moneylender 820.3; money changer, cambist; investment banker; bank president, bank manager,

bank officer, loan officer, trust officer, banking executive; bank clerk, cashier, teller.

.11 **treasurer,** financial officer, bursar, purser, purse bearer, **cashier,** cashkeeper; accountant, auditor, controller *or* comptroller, bookkeeper; chamberlain, curator, steward, trustee; depositary, depository; receiver, liquidator; **paymaster;** Secretary of the Treasury, Chancellor of the Exchequer.

.12 **treasury, treasure-house;** subtreasury; **depository,** repository; storehouse 660.6; gold depository, Fort Knox; **strongbox, safe,** money chest, **coffer, locker, chest;** piggy bank, penny bank, bank; **vault,** strong room; safe-deposit *or* safety-deposit box *or* vault; cashbox, coin box, cash register, **till;** bursary; exchequer, fisc; public treasury, pork barrel, public crib *or* trough *or* till [informal].

.13 **bank; commercial bank, trust company;** national bank, state bank; **savings bank,** mutual savings bank; savings and loan association; central bank, branch bank; Federal Reserve bank, reserve bank, member bank, nonmember bank; land bank, federal land bank, federal intermediate credit bank, federal home loan bank, farm loan bank *or* association; moneyed corporation; investment banking house, investment bank, Wall Street bank, Lombard Street bank; international bank; Bank of England, Old Lady of Threadneedle Street; Bank of France; Swiss bank; World Bank, International Monetary Fund; clearing house.

.14 **purse, wallet, pocketbook, bag, handbag,** porte-monnaie, **billfold,** money belt, money clip, poke [slang], pocket; moneybag; purse strings.

.15 VERBS **finance, back, fund, sponsor, patronize, support,** provide for, capitalize, provide capital *or* money for, pay for, bankroll [informal], angel [slang], put up the money; **stake** *or* **grubstake** [both informal]; subsidize 818.19; set up, set up in business; refinance.

.16 **invest,** place, put, sink; **risk, venture;** make an investment, lay out money, place out *or* put out at interest; reinvest, plow back into [informal]; **invest in, put money in,** sink money in, pour money into, tie up one's money in; buy in *or* into, buy a piece *or* share of; financier; plunge [informal], speculate 833.23.

.17 ADJS **solvent, sound,** substantial, solid, good, sound as a dollar; **able to pay,** good for, unindebted 841.23.

.18 **insolvent,** unsound, indebted 840.8.

837. WEALTH

.1 NOUNS **wealth, riches, opulence** *or* opulency 661.2, **luxuriousness** 904.5; richness, wealthiness, **prosperity,** prosperousness, **affluence,** comfortable *or* easy circumstances, independence; **money,** lucre, pelf, gold, mammon; **substance, property, possessions,** material wealth; **assets** 835.14; **fortune, treasure,** handsome fortune; full *or* heavy *or* well-lined *or* bottomless *or* fat *or* bulging purse, moneybags [informal]; *embarras de richesses* [Fr], money to burn [informal]; high income, six-figure income; high tax bracket, upper bracket.

.2 **large sum,** good sum, tidy sum *or* **pretty penny** [both informal], **king's ransom,** mint, pot *or* potful [both informal]; power *or* mint *or* barrel *or* raft *or* load of money [informal]; heaps of gold, pile *or* wad [both slang]; thousands, millions, cool million.

.3 (rich source) **mine,** mine of wealth, **gold mine,** bonanza, lode, rich lode, mother lode, Eldorado, Golconda, Seven Cities of Cibola; gravy train [informal]; rich uncle.

.4 **the golden touch,** Midas touch; philosophers' stone; Pactolus.

.5 **the rich, the wealthy,** the well to do, the haves [informal]; **plutocracy,** timocracy.

.6 **rich man,** wealthy man, warm man [Brit informal], **moneyed man,** man of wealth, **man of means** *or* **substance,** fat cat [slang], richling, moneybags [informal], Daddy Warbucks [Harold Gray], **nabob; capitalist, plutocrat,** bloated plutocrat; **millionaire,** multimillionaire, billionaire; parvenu 919.10.

.7 Croesus, Midas, Plutus, Dives, Timon of Athens, Danaë; Rockefeller, Vanderbilt, Whitney, DuPont, Ford, Getty, Rothschild, Onassis, Hughes, Hunt.

.8 VERBS **enrich, richen.**

.9 **grow rich, get rich,** fill *or* line one's pockets, feather one's nest, **make** *or* **coin money,** have a gold mine, have the golden touch, **make a fortune,** make one's pile [slang]; **strike it rich;** come into money; make good, get on in the world, do all right by oneself [informal].

.10 **have money,** command money, **be loaded** [informal], have the wherewithal, have

means, have independent means; **afford,** well afford.

.11 **live well,** live high, live high on the hog [informal], **live in clover,** roll *or* wallow in wealth, roll in the lap of luxury; have all the money in the world, have a mint, have money to burn [informal].

.12 worship mammon, worship the golden calf.

.13 ADJS **wealthy, rich, loaded** [informal], warm [Brit informal], **affluent, moneyed,** in the money [informal], in funds *or* cash, **well-to-do,** well-to-do in the world, **well-off, well-situated, well-fixed** [informal], **prosperous,** comfortable, provided for, well provided for, fat, **flush,** flush with *or* of money, abounding in riches, made of money, **rolling in money,** rolling *or* wallowing in wealth, worth a great deal, frightfully rich, disgustingly rich, big-rich [dial], rich as Croesus; **well-heeled** *or* oofy *or* **lousy rich** *or* **filthy rich** [all slang]; independent, independently rich, independently wealthy; **luxurious** 904.21; **opulent** 661.7.

838. POVERTY

.1 NOUNS **poverty, poorness,** impecuniousness, impecuniosity; **straits,** difficulties, **hardship** 729.1; distress, embarrassment, **embarrassed** *or* **reduced** *or* **straitened circumstances,** tight squeeze, hard pinch, slender *or* narrow means, insolvency, light purse; unprosperousness; broken fortune; genteel poverty; vows of poverty, voluntary poverty.

.2 **indigence, penury, pennilessness,** moneylessness; **pauperism,** pauperization, **impoverishment,** grinding poverty, chronic pauperism; **beggary,** beggarliness, mendicancy; homelessness; **destitution, privation, deprivation; neediness, want,** need, lack, pinch, gripe, necessity, disadvantagedness, necessitousness; **hand-to-mouth existence,** bare subsistence, wolf at the door, bare cupboard, empty purse *or* pocket.

.3 **the poor, the needy,** the have-nots [informal], the down-and-out, the disadvantaged, the underprivileged, the distressed; the urban poor, ghetto-dwellers, barrio-dwellers; welfare rolls, welfare clients, welfare families; "wretched of the earth" [E. Pottier]; the other America; the forgotten man, "the forgotten man at the bottom of the economic pyramid" [F. D. Roosevelt]; depressed population, depressed area, chronic poverty area; underdeveloped nation.

.4 **poor man,** poorling, poor devil, down-and-out, down-and-outer, **pauper,** indigent, penniless man, hardcase, starveling; **beggar** 774.8; welfare client; almsman, almswoman, charity case, casual; bankrupt 842.4.

.5 VERBS **be poor,** be hard up [informal], find it hard going, have seen better days, be on one's uppers, be pinched *or* strapped, **be in want,** want, need, lack; **starve,** not know where one's next meal is coming from, **live from hand to mouth,** eke out *or* squeeze out a living; **not have a penny** *or* **sou,** not have a penny to bless oneself with, not have one dollar to rub against another; go on welfare.

.6 **impoverish,** reduce, **pauperize, beggar;** eat out of house and home; **bankrupt** 842.8.

.7 ADJS **poor, ill off,** badly *or* poorly off, hard up [informal], impecunious, **unmoneyed; unprosperous;** reduced, in reduced circumstances; **straitened, in straitened circumstances,** narrow, in narrow circumstances, feeling the pinch, strapped, **embarrassed,** distressed, **pinched,** squeezed, put to one's shifts *or* last shifts, at the end of one's rope, on the edge *or* ragged edge [informal], down to bedrock, in Queer Street; short, **short of money** *or* **funds** *or* **cash,** out of pocket; unable to make ends meet, unable to keep the wolf from the door; poor as a church mouse, "poor as Job" [John Gower]; land-poor.

.8 **indigent, poverty-stricken; needy,** necessitous, **in need, in want,** disadvantaged, deprived, underprivileged; **beggared,** beggarly, mendicant; **impoverished, pauperized,** starveling; ghettoized; bereft, bereaved; stripped, fleeced; **down at heels,** down at the heel, on *or* down on one's uppers, out at the heels, out at elbows, in rags; on welfare, on relief, on the dole [Brit].

.9 **destitute, down-and-out,** in the gutter; **penniless,** moneyless, fortuneless, out of funds, **without a sou,** without a penny to bless oneself with, without one dollar to rub against another; insolvent, in the red, **bankrupt** 842.11; homeless; propertyless, landless.

.10 [slang terms] **broke,** busted, **flat, flat broke, stone-broke,** stony, **strapped,** skint [Brit], beat, oofless; down to one's last penny *or* cent.

839. FINANCIAL CREDIT

.1 NOUNS **credit, trust,** tick [informal]; borrowing power *or* capacity; commercial credit, cash credit, bank credit, book credit, tax credit, investment credit; line of credit; installment plan, installment credit, consumer credit, hire purchase plan *or* never-never [both Brit]; rating, credit rating, Dun and Bradstreet rating; credit insurance; credit union.

.2 **account,** credit account, charge account; bank account, savings account, checking account; bank balance; expense account.

.3 **credit instrument;** paper credit; **letter of credit,** *lettre de créance* [Fr], circular note; credit slip, deposit slip, certificate of deposit; negotiable instruments 835.11; **credit card,** charge card, charge plate.

.4 **creditor,** creditress; debtee; mortgagee, mortgage-holder; note-holder; credit man; bill collector, collection agent; dunner, dun.

.5 VERBS **credit,** accredit; **credit to one's account,** place to one's credit *or* account.

.6 **give** *or* **extend credit,** sell on credit, trust, entrust; give tick [informal]; carry, carry on one's books.

.7 **receive credit,** take credit, **charge,** charge to one's account, keep an account with, go on tick [informal], buy on credit, buy on the cuff [informal], buy on the installment plan; go in hock for [slang]; have one's credit good for.

.8 ADJS **accredited,** credited, of good credit, **well-rated.**

.9 ADVS **to one's credit** *or* **account,** to the credit *or* account of, to the good.

.10 **on credit, on account, on trust,** on tick *or* **on the cuff** [both informal]; on terms, on good terms, on easy terms, on budget terms, in installments.

840. DEBT

.1 NOUNS **debt, indebtedness,** indebtment, **obligation, liability,** financial commitment, due, **dues,** score, pledge, unfulfilled pledge, amount due, outstanding debt; **bill, bills,** chits, **charges;** floating debt; funded debt; accounts receivable; accounts payable; borrowing 821; maturity; bad debts, uncollectibles; national debt, public debt.

.2 **arrears,** arrear, arrearage, back debts, back payments; **deficit,** default, deferred payments; overdraft, bounced *or* bouncing check; dollar gap, unfavorable balance of payments; deficit financing.

.3 **interest, premium, price, rate;** interest rate, rate of interest, prime interest rate, bank rate, price of money; discount rate; **usury,** excessive *or* exorbitant interest; mortgage points; simple interest, compound interest; net interest, gross interest; compensatory interest; lucrative interest; penal interest.

.4 **debtor,** borrower; mortgagor.

.5 VERBS **owe, be indebted,** be obliged *or* obligated for, be financially committed, lie under an obligation, be bound to pay.

.6 **go in debt,** get into debt, run into debt, plunge into debt, incur *or* contract a debt, go in hock [slang], **run up a bill** *or* a score *or* an account; run *or* show a deficit, operate at a loss; borrow 820.3.

.7 **mature, accrue, fall due.**

.8 ADJS **indebted, in debt,** plunged in debt, in difficulties, embarrassed, in embarrassed circumstances, in the hole [informal], in the red, in hock [slang], encumbered, mortgaged, mortgaged to the hilt, tied up, involved; deep in debt, involved *or* deeply involved in debt, burdened with debt, head over heels in debt, up to one's ears in debt.

.9 **chargeable, obligated, liable,** pledged, responsible, answerable for.

.10 **due, owed, owing, payable,** receivable, redeemable, mature, **outstanding, unpaid,** in arrear *or* arrears, back.

841. PAYMENT

.1 NOUNS **payment, paying,** paying off, paying up [informal], payoff; **defrayment,** defrayal; paying out, doling out, **disbursal** 843.1; **discharge, settlement, clearance, liquidation, amortization,** amortizement, retirement, satisfaction; quittance; acquittance *or* acquitment *or* acquittal [all archaic]; debt service, interest payment, sinking-fund payment; remittance; installment, installment plan; hire purchase *or* hire purchase plan *or* never-never [all Brit]; regular payments, monthly payments, weekly payments, quarterly payments, etc.; down payment, deposit, earnest, earnest money, binder; god's penny; cash, spot cash, cash payment, cash on the nail *or* cash on the barrelhead [both informal]; prepayment; payment in kind.

.2 **reimbursement,** recoupment, return, restitution; **refund,** refundment, kickback [informal]; **repayment** 823.2.

.3 **recompense, remuneration, compensation;** requital, requitement, quittance, **retribution, reparation, redress,** satisfaction,

atonement, amends, return, restitution 823; blood money, wergild; **indemnity,** indemnification; price, consideration; **reward,** meed, guerdon; honorarium; workmen's compensation, solatium, damages, smart money; salvage.

.4 **pay, payment, remuneration, compensation,** total compensation, wages plus fringe benefits, pay and allowances, financial remuneration; **salary, wage, wages, income, earnings,** hire; real wages, purchasing power; take-home pay, take-home [informal], pay *or* income *or* wages after taxes, pay *or* income *or* wages after deductions, net income *or* wages *or* pay *or* earnings, taxable income; gross income; living wage; minimum wage, base pay; portal-to-portal pay; severance pay, discontinuance *or* dismissal wage; wage scale; escalator plan, escalator clause, sliding scale; payroll; wage freeze, wage rollback, wage reduction, wage control; guaranteed annual wage, guaranteed income plan.

.5 **fee, stipend, allowance,** emolument, tribute; **reckoning,** account, bill; assessment, scot; initiation fee, footing [archaic]; retainer, retaining fee; hush money, blackmail; blood money; mileage.

.6 (extra pay or allowance) **bonus, premium, fringe benefit** *or* **benefits,** bounty, perquisite, perquisites, perks [Brit informal], gravy [slang], lagniappe, solatium; **tip** 818.5; overtime pay; bonus system.

.7 **dividend; royalty; commission,** rake-off *or* cut [both slang].

.8 (the bearing of another's expense) **treat,** standing treat, picking up the check *or* tab [informal]; paying the bills, maintenance, support 785.3; subsidy 818.8.

.9 **payer,** remunerator, compensator, recompenser; paymaster, purser, bursar, cashier, treasurer 836.11; defrayer; liquidator; taxpayer, ratepayer [Brit].

.10 VERBS **pay,** render, tender; **recompense, remunerate, compensate, reward,** guerdon, indemnify, satisfy; salary, fee; remit; prepay; pay by installments, pay on, pay in.

.11 **repay,** pay back, **reimburse,** recoup; **requite,** quit, **atone,** redress [archaic], **make amends,** make good, make up for, make up to, make restitution, make reparation 823.4,5; pay in kind, pay one in his own coin, give tit for tat; **refund,** kick back [informal].

.12 **settle with,** reckon with, account with [archaic], pay out, **settle** *or* **square accounts with,** square oneself with, get square with, **get even** *or* **quits with;** even the score [slang], wipe *or* clear off old scores, pay old debts, clear the board.

.13 **pay in full, pay off, pay up** [informal], **discharge, settle,** square, **clear, liquidate, amortize,** retire, take up, lift, take up and pay off, honor, acquit oneself of [archaic]; satisfy; meet one's obligations *or* commitments, redeem, redeem one's pledge *or* pledges, tear up *or* burn one's mortgage, have a mortgage-burning party, settle *or* square accounts, make accounts square, strike a balance; pay the bill, pay the shot.

.14 **pay out, fork out** *or* **shell out** [both slang]; **expend** 843.5.

.15 **pay over,** hand over; ante, **ante up,** put up; put down, lay down, lay one's money down.

.16 [slang or informal terms] **kick in, fork over,** pony up, cough up, stump up [Brit], come across, come through with, come across with, come down with, come down with the needful, plank down, plunk down, post, tickle *or* grease the palm, cross one's palm with, lay on one; pay to the tune of.

.17 **pay cash,** make a cash payment, cash, **pay spot cash, pay cash down,** pay cash on the barrelhead [informal], plunk down the money *or* put one's money on the line [both slang], pay at sight; pay in advance; pay as you go; pay cash on delivery, pay COD.

.18 **pay for,** pay *or* stand the costs, **bear the expense** *or* **cost,** pay the piper [informal]; **finance, fund** 836.15; **defray,** defray expenses; pay the bill, **foot the bill** [informal], pick up the check *or* tab [informal]; honor a bill, acknowledge, redeem; pay one's way; pay one's share, chip in [informal], go Dutch [informal].

.19 **treat,** treat to, **stand treat,** go treat, stand to [informal], pick up the check *or* tab [informal], pay the bill, set up, blow to [slang]; stand drinks; maintain, support 785.12; subsidize 818.19.

.20 **be paid, draw wages,** be salaried, work for wages, be remunerated, collect for one's services, **earn,** get an income, pull down *or* drag down [both slang].

.21 ADJS **paying, remunerative; compensating,** compensative, compensatory; retributive, retributory; **rewarding,** rewardful; lucrative, moneymaking, profitable 811.15; repaying, satisfying, reparative.

.22 **paid,** discharged, settled, liquidated, ac-

quitted [archaic], paid in full, receipted, remitted; **spent, expended;** salaried, waged, hired; prepaid, postpaid.

.23 **unindebted,** unowing, **out of debt,** above water, **clear,** all clear, free and clear, all straight; solvent 836.17.

.24 ADVS **in compensation,** as compensation, in recompense, for services rendered, for professional services, **in reward,** in requital, in reparation, in retribution, in restitution, **in amends,** in atonement, to atone for.

.25 **cash,** cash on the barrelhead [informal], strictly cash; **cash down, money down,** down; cash on delivery, COD; on demand, on call; pay-as-you-go.

842. NONPAYMENT

.1 NOUNS **nonpayment, default, delinquency,** delinquence [archaic], nondischarge of debts, nonremittal, failure to pay; defection; protest, repudiation; dishonor, dishonoring; bad debt, uncollectible, dishonored *or* protested bill.

.2 **moratorium,** grace period; **write-off,** cancellation, obliteration 693.7.

.3 **insolvency, bankruptcy,** receivership, **failure; crash,** collapse, bust [slang]; run upon a bank; insufficient funds, overdraft, overdrawn account, bounced *or* bouncing check, kited check.

.4 **insolvent,** insolvent debtor, lame duck [informal]; **bankrupt,** failure.

.5 **defaulter,** delinquent, nonpayer; **welsher** [slang], levanter; tax evader, tax dodger [informal].

.6 VERBS **not pay;** dishonor, repudiate, disallow, protest, stop payment, refuse to pay; **default, welsh** [slang], levant; button up one's pockets, draw the purse strings.

.7 **go bankrupt, go broke** [informal], go into receivership, become insolvent *or* bankrupt, **fail,** break, bust [slang], crash, collapse, **fold, fold up,** go up *or* **go under** [both informal], shut down, shut one's doors, go out of business, **be ruined,** go to ruin, go on the rocks, go to the wall, go to pot [informal], go to the dogs.

.8 **bankrupt, ruin, break,** bust [slang]; put out of business, drive to the wall, scuttle, sink; impoverish 838.6.

.9 **declare a moratorium; write off,** absolve, cancel, nullify, wipe the slate clean; wipe out, obliterate 693.16.

.10 ADJS **defaulting,** nonpaying, **delinquent;** behindhand, in arrear *or* arrears.

.11 **insolvent, bankrupt,** in receivership, broken, **broke** [informal], busted [slang], **ruined,** failed, unable to pay one's creditors, unable to meet one's obligations, on the rocks; destitute 838.9.

.12 **unpaid, unremunerated,** uncompensated, unrecompensed, **unrewarded,** unrequited.

.13 **unpayable,** irredeemable, inconvertible.

843. EXPENDITURE

.1 NOUNS **expenditure, spending,** disbursal, **disbursement;** debit, debiting; budgeting, scheduling; costing, costing-out; **payment** 841; deficit spending.

.2 **spendings,** outgoings, outgo, outflow, **outlay,** money going out.

.3 **expenses, costs,** charges, budget, budget items, disbursals, liabilities; **expense, cost,** burden of expenditure; **overhead,** operating expense *or* expenses *or* costs *or* budget, general expenses; expense account, swindle sheet [slang]; direct costs, indirect costs; distributed costs, undistributed costs; material costs; labor costs; carrying charge; unit cost; replacement cost; prime cost; cost of living, cost-of-living index, cost-of-living allowance.

.4 **spender,** expender, expenditor, disburser.

.5 VERBS **spend, expend, disburse, pay out,** fork *or* shell out [slang], **lay out,** outlay; **pay** 841.10; put one's hands in one's pockets, open the purse, loosen *or* untie the purse strings; throw money around [informal], go on a spending spree, splurge, spend money as if it were going out of style, go *or* run through, **squander** 854.3; **invest,** sink money in [informal], put out; **incur costs** *or* **expenses;** budget, schedule, cost, cost out.

.6 **be spent,** burn in one's pocket, burn a hole in one's pocket.

.7 **afford,** well afford, spare, **spare the price,** bear, stand, support, endure, undergo, meet the expense of.

844. RECEIPTS

.1 NOUNS **receipts,** receipt, **income, revenue, profits, earnings, returns, proceeds,** avails [archaic], **take,** takings, intake, take-in [informal], get [Brit dial]; credit, credits; gains 811.3; gate receipts, gate, box office; net receipts, net; gross receipts, gross; net income, gross income; earned income, unearned income; dividend, dividends; royalties, commissions; receivables; disposable income; make, produce, **yield, output** 168.2.

.2 (written acknowledgment) **receipt, acknowledgment, voucher,** warrant [Brit]; canceled check; **receipt in full,** receipt in

full of all demands, release, acquittance, quittance, discharge.

.3 VERBS **receive** 819.6; **acquire** 811.8–12; acknowledge receipt of, receipt, mark paid.

.4 **yield, bring in, afford, pay,** pay off [informal], **return; gross, net.**

845. ACCOUNTS

.1 NOUNS **accounts; outstanding accounts,** uncollected *or* unpaid accounts; **accounts receivable,** receipts, assets; **accounts payable,** expenditures, liabilities; budget, budgeting, costing-out.

.2 **account, reckoning, tally, score;** profit and loss account, debtor and creditor account, open *or* running account, cash account, suspense account, income account, revenue account, selling account, stock account, control account, provision account, valuation account, sales account; account current; account rendered, *compte rendu* [Fr], account stated; balance.

.3 **statement, bill,** itemized bill, bill of account, **account, reckoning, check,** *l'addition* [Fr], score *or* tab [both slang]; **dun; invoice,** manifest, bill of lading.

.4 **account book, ledger, journal,** daybook; **register,** registry, **record book,** books; **log,** logbook; **cashbook;** purchase ledger, accounts payable ledger, sales ledger, sales journal, accounts receivable ledger, card ledger, suspense ledger, stock ledger, bank ledger, stores ledger, inventory, cost ledger, factory ledger; bankbook, passbook; balance sheet; cost sheet, cost card.

.5 **entry,** item, minute, note, notation; single entry, double entry; **credit, debit.**

.6 **accounting, accountancy, bookkeeping,** double-entry bookkeeping *or* accounting, single-entry bookkeeping *or* accounting; business *or* commercial *or* monetary arithmetic; cost accounting, cost system, cost-accounting system; **audit, auditing.**

.7 **accountant, bookkeeper; clerk,** actuary [archaic], registrar, recorder, journalizer; calculator, reckoner; cost accountant, cost keeper; certified public accountant, CPA; chartered accountant *or* CA [both Brit]; **auditor,** bank examiner; bank accountant; accountant general; comptroller *or* controller.

.8 VERBS **keep accounts, keep books,** make up *or* cast up accounts; make an entry, enter, post, post up, journalize, book, docket, log, note, minute; **credit, debit;** charge off; capitalize; carry, carry on one's books; carry over; **balance,** balance accounts, balance the books, strike a balance; close the books, close out.

.9 **take account of, take stock,** overhaul; **inventory; audit,** examine *or* inspect the books.

.10 **falsify accounts,** garble accounts, cook *or* doctor accounts [informal], salt; surcharge.

.11 **bill,** send a statement; **invoice;** call, call in, demand payment, **dun.**

.12 ADJS accounting, bookkeeping.

846. PRICE, FEE

.1 NOUNS **price, cost, expense,** expenditure, **charge,** –age; **rate,** figure, **amount, price tag** [informal]; damage *or* score *or* tab [all slang].

.2 **quotation,** quoted price; cash price; bargain price, cut price; asking price, offered price, bid, bid price; selling price; current price, going price, market price, price current, current quotation; wholesale price, trade price; list price, recommended price; net *or* neat price, net; fixed price; controlled price, managed price, fair-trade price; flat rate; *prix fixe* [Fr]; package price; unit price; piece price; price list, prices current; stock market quotations 834.9.

.3 **worth, value,** account, rate; face value, face; par value; market value; net worth; conversion factor *or* value; money's worth, pennyworth, value received.

.4 **valuation, evaluation,** pricing, price determination, **assessment, appraisal,** appraisement, apprizal, estimation, rating; unit pricing, dual pricing.

.5 **price index,** business index; consumer price index; cost-of-living index; price level; price ceiling, ceiling price, ceiling, top price; floor price, floor, bottom price; demand curve; rising prices, **inflation,** inflationary spiral.

.6 **price controls,** price-fixing, valorization; managed prices, fair-trading, fair trade, fair-trade agreement; **price supports,** rigid supports, flexible supports; price freeze; rent control.

.7 **fee, dues, toll, charge, charges, demand, exaction,** exactment, scot, shot, scot and lot; hire; **fare,** carfare; license fee; entrance *or* admission fee, admission; cover charge; portage, towage; wharfage, anchorage, dockage; pilotage; storage, cellarage; brokerage; salvage.

.8 freightage, freight, haulage, carriage, cartage, drayage, expressage, lighterage; poundage, tonnage.

.9 **rent, rental;** rent-roll; rent charge; rack rent, quitrent.

.10 **tax, taxation, duty, tribute,** contribution, **assessment,** cess [Brit], **levy, toll, impost,** imposition; **tithe;** surtax, supertax; direct tax, indirect tax; progressive tax *or* taxation, graduated taxation; proportional tax, ad valorem tax; regressive tax *or* taxation; single tax; withholding tax, tax withholding; tax return, separate returns, joint return; tax dodging, tax evasion; conscience money; tax exemption, tax-exempt status; tax structure, tax base; taxable income *or* goods *or* land *or* property, ratables [Brit].

.11 (kinds of tax) excise, excise tax, internal revenue tax; **duty,** customs, customs duty, **tariff,** tariff duty, specific duty, ad valorem duty, revenue tariff, protective tariff; import tax, export tax; poll tax, poll, head tax, capitation tax, capitation; salt tax, gabelle; federal tax, state tax, provincial tax, local tax, rates [Brit]; property tax, land tax, property-increment tax, personal property tax; school tax; death tax, estate tax, death duty *or* estate duty [both Brit], inheritance tax; liquor tax, alcohol tax; capital gains tax, corporation tax, excess profits tax, value added tax, VAT; gift tax; income tax; license tax, franchise tax; automobile registration tax, gasoline tax; telephone tax, luxury tax, window tax, nuisance tax; amusement tax; doomage, assessment on default; sales tax, use tax; severance tax.

.12 taxer, taxman; **tax collector,** publican, collector of internal revenue, internal revenue agent; tax farmer, farmer; assessor, **tax assessor;** exciseman [Brit], revenuer; Internal Revenue Service, IRS; customs, US Customs Service, Bureau of Customs and Excise [Eng]; customhouse.

.13 VERBS **price,** set a price on, fix the price of; place a value on, **value, evaluate,** valuate, **appraise, assess, rate,** prize; quote a price; set an arbitrary price on, control *or* manage the price of, valorize; fair-trade.

.14 **charge, demand, ask,** require; **exact, assess, levy, impose; tax,** assess a tax upon, slap a tax on [slang], lay *or* put a duty on, make dutiable, subject to a tax *or* fee *or* duty, collect a tax *or* duty on; tithe; prorate, assess *pro rata;* charge for, stick for [informal].

.15 **cost, sell for, fetch, bring,** bring in, afford [archaic], set one back [slang]; **come to,** run to *or* into, **amount to,** mount up to, come up to, total up to.

.16 ADJS **priced, valued,** evaluated, assessed, appraised, rated, prized; **worth,** valued at; good for; ad valorem, pro rata.

.17 **chargeable, taxable,** ratable [Brit], assessable, dutiable, leviable; tithable.

.18 tax-free, nontaxable, nondutiable, tax-exempt; deductible, tax-deductible.

.19 ADVS **at a price,** for a consideration; to the amount of, to the tune of [informal].

847. DISCOUNT

.1 NOUNS **discount, cut, deduction,** abatement, reduction, price reduction, price-cutting, price-cut, rollback [informal]; underselling; rebate, rebatement; bank discount, cash discount, chain discount, time discount, trade discount; write-off, charge-off; **depreciation; allowance,** concession; setoff; drawback, **refund,** kickback [slang]; **premium,** percentage, agio, contango, backwardation [both Brit]; breakage, salvage; tare, tret; penalty, penalty clause.

.2 VERBS **discount, cut, deduct,** bate, abate; **take off,** write off, charge off; **depreciate,** reduce; **allow,** make allowance; rebate, **refund,** kick back [slang]; take a premium *or* percentage.

.3 ADVS **at a discount,** at a reduction, below par.

848. EXPENSIVENESS

.1 NOUNS **expensiveness, dearness,** high *or* great cost, **costliness,** highness, stiffness *or* steepness [both informal], priceyness [Austral]; richness, sumptuousness, luxuriousness.

.2 **preciousness, dearness, value,** high *or* great value, **worth,** extraordinary worth, price *or* great price [both archaic], **valuableness; pricelessness, invaluableness.**

.3 **high price,** high *or* big price tag [informal], **fancy price,** good price, steep *or* stiff price [informal], luxury price, pretty penny *or* an arm and a leg [both informal], exorbitant *or* unconscionable *or* extortionate price; famine price, scarcity price; rack rent; inflationary prices, rising *or* soaring *or* spiraling prices, soaring costs; sellers' market; **inflation,** inflationary trend *or* pressure, hot economy, inflationary spiral, inflationary gap.

.4 **exorbitance,** exorbitancy [archaic], **extravagance,** excess, **excessiveness,** inordinateness, immoderateness, immoderation, undueness, unreasonableness, outrageousness, preposterousness; unconscionableness, extortionateness.

.5 **overcharge,** surcharge, overassessment; usury, shylocking *or* loan-sharking [both slang]; **extortion,** exploitation, **holdup** *or* highway robbery [both slang]; profiteering.

.6 VERBS **cost much,** cost money *or* cost you [both informal], cost a pretty penny *or* an arm and a leg [informal], cost a packet, **run into money;** be overpriced, price out of the market.

.7 **overprice,** set the price tag too high; **overcharge,** surcharge, overtax; **hold up** *or* **soak** *or* **stick** *or* **sting** *or* **clip** [all slang], **make pay through the nose, gouge;** victimize, swindle 618.13–18; exploit, skin [slang], fleece, screw, bleed, bleed white; profiteer; rack *or* rack up the rents, rackrent.

.8 **overpay,** overspend, pay too much, pay more than it's worth, **pay dearly,** pay exorbitantly, pay, **pay through the nose,** be had [informal].

.9 **inflate,** heat *or* heat up the economy.

.10 ADJS **precious, dear, valuable,** worthy, rich, golden, of great price [archaic], worth a pretty penny [informal], worth a king's ransom, worth its weight in gold, good as gold, precious as the apple of one's eye; **priceless, invaluable,** inestimable, **beyond price,** not to be had for love or money, too precious for words.

.11 **expensive, dear, costly,** of great cost, dear-bought, **high, high-priced,** premium, top; **fancy** *or* stiff *or* steep [all informal], pricey [Austral]; beyond one's means, not affordable, more than one can afford; unpayable; rich, sumptuous, **luxurious** 904.21.

.12 **overpriced,** grossly overpriced, **exorbitant, excessive, extravagant, inordinate, immoderate,** undue, unwarranted, unreasonable, fancy, unconscionable, outrageous, preposterous, out of bounds, out of sight [informal], **prohibitive; extortionate,** cutthroat, **gouging, usurious,** exacting; **inflationary,** spiraling, skyrocketing.

.13 ADVS **dear, dearly;** at a high price, at great cost, at a premium, at a great rate, at heavy cost, at great expense.

.14 **preciously, valuably,** worthily; pricelessly, invaluably, inestimably.

.15 **expensively,** richly, sumptuously, luxuriously.

.16 **exorbitantly, excessively,** grossly, **extravagantly, inordinately,** immoderately, unduly, unreasonably, unconscionably, outrageously, preposterously; **extortionately,** usuriously, gougingly.

849. CHEAPNESS

.1 NOUNS **cheapness, inexpensiveness,** reasonableness, modestness, moderateness, nominalness; drug *or* glut on the market; shabbiness, shoddiness 673.2.

.2 **low price, nominal price,** reasonable price, modest *or* manageable price, sensible price, moderate price; low *or* nominal *or* reasonable charge; bargain prices, budget prices, economy prices, easy prices, popular prices, rock-bottom prices; buyers' market; low *or* small price tag [informal], low tariff [informal]; **reduced price,** cut price, sale price; cheap *or* reduced rates.

.3 **bargain,** advantageous purchase, **buy** [informal], **good buy, steal** [slang]; money's worth, pennyworth, good pennyworth.

.4 **cheapening, depreciation, devaluation,** reduction, lowering; deflation, cooling *or* cooling off of the economy; decline, plummet, plummeting, plunge, dive, nose dive *or* slump *or* sag; price fall, break; **price cut** *or* **reduction,** cut, slash, **markdown.**

.5 VERBS **be cheap,** cost little, not cost anything *or* cost nothing [both informal], cost next to nothing; **buy dirt cheap,** buy for a song, buy for nickels and dimes, buy at a bargain, buy for a mere nothing; get one's money's worth, get a good pennyworth; buy at wholesale prices *or* at cost.

.6 **cheapen, depreciate, devaluate,** lower, reduce, **mark down, cut prices, cut,** slash, shave, trim, pare, knock the bottom out of [informal]; deflate, cool *or* cool off the economy; beat down, jew down [derog]; come down *or* fall in price; **fall,** decline, plummet, dive, nose-dive [informal], head for the bottom, plunge, sag, slump; break, give way; reach a new low.

.7 ADJS **cheap, inexpensive,** unexpensive, **low, low-priced,** frugal, reasonable, sensible, manageable, modest, moderate, to fit the pocketbook, budget, easy, economy, economic(al); within means; nominal, token; worth the money, well worth the money; cheap *or* good at the price, cheap at half the price; shabby, shoddy 673.18.

.8 **dirt cheap,** cheap as dirt, dog-cheap [informal], **a dime a dozen,** two-for-a-penny, twopenny-halfpenny, sixpenny, bargain-basement, five-and-ten, dime-store.

.9 **reduced,** cut, slashed, **marked down;** cut-rate; half-price; giveaway [informal], sacrificial; **lowest,** rock-bottom, bottom, best.

.10 ADVS **cheaply, cheap,** on the cheap [Brit informal]; **inexpensively,** reasonably, moderately, nominally; **at a bargain,** *à bon marché* [Fr], for a song *or* mere song, for pennies, for nickels and dimes, at small cost, at a low price, at budget prices, at piggy-bank prices, at a sacrifice; at cost *or* cost price, at prime cost, wholesale, at wholesale; at reduced rates.

850. COSTLESSNESS

(absence of charge)

.1 NOUNS **costlessness,** gratuitousness, gratuity, **freeness,** expenselessness, complimentariness, no charge; free ride [informal]; freebie [slang]; labor of love; gift 818.4–6.

.2 **complimentary ticket, pass,** free pass *or* ticket, paper [slang], free admission, guest pass *or* ticket, Annie Oakley [slang]; discount ticket, twofer [informal].

.3 **freeloader,** free rider, pass holder, deadhead [informal], paper [slang]; paper house [informal].

.4 VERBS **give, present** 818.12; freeload, sponge 907.11.

.5 ADJS **gratuitous, gratis, free, free of charge,** for free, **for nothing,** free for nothing, free for the asking, free gratis *or* free gratis for nothing [both informal], for love, free as air; freebie *or* freebee *or* freeby [all slang]; costless, expenseless, untaxed, without charge, free of cost *or* expense; unbought, unpaid-for; **complimentary, on the house;** given 818.24; gift-like; eleemosynary, charitable 938.15.

.6 ADVS **gratuitously, gratis, free, free of charge,** for nothing, for the asking, without charge, with the compliments of the management, as our guest.

851. ECONOMY

.1 NOUNS **economy, thrift, thriftiness,** economicalness, savingness, sparingness, unwastefulness, **frugality,** frugalness; tight purse strings; parsimony, parsimoniousness 852.1; false economy; carefulness, care, chariness, canniness; **prudence,** providence, forehandedness; **husbandry,** management, good management *or* stewardship, prudent *or* prudential administration; austerity, austerity program; economic planning; economy of means 852.1.

.2 **economizing,** economization, reduction of spending *or* government spending; **saving,** scrimping, skimping [informal], scraping, sparing, cheeseparing; **retrenchment, curtailment,** reduction of expenses, cutback, slowdown, cooling, cooling off *or* down, low growth rate.

.3 **economizer,** economist, **saver.**

.4 VERBS **economize, save,** make *or* enforce economies; **scrimp, skimp** [informal], **scrape,** scrape and save; **manage, husband,** husband one's resources; keep within compass [archaic], keep within one's means *or* budget, balance income with outgo, live within one's income, make ends meet, cut one's coat according to one's cloth; put something aside, save for a rainy day, have a nest egg.

.5 **retrench, cut down,** cut *or* pare down expenses, **curtail expenses;** cut corners, tighten one's belt, cut back, roll back [informal], take a reef, slow down.

.6 ADJS **economic(al), thrifty, frugal,** unwasteful, conserving, **saving,** economizing, spare, **sparing;** Scotch; **prudent,** prudential, provident, forehanded; careful, chary, canny; scrimping, skimping [informal], cheeseparing; penny-wise; parsimonious 852.7; labor-saving, time-saving, money-saving.

.7 ADVS **economically, thriftily, frugally,** husbandly [archaic]; prudently, providently; carefully, charily, cannily; sparingly, with a sparing hand.

852. PARSIMONY

.1 NOUNS **parsimony,** parsimoniousness; frugality 851.1; **stinting, pinching, scrimping,** skimping, cheeseparing; economy, economy of means, economy of assumption, law of parsimony, Ockham's razor, elegance.

.2 **niggardliness,** penuriousness, **meanness,** minginess, shabbiness, sordidness.

.3 **stinginess, ungenerosity, illiberality, cheapness** *or* tightness [both informal], tight purse strings, nearness, closeness, closefistedness, closehandedness [archaic], tightfistedness, hardfistedness, **miserliness,** penny-pinching, hoarding; **avarice** 634.8.

.4 **niggard, tightwad** [slang], **miser,** hard man with a buck [slang], **skinflint,** scrooge, penny pincher, pinchfist, pinchgut [archaic], churl, curmudgeon [archaic], muckworm, save-all [dial], Harpagon [Molière], Silas Marner [George Eliot].

.5 VERBS **stint, scrimp, skimp, scamp,** scant, screw, **pinch,** starve, famish; **pinch pennies,** rub the print off a dollar bill, rub the picture off a nickel; live upon nothing; grudge, begrudge.

.6 **withhold,** hold back, hold out on [slang].

.7 ADJS **parsimonious, sparing,** cheeseparing, **stinting, scamping, scrimping,** skimping; frugal 851.6; too frugal, overfrugal, frugal to excess; penny-wise, penny-wise and pound-foolish.

.8 **niggardly,** niggard, pinchpenny, penurious, **grudging, mean,** mingy, shabby, sordid.

.9 **stingy, illiberal, ungenerous, miserly,** saveall, **cheap** *or* **tight** [both informal], **near, close, closefisted,** closehanded [archaic], tightfisted, pinchfisted, hardfisted; near as the bark on a tree, "as close as a vise" [Hawthorne]; pinching, **penny-pinching; avaricious** 634.27.

.10 ADVS **parsimoniously,** stintingly, scrimpingly, skimpingly.

.11 **niggardly, stingily,** illiberally, ungenerously, closefistedly, tightfistedly; meanly, shabbily, sordidly.

853. LIBERALITY

.1 NOUNS **liberality,** liberalness, freeness, freedom; **generosity,** generousness, largeness, **unselfishness, munificence,** largess; bountifulness, bounteousness, **bounty;** hospitality, welcome, graciousness; **openhandedness,** freehandedness, open *or* free hand, easy purse strings; **givingness;** openheartedness, bigheartedness, largeheartedness, greatheartedness, freeheartedness; open heart, big *or* large *or* great heart; **magnanimity** 979.2.

.2 **cheerful giver,** free giver.

.3 VERBS **give freely,** give cheerfully, give with an open hand, give with both hands, put one's hands in one's pockets, open the purse, loosen *or* untie the purse strings; **spare no expense,** spare nothing, not count the cost, let money be no object; **heap upon,** lavish upon, shower down upon; give the coat *or* shirt off one's back, give more than one's share, **give until it hurts;** give of oneself, give of one's substance, not hold back, offer oneself; keep the change!

.4 ADJS **liberal, free,** free with one's money, free-spending; **generous, munificent,** large, princely, handsome; **unselfish,** ungrudging; **unsparing, unstinting,** stintless, unstinted; **bountiful,** bounteous, **lavish,** profuse; hospitable, gracious; **openhanded,** freehanded, open; **giving;** openhearted, **bighearted,** largehearted, greathearted, freehearted; **magnanimous** 979.6.

.5 ADVS **liberally, freely; generously, munificently,** handsomely; **unselfishly,** ungrudgingly; **unsparingly, unstintingly; bountifully,** bounteously, **lavishly,** profusely; hospitably, graciously; **openhandedly,** freehandedly; openheartedly, bigheartedly, largeheartedly, greatheartedly, freeheartedly; with open hands, with both hands, with an unsparing hand, without stint.

854. PRODIGALITY

.1 NOUNS **prodigality, overliberality,** overgenerousness, overgenerosity; profligacy, **extravagance,** pound-foolishness, reckless spending *or* expenditure; incontinence, intemperance 993; lavishness, profuseness, profusion; **wastefulness, waste; dissipation, squandering,** squandermania; carpe diem; slack *or* loose purse strings, leaking purse; conspicuous consumption *or* waste.

.2 **prodigal, wastrel,** waster, **squanderer; spendthrift,** wastethrift, spender, spendall, big-time spender [informal]; Diamond Jim Brady; prodigal son.

.3 VERBS **squander, lavish,** slather, blow [slang], play ducks and drakes with; **dissipate,** scatter [archaic], sow broadcast, scatter to the winds; **run through,** go through; **throw away,** throw one's money away, **spend money like water,** hang the expense, let slip *or* flow through one's fingers, spend as if money grew on trees, spend money as if it were going out of style, throw money around, spend like a drunken sailor; gamble away; burn the candle at both ends; seize the day, live for the day, let tomorrow take care of itself.

.4 **waste, consume, spend, expend, use up, exhaust;** lose; spill, pour down the drain *or* rathole; pour water into a sieve, cast pearls before swine, kill the goose that lays the golden egg, *manger son blé en herbe* [Fr], throw out the baby with the bath water.

.5 **fritter away,** fool away, fribble away, dribble away, drivel away, **trifle away,** dally away, potter away, piss away [slang], muddle away, diddle away [informal], squander in dribs and drabs; idle away, while away.

.6 **misspend, throw good money after bad,** throw the helve after the hatchet.

.7 **overspend,** spend more than one has, spend what one hasn't got; overdraw, overdraw one's account, live beyond one's means, have champagne tastes on a beer budget.

.8 ADJS **prodigal, extravagant, lavish,** profuse, **overliberal,** overgenerous, overlavish, **spendthrift, wasteful,** profligate, dissipative; incontinent, intemperate 993.7; pound-foolish, penny-wise and pound-foolish; easy come, easy go.

.9 **wasted, squandered, dissipated,** consumed, spent, used, lost; **gone to waste,** run to seed; down the drain *or* spout *or* rathole [informal]; misspent.

855. FEELINGS

.1 NOUNS **feelings, emotions, affections, sentiments, passions, sensibilities, susceptibilities, sympathies,** tender susceptibilities, finer feelings; the logic of the heart; emotional life; affectivity, affective faculty; feeling tone.

.2 (seat of affections; hence, affections, deepest feelings) **heart, soul, spirit,** *esprit* [Fr], **breast, bosom,** inmost heart *or* soul, heart of hearts, secret *or* inner recesses of the heart, secret places, heart's core, heartstrings, cockles of the heart, bottom of the heart, being, innermost being, core of one's being; viscera, pit of one's stomach, guts [slang]; bones.

.3 **feeling, emotion, affection,** emotional charge, path(o)–, thym(o)–; **sentiment, passion,** heartthrob; sense, deep *or* profound sense, **sensation** 422; impression, undercurrent; presentiment 481.3; foreboding 544; experience; affect; reaction, response, gut reaction [informal]; feeling tone, emotional shade *or* nuance.

.4 (capacity of emotion) **sensibility, sensitivity, sensitiveness,** delicacy, affectivity, susceptibility, impressionability 422.2.

.5 **sympathetic response, sympathy, fellow feeling,** responsiveness, relating, caring, concern; response, echo, chord, sympathetic chord, vibrations, vibes [slang]; **empathy,** identification; involvement, sharing; pathos.

.6 tender feeling, **tenderness,** softness, gentleness, delicacy; **tenderheartedness,** softheartedness, warmheartedness, tender *or* sensitive *or* warm heart, soft place *or* spot in one's heart; fondness, weakness 634.2.

.7 **bad feeling, hard feelings;** immediate dislike, disaffinity, personality conflict, **hostility,** animosity 929.3,4; **hardheartedness** 856.3.

.8 **sentimentality, sentiment, sentimentalism,** oversentimentality, oversentimentalism, bathos; nostalgia, nostomania; romanticism; sweetness and light, hearts-and-flowers; bleeding heart; mawkishness, cloyingness, maudlinness, namby-pamby, namby-pambyness, namby-pambyism; mushiness *or* sloppiness [both informal]; **mush** *or* slush *or* slop *or* goo *or* schmaltz [all slang]; sob story *or* tearjerker [both slang], soap opera.

.9 **emotionalism,** emotionality, emotionalizing, emotionalization; emotiveness, emotivity, visceralness; nonrationalness, unreasoningness; demonstrativeness; theatricality, theatrics, histrionics, making scenes; **sensationalism, melodrama,** melodramatics, blood and thunder, yellow journalism; emotional appeal, human interest, love interest.

.10 **fervor, fervency,** fervidness, **passion,** passionateness, impassionedness, **ardor, ardency,** *empressement* [Fr], warmth of feeling, **warmth, heat, fire,** verve, furor, fury, vehemence; heartiness, gusto, relish, savor; spirit, heart, soul; **liveliness** 707.2; **zeal** 635.2; **excitement** 857; ecstasy 857.7.

.11 VERBS **feel,** entertain *or* harbor *or* cherish *or* nurture a feeling; feel deeply, feel in one's viscera *or* bones, feel in one's guts [slang]; experience 151.8; have a sensation, get *or* receive an impression, **sense, perceive** 422.8.

.12 **respond, react,** be moved, be affected *or* touched, be inspired, echo, catch the flame *or* infection, be in tune, be turned on to [slang], enter into the spirit of, be imbued with the spirit of; care about, sympathize with, empathize with, identify with, relate to emotionally, dig [slang], be turned on by [slang], be involved, share; color with emotion, change color.

.13 **take to heart,** lay to heart, nourish in one's bosom, feel in one's breast, cherish at the heart's core, treasure up in the heart; lie at the heart.

.14 **have deep feelings, be all heart, have a tender heart,** be a man of heart *or* sentiment; have a soft place *or* spot in one's heart; be a prey to one's feelings; love 931.18–20; hate 930.5.

.15 **emotionalize, emote** [informal], give free play to the emotions, make a scene; be theatrical, theatricalize, ham it up [informal]; **sentimentalize,** gush [informal], slobber over [slang], slop over [informal].

.16 **affect, touch, move, stir; melt, soften,** melt the heart; **penetrate,** pierce, go through one, go deep; touch a chord, **touch a sympathetic chord, touch one's heart,** tug at the heart *or* heartstrings, go to one's heart; come home to; **touch to**

the quick, touch on the raw, flick one on the raw, smart, sting.

.17 **impress, affect, strike, hit,** smite, rock; **make an impression,** make a dent in, make an impact upon, sink in [informal], strike home, come home to, hit the mark [informal]; tell, have a strong effect, traumatize, strike hard, impress forcibly.

.18 **impress upon,** bring home to, make it felt; stamp, stamp on, etch, engrave, engrave on.

.19 ADJS **emotional,** emotive, **affectional,** affective, **feeling;** soulful, of soul, of heart, of feeling, of sentiment; visceral, gut [slang]; glandular; emotiometabolic, emotiomotor, emotiomuscular, emotiovascular; demonstrative, overdemonstrative.

.20 **emotionalistic,** emotive, overemotional, hysteric(al), sensational, sensationalistic, melodramatic, theatrical, histrionic, hammy [informal], nonrational, unreasoning.

.21 **sensitive,** sensible, emotionable, passible, delicate; responsive, sympathetic, receptive; susceptible, impressionable 422.13; **tender, soft, tenderhearted, softhearted,** warmhearted.

.22 **sentimental,** sentimentalized, soft, **mawkish, maudlin,** cloying; sticky *or* gooey *or* schmaltzy *or* sappy [all slang], oversentimental, oversentimentalized, bathetic; **mushy** *or* sloppy *or* gushing *or* teary *or* beery [all informal]; tear-jerking [slang]; namby-pamby, romantic; nostalgic, nostomanic.

.23 **fervent, fervid, passionate, impassioned,** intense, **ardent; hearty, cordial,** enthusiastic, exuberant, unrestrained, vigorous; keen, breathless, **excited** 857.18–25; **lively** 707.17; zealous 635.10; **warm, burning, heated, hot,** red-hot, fiery, flaming, glowing, ablaze, afire, on fire, boiling over, steaming, steamy; delirious, fevered, feverish, febrile, flushed; intoxicated, drunk.

.24 **affecting, touching, moving,** emotive, pathetic.

.25 **affected, moved, touched, impressed;** impressed with *or* by, penetrated with, seized with, imbued with, devoured by, obsessed, obsessed by; wrought up by; stricken, wracked, racked, torn, agonized, tortured.

.26 **deep-felt,** deepgoing, heartfelt, homefelt [archaic]; **deep,** profound, indelible; pervading, absorbing; penetrating, piercing; **poignant,** keen, sharp, acute.

.27 ADVS **feelingly, emotionally,** affectingly, touchingly, movingly, **with feeling,** poignantly.

.28 **fervently, fervidly, passionately, impassionedly,** intensely, **ardently,** zealously; keenly, breathlessly, excitedly; warmly, heatedly, glowingly; heartily, cordially; enthusiastically, exuberantly, vigorously; kindly, heart and soul, with all one's heart, from the bottom of one's heart.

.29 **sentimentally,** mawkishly, maudlinly, cloyingly; mushily *or* sloppily *or* gushingly [all informal].

856. LACK OF FEELINGS

.1 NOUNS **unfeeling,** unfeelingness, lack of affect, lack of feeling *or* feeling tone, emotional deadness *or* numbness *or* paralysis, anesthesia, **emotionlessness,** unemotionalism, unexcitability; **dispassion,** dispassionateness, unpassionateness, **objectivity;** passionlessness, **spiritlessness, heartlessness,** soullessness; **coldness, coolness, frigidity,** chill, chilliness, frostiness, iciness; coldheartedness, cold-bloodedness; cold heart, cold blood; **unresponsiveness,** unsympatheticness; lack of touch *or* contact, autism, self-absorption, withdrawal, catatonia; unimpressionableness, unimpressibility; insusceptibility, unsusceptibility; **impassiveness,** impassibility, impassivity; straight face *or* poker face [both informal], dead pan [slang]; immovability, untouchability; dullness, obtuseness; **inexcitability** 858.

.2 **insensibility,** insensibleness, **unconsciousness,** unawareness, **obliviousness,** oblivion.

.3 **callousness,** callosity, callus; **insensitivity,** insensitiveness, Philistinism; **hardness,** hardenedness, **hardheartedness, hardness of heart,** hard heart, heart of stone, stoniness, flintiness; obduracy, obdurateness, induration, inuredness; imperviousness, **thick skin,** rhinoceros hide, thick *or* hard shell, armor, formidable defenses.

.4 **apathy, indifference, unconcern, disinterest;** withdrawnness, **aloofness, detachment,** ataraxy *or* ataraxia, **dispassion; passiveness,** passivity, supineness, insouciance, nonchalance; inappetence, lack of appetite; **listlessness, spiritlessness,** blah *or* blahs [both slang], heartlessness, plucklessness, spunklessness; **lethargy, phlegm,** lethargicalness, phlegmaticalness, phlegmaticness, hebetude, **dullness,** sluggishness, languidness; soporifousness, sopor, comatoseness, torpidness, torpor, torpidity, **stupor,** stupefaction; acedia, sloth;

resignation, resignedness; **numbness,** benumbedness; hopelessness 889.

.5 VERBS not be affected by, remain unmoved, not turn a hair; have a thick skin, have a heart of stone; be cold as ice, be a cold fish, be an icicle.

.6 **callous, harden,** case harden, **harden one's heart,** ossify, steel, indurate, inure; brutalize.

.7 **dull, blunt,** desensitize, obtund, hebetate.

.8 **numb, benumb,** paralyze, **deaden,** anesthetize, freeze, **stun, stupefy,** drug.

.9 ADJS **unfeeling, unemotional,** nonemotional, emotionless, affectless, emotionally dead *or* numb *or* paralyzed, anesthetized, drugged; **unpassionate, dispassionate,** unimpassioned, **objective;** passionless, **spiritless, heartless,** soulless; **cold, cool, frigid,** frozen, chill, chilly, arctic, frosty, frosted, icy, **coldhearted, cold-blooded,** cold as charity; **unaffectionate,** unloving; **unresponsive,** unresponding, **unsympathetic;** out of touch *or* contact; in one's shell *or* armor, behind one's defenses; autistic, self-absorbed, catatonic; unimpressionable, unimpressible, insusceptible, unsusceptible; **impassive,** impassible; immovable, untouchable; dull, obtuse, blunt; **inexcitable** 858.10.

.10 **insensible, unconscious,** unaware, **oblivious,** blind to, deaf to, dead to, lost to.

.11 **unaffected, unmoved, untouched,** unimpressed, unstruck, **unstirred,** unruffled, unanimated, uninspired.

.12 **callous, calloused, insensitive,** Philistine; **thick-skinned,** pachydermatous; **hard, hardhearted, hardened,** case-hardened, indurated, stony, flinty, steely, impervious, inured, steeled against, proof against, as hard as nails.

.13 **apathetic, indifferent, unconcerned,** uncaring, Laodicean, **disinterested, uninterested; withdrawn, aloof, detached,** Olympian; **passive,** supine; stoic; insouciant, nonchalant, blasé; **listless, spiritless,** blah [slang], heartless, pluckless, spunkless; **lethargic, phlegmatic,** hebetudinous, **dull,** desensitized, sluggish, torpid, languid, slack, soporific, comatose, **stupefied,** in a stupor, **numb,** numbed, benumbed; resigned; hopeless 889.12.

.14 ADVS **unfeelingly, unemotionally,** emotionlessly; with a straight *or* poker face [informal], deadpan [slang]; **dispassionately,** unpassionately; **spiritlessly, heartlessly,** coldly, coldheartedly, cold-bloodedly, **in cold blood;** with dry eyes.

.15 **apathetically, indifferently, unconcernedly,** disinterestedly, uninterestedly, impassively; **listlessly, spiritlessly,** heartlessly, pluckless, spunklessly; **lethargically, phlegmatically,** dully, numbly.

857. EXCITEMENT

.1 NOUNS **excitement,** emotion, excitedness, **arousal, stimulation, exhilaration;** a high [slang], manic state *or* condition.

.2 **thrill, sensation,** titillation; **tingle,** tingling; quiver, shiver, shudder, tremor, **tremor of excitement,** rush [slang]; flush, rush of emotion, surge of emotion; **kick** *or* charge *or* boot *or* bang *or* lift [all slang], jollies [slang].

.3 **agitation, perturbation,** ferment, **turbulence, turmoil,** tumult, embroilment, uproar, **commotion,** disturbance, ado, *brouhaha* [Fr], feery-fary [Scot], to-do [informal]; pell-mell, **flurry,** ruffle, bustle, stir, swirl, swirling, whirl, vortex, eddy, hurry, hurry-scurry, hurly-burly; fermentation, yeastiness, effervescence, ebullience, ebullition; fume.

.4 **trepidation,** trepidity; **disquiet,** disquietude, inquietude, **unrest, restlessness,** fidgetiness; **fidgets** *or* **shakes** *or* shivers *or* dithers [all informal]; **quivering, quavering, quaking, shaking,** trembling; **quiver,** quaver, shiver, shudder, didder [Brit dial], twitter, **tremor,** tremble, flutter; palpitation, pitapatation [informal], pitapat, pitter-patter; **throb,** throbbing; panting, heaving.

.5 **dither, tizzy** [informal], swivet, foofaraw, **pucker** [informal], **twitter,** twitteration [informal], **flutter, fluster,** flusteration *or* flustration [both informal], **fret, fuss,** pother, bother, lather *or* stew [both informal], flap.

.6 **fever of excitement,** fever, heat, fever heat, fire; sexual excitement, rut 419.6.

.7 **fury, furor,** furore [Brit], fire and fury; **ecstasy,** transport, **rapture,** ravishment; intoxication, abandon; **passion, rage,** raging *or* tearing passion, towering rage *or* passion; **frenzy,** orgy, orgasm; madness, craze, **delirium,** hysteria.

.8 **outburst,** outbreak, **burst, flare-up,** blaze, **explosion,** eruption, irruption, upheaval, convulsion, spasm, seizure, fit, paroxysm; storm, tornado, whirlwind, cyclone, hurricane, gale, tempest, gust.

.9 **excitability,** excitableness, perturbability, agitability; emotional instability, explosiveness, eruptiveness, inflammability, combustibility, tempestuousness, vio-

lence, latent violence; **irascibility** 951.2; irritability, edginess, touchiness, prickliness, **sensitivity** 422.3; skittishness, startlishness, **nervousness** 859; emotionalism 855.9.

.10 **excitation, excitement, arousal,** arousing, **stirring,** stirring up, working up, working into a lather [informal], lathering up, whipping up, steaming up, **agitation, perturbation; stimulation, stimulus, exhilaration,** animation; electrification, galvanization; **provocation, irritation,** aggravation, exasperation, exacerbation, fomentation, inflammation, infuriation, **incitement** 648.4.

.11 VERBS **excite, impassion, arouse, rouse,** blow up [archaic], **stir, stir up,** set astir, stir the feelings, stir the blood, play on the feelings; **work up,** work into, work up into a lather [informal], lather up, whip up, **key up,** steam up; **move** 648.12; **foment, incite** 648.17; turn on [slang]; **awaken,** awake, wake, waken, wake up; call up, summon up, call forth; **kindle,** enkindle, light up, light the fuse, **fire, inflame,** heat, warm, set fire to, set on fire, fire *or* warm the blood; fan, fan the fire *or* flame, blow the coals, stir the embers, feed the fire, add fuel to the fire *or* flame, pour oil on the fire; raise to a fever heat *or* pitch, bring to the boiling point; overexcite; **annoy, incense** 952.22; **enrage, infuriate** 952.23; frenzy, madden 473.23.

.12 **stimulate, whet, sharpen,** pique, provoke, quicken, enliven, pick up, jazz up [slang], animate, **exhilarate,** invigorate, galvanize, fillip, give a fillip to; infuse life into, give new life to, revive, renew, resuscitate.

.13 **agitate, perturb, disturb, trouble, disquiet, discompose,** discombobulate [informal], unsettle, **stir, ruffle, shake, shake up, shock, upset,** jolt, jar, rock, stagger, electrify, bring *or* pull one up short, give one a turn [informal]; fuss [slang], flutter, flurry, rattle, disconcert, **fluster.**

.14 **thrill, tickle,** titillate, flush, give a thrill, **give one a kick** *or* boot *or* charge *or* bang *or* lift [informal]; intoxicate, fascinate, take one's breath away.

.15 **be excitable,** have a short fuse [informal], excite easily; **get excited,** get into a dither *or* tizzy *or* swivet *or* pucker, get into a stew [informal]; catch the infection, **work oneself up,** work oneself into a sweat *or* lather [informal], get hot under the collar [informal], run a temperature *or* race one's motor [both slang]; turn a hair; **explode, blow up** [informal], blow one's top *or* stack [informal], blow one's cool [slang], flip *or* flip one's lid [both slang], blow a gasket [slang]; **flare up,** flash up, flame up, fire up, catch fire, take fire; **fly into a passion, fly off the handle** *or* **hit the ceiling** [both informal]; go into hysterics, have a tantrum *or* temper tantrum, come apart; **rage, rave, rant,** rant and rave, bellow, **storm,** ramp; be angry, smolder, **seethe** 952.15.

.16 (be excited) **thrill,** tingle, **tingle with excitement,** glow; swell, swell with emotion, be full of emotion; thrill to; flip out [slang]; turn on to *or* get high on *or* freak out on [all slang]; heave, pant; **throb,** palpitate, go pitapat; **tremble, shiver, quiver, quaver, quake,** flutter, twitter, **shake,** shake like an aspen leaf, have the shakes [informal]; shit in one's pants [slang]; **fidget,** have the fidgets [informal]; toss and turn, toss, tumble, twist and turn, wriggle, wiggle, writhe, squirm; twitch, jerk.

.17 **change color,** turn color, go all colors; **pale,** whiten, blanch, turn pale; darken, look black; turn blue in the face; **flush, blush,** crimson, glow, mantle, color, redden, turn red.

.18 ADJS **excited,** impassioned; **thrilled,** agog, tingling, tingly, atingle, aquiver, atwitter; **stimulated, exhilarated, high** [slang]; manic; **moved, stirred,** stirred up, **aroused, roused,** on one's mettle, fired, inflamed, **wrought up, worked up,** worked up into a lather [informal], lathered up, whipped up, steamed up, keyed up, hopped up [slang]; turned-on [slang]; carried away; bursting, ready to burst; effervescent, yeasty, ebullient.

.19 **in a dither, in a tizzy** [informal], in a swivet, in a foofaraw, **in a pucker** [informal], in a quiver, **in a twitter,** in a flutter, all of a twitter *or* flutter, in a fluster, in a flurry, in a pother, in a bother, in a ferment, in a turmoil, in an uproar, in a stew *or* in a sweat [both informal], in a lather [slang].

.20 **heated, passionate, warm, hot,** red-hot, flaming, **burning, fiery, glowing, fervent, fervid; feverish,** febrile, hectic, flushed; sexually excited, in rut 419.30; burning with excitement, het up [dial], hot under the collar [informal]; seething, boiling, boiling over, steamy, steaming.

.21 **agitated, perturbed, disturbed, troubled, disquieted, upset,** unsettled, **discomposed, flustered,** ruffled, **shaken.**

.22 **turbulent,** tumultuous, tempestuous, boisterous, clamorous, uproarious.

.23 **frenzied, frantic; ecstatic,** transported, enraptured, ravished, in a transport *or* ecstasy; intoxicated, abandoned; orgiastic, orgasmic; raging, raving, roaring, bellowing, ramping, storming, howling, ranting, fulminating, frothing *or* foaming at the mouth; **wild,** hog-wild [slang]; **violent,** fierce, ferocious, feral, **furious; mad,** madding, **rabid,** maniac(al), demoniac(al), possessed; carried away, **distracted, delirious, beside oneself,** out of one's wits; uncontrollable, running mad, amok, berserk; **hysterical,** in hysterics; wild-eyed, wild-looking, haggard; blue in the face.

.24 **overwrought, overexcited; overcome,** overwhelmed, overpowered, overmastered; **upset,** *bouleversé* [Fr].

.25 **restless,** restive, **uneasy,** unquiet, unsettled, unrestful, tense; **fidgety,** fussy, fluttery.

.26 **excitable, emotional,** highly emotional, perturbable, agitable; emotionally unstable; explosive, volcanic, eruptive, inflammable; irascible 951.19; irritable, edgy, touchy, prickly, **sensitive** 422.13; **skittish,** startlish; **high-strung,** high-spirited, mettlesome, high-mettled; **nervous** 859.10.

.27 **passionate, fiery, vehement,** hotheaded, **impetuous,** violent, furious, fierce, **wild;** tempestuous, stormy, tornadic; simmering, volcanic, ready to burst forth.

.28 **exciting, thrilling,** thrilly [informal], **stirring, moving, breathtaking,** excito–; agitating, perturbing, disturbing, upsetting, troubling, disquieting, unsettling, distracting, jolting, jarring; heart-stirring, heart-thrilling, heart-swelling, heart-expanding, soul-stirring, spirit-stirring, deep-thrilling, mind-blowing [slang]; impressive, striking, telling; **provocative** 648.27, provoking, piquant, tantalizing 650.7; **inflammatory** 648.28; **stimulating,** stimulative; exhilarating, heady, intoxicating, maddening, ravishing; **electric,** galvanic, charged; **overwhelming,** overpowering, overcoming, overmastering, more than flesh and blood can bear; suspensive, **suspenseful,** cliff-hanging [informal].

.29 **penetrating, piercing,** stabbing, cutting, stinging, biting, keen, brisk, sharp, caustic, astringent.

.30 **sensational, lurid,** yellow, **melodramatic,** Barnumesque; spine-chilling; blood-and-thunder, cloak-and-dagger.

.31 ADVS **excitedly, agitatedly,** perturbedly; with beating *or* leaping heart, with heart beating high, with heart going pitapat *or* pitter-patter, thrilling all over, with heart in mouth; with glistening eyes, all agog, all aquiver *or* atwitter *or* atingle; in a sweat *or* stew *or* dither *or* tizzy.

.32 **heatedly, passionately,** warmly, hotly, glowingly, fervently, fervidly, **feverishly.**

.33 **frenziedly, frantically,** wildly, furiously, violently, fiercely, madly, rabidly, distractedly, deliriously, till one is blue in the face.

.34 **excitingly, thrillingly,** stirringly, movingly; **provocatively,** provokingly; stimulatingly, exhilaratingly.

858. INEXCITABILITY

.1 NOUNS **inexcitability,** inexcitableness, unexcitableness, **imperturbability,** imperturbableness, unflappability [informal]; inirritability, unirritableness; **dispassion,** dispassionateness, unpassionateness, ataraxy *or* ataraxia; steadiness; stoicism; **even temper,** steady *or* smooth temper, good *or* easy temper; unnervousness 860; **patience** 861; **impassiveness,** impassivity, stolidity; bovinity, dullness.

.2 **composure,** countenance; **calmness,** calm disposition, **placidity, serenity,** tranquillity, soothingness, peacefulness; mental composure, peace *or* calm of mind; calm *or* quiet mind, easy mind; philosophicalness, philosophy, philosophic composure; quiet, quietude; imperturbation, indisturbance, unruffledness; **coolness,** coolheadedness, cool [slang], sangfroid; icy calm; Oriental calm, Buddha-like composure.

.3 **equanimity,** equilibrium, equability, balance; **levelheadedness,** level head, well-balanced *or* well-regulated mind; poise, aplomb, **self-possession,** self-control, self-command, self-restraint, restraint, possession, **presence of mind;** confidence, assurance, **self-confidence, self-assurance.**

.4 **sedateness, staidness,** soberness, sobriety, sober-mindedness, seriousness, gravity, solemnity, sobersidedness; temperance, moderation; sobersides.

.5 **nonchalance,** casualness, offhandedness; easygoingness, lackadaisicalness; **indifference,** unconcern 636.2.

.6 VERBS **compose, calm** 163.7; **set one's mind at ease** *or* **rest,** make one easy.

.7 **compose oneself, control oneself,** restrain oneself, collect oneself, **get hold of oneself,** get organized [informal], master one's feelings; **calm down, cool off,** sober down, simmer down [informal], cool it

[slang]; **relax,** unwind, take it easy [informal].

.8 (control one's feelings) **suppress, repress,** keep under, smother, stifle, inhibit; sublimate.

.9 **keep cool,** keep one's cool [slang], **keep calm,** keep one's head, keep one's shirt on [slang], not turn a hair; take things as they come, roll with the punches [informal]; keep a stiff upper lip.

.10 ADJS **inexcitable, imperturbable,** undisturbable, unflappable [informal]; **unirritable,** inirritable; **dispassionate,** unpassionate; **steady;** stoic(al); **even-tempered; impassive,** stolid; bovine, dull; unnervous 860.2; **patient** 861.10.

.11 **unexcited, unperturbed,** undisturbed, untroubled, unagitated, **unruffled,** unflustered, unstirred, unimpassioned.

.12 **calm, placid,** quiet, **tranquil, serene,** peaceful; **cool, coolheaded,** cool as a cucumber [informal]; philosophical.

.13 **composed, collected,** recollected, **levelheaded; poised,** together [slang], in equipoise, equanimous, equilibrious, **balanced,** well-balanced; **self-possessed,** self-controlled, self-restrained; confident, assured, **self-confident, self-assured.**

.14 **sedate, staid,** sober, sober-minded, serious, grave, solemn, sobersided; temperate, moderate.

.15 **nonchalant, blasé; indifferent,** unconcerned 636.6,7; **casual, offhand; easygoing,** easy, free and easy, devil-may-care, lackadaisical, *dégagé* [Fr].

.16 ADVS inexcitably, **imperturbably,** inirritably, **dispassionately;** steadily; stoically; **calmly, placidly,** quietly, **tranquilly, serenely; coolly, composedly,** levelheadedly; impassively, stolidly, stodgily, stuffily.

.17 **sedately, staidly, soberly,** sobersidedly.

.18 **nonchalantly, casually,** offhandedly, easygoingly, lackadaisically.

859. NERVOUSNESS

.1 NOUNS **nervousness, nerves,** nervosity, **uneasiness, apprehensiveness;** undue *or* morbid excitability, excessive irritability, state of nerves, case of nerves, spell of nerves, attack of nerves; **agitation, trepidation** 857.3,4; fear 891; panic, panickiness; **fidgets,** fidgetiness; twitching, tic, vellication; stage fright, buck fever [informal]; nervous stomach.

.2 [slang or informal terms] **jitters,** willies, **heebie-jeebies,** jimjams, **jumps, shakes,** quivers, trembles, dithers, all-overs, butterflies, shivers, cold shivers, sweat, cold sweat.

.3 **tension,** tenseness, tautness, **strain, stress,** stress and strain, mental strain, nervous tension *or* strain, pressure.

.4 frayed nerves, frazzled nerves, jangled nerves, shattered nerves, raw nerves, twanging nerves; neurosis 690.19; neurasthenia, nervous prostration, nervous breakdown 686.7.

.5 **nervous wreck,** wreck, a bundle of nerves.

.6 VERBS **fidget,** have the fidgets; jitter, have the jitters, etc.; **tremble** 857.16.

.7 lose self-control, go into hysterics; lose courage 892.8; **crack** *or* **crack up** [informal], go haywire [slang]; **flip** *or* flip one's lid *or* wig [slang], **go to pieces,** have a nervous breakdown, come unstuck *or* come apart [both informal], go up the wall [informal].

.8 **get on one's nerves,** jangle the nerves, **grate on, jar on,** put on edge, **set the teeth on edge, go against the grain; irritate** 866.14.

.9 **unnerve, unman, undo, unstring,** unbrace, **demoralize, shake, upset,** psych out [informal], dash, knock down, **crush,** overcome, prostrate.

.10 ADJS **nervous,** nervy [Brit informal]; **high-strung,** overstrung, all nerves; **uneasy, apprehensive;** nervous as a cat; **excitable** 857.26; **irritable,** edgy, **on edge,** nerves on edge, on the ragged edge [informal], panicky, fearful, frightened 891.31–33.

.11 **jittery** [informal], **jumpy,** skittery [dial], twittery, all-overish [informal]; **shaky,** shivery, quivery, in a quiver; tremulous, tremulant, trembly; jumpy as a cat on a hot tin roof; **fidgety,** fidgeting; fluttery, all of a flutter *or* twitter; twitchy; **agitated** 857.21; shaking, trembling, quivering, shivering; shook up *or* all shook up [both slang].

.12 **tense,** uptight [informal], **strained,** stretched tight, taut, unrelaxed, **under a strain.**

.13 **unnerved, unmanned, unstrung, undone,** reduced to jelly, unglued [informal], **demoralized, shaken, upset,** dashed, stricken, **crushed; shot,** shot to pieces; neurasthenic, prostrate, prostrated, overcome.

.14 **nerve-racking,** nerve-rending, nerve-shaking, nerve-jangling, nerve-trying, nerve-stretching; jarring, grating.

.15 ADVS **nervously, shakily,** shakingly, tremulously, tremblingly, quiveringly.

860. UNNERVOUSNESS

.1 NOUNS **unnervousness, nervelessness; calmness, inexcitability** 858; unshakiness, untremulousness; **steadiness,** steady-handedness, steady nerves; no nerves, strong nerves, iron nerves, nerves of steel, icy nerves; cool head.

.2 ADJS **unnervous, nerveless,** without a nerve in one's body; strong-nerved, iron-nerved, steel-nerved; coolheaded, **calm, inexcitable** 858.10–12; cool, calm, and collected; **steady,** rock-steady, steady-nerved, steady-handed; unshaky, unshaken, unquivering, untremulous, without a tremor; unflinching, unfaltering, unwavering, unshrinking, unblenching, unblinking; **relaxed,** unstrained.

861. PATIENCE

.1 NOUNS **patience,** patientness; **tolerance,** toleration, **acceptance; indulgence,** lenience, leniency 759; sweet reasonableness; **forbearance,** forbearing, forbearingness; **sufferance, endurance; long-suffering,** long-sufferance, longanimity; **stoicism,** fortitude, self-control; patience of Job; "the art of hoping" [Vauvenargues], "a minor form of despair, disguised as a virtue" [Ambrose Bierce]; waiting game, waiting it out; **perseverance** 625.

.2 **resignation, meekness,** humility, humbleness; obedience; amenability; submission, **submissiveness** 765.3; acquiescence, compliance, uncomplainingness; nonresistance, quietism, passivity, **passiveness** 706.1; passive resistance, nonviolent resistance; Quakerism.

.3 **stoic,** Spartan, man of iron.

.4 VERBS **be patient,** forbear, bear with composure, **wait,** wait it out, play a waiting game, watch for one's moment, keep one's shirt on [slang], not hold one's breath [informal]; contain oneself, possess oneself, possess one's soul in patience; carry on, carry through; "have patience and endure" [Ovid].

.5 **endure, bear, stand,** support, sustain, **suffer, tolerate, abide,** bide; persevere, **stick** [informal]; hang in *or* hang in there *or* hang tough [all slang]; **bear with, put up with,** take up with, abide with, stand for [informal], brook, brave; lump *or* lump it [both informal].

.6 **accept, condone, countenance;** overlook, not make an issue of, let go by, let pass; **reconcile oneself to,** resign oneself to, yield *or* submit to, obey; accustom oneself to, accommodate oneself to, adjust oneself to; accept one's fate, lay in the lap of the gods, take things as they come, roll with the punches [informal]; **make the best of it,** make the most of it, make the best of a bad bargain, make a virtue of necessity; submit with a good grace, **grin and bear it,** grin and abide, shrug, shrug it off; take in good part, take in one's stride; rise above.

.7 **take, pocket, swallow,** down, stomach, eat, digest, disregard, turn a blind eye, ignore; swallow an insult, pocket the affront, turn the other cheek, take it lying down, turn aside provocation.

.8 **bear up under, bear the brunt,** stand the gaff [slang], **take it** [informal], take it on the chin [slang], take it like a man, not let it get one down [informal].

.9 ADJS **patient,** armed with patience, with a soul possessed in patience, patient as Job; **tolerant,** tolerative, tolerating, accepting; understanding, **indulgent,** lenient 759.8; **forbearing;** philosophical; **long-suffering,** longanimous; **enduring,** endurant; stoic(al), Spartan; disciplined, self-controlled; **persevering** 625.7.

.10 **resigned,** reconciled; **meek,** humble; obedient, amenable, **submissive** 765.12; acquiescent, compliant; accommodating, adjusting, adapting, adaptive; unresisting, **passive** 706.6; **uncomplaining.**

.11 ADVS **patiently,** enduringly, stoically; **tolerantly, indulgently,** leniently, forbearantly, forbearingly, philosophically, more in sorrow than in anger; "like patience on a monument smiling at grief" [Shakespeare]; perseveringly 625.8.

.12 **resignedly, meekly, submissively,** passively, acquiescently, compliantly, uncomplainingly.

862. IMPATIENCE

.1 NOUNS **impatience,** impatientness, unpatientness, breathless impatience; **anxiety, eagerness** 635; tense readiness, **restlessness,** restiveness, ants in one's pants [slang]; disquietude, unquietness, uneasiness; sweat *or* lather *or* stew [all informal], **fretfulness,** fretting, chafing; **impetuousness** 630.2; **haste** 709; excitement 857.

.2 **intolerance,** intoleration, unforbearance, nonendurance.

.3 **the last straw,** the straw that breaks the camel's back, the limit, the limit of one's patience, all one can bear *or* stand.

.4 VERBS **be impatient,** hardly wait; hasten

709.4–8; itch to, burn to; **champ at the bit, pull at the leash,** not be able to sit down *or* stand still; **chafe, fret, fuss,** squirm; **stew,** sweat, sweat and stew, get into a dither, get into a stew [informal], work oneself into a lather *or* sweat [informal], get excited 857.15; wait impatiently, sweat it out [slang]; jump the gun [informal].

.5 **have no patience with,** be out of all patience; **lose patience,** run out of patience, call a halt, have had it [informal], blow the whistle [slang].

.6 ADJS **impatient,** unpatient; breathless; champing at the bit, rarin' to go [slang]; **anxious, eager** 635.9; hopped-up [slang], in a lather [informal], in a sweat *or* stew [informal], excited 857.18,19; edgy, **on edge; restless,** restive, unquiet, uneasy; **fretful,** fretting, chafing, antsy-pantsy *or* antsy [both slang], squirming, squirmy, about to piss one's pants [slang]; **impetuous** 630.9; **hasty** 709.9–11.

.7 **intolerant, unforbearing, unindulgent.**

.8 ADVS **impatiently,** breathlessly; **anxiously** 635.14; fretfully; restlessly, restively, uneasily; intolerantly.

863. PLEASANTNESS

.1 NOUNS **pleasantness,** pleasingness, pleasance, pleasure, pleasurefulness, **pleasurableness,** pleasurability, pleasantry [archaic], felicitousness, **enjoyableness; bliss, blissfulness;** sweetness, mellifluousness, *douceur* [Fr]; mellowness; **agreeableness,** agreeability, complaisance, rapport, harmoniousness; compatibility; welcomeness; geniality, congeniality, cordiality, affability, amicability, amiability; amenity, graciousness; goodness, goodliness, niceness.

.2 **delightfulness,** exquisiteness, loveliness; **charm,** winsomeness, grace, **attractiveness, appeal,** appealingness, winningness; **glamour;** captivation, enchantment, entrancement, bewitchment, witchery, enravishment, **fascination** 650.1; invitingness, temptingness, tantalizingness; voluptuousness, sensuousness; luxury.

.3 **delectability,** delectableness, deliciousness, lusciousness; tastiness, flavorsomeness, savoriness; juiciness, succulence.

.4 **cheerfulness;** brightness, sunniness; sunny side, bright side; fair weather.

.5 VERBS make pleasant, brighten, sweeten, gild, gild the lily *or* pill.

.6 ADJS **pleasant, pleasing, pleasureful, pleasurable,** hedy–; fair, fair and pleasant, **enjoyable,** pleasure-giving; felicitous, felicific; **likable, desirable,** to one's liking, to one's taste, to *or* after one's fancy, after one's own heart; **agreeable,** complaisant, harmonious, *en rapport* [Fr], compatible; **blissful;** sweet, mellifluous, honeyed, dulcet; mellow; **gratifying,** satisfying, rewarding, heart-warming, grateful; **welcome,** welcome as the roses in May; genial, congenial, cordial, affable, amiable, amicable, gracious; good, goodly, nice, fine; cheerful 870.11.

.7 **delightful, exquisite, lovely; thrilling,** titillative; **charming, attractive, engaging, appealing,** prepossessing, **enchanting,** bewitching, witching, entrancing, enthralling, intriguing, fascinating 650.7; captivating, irresistible, ravishing, enravishing; **winning,** winsome, taking, fetching, heart-robbing; inviting, tempting, tantalizing; voluptuous, sensuous; luxurious.

.8 **blissful,** beatific, saintly, divine; sublime; **heavenly,** paradisiac(al), paradisial, paradisian, paradisic(al), empyreal *or* empyrean, Elysian; out of this world [slang].

.9 **delectable, delicious,** luscious; tasty, flavorsome, savory; juicy, succulent.

.10 **bright, sunny,** fair, mild, balmy; halcyon, Saturnian.

.11 ADVS **pleasantly, pleasingly, pleasurably,** fair, **enjoyably; blissfully; gratifyingly,** satisfyingly; agreeably, genially, affably, cordially, amiably, amicably, graciously, kindly; cheerfully 870.17.

.12 **delightfully, exquisitely; charmingly, engagingly, appealingly, enchantingly,** bewitchingly, entrancingly, intriguingly, fascinatingly 650.8; ravishingly, enravishingly; **winningly,** winsomely; invitingly, temptingly, tantalizingly, voluptuously, sensuously; luxuriously.

.13 **delectably,** deliciously, lusciously, tastily, succulently.

864. UNPLEASANTNESS

.1 NOUNS **unpleasantness,** unpleasingness, displeasingness, displeasure; **disagreeableness,** disagreeability, *désagrément* [Fr]; **undesirability,** unappealingness, unattractiveness, unengagingness, uninvitingness; **distastefulness,** unsavoriness, unpalatability, **undelectability; ugliness** 899.

.2 **offensiveness,** objectionability, objectionableness; repugnance, contrariety, **odiousness, repulsiveness,** repellence *or* repellency, rebarbativeness, disgustingness, nauseousness; **loathsomeness,** hatefulness, beastliness [informal]; **vileness, foulness,**

putridness, putridity, rottenness, noxiousness; nastiness, fulsomeness, noisomeness, **obnoxiousness,** abominability, heinousness; contemptibility, despicability, despicableness, baseness, ignobility; harshness; unspeakableness; grossness, crudeness, obscenity.

.3 **dreadfulness, horribleness,** horridness, atrociousness, atrocity, hideousness, terribleness, awfulness [informal]; grimness, direness, banefulness.

.4 **agony,** agonizingness, excruciation, excruciatingness, **torture,** torturesomeness, torturousness, **torment,** tormentingness; desolation, desolateness, heartbreak, heartsickness.

.5 **distressfulness, distress, grievousness, grief; painfulness,** pain 424; bitterness, sharpness; lamentability, lamentableness, deplorability, deplorableness, pitiableness, pitifulness, pitiability, regrettableness; **sadness, sorrowfulness, mournfulness,** lamentation, woefulness, woebegoneness, pathos, poignancy; comfortlessness, discomfort; dreariness, cheerlessness, joylessness, dismalness, **depression,** bleakness.

.6 **mortification,** humiliation, embarrassment; disconcertedness, awkwardness.

.7 **vexatiousness, irksomeness, annoyance,** annoyingness, aggravation, exasperation, provocation, provokingness, tiresomeness, wearisomeness; **troublesomeness, bothersomeness,** harassment; worrisomeness, plaguesomeness, peskiness *or* pestiferousness [both informal].

.8 **oppressiveness, burdensomeness,** onerousness, weightiness, heaviness.

.9 **intolerability,** intolerableness, unbearableness, insupportableness, insufferableness, **unendurability.**

.10 VERBS **be unpleasant; displease;** be disagreeable *or* undesirable *or* distasteful, etc.

.11 **offend,** give offense, **repel,** put off, **revolt, disgust,** nauseate, sicken, make one sick, make one sick to *or* in the stomach, make one vomit or puke *or* retch, turn the stomach, gross out [slang]; stink in the nostrils; stick in one's throat, stick in one's crop *or* craw *or* gizzard [informal]; **horrify, appall,** shock; make the flesh creep *or* crawl, make one shudder.

.12 **agonize,** excruciate, **torture, torment,** desolate.

.13 **mortify,** humiliate, embarrass, disconcert, disturb.

.14 **distress, dismay,** grieve, mourn, lament, sorrow; pain, discomfort.

.15 **vex, irk, annoy, aggravate,** exasperate, provoke; **trouble, worry,** plague, harass, bother.

.16 **oppress, burden,** weigh upon, weight down, wear one down, be heavy on one, crush one; **tire, exhaust,** weary, wear out, wear upon one; prey on the mind, prey on *or* upon; **haunt,** haunt the memory, obsess.

.17 ADJS **unpleasant, unpleasing, unenjoyable; displeasing, disagreeable; unlikable,** dislikable; **undesirable,** unattractive, unappealing, unengaging, uninviting, unalluring; unwelcome, thankless; **distasteful,** untasteful, **unpalatable,** unsavory, unappetizing, undelicious, **undelectable; ugly** 899.6–11; sour, **bitter.**

.18 **offensive, objectionable, odious, repulsive,** repellent, rebarbative, **repugnant, revolting,** forbidding; **disgusting, sickening, loathsome,** beastly [informal], **vile, foul, nasty, nauseating** 429.7; fulsome, mephitic, miasmal, miasmic, malodorous, stinking, fetid, noisome, noxious; gross, crude, obscene; **obnoxious, abhorrent, hateful, abominable,** heinous, **contemptible, despicable,** detestable, execrable, beneath *or* below contempt, **base,** ignoble.

.19 **horrid, horrible,** horrific, **horrifying,** horrendous, unspeakable; **dreadful, atrocious, terrible, rotten,** awful *or* beastly [both informal], hideous; **tragic;** dire, grim, baneful; appalling, shocking.

.20 **distressing,** distressful, dismaying; afflicting, afflictive; **painful,** sore, **bitter,** sharp; **grievous,** dolorous, dolorific, dolorogenic; **lamentable, deplorable,** regrettable, pitiable, piteous, rueful, woeful, woebegone, **sad,** sorrowful, wretched, mournful, **depressing,** depressive; **pathetic,** affecting, touching, moving, saddening, poignant; comfortless, discomforting, uncomfortable; dreary, cheerless, joyless, dismal, bleak.

.21 **mortifying,** humiliating, **embarrassing,** crushing, disconcerting, awkward, disturbing.

.22 **annoying, irritating,** galling, **provoking, aggravating** [informal], **exasperating; vexatious,** vexing, irking, **irksome,** tiresome, wearisome; **troublesome, bothersome, worrisome,** bothering, troubling, disturbing, plaguing, plaguesome, plaguey [informal], pestilent, pestilential, **pesky** *or* pestiferous [both informal]; tormenting, ha-

rassing, worrying; pestering, teasing; importunate, importune.

.23 **agonizing, excruciating, harrowing,** racking, rending, **desolating,** consuming; **tormenting,** torturous; **heartbreaking,** heartrending, **heartsickening,** heartwounding.

.24 **oppressive, burdensome,** onerous, heavy, weighty; harsh, wearing, wearying, exhausting; overburdensome, tyrannous, grinding.

.25 **insufferable, intolerable, insupportable, unendurable, unbearable,** past bearing, not to be borne *or* endured, **too much** *or* a bit much [informal], more than flesh and blood can bear, enough to drive one mad, enough to provoke a saint, enough to make a preacher swear [informal], enough to try the patience of Job.

.26 ADVS **unpleasantly,** unpleasingly; **displeasingly, offensively, objectionably,** odiously, **repulsively,** repellently, rebarbatively, repugnantly, **revoltingly, disgustingly, sickeningly, loathsomely, vilely,** foully, nastily, fulsomely, mephitically, malodorously, fetidly, noisomely, noxiously, obnoxiously, **abhorrently, hatefully, abominably,** contemptibly, **despicably, detestably,** execrably, nauseatingly.

.27 **horridly, horribly, dreadfully, terribly,** hideously; **tragically;** grimly, direly, banefully; appallingly, shockingly.

.28 **distressingly,** distressfully; **painfully,** sorely, **grievously,** lamentably, deplorably, pitiably, ruefully, woefully, sadly, pathetically; **agonizingly, excruciatingly,** harrowingly, heartbreakingly.

.29 **annoyingly, irritatingly, aggravatingly** [informal], **provokingly, exasperatingly; vexatiously, irksomely,** tiresomely, wearisomely; **troublesomely, bothersomely,** worrisomely.

.30 **insufferably, intolerably, unbearably, unendurably, insupportably.**

.31 INTERJS eeyuck! *or* yeeuck! *or* yeeuch!, phew! *or* pugh!, ugh!; *feh!* [Yid].

865. PLEASURE

.1 NOUNS **pleasure, enjoyment;** quiet pleasure, euphoria, well-being, **contentment,** content, **ease, comfort** 887; coziness; **gratification, satisfaction,** great satisfaction, hearty enjoyment, keen pleasure *or* satisfaction; self-gratification, self-indulgence; luxury; **relish, zest, gusto,** *joie de vivre* [Fr]; sweetness of life, *douceur de vivre* [Fr]; kicks [informal], fun, entertainment, amusement 878; intellectual pleasure, pleasures of the mind; physical pleasure, creature comforts, bodily pleasure, sense *or* sensuous pleasure; sexual pleasure, voluptuousness, sensual pleasure, *volupté* [Fr], animal pleasure, animal comfort, bodily comfort, fleshly *or* carnal delight; forepleasure, titillation, endpleasure, fruition.

.2 **happiness, gladness, delight,** delectation; **joy, joyfulness,** joyance; **cheer,** cheerfulness, exhilaration, exuberance, high spirits, **glee,** sunshine; gaiety 870.4, overjoyfulness, overhappiness; intoxication; **rapture,** ravishment, bewitchment, **enchantment,** unalloyed happiness; elation, exaltation; **ecstasy,** ecstatics, transport; **bliss,** blissfulness; beatitude, beatification, blessedness, felicity; paradise, heaven, seventh heaven, cloud nine.

.3 **treat, regalement,** regale, revelment, feast, round of pleasures, mad round, banquet, feast *or* banquet of the soul; festivity, celebration, merrymaking, revel, revelry, jubilation, joyance.

.4 pleasure-loving, pleasure principle, hedonism, hedonics; epicureanism, Cyrenaicism, eudaemonism.

.5 VERBS **please, give pleasure,** afford one pleasure, be to one's liking, sit well with one, meet one's wishes, take *or* strike one's fancy, strike one right, hit the spot [slang], be just the ticket *or* be just what the doctor ordered [both informal], make a hit [informal], go over big [slang].

.6 **gratify, satisfy,** sate, satiate; slake, appease, allay, assuage, quench; regale, feed, feast; do one's heart good, warm the cockles of the heart.

.7 **gladden,** make happy, happify; bless, beatify; cheer 870.7.

.8 **delight,** delectate, **tickle, titillate, thrill,** tickle to death *or* tickle pink [both informal]; wow *or* slay *or* knock out *or* knock dead [all slang]; **enrapture, enthrall, enchant,** entrance, fascinate, captivate, bewitch, **charm,** becharm; enravish, ravish, imparadise; transport, carry away, send *or* freak out [both slang].

.9 **be pleased, feel happy,** sing, purr, smile, laugh, be wreathed in smiles, beam; **delight,** joy, take great satisfaction; look like the cat that swallowed the canary, walk *or* tread on air, be in heaven *or* seventh heaven *or* paradise, be on cloud nine; fall *or* go into raptures; die with delight *or* pleasure.

.10 **enjoy,** be pleased with, receive *or* derive pleasure from, take delight *or* pleasure in, get a kick *or* boot *or* bang *or* charge *or*

lift out of [slang]; **like, love,** adore [informal]; **delight in, rejoice in,** indulge in, luxuriate in, revel in, riot in, bask in, wallow in, swim in; groove on *or* get high on *or* freak out on [all slang]; feast on, gloat over *or* on; **relish, appreciate,** roll under the tongue, savor, smack the lips; devour, eat up.

.11 **enjoy oneself,** have a good time.

.12 ADJS **pleased, delighted; glad,** gladsome; **charmed,** intrigued [informal]; **thrilled; tickled,** tickled to death *or* tickled pink [both informal], exhilarated; **gratified, satisfied;** pleased with, taken with, favorably impressed with, sold on [slang]; pleased as Punch, pleased as a child with a new toy; euphoric, eupeptic; **content, contented,** easy; **comfortable** 887.11,12, cozy, in clover.

.13 **happy, glad, joyful, joyous,** flushed with joy, radiant, beaming, glowing, starry-eyed, sparkling, laughing, smiling, smirking, chirping, purring, singing, dancing, leaping, capering, **cheerful, gay** 870.11–16; **blissful,** "throned on highest bliss" [Milton]; blessed; beatified, beatific; thrice happy, "thrice and four times blessed" [Vergil]; happy as a lark, happy as a king, happy as the day is long, happy as a baby boy, happy as a clam at high water.

.14 **overjoyed,** overjoyful, overhappy, bursting with happiness; **rapturous,** raptured, **enraptured, enchanted,** entranced, enravished, ravished, rapt, possessed; sent *or* high *or* freaked out [all slang], **in raptures,** transported, in a transport of delight, **carried away,** rapt *or* ravished away, beside oneself, beside oneself with joy, all over oneself [slang]; **ecstatic,** in ecstasies, rhapsodic(al); imparadised, **in paradise,** in heaven, in seventh heaven, on cloud nine; **elated,** elate, exalted, jubilant, exultant, flushed.

.15 **pleasure-loving,** pleasure-seeking, fun-loving, hedonic, hedonistic; epicurean, Cyrenaic, eudaemonic.

.16 ADVS **happily, gladly, joyfully, joyously, delightedly,** with pleasure, to one's delight; blissfully, blessedly; **ecstatically,** rhapsodically, **rapturously; elatedly,** jubilantly, exultantly.

.17 INTERJS **goody!,** goody, goody!, goody gumdrops!, good-o!; whee!, **wow!,** u-mm!, mmmm!, oooo!, oo-la-la!; oh boy!, boy oh boy!, boy!, man!, hot dog!, hot zigger-ty!, hot diggety!, wowie zowie!, out of sight! *or* outa sight!, groovy!, keen-o!, keen-o-peachy!

866. UNPLEASURE

.1 NOUNS unpleasure, **lack of pleasure,** joylessness, cheerlessness; unsatisfaction, nonsatisfaction, ungratification, nongratification; grimness; discontent 869; displeasure, dissatisfaction, **discomfort,** uncomfortableness, malaise, **painfulness; disquiet,** inquietude, **uneasiness,** unease, discomposure, vexation of spirit, **anxiety;** angst, anguish, dread, nausea, existential woe, existential vacuum; the blahs [slang]; **dullness,** flatness, staleness, tastelessness, savorlessness; ashes in the mouth; **boredom,** ennui, tedium, tediousness, spleen; emptiness, spiritual void, death of the heart *or* soul; unhappiness 872.2; dislike 867.

.2 **annoyance, vexation,** bothersomeness, exasperation, **aggravation** [informal]; **nuisance, pest, bother,** botheration [informal], **trouble, problem,** difficulty, trial; **bore,** crashing bore [informal]; **drag,** downer [both slang]; **worry,** worriment [informal]; bad news [informal]; **headache** [informal], **pain in the neck** *or* **pain in the ass** [both slang]; **harassment,** molestation, persecution, dogging, hounding, harrying; devilment, bedevilment; vexatiousness 864.7.

.3 **irritation,** exacerbation, salt in the wound, embitterment, **provocation;** fret, gall, chafe; irritant; pea in the shoe.

.4 **mortification, chagrin, distress; embarrassment, abashment, discomfiture,** disconcertion, disconcertment, discountenance, discomposure, disturbance, confusion; skeleton in the closet.

.5 **pain, distress, grief,** stress, stress of life, suffering, passion, dolor; ache, aching; pang, wrench, throes, cramp, spasm; wound, injury, hurt; **sore,** sore spot, tender spot, lesion; cut, stroke; shock, blow, hard *or* nasty blow.

.6 **wretchedness, despair,** bitterness, infelicity, **misery, anguish, agony, woe,** bale; **melancholy,** melancholia, **depression, sadness, grief** 872.10; **heartache,** aching heart, heavy heart, bleeding heart, broken heart, agony of mind *or* spirit; suicidal despair; **desolation,** prostration, crushing; extremity, depth of misery.

.7 **torment, torture,** cruciation, crucifixion, passion, rack, laceration, clawing, lancination; persecution; martyrdom; purgatory, "frigid purgatorial fires" [T. S. Eliot], hell, hell upon earth; holocaust; nightmare, horror.

.8 **affliction,** infliction; **curse, woe,** distress, grievance, **sorrow,** *tsures* [Yid]; **trouble,** peck *or* pack of troubles, "sea of troubles" [Shakespeare]; **care,** burden of care, cankerworm of care; **burden, oppression, cross, load,** encumbrance, weight, albatross around one's neck, millstone around one's neck; thorn, thorn in the side, crown of thorns; bitter pill, bitter draft, bitter cup, cup *or* waters of bitterness; gall, gall and wormwood; "the thousand natural shocks that flesh is heir to" [Shakespeare], "all the ills that men endure" [Abraham Cowley].

.9 **trial, tribulation,** trials and tribulations; **ordeal,** fiery ordeal, the iron entering the soul.

.10 **tormentor,** torment; **pest,** pesterer, nag, nudzh [slang], *nudnik* [Yid]; **tease,** teaser; annoyer, harasser, harrier, badgerer, **heckler,** plaguer, persecutor; sadist; **bully.**

.11 **sufferer,** victim, prey; **wretch,** poor devil, object of compassion; martyr.

.12 VERBS give no pleasure *or* joy *or* cheer *or* comfort, **disquiet,** discompose, leave unsatisfied; discontent 869.4; taste like ashes in the mouth; **bore,** be tedious.

.13 **annoy, irk, vex, nettle, provoke, pique,** miff *or* peeve [both informal], distemper, **ruffle, disturb,** discompose, **roil,** rile [informal], **aggravate** [informal], **exasperate,** exercise, try the patience; **put one's back up,** bristle; **gripe;** give one a pain [informal]; get, **get one's goat;** get under one's skin, get in one's hair; burn up *or* brown off [both slang]; **torment, molest, bother,** pother; **harass,** harry, drive up the wall [informal], **hound,** dog, nag, nudzh [slang], **persecute; heckle,** badger, hector, bait, bullyrag, worry, nip at the heels of, chivy, fash [Scot]; **bug** [slang], be on the back of *or* be at *or* ride [all slang], **pester, tease, needle,** devil, **bedevil, pick on** [informal], tweak the nose, pluck the beard, give a bad time to [slang]; **plague,** beset.

.14 **irritate,** exacerbate, rub salt in the wound, provoke, **gall, chafe, fret,** grate, grit *or* gravel [both informal], rasp; **get on one's nerves, grate on,** set on edge, **set the teeth on edge,** go against the grain; **rub the wrong way.**

.15 **chagrin, embarrass, abash, discomfit, disconcert,** discompose, confuse, throw into confusion, **upset,** confound, cast down, mortify, put out, put out of face *or* countenance, put to the blush.

.16 **distress, afflict, trouble,** burden, load with care, **bother, disturb, perturb, disquiet, discomfort, agitate, upset,** put to it.

.17 **pain, grieve,** aggrieve, anguish; **hurt, wound,** bruise, **hurt the feelings;** pierce, prick, stab, cut, sting; **cut up** [informal], **cut to the heart,** wound *or* sting *or* cut to the quick; touch a soft spot *or* tender spot, touch a raw nerve, touch where it hurts, hit one where he lives [slang]; step on one's corns; barb the dart, twist the knife.

.18 **torture, torment, agonize, harrow,** savage, **rack,** scarify, crucify, impale, excruciate, lacerate, claw, rip, bloody, lancinate, macerate, convulse, wring; prolong the agony, kill by inches; martyr, martyrize; punish 1010.10.

.19 **suffer, hurt, ache, bleed;** anguish, **suffer anguish; agonize,** writhe; go hard with, have a bad time of it; quaff the bitter cup, drain the cup of misery to the dregs, be nailed to the cross.

.20 ADJS **pleasureless,** joyless, cheerless, depressed 872.22, grim; **sad, unhappy** 872.20–28; unsatisfied, unfulfilled, ungratified; **bored;** anguished, anxious, suffering angst *or* dread *or* nausea, uneasy, unquiet, prey to malaise; **repelled,** revolted, **disgusted,** sickened, nauseated, nauseous.

.21 **annoyed, irritated,** bugged [slang]; galled, chafed; **bothered, troubled, disturbed, ruffled, roiled,** riled [informal]; **irked, vexed, piqued, nettled, provoked, peeved** *or* miffed [both informal], **griped, aggravated** [informal], **exasperated;** burnt-up *or* browned-off [both slang], resentful, angry 952.24–29.

.22 **distressed, afflicted, put-upon,** beset; **troubled, bothered, disturbed, perturbed, disquieted,** discomforted, discomposed, agitated; hung up [informal]; **uncomfortable,** uneasy, ill at ease; **chagrined, embarrassed,** abashed, discomfited, **disconcerted, upset, confused,** mortified, **put-out,** out of countenance, cast down, chapfallen.

.23 **pained, grieved,** aggrieved; **wounded, hurt,** injured, **bruised,** mauled; **cut,** cut to the quick; **stung;** anguished, aching, bleeding.

.24 **tormented, plagued, harassed, harried,** dogged, **hounded, persecuted,** beset; nipped at, worried, chivied, **heckled,** badgered, hectored, baited, bullyragged, ragged, **pestered, teased, needled,** deviled, **bedeviled, picked on** [informal], **bugged** [slang].

.25 **tortured, harrowed,** savagèd, **agonized,**

convulsed, wrung, racked, crucified, impaled, lacerated, clawed, ripped, bloodied, lancinated; on the rack, under the harrow.

.26 **wretched, miserable; woeful,** woebegone; crushed, stricken, **cut up** [informal], heartsick, heart-stricken, heart-struck; deep-troubled; desolate, disconsolate, suicidal.

.27 ADVS to one's displeasure, to one's disgust.

867. DISLIKE

.1 NOUNS **dislike, distaste, disrelish; disaffection, disfavor,** disinclination; disaffinity; **displeasure, disapproval,** disapprobation.

.2 **hostility,** antagonism, **enmity** 929; **hatred, hate** 930; **aversion, repugnance,** repulsion, **antipathy,** allergy [informal], abomination, **abhorrence, horror,** mortal horror; **disgust, loathing;** nausea; shuddering, cold sweat, creeping flesh.

.3 VERBS **dislike,** mislike, disfavor, not like, have no liking for, **have no use for** [informal], **not care for,** have a disaffinity for, entertain *or* conceive *or* take a dislike to, not be able to bear *or* endure *or* abide, **disapprove of; disrelish,** have no taste for, not have the stomach for; be hostile to; **hate, abhor, loathe** 930.5.

.4 **feel disgust,** be nauseated, **sicken at,** choke on, have a bellyful of [slang]; **gag, retch,** keck, heave, vomit, puke, upchuck *or* barf [both slang].

.5 **shudder at,** have one's flesh creep *or* crawl at the thought of; shrink from, **recoil, revolt at; grimace,** make a wry face *or* wry mouth; turn up one's nose at, look down one's nose at, look askance at, take a dim view of, show distaste for, disapprove of.

.6 **repel, disgust** 864.11.

.7 ADJS **unlikable, distasteful,** mislikable, dislikable, **uncongenial, displeasing,** unpleasant 864.17; **not to one's taste,** not one's sort, not one's cup of tea, against one's grain, counter to one's preferences, offering no delight, uninviting; unlovable; **abhorrent, odious** 864.18; **intolerable** 864.25.

.8 **averse, allergic** [informal], undelighted, out of sympathy, disaffected, disenchanted, **disinclined, displeased,** put off [informal], not charmed; **unfriendly, hostile** 929.9–13; –phobic.

.9 **disliked, uncared-for, unvalued,** unprized; **despised,** lowly; **unpopular, out of favor,** gone begging; **unappreciated,** misunderstood, misprized; unsung, thankless; unwept, unlamented, unmourned, undeplored, unmissed, unregretted.

.10 **unloved,** unbeloved, uncherished, loveless; **lovelorn,** forsaken, **rejected,** jilted, thrown over [informal], spurned, crossed in love.

.11 **unwanted,** unwished, undesired; **unwelcome,** unasked, unbidden, uninvited, uncalled-for, unasked-for.

868. CONTENTMENT

.1 NOUNS **contentment, content,** contentedness, satisfiedness; **satisfaction,** entire satisfaction, fulfillment; ease, peace of mind, composure 858.2; comfort 887; well-being, euphoria; **happiness** 865.2; **acceptance,** resignation, reconcilement, reconciliation.

.2 **complacence** *or* complacency, bovinity; **smugness, self-complacence** *or* self-complacency, **self-satisfaction, self-content,** self-contentedness.

.3 **satisfactoriness, adequacy, sufficiency** 661; **acceptability,** admissibility, **tolerability,** agreeability, unobjectionability, unexceptionability, tenability, viability.

.4 VERBS **content, satisfy;** gratify 865.6; put *or* set at ease, set one's mind at ease *or* rest, achieve inner harmony.

.5 **be content, rest satisfied, rest easy,** rest and be thankful, be reconciled to, take the good the gods provide, accept one's lot, let well enough alone; come to terms with oneself, learn to live in one's own skin; have no kick coming [slang], can't complain; content oneself with, settle for; **be pleased** 865.9.

.6 **be satisfactory, suffice** 661.4.

.7 ADJS **content, contented, satisfied; pleased** 865.12; happy 865.13; **easy, at ease,** at one's ease, easygoing; composed 858.13; **comfortable** 887.11,12, of good comfort; euphoric, eupeptic; without care, *sans souci* [Fr]; accepting, resigned, reconciled; uncomplaining, unrepining.

.8 **untroubled, unbothered, undisturbed,** unperturbed 858.11, unworried, unvexed, unplagued, untormented.

.9 **well-content, well-pleased,** well-contented, **well-satisfied,** highly satisfied.

.10 **complacent,** bovine; **smug, self-complacent, self-satisfied,** self-content, **self-contented.**

.11 **satisfactory, satisfying; sufficient** 661.6, sufficing, **adequate,** commensurate, pro-

portionate, proportionable, ample, equal to.

.12 **acceptable,** admissible, **agreeable,** unobjectionable, unexceptionable, tenable, viable; **OK** *or* okay *or* all right *or* alright [all informal]; **passable,** good enough.

.13 **tolerable, bearable, endurable, supportable, sufferable.**

.14 ADVS **contentedly,** to one's heart's content; **satisfiedly,** with satisfaction; **complacently, smugly,** self-complacently, self-satisfiedly, self-contentedly.

.15 **satisfactorily,** satisfyingly; **acceptably, agreeably,** admissibly; sufficiently, adequately, commensurately, amply, enough; **tolerably, passably.**

.16 **to one's satisfaction,** to one's delight, to one's great glee; to one's taste, to the king's *or* queen's taste.

869. DISCONTENT

.1 NOUNS **discontent,** discontentment, discontentedness; **dissatisfaction,** unsatisfaction, dissatisfiedness, unfulfillment; resentment, envy 954; restlessness, restiveness, uneasiness; rebelliousness 767.3; disappointment 541; unpleasure 866; unhappiness 872.2; ill humor 951; **disgruntlement,** sulkiness, sourness, petulance, peevishness, querulousness; vexation of spirit; cold comfort; divine discontent; Faustianism.

.2 **unsatisfactoriness,** dissatisfactoriness; **inadequacy, insufficiency** 662; **unacceptability,** inadmissibility, unsuitability, undesirability, objectionability, untenability, indefensibility; **intolerability** 864.9.

.3 **malcontent,** *frondeur* [Fr]; **complainer,** complainant, **faultfinder, grumbler,** growler, **murmurer,** mutterer, griper, croaker, peevish *or* petulant *or* querulous person, whiner, *kvetch* [Yid]; kicker *or* **grouch** *or* **crank** *or* crab *or* grouser *or* beefer [all informal]; **bellyacher** *or* bitcher *or* sorehead [all slang]; reactionary, reactionist; rebel 767.5.

.4 VERBS **dissatisfy, discontent, disgruntle, displease,** disappoint, dishearten, put out [informal].

.5 ADJS **discontented, dissatisfied, disgruntled,** unaccepting, unaccommodating, **displeased,** disappointed; **unsatisfied, ungratified,** unfulfilled; resentful, dog-in-the-manger; envious 954.4; restless, restive, uneasy; rebellious 767.11; malcontent, malcontented, **complaining,** complaintful, **faultfinding,** grumbling, growling, murmuring, muttering, griping, croaking, **peevish, petulant,** sulky, **querulous,** querulant, whiny; grouchy *or* cranky *or* beefing *or* crabby *or* crabbing *or* grousing [all informal]; bellyaching *or* bitching [both slang]; unhappy 872.21; out of humor 951.17.

.6 **unsatisfactory,** dissatisfactory; **unsatisfying, ungratifying,** unfulfilling; **displeasing** 864.17, disappointing, disheartening, not up to expectation, not good enough; **inadequate,** incommensurate, **insufficient** 662.9.

.7 **unacceptable,** inadmissible, unsuitable, undesirable, **objectionable,** exceptionable, impossible, untenable, indefensible; **intolerable** 864.25.

.8 ADVS **discontentedly, dissatisfiedly.**

.9 **unsatisfactorily,** dissatisfactorily; **unsatisfyingly, ungratifyingly; inadequately, insufficiently; unacceptably,** inadmissibly, unsuitably, undesirably, objectionably; intolerably 864.30.

870. CHEERFULNESS

.1 NOUNS **cheerfulness,** cheeriness, **good cheer, cheer,** cheery vein *or* mood; blitheness, blithesomeness; **gladness,** gladsomeness; **happiness** 865.2; **pleasantness,** winsomeness, geniality; brightness, radiance, sunniness; sanguineness, sanguinity, sanguine humor, euphoric *or* eupeptic mien; optimism, rosy expectation, hopefulness.

.2 **good humor, good spirits; high spirits, exhilaration,** rare good humor.

.3 **lightheartedness,** lightsomeness, lightness, levity; **buoyancy,** resilience, bounce [informal]; **jauntiness,** perkiness, debonairness, carefreeness; **breeziness,** airiness, pertness, chirpiness, light heart.

.4 **gaiety,** gayness, *allégresse* [Fr]; **liveliness, vivacity, vitality,** life, **animation, spiritedness, spirit,** esprit, élan, sprightliness, zestfulness, zest, vim, zip [informal], vigor, verve, gusto, **exuberance,** heartiness; **spirits,** animal spirits; piss and vinegar [slang]; **friskiness,** skittishness, coltishness, rompishness, rollicksomeness, capersomeness; **sportiveness, playfulness, frolicsomeness,** gamesomeness.

.5 **merriment,** merriness; **hilarity,** hilariousness; **joy,** joyfulness, joyousness; **glee,** gleefulness, high glee; **jollity,** jolliness, **joviality,** jocularity, jocundity; frivolity, **levity; mirth,** mirthfulness, **amusement** 878; **fun; laughter** 876.4.

.6 VERBS exude cheerfulness, radiate cheer, **beam,** glow, sparkle, sing, lilt, whistle, **chirp,** chirrup, chirp like a cricket, dance,

skip, caper, frolic, gambol, romp, caracole; **smile, laugh** 876.7,8.

.7 **cheer, gladden, brighten,** put in good humor; **encourage, hearten,** pick up [informal]; **inspire,** inspirit, warm the spirits, **raise the spirits,** elevate one's mood, buoy up, boost, give a lift [slang], put one on top of the world *or* on cloud nine [both informal]; **exhilarate,** animate, invigorate, liven, enliven, vitalize; **rejoice,** rejoice the heart, do the heart good.

.8 **elate, exalt,** elevate, lift, uplift, flush.

.9 **cheer up, take heart,** drive dull care away; **brighten up,** light up, **perk up; buck up** *or* brace up *or* chirk up [all informal]; come out of it, snap out of it [slang], revive.

.10 **be of good cheer,** bear up, **keep one's spirits up,** keep one's chin up [informal], keep one's pecker up [Brit informal], keep a stiff upper lip [slang], grin and bear it.

.11 ADJS **cheerful, cheery,** of good cheer, in good spirits; in high spirits, exalted, elated, exhilarated, high [slang]; irrepressible; **blithe,** blithesome; **glad, gladsome; happy** 865.13; **pleasant, genial,** winsome; **bright,** sunny, bright and sunny, **radiant,** riant, sparkling, beaming, glowing, flushed, rosy, smiling, laughing; sanguine, sanguineous, euphoric, eupeptic; optimistic, hopeful.

.12 **lighthearted,** light, lightsome; **buoyant,** corky [informal], resilient; **jaunty,** perky, **debonair, carefree,** free and easy; **breezy,** airy.

.13 **pert,** peart [dial], chirk [dial], chirrupy, **chirpy, chipper** [informal].

.14 **gay,** gay as a lark; **spirited,** sprightly, **lively, animated, vivacious,** vital, zestful, zippy [informal], **exuberant,** hearty; **frisky,** antic, skittish, coltish, rompish, capersome; **full of beans** *or* **feeling one's oats** [both informal], full of piss and vinegar [slang]; **sportive, playful,** playful as a kitten, **frolicsome,** gamesome; rollicking, rollicky, rollicksome.

.15 **merry, mirthful, hilarious; joyful, joyous,** rejoicing 876.9; **gleeful,** gleesome; **jolly,** buxom; **jovial,** jocund, jocular; **frivolous;** laughter-loving, mirth-loving, risible; merry as a cricket *or* grig, "as merry as the day is long" [Shakespeare].

.16 **cheering, gladdening; encouraging, heartening,** heart-warming; **inspiring,** inspiriting; **exhilarating,** animating, enlivening, invigorating; cheerful, cheery, glad, joyful.

.17 ADVS **cheerfully,** cheerily, with good cheer, with a cheerful heart; irrepressibly; **lightheartedly,** lightly; jauntily, perkily, airily; **pleasantly,** genially, blithely; **gladly, happily, joyfully,** smilingly; optimistically, hopefully.

.18 **gaily, exuberantly, heartily, spiritedly, animatedly, vivaciously,** zestfully, with zest, with vim, with élan, with zip [informal], with verve, with gusto.

.19 **merrily, gleefully, hilariously; jovially,** jocundly, jocularly; frivolously; **mirthfully,** laughingly.

871. SOLEMNITY

.1 NOUNS **solemnity, solemnness, soberness, sobriety, gravity,** weightiness, **somberness, grimness; sedateness, staidness;** demureness, decorousness; **seriousness, earnestness, thoughtfulness, sober-mindedness,** sobersidedness; sobersides; long face, straight face; **formality** 646.

.2 VERBS **keep a straight face,** look serious, compose one's features, wear an earnest frown, repress a smile, not crack a smile [slang], wipe the smile off one's face, keep from laughing.

.3 ADJS **solemn, sober, grave,** unsmiling, weighty, **somber,** frowning, **grim; sedate, staid;** demure, decorous; **serious, earnest, thoughtful,** serio–; **sober-minded,** sobersided; straight-faced, long-faced, grim-faced, grim-visaged, stone-faced; sober as a judge, grave as an undertaker; **formal** 646.7–10.

.4 ADVS **solemnly, soberly,** gravely, somberly, grimly; **sedately, staidly,** demurely, decorously; **seriously, earnestly,** thoughtfully, sober-mindedly, sobersidedly; with a straight face; formally 646.11,12.

872. SADNESS

.1 NOUNS **sadness,** sadheartedness; heaviness, **heavyheartedness,** heavy heart, **heaviness of heart;** pathos, bathos.

.2 **unhappiness,** infelicity; displeasure 866.1; discontent 869; **uncheerfulness,** cheerlessness; **joylessness,** unjoyfulness; mirthlessness, unmirthfulness, humorlessness, infestivity; **grimness; wretchedness, misery.**

.3 **dejection, depression, oppression,** dejectedness, **downheartedness,** downcastness; **discouragement, disheartenment,** dispiritedness; *Schmerz, Weltschmerz* [both Ger]; malaise 866.1; lowness, lowness *or* depression *or* oppression of spirit, downer, down trip [both slang]; **low spirits,** drooping spirits, sinking heart; de-

spondence *or* **despondency,** despondentness, spiritlessness, heartlessness; black *or* blank despondency, Slough of Despond; hopelessness 889, **despair** 889.2, pessimism 889.6, suicidal despair, death wish, self-destructive urge, weariness of life, *taedium vitae* [L].

.4 **hypochondria,** hypochondriasis, morbid anxiety.

.5 **melancholy, melancholia,** melancholiness; gentle melancholy, romantic melancholy; **pensiveness, wistfulness,** tristfulness.

.6 **blues** *or* blue devils [both informal], mulligrubs [slang], mumps, **dumps** [informal], **doldrums,** dismals, dolefuls [informal], blahs [informal], mopes, megrims, sulks.

.7 **gloom, gloominess,** darkness, **dismalness, bleakness, grimness, somberness, gravity, solemnity; dreariness,** drearisomeness; wearifulness, wearisomeness.

.8 **glumness,** grumness, **moroseness, sullenness,** sulkiness, **moodiness,** mumpishness, dumpishness; mopishness, mopiness [informal].

.9 **heartache, aching heart,** bleeding heart; heartsickness, heartsoreness; **heartbreak, broken heart,** brokenheartedness, heartbrokenness.

.10 **sorrow,** sorrowing, **grief, care,** carking care, **woe;** heartgrief, heartfelt grief; languishment, pining; **anguish, misery, agony;** prostration; lamentation 875.

.11 **sorrowfulness, mournfulness,** ruefulness, **woefulness, dolefulness,** dolorousness, **plaintiveness,** plangency, grievousness, aggrievedness, lugubriousness, funerealness; tearfulness 875.2.

.12 **disconsolateness,** disconsolation, **inconsolability,** comfortlessness; **desolation,** desolateness; forlornness.

.13 **sourpuss** *or* gloomy Gus [both slang]; mope, brooder; melancholic, melancholiac; depressive.

.14 **killjoy, spoilsport,** crepehanger [informal]; damp, damper, **wet blanket;** skeleton at the feast; pessimist 889.7.

.15 VERBS hang one's head, pull *or* make a long face, look blue, sing the blues [informal]; hang crepe [informal].

.16 **despond, lose heart,** give way, give oneself up *or* over to; **despair** 889.10, be *or* become suicidal, lose the will to live; **droop,** sink, languish; reach *or* plumb the depths, touch bottom, hit rock bottom.

.17 **grieve, sorrow; mourn** 875.8–14; be dumb with grief; **pine,** pine away; **brood over, mope, fret,** take on [informal]; **eat one's heart out,** break one's heart over; **agonize,** ache, bleed.

.18 **sadden,** darken, cast a pall *or* gloom upon, weigh *or* weigh heavy upon; **deject, depress, oppress,** press down, **cast down,** lower, lower the spirits, get one down [informal], **discourage, dishearten,** take the heart out of, **dispirit;** damp, dampen, damp *or* dampen the spirits; dash, knock down, beat down; sink, sink one's soul, plunge one into despair.

.19 aggrieve, oppress, **grieve, sorrow,** plunge one into sorrow, embitter; draw tears, bring to tears; **anguish, cut up** [informal], wring *or* pierce *or* lacerate *or* rend the heart, pull at the heartstrings; afflict 866.16, torment 866.18; **break one's heart, make one's heart bleed;** desolate, leave an aching void; prostrate, break down, crush, inundate, overwhelm.

.20 ADJS **sad,** saddened; sadhearted, **sad of heart; heavyhearted,** heavy; oppressed, weighed upon, weighed *or* weighted down, burdened *or* laden with sorrow; sad-faced, long-faced; sad-eyed; sad-voiced.

.21 **unhappy, uncheerful,** uncheery, **cheerless, joyless, unjoyful,** unsmiling; mirthless, unmirthful, humorless, infestive; **grim; out of humor,** out of sorts, in bad humor *or* spirits; **sorry,** sorryish; discontented 869.5; **wretched, miserable;** pleasureless 866.20–26.

.22 **dejected, depressed, downhearted, down, downcast, cast down,** bowed-down, subdued; **discouraged, disheartened, dispirited,** dashed; **low, feeling low,** low-spirited, **in low spirits; down in the mouth** [informal], **in the doldrums, in the dumps** *or* in the doleful dumps [both informal], in the depths; **despondent,** desponding; **despairing** 889.12, weary of life, suicidal, world-weary; pessimistic 889.16; spiritless, heartless, **woebegone; drooping,** droopy, languishing, pining; hypochondriac *or* hypochondriacal.

.23 **melancholy,** melancholic, **blue** [informal], funky; atrabilious, atrabiliar; **pensive, wistful,** tristful.

.24 **gloomy, dismal, bleak, grim, somber,** sombrous, **solemn, grave,** *triste* [Fr], **funereal,** funebrial, crepehanging [informal], saturnine; **dark,** black, gray; **dreary,** drear, drearisome; weary, weariful, wearisome.

.25 **glum,** grum, **morose, sullen,** sulky, mumpish, dumpish, long-faced, crestfallen, chapfallen; **moody,** moodish, **brooding,**

broody; mopish, mopey [informal], **moping.**

.26 **sorrowful, sorrowing,** sorrowed, **mournful, rueful, woeful, doleful, plaintive,** plangent; anguished; dolorous, **grievous, lamentable,** lugubrious; **tearful** 875.17; **careworn;** grieved, **grief-stricken,** griefful, aggrieved, in grief, plunged in grief, dumb with grief.

.27 **sorrow-stricken,** sorrow-wounded, sorrow-struck, sorrow-torn, sorrow-worn, sorrow-wasted, sorrow-beaten, sorrow-blinded, sorrow-clouded, sorrow-shot, sorrow-burdened, sorrow-laden, sorrow-sighing, sorrow-sobbing, sorrow-sick.

.28 **disconsolate, inconsolable,** unconsolable, comfortless, **forlorn; desolate,** *désolé* [Fr]; sick, **sick at heart, heartsick,** soul-sick, heartsore.

.29 **overcome,** crushed, overwhelmed, inundated, **stricken, cut up** [informal], **desolated,** prostrate(d), broken-down, undone; **heart-stricken,** heart-struck; **heartbroken,** brokenhearted.

.30 **depressing,** down [slang], depressive, depressant, **oppressive; discouraging, disheartening, dispiriting.**

.31 ADVS **sadly, gloomily, dismally, drearily,** heavily, bleakly, grimly, somberly, sombrously, solemnly, funereally, gravely, with a long face.

.32 **unhappily, uncheerfully,** cheerlessly, joylessly, unjoyfully.

.33 **dejectedly, downheartedly; discouragedly, disheartenedly, dispiritedly; despondently,** despairingly, spiritlessly, heartlessly; **disconsolately,** inconsolably, unconsolably, forlornly.

.34 **melancholily, pensively,** wistfully, tristfully.

.35 **glumly,** grumly, **morosely, sullenly; moodily,** moodishly, broodingly, broodily; mopishly, mopily [informal], mopingly.

.36 **sorrowfully, mournfully, ruefully, woefully, dolefully, dolorously, plaintively, grievously,** griefully, lugubriously; **heartbrokenly,** brokenheartedly; **tearfully,** with tears in eyes.

873. REGRET

.1 NOUNS **regret,** regretting, regretfulness; **remorse,** remorsefulness, remorse of conscience, ayenbite of inwit [archaic]; **shame,** shamefulness, shamefacedness, shamefastness; **sorrow, grief, sorriness,** repining; **contrition,** contriteness, attrition; bitterness; regrets, apologies; wistfulness 634.4.

.2 **compunction, qualms,** scruples, pangs, **pangs of conscience,** throes, sting *or* pricking *or* twinge *or* twitch of conscience, touch of conscience, **voice of conscience,** pricking of heart, better self.

.3 **self-reproach,** self-reproachfulness, **self-accusation, self-condemnation,** self-conviction, self-punishment, self-humiliation, self-debasement, self-hatred, self-flagellation; self-analysis, soul-searching, examination of conscience.

.4 **penitence, repentance, change of heart; apology,** humble *or* heartfelt apology, abject apology; reformation 145.2; deathbed repentance; *mea culpa* [L]; *saeta* [Sp]; **penance** 1012.3; wearing a hairshirt *or* sackcloth *or* sackcloth and ashes, mortification of the flesh.

.5 **penitent,** confessor, "a sadder and a wiser man" [Coleridge]; **prodigal son,** prodigal returned; Magdalen.

.6 VERBS **regret, deplore, repine, be sorry for; rue,** rue the day; **bemoan, bewail;** curse one's folly, **reproach oneself,** kick oneself [slang], bite one's tongue, accuse *or* condemn *or* blame *or* convict *or* punish oneself, flagellate oneself, humiliate *or* debase oneself, hate oneself for one's actions; examine one's conscience, search one's soul, analyze *or* search one's motives; cry over spilled milk, waste time in regret.

.7 **repent, think better of,** change one's mind; plead guilty, own oneself in the wrong, humble oneself, **apologize** 1012.5, beg pardon *or* forgiveness, throw oneself on the mercy of the court; **do penance** 1012.6; reform.

.8 ADJS **regretful, remorseful,** full of remorse, **ashamed,** shameful, shamefaced, shamefast, **sorry, rueful, repining,** unhappy about; **conscience-stricken,** conscience-smitten; **self-reproachful,** self-reproaching, self-accusing, self-condemning, self-convicting, self-punishing, self-flagellating, self-humiliating, self-debasing, self-hating; wistful 634.23.

.9 **penitent, repentant;** penitential, penitentiary; **contrite,** abject, humble, humbled, **sheepish, apologetic,** touched, softened, melted.

.10 **regrettable,** much to be regretted; **deplorable** 675.9.

.11 ADVS **regretfully, remorsefully,** sorrily, ruefully, unhappily.

.12 **penitently,** repentantly, penitentially; **contritely,** abjectly, **humbly** 906.15, **sheepishly, apologetically.**

874. UNREGRETFULNESS

.1 NOUNS **unregretfulness, unremorsefulness, unsorriness,** unruefulness; **remorselessness,** regretlessness, sorrowlessness; **shamelessness,** unashamedness.

.2 **impenitence,** impenitentness; nonrepentance, irrepentance; **uncontriteness,** unabjectness; seared conscience, heart of stone, callousness 856.3; **hardness of heart,** hardness, induration, obduracy; insolence 913.

.3 VERBS **harden one's heart,** steel oneself; **have no regrets,** not look backward, not cry over spilled milk; have no shame.

.4 ADJS **unregretful,** unregretting, **unremorseful, unsorry, unsorrowful,** unrueful; **remorseless,** regretless, sorrowless, griefless; unsorrowing, ungrieving, unrepining; **shameless,** unashamed.

.5 **impenitent, unrepentant,** unrepenting; **uncontrite,** unabject; untouched, unsoftened, unmelted, callous 856.12; hard, hardened, obdurate; insolent 913.8–10.

.6 **unregretted, unrepented.**

.7 ADVS **unregretfully, unremorsefully,** unruefully; **remorselessly,** sorrowlessly, impenitently, shamelessly, unashamedly; **without regret,** without looking back, **without remorse,** without compunction, without any qualms *or* scruples.

875. LAMENTATION

.1 NOUNS **lamentation,** lamenting, **mourning, moaning, grieving, sorrowing, wailing, bewailing, bemoaning,** keening, howling, ululation, "weeping and gnashing of teeth" [Bible]; sorrow 872.10.

.2 **weeping, sobbing, crying,** bawling, greet [Scot]; blubbering, whimpering, sniveling; **tears,** flood of tears, fit of crying; cry *or* good cry [both informal]; **tearfulness, weepiness** [informal], lachrymosity, melting mood; tearful eyes, swimming *or* brimming *or* overflowing eyes; **tear,** teardrop, lachryma, dacry(o)–; lacrimatory, tear bottle.

.3 **lament, plaint,** *planctus* [L]; **murmur,** mutter; **moan, groan; whine, whimper; wail,** wail of woe; **sob,** *cri du cœur* [Fr], **cry,** outcry, scream, **howl,** yowl, bawl, yawp, keen, ululation; jeremiad, tirade, dolorous tirade.

.4 **complaint, grievance, peeve,** pet peeve, **groan; dissent, protest** 522; **beef** *or* **kick** *or* **gripe** *or* grouse [all informal]; **bellyache** *or* **howl** *or* holler *or* **squawk** *or* **bitch** [all slang]; **complaining,** scolding, groaning, **faultfinding** 969.4, sniping, destructive criticism, **grumbling, murmuring;** beefing *or* **grousing** *or* kicking *or* griping [all informal]; **bellyaching** *or* **squawking** *or* **bitching** *or* yapping [all slang]; whining, petulance, peevishness, querulousness.

.5 **dirge, funeral** *or* **death song,** coronach, keen, elegy, epicedium, requiem, monody, threnody, threnode, knell, death knell, passing bell, funeral *or* dead march, muffled drums; eulogy, funeral *or* graveside oration.

.6 (mourning garments) **mourning, weeds,** widow's weeds, crape, black; deep mourning; sackcloth, sackcloth and ashes; cypress, cypress lawn, yew; mourning band; mourning ring.

.7 **lamenter, griever, mourner** 410.7; **complainer,** malcontent 869.3.

.8 VERBS **lament, mourn, moan, grieve, sorrow,** keen, weep over, **bewail, bemoan, deplore, repine, sigh,** give sorrow words; sing the blues [informal], elegize, dirge, knell.

.9 wring one's hands, tear one's hair, gnash one's teeth, beat one's breast, roll on the ground.

.10 **weep, sob, cry,** greet [Scot], **bawl,** boohoo; **blubber, whimper, snivel; shed tears,** drop a tear; **burst into tears,** give way to tears, melt *or* dissolve in tears, break down, break down and cry; cry one's eyes out, cry oneself blind.

.11 **wail,** ululate; **moan, groan; howl,** yowl, yawl [Brit dial]; **cry, squall, bawl,** yawp, **yell, scream,** shriek; cry out, make an outcry; bay at the moon; tirade.

.12 **whine, whimper,** yammer [dial], pule.

.13 **complain, groan; kick** *or* **gripe** *or* **beef** [all informal], **grumble, murmur, mutter, grouch** [informal], growl, clamor, croak, grunt, yelp, howl *or* raise a howl [both informal], put up a squawk *or* howl [slang]; **squawk** *or* holler *or* **crab** *or* **grouse** [all informal]; **bitch** *or* **bellyache** *or* yap [all slang]; **take on** [informal], **fret,** fuss, make a fuss about, fret and fume; air a grievance, lodge *or* register a complaint.

.14 **go into mourning;** put on mourning, wear mourning.

.15 ADJS **lamenting, grieving, mourning, moaning, sorrowing;** wailing, bewailing, bemoaning; **in mourning,** in sackcloth and ashes.

.16 **plaintive,** plangent, **mournful,** moanful, wailful, lamentive, ululant; **sorrowful** 872.26,27; **complaining, faultfinding** 969.24, **querulous, fretful,** petulant, pee-

vish; **howling,** Jeremianic; whining, whiny, whimpering, puling.

.17 **tearful,** teary, **weepy** [informal]; lachrymal, lachrymose, lacrimatory; in the melting mood, on the edge of tears, ready to cry; **weeping, sobbing, crying;** blubbering, whimpering, sniveling; **in tears,** with tears in one's eyes, with tearful *or* watery eyes, with swimming *or* brimming *or* overflowing eyes, with eyes suffused, bathed *or* dissolved in tears, "like Niobe, all tears" [Shakespeare].

.18 dirgelike, knell-like, elegiac(al), epicedial, threnodic.

.19 ADVS **lamentingly, plaintively, mournfully,** moanfully, wailfully; **sorrowfully** 872.36; complainingly, groaningly, querulously, fretfully, petulantly, peevishly.

876. REJOICING

.1 NOUNS **rejoicing, jubilation,** jubilance, jubilant display, jubilee, show of joy, raucous happiness; **exultation,** elation, triumph; whoopee *or* hoopla [both informal], festivity 878.3,4, merriment 870.5; celebration 877.

.2 **cheer, hurrah, huzzah,** hurray, hooray, yippee, rah; **cry, shout, yell;** hosanna, hallelujah, alleluia, paean, paean *or* chorus of cheers; **applause** 968.2.

.3 **smile,** smiling; bright smile, gleaming *or* glowing smile, beam; silly smile *or* grin; **grin,** grinning; broad grin, ear-to-ear grin, toothful grin; stupid grin, idiotic grin; sardonic grin, **smirk, simper.**

.4 **laughter, laughing, hilarity** 870.5, risibility; **laugh;** boff *or* boffola *or* yuck [all slang]; **titter; giggle; chuckle, chortle;** cackle, crow; **snicker,** snigger, snort; ha-ha, hee-haw, hee-hee, ho-ho, tee-hee, yuk-yuk; guffaw, **horselaugh; hearty laugh, belly laugh** [slang], Homeric laughter, cachinnation; **shout, shriek,** shout of laughter, burst *or* outburst of laughter, peal *or* roar of laughter, gales of laughter; fit of laughter, convulsion, "laughter holding both his sides" [Milton].

.5 VERBS **rejoice,** jubilate, **exult, glory, joy, delight,** bless *or* thank one's stars, congratulate oneself, hug oneself, rub one's hands, clap hands; dance *or* skip for joy, dance, skip, frisk, rollick, revel, frolic, caper, gambol, caracole, romp; sing, carol, chirp, chirrup, chirp like a cricket, whistle, lilt.

.6 **cheer,** give a cheer, **cry, shout, yell,** cry for joy, yell oneself hoarse; huzzah, hurrah, hurray, hooray; shout hosanna *or* hallelujah, "make a joyful noise unto the Lord" [Bible]; **applaud** 968.10.

.7 **smile,** crack a smile [slang], break into a smile; **beam,** smile brightly; **grin,** grin like a Cheshire cat *or* chessy-cat [informal]; **smirk, simper.**

.8 **laugh,** burst out laughing, burst into laughter, burst out, laugh outright; laugh it up [slang]; **titter; giggle; chuckle, chortle;** cackle, crow; **snicker,** snigger, snort; ha-ha, hee-haw, hee-hee, ho-ho, tee-hee, yuk-yuk; **guffaw,** horselaugh; **shout, shriek,** give a shout *or* shriek of laughter; **roar,** cachinnate, roar with laughter; shake with laughter, shake like jelly; be convulsed with laughter, go into convulsions; burst *or* split with laughter, break up [slang], split [informal], **split one's sides,** laugh fit to burst *or* bust [slang], bust a gut *or* pee one's pants laughing [both slang], **be in stitches** [informal], hold one's sides; laugh oneself sick *or* silly *or* limp, die *or* nearly die laughing; laugh in one's sleeve, laugh up one's sleeve, laugh in one's beard.

.9 ADJS **rejoicing,** delighting, exulting; **jubilant, exultant, elated,** elate, flushed.

.10 ADVS **rejoicingly,** delightingly, exultingly; **jubilantly, exultantly, elatedly.**

877. CELEBRATION

.1 NOUNS **celebration,** celebrating; **observance,** formal *or* solemn *or* ritual observance, **solemnization;** marking the occasion; **commemoration,** memorialization, remembrance, memory; jubilee; holiday 711.4; anniversaries 137.12; **festivity** 878.3,4; **revel** 878.6; rejoicing 876; **ceremony,** rite 646.4; religious rites 1040; ovation, triumph; **tribute;** testimonial, testimonial banquet *or* dinner; toast; **salute;** salvo; flourish of trumpets, fanfare, fanfaronade; dressing ship.

.2 VERBS **celebrate, observe, keep, mark,** solemnly mark, honor; **commemorate,** memorialize; **solemnize,** signalize, hallow, mark with a red letter; hold jubilee, jubilize, jubilate, maffick [Brit informal]; **make merry** 878.26; kill the fatted calf; sound a fanfare, blow the trumpet, beat the drum, fire a salute; dress ship.

.3 ADJS **celebrative,** celebrating; **commemorative,** commemorating; memorial; solemn.

.4 ADVS **in honor of, in commemoration of,** in memory *or* remembrance of, to the memory of.

878. AMUSEMENT

.1 NOUNS **amusement, entertainment, diversion,** solace, divertisement, *divertissement* [Fr], **recreation, relaxation,** regalement; **pastime,** *passe-temps* [Fr]; **mirth** 870.5; **pleasure, enjoyment** 865.

.2 **fun,** action [informal]; funmaking, fun and games, **play, sport,** game; **good time,** lovely time, pleasant time; big time *or* **high time** *or* high old time [all informal], picnic *or* laughs *or* lots of laughs *or* ball [all slang], great fun, time of one's life; a short life and a merry one.

.3 **festivity, merrymaking, merriment, gaiety, jollity,** jollification [informal], **joviality, conviviality,** whoopee *or* hoopla [both informal]; larking [informal], skylarking, racketing, mafficking [Brit informal], holiday-making; **revelry,** revelment, reveling, revels.

.4 **festival, festivity,** festive occasion, *fiesta* [Sp], **fete,** –fest, gala, **gala affair, blowout** [slang], **jamboree** [slang]; **high jinks,** do, great doings [all informal]; *fête champêtre* [Fr]; **feast, banquet** 307.9; picnic 307.6; party 922.11; waygoose [Brit dial], wayzgoose; **fair,** carnival; kermis; *Oktoberfest* [Ger]; Mardi Gras; Saturnalia; field day, gala day, feria.

.5 **frolic, play,** romp, rollick, frisk, gambol, caper, dido [informal].

.6 **revel, lark, escapade,** ploy; **celebration** 877; **spree, bout, fling,** wingding, randy [Scot], randan [dial]; **bust** *or* **tear** *or* **bender** *or* binge *or* **toot** *or* **bat** [all slang]; **carouse, carousal; orgy, debauch;** drinking bout 996.5.

.7 **round of pleasure,** mad round, **whirl,** merry-go-round, the rounds, the dizzy rounds.

.8 **sports; athletics,** agonistics; **gymnastics,** palaestra; **acrobatics,** tumbling; track, track and field; soccer, association football; Rugby, rugger [informal]; **swimming,** bathing, natation.

.9 **game, sport** 878.34; **play; contest** 796.3; race 796.12; **event, meet; bout, match,** go [informal]; singles, doubles; twosome, threesome, foursome; double-header; pentathlon, decathlon; play-off, runoff; games of chance 515.8.

.10 **tournament,** tourney, gymkhana, **field day;** rally; **regatta;** carousel; meet, track meet; **games,** Olympic games, the Olympics; Olympiad, Highland games.

.11 **entertainment industry; show business,** show biz [informal]; **theater** 611.18–20; **cabaret, tavern, roadhouse;** café dansant, café chantant; **nightclub,** night spot *or* nitery [both informal], *boîte, boîte de nuit* [both Fr]; juke joint [slang], discothèque; dance hall, dancing pavilion, ballroom, dance floor; casino; amusement park, fun-fair [Brit]; **resort** 191.27.

.12 **playground;** field, athletic field, playing field; football field, gridiron; baseball field, diamond; infield, outfield; soccer field; archery ground, cricket ground, polo ground, croquet ground *or* lawn, bowling green; bowling alley; links, golf links, golf course; fairway, putting green; **gymnasium,** gym [informal]; **court,** badminton court, basketball court, tennis court, racket court, squash court; billiard parlor, poolroom, pool hall; racecourse, track, course, turf, oval; stretch; rink, glaciarium, ice rink, skating rink; **playroom** 192.12.

.13 **swimming pool, pool,** swimming bath [Brit], plunge, plunge bath, natatorium; swimming hole; wading pool.

.14 **park,** public park, pleasure garden *or* ground, pleasance, paradise, common, commons.

.15 merry-go-round, carousel, roundabout, whirligig, whip, flying horses; Ferris wheel; seesaw, teeter-totter; swing; roller coaster; chutes, chute-the-chutes; –drome.

.16 **toy, plaything,** sport; bauble, knickknack, gimcrack, gewgaw, kickshaw, whim-wham, trinket; **doll,** paper doll, rag doll, puppet, marionette, toy soldier; **dollhouse,** doll carriage; **hobbyhorse,** cockhorse, rocking horse; **top,** teetotum; pinwheel; **jack-in-the-box;** jacks, jackstones; **jackstraws,** pick-up sticks; **blocks; checkerboard,** chessboard; **marble,** mig, agate, steelie, taw; athletic equipment; **ball** 255.13; **racket,** battledore; **bat,** baseball bat, cricket bat; **cue; club,** golf club.

.17 **playing cards, cards;** picture cards, **face cards,** court cards: **king, queen, jack** *or* knave; bower, right *or* left bower, best bower; spot cards: **ace,** deuce, trey; **joker;** diamonds, hearts, clubs, spades; hand; dummy; royal flush, flush, full house, straight, three of a kind, pair; singleton; trump, ruff; trick; rubber, round; pack, deck.

.18 **chessman,** man, piece; **bishop, knight, king, queen, pawn, rook** *or* castle.

.19 **player, frolicker,** frisker, **funmaker,** gamboler; **pleasure-seeker,** pleasurer, pleasurist, **playboy** [slang]; **reveler, merrymaker,**

rollicker, skylarker, **carouser,** cutup [slang]; contestant 791.2.

.20 **athlete,** jock [slang], **player,** amateur athlete, professional athlete, competitor, sportsman, sport, gamester, games-player; ballplayer, baseballer, cricketer; batter, catcher, baseman, infielder, outfielder, shortstop, outfield, battery; footballer, lineman, offensive lineman, defensive lineman, halfback, blocking back, wingback, tailback, quarterback, fullback, end, tackle; center; guard, linebacker; golfer; poloist; pugilist, wrestler 800.2,3; racer 269.5; jumper 319.4; skater; archer, bowman, toxophilite; coach, games master *or* mistress [Brit].

.21 **gymnast,** palaestrian; pancratiast; **acrobat,** tumbler, contortionist; funambulist, high wire artist, ropewalker, tightrope walker, ropedancer; aerialist, man on the flying trapeze; weightlifter.

.22 **master of ceremonies,** MC *or* emcee [both informal], marshal; **toastmaster;** master of the revels, revel master; Lord of Misrule, Abbot of Unreason [Scot]; social director.

.23 VERBS **amuse, entertain, divert,** regale, beguile, solace, recreate, refresh, enliven, exhilarate, put in good humor; **relax,** loosen up; **delight, tickle, titillate,** tickle the fancy; raise a smile *or* laugh, convulse, set the table on a roar, be the death of one; wow *or* slay *or* knock dead *or* kill *or* break one up *or* fracture one [all slang].

.24 **amuse oneself,** take one's pleasure, give oneself over to pleasure, be on pleasure bent; **relax,** let oneself go, loosen up; **have fun, have a good time,** have a ball *or* have lots of laughs [both slang], live it up *or* laugh it up [both slang]; drown care, drive dull care away; beguile the time, kill time, while away the time.

.25 **play, sport, disport; frolic, rollick, gambol, frisk, romp, caper,** cut capers [informal], antic, curvet, cavort, caracole, flounce, trip, skip, dance; **cut up** [slang], cut a dido [informal], horse around [slang], fool around, carry on [informal].

.26 **make merry, revel, roister,** jolly, lark [informal], skylark, **make whoopee** [slang], let oneself go, **blow** *or* **let off steam;** cut loose, let loose, let go, whoop it up, **kick up one's heels;** hell around *or* raise hell *or* blow off the lid [all slang]; step out [informal], go places and do things, go on the town, see life, **paint the town red** [slang]; go the dizzy rounds, go on the merry-go-round [slang]; **celebrate** 877.2; spree, **go on a spree,** go on a bust *or* toot *or* bender *or* binge *or* rip *or* tear [all slang]; **carouse,** jollify [informal], wanton, debauch, **sow one's wild oats, have one's fling.**

.27 **"eat, drink, and be merry"** [Bible], feast, banquet.

.28 ADJS **amused, entertained; diverted, delighted, tickled, titillated;** "pleased with a rattle, tickled with a straw" [Pope].

.29 **amusing, entertaining, diverting,** beguiling; **fun** [informal], more fun than a barrel of monkeys [informal]; recreative, recreational; **delightful,** titillative, titillating; humorous 880.4.

.30 **festive, festal; merry, gay, jolly, jovial, joyous, joyful,** gladsome, convivial, gala, hilarious; merrymaking, on the loose [informal].

.31 **playful, sportive,** sportful; **frolicsome,** gamesome, rompish, larkish, capersome; waggish 738.6.

.32 **sporting,** sports; **athletic,** agonistic; **gymnastic,** palaestral; **acrobatic.**

.33 ADVS **in fun,** for amusement, **for fun,** for the fun of it; for kicks *or* for laughs [both slang], for the heck *or* hell of it [slang], for the devil of it [slang]; just to be doing.

.34 **sports, games**

acey-deucy
acrostics
anagrams
archery
association football
backgammon
badminton
bagatelle
ball
balloon ball
bandy
baseball
basketball
battledore and shuttlecock
billiards
bingo, beano
blindman's buff
bobsledding
boccie
boloball
bowling, bowls
boxing 796.9
captain ball
cat
catch
charades
checkers
chess
Chinese checkers
climbing
court tennis
crambo
cricket
croquet
curling
deck tennis
discus
dominoes
draughts
fencing
fishing
fives
football
fox and geese
French and English
Frisbee
ghost
gliding
go
gobang
golf
go maku
Halma
hammer throwing
handball
hide-and-seek
hiking
hockey
hopscotch
horseshoes
hunting
hurdling
ice hockey
ice skating
jacks, jackstones

jackstraws
jai alai
keno
lacrosse
lawn tennis
leapfrog
lotto
luging
Mah-Jongg
marbles
merels
Monopoly
motorcycling
mountaineering
mumble-the-peg, mumblety-peg
ninepins
paddle tennis
pall-mall
pallone
parachuting
Parcheesi
pelota
Ping-Pong
polo
pool
post office
pushball
pyramids
quintain
quoits
racquets
riding
roller skating
rounders
rowing
Rugby
sailing
sailplaning
Scrabble
scuba diving
sculling
sharpshooting
shinny
shogi
shooting
shot-put
shuffleboard, shovelboard
skating
skeet, skeet shooting
skiing
ski-jumping
skin-diving
skittles
sky-diving
sledding
snowmobiling
snooker
snorkel diving
soccer
softball
squash, squash racquets
stickball
surfing
table tennis
tennis
tenpins
tent pegging
tetherball
three-dimensional chess
ticktacktoe
tiddlywinks
tilting
tipcat
tivoli
tobogganing
trap bat and ball
trapshooting
tug of war
volleyball
water polo
waterskiing
wrestling 796.10

.35 **card games**

all fours
auction bridge
authors
baccarat
banker
beggar-my-neighbor
bezique
blackjack
blind poker
bluff
Boston
brag
bridge
canasta
casino
commerce
commit
connections
contract bridge, contract
cribbage
draw poker
Earl of Coventry
écarté
euchre
faro
five hundred
flinch
fright
frog
gin
gin rummy
goat
go fish
hearts
keno
lansquenet
loo
lottery
lotto
matrimony
Milles Bornes
monte
napoleon
old maid
ombre
pairs
patience
penny ante
picquet
pinochle
Pit
poker
Polish bank
put-and-take
quadrille
quinze
reverse
rouge et noir
rum
rummy
Russian bank
seven-up
skat
snipsnapsnorum
solitaire
speculation
squeezers
straight poker
stud poker
thirty-one
twenty-one
vingt-et-un
whist

879. DANCING

.1 NOUNS **dancing,** terpsichore, dance, chore(o)–, chorio–; the light fantastic; **choreography; ballet,** classical ballet, modern ballet, comedy ballet; **modern dance;** dance drama, choreodrama; **hoofing** [slang]; tap dancing, soft-shoe dancing, clog dancing; solo dancing, choral dancing, ballroom dancing, social dancing, folk dancing, country dancing, square dancing, round dancing, couple dancing.

.2 **dance, hop** [informal], **shindig** *or* shindy [both slang]; **ball,** *bal* [Fr]; masked ball, masque, mask, masquerade ball, masquerade, *bal masqué* [Fr], *bal costumé* [Fr], fancy-dress ball; promenade, **prom** [informal]; country dance, square dance, barn dance; mixer, stag dance; record hop; tea dance, *thé dansant* [Fr]; gay dance [informal].

.3 **dancer,** *danseur* [Fr], terpsichorean, **hoofer** [slang], step dancer, tap dancer, clog dancer, heel-and-toe dancer; solo dancer, choral dancer, ballroom dancer, social dancer, folk-dancer, country dancer, square-dancer, round-dancer; figure dancer, figurant, figurante; skirt dancer; ballet dancer, ballet girl, **ballerina,** danseuse, coryphée; *première danseuse* [Fr], *danseur noble* [Fr]; **modern dancer; chorus girl,** chorus boy *or* man; geisha *or* geisha girl; nautch girl, bayadere; hula girl; taxi dancer.

.4 **ballroom, dance hall,** dancery; dance palace; casino.

.5 VERBS **dance, trip the light fantastic,** trip, skip, hop, foot, prance [informal], **hoof** [slang], clog, tap-dance; shake, shimmy, shuffle; waltz, one-step, two-step, foxtrot, etc.

.6 ADJS **dancing, dance, terpsichorean;** balletic; choreographic.

.7 **dances**

allemande
apache dance
barn dance
beguine
belly dance, *danse du ventre* [Fr]
bolero
boogaloo
bourrée
boutade

branle
breakdown
bubble dance
bunny hop
cakewalk
can-can
cantico
Castle walk
cha-cha
Charleston
chonchina
clog
conga
cotillion
country dance
courante
eagle rock
fan dance
fandango
flamenco
fling
folk dance
fox trot
frug
funky chicken
furlana
galliard
gallopade
galop
gavotte
german, german cotillion
habañera
Highland fling
hokey-pokey
hootchy-kootchy
hopak
hora
hornpipe
hula, hula-hula
hustle
interpretative dance
jig
jota
juba
kola
Lambeth Walk
lancers
limbo
lindy, lindy hop
longways dance
malagueña
mambo
mazurka
merengue
Mexican hat dance
minuet
monkey
morris dance
one-step
ox dance
pachanga
pas de deux
paso doble
passamezzo
pas seul
peabody
polka
polonaise
Portland fancy
quadrille
rain dance
reel
rigadoon
Road to the Isles
round dance
rumba
salsa
saltarello
samba
saraband
schottische
Scotch reel
shimmy
Sir Roger de Coverley
skirt dance
snake dance
square dance
strathspey
swim
sword dance
tango
tap dance
tarantella
trepak
turkey trot
twist
two-step
Virginia reel
waltz, valse
war dance
Watusi
ziganka

.8 **dance steps**

arabesque
buck-and-wing
chassé
coupé
double shuffle
gambado, gambade
grapevine
heel-and-toe
pas
pigeonwing
quickstep
shuffle

880. HUMOROUSNESS

.1 NOUNS **humorousness, funniness,** amusingness, laughableness, laughability, hilarity; wittiness 881.2; **drollness,** drollery; **whimsicalness,** quizzicalness; **ludicrousness, ridiculousness, absurdity,** absurdness, quaintness, eccentricity, incongruity, bizarreness, bizarrerie; richness, pricelessness [informal]; the funny side.

.2 **comicalness,** comicality; farcicalness, **farcicality,** slapstick quality, broadness.

.3 bathos; anticlimax, comedown.

.4 ADJS **humorous, funny, amusing; witty** 881.15; **droll, whimsical,** quizzical; **laughable,** risible, good for a laugh; **ludicrous, ridiculous, hilarious, absurd,** quaint, eccentric, incongruous, bizarre; rich, priceless [informal], screaming, too funny *or* too killing for words [informal].

.5 **comic** *or* **comical; farcical,** slapstick, broad; **burlesque** 967.14; tragicomic, seriocomic, mock-heroic.

.6 ADVS **humorously, amusingly,** funnily, **laughably;** wittily 881.18; drolly, whimsically, quizzically; **comically,** farcically, broadly; **ludicrously, ridiculously, absurdly,** quaintly, eccentrically, incongruously, bizarrely.

881. WIT, HUMOR

.1 NOUNS **wit, humor,** pleasantry, *esprit* [Fr], salt, spice *or* savor of wit; Attic wit *or* salt, Atticism; ready wit, quick wit, nimble wit, agile wit, pretty wit; dry wit, subtle wit; **comedy** 611.6; black humor, sick humor, gallows humor; satire, sarcasm, irony; parody, lampoon, travesty, caricature, burlesque, squib; farce, mere farce; slapstick, slapstick humor, broad humor; visual humor.

.2 **wittiness, humorousness, funniness; facetiousness,** pleasantry, **jocularity,** jocoseness, jocosity; **joking,** joshing [informal]; smartness, cleverness, brilliance; pungency, saltiness; keenness, sharpness; keen-wittedness, quick-wittedness, nimble-wittedness.

.3 **drollery,** drollness; **whimsicality,** whimsicalness, humorsomeness, antic wit.

.4 **waggishness, waggery;** roguishness 738.2; **playfulness,** sportiveness, **levity, frivolity,** flippancy, merriment 870.5; **prankishness,** pranksomeness; trickery, trickiness. tricksiness, trickishness.

.5 **buffoonery,** buffoonism, clownery, harlequinade; **clownishness,** buffoonishness; **foolery,** fooling, **tomfoolery;** horseplay; shenanigans *or* monkeyshines [both informal]; **banter** 882.

.6 **joke, jest, gag** [informal], **wheeze,** jape; **fun, sport, play;** story, yarn, **funny story,** good story; dirty story *or* joke, blue story *or* joke, *double entendre* [Fr]; shaggy-dog story; sick joke [informal]; ethnic joke; capital joke, good one, laugh, belly laugh, rib tickler, sidesplitter, howler, wow, scream, riot, panic; visual joke, sight gag

[informal]; **point,** cream of the jest; jestbook.

.7 **witticism, pleasantry,** *plaisanterie, boutade* [both Fr]; **play of wit,** *jeu d'esprit* [Fr]; **crack** *or* smart crack *or* **wisecrack** [all informal]; **quip,** conceit, bright *or* happy thought, bright *or* brilliant idea; **mot, bon mot,** smart saying, stroke of wit; epigram, turn of thought, aphorism, apothegm; flash of wit, scintillation; **sally,** flight of wit; **repartee,** retort, riposte, snappy comeback [slang]; facetiae [pl], quips and cranks; **gibe, dirty** *or* **nasty crack** [informal]; persiflage 882.1.

.8 **wordplay, play on words,** *jeu de mots* [Fr], missaying, corruption, paronomasia, *calembour* [Fr], abuse of terms; **pun,** punning; equivoque, equivocality; anagram, logogram, logogriph, metagram; acrostic, double acrostic; amphiboly, amphibologism; palindrome; spoonerism; malapropism.

.9 **old joke,** old wheeze, old turkey, **trite joke,** hoary-headed joke, joke with whiskers; **chestnut** *or* corn *or* **corny joke** *or* oldie [all slang]; Joe Miller, Joe Millerism; twice-told tale, retold story, warmed-over cabbage [informal].

.10 **prank, trick, practical joke,** waggish trick, *espièglerie* [Fr], antic, caper, frolic; **monkeyshines** *or* **shenanigans** [both slang].

.11 **sense of humor, risibility,** funny bone.

.12 **humorist, wit, funnyman, comic,** *bel-esprit* [Fr], life of the party; **joker,** jokester, gagman [informal], **jester, quipster, wisecracker** *or* gagster [both informal]; wag, wagwit; zany, madcap, cutup [slang]; **prankster; comedian,** banana [slang]; **clown** 612.10; punster, punner; epigrammatist; satirist, ironist; burlesquer, caricaturist, parodist, lampooner; reparteeist; witling; gag writer [slang], jokesmith.

.13 VERBS **joke, jest, wisecrack** *or* crack wise [both informal], utter a mot, **quip,** jape, josh [informal], fun [informal], make fun, **kid** *or* **kid around** [both informal]; **make a funny** [informal]; **crack a joke,** get off a joke, tell a good story; pun, play on words; scintillate, sparkle; **make fun of,** gibe at, fleer at, mock, scoff at, poke fun at, make the butt of one's humor, be merry with; ridicule 967.8–11.

.14 **trick, play a practical joke,** play tricks *or* pranks, **play a joke** *or* **trick on,** make merry with; pull one's leg, put one on [slang].

.15 ADJS **witty,** *spirituel* [Fr]; **humorous, funny; jocular,** joky [informal], **joking, jesting, jocose; facetious,** joshing [informal], **whimsical, droll,** humorsome; smart, clever, brilliant, scintillating, sparkling, sprightly; keen, sharp, rapier-like, pungent, pointed, biting, mordant; salty, salt, Attic; keen-witted, quick-witted, nimble-witted.

.16 **clownish,** buffoonish.

.17 **waggish;** roguish 738.6; **playful, sportive; prankish,** pranky, pranksome; tricky, trickish, tricksy.

.18 ADVS **wittily, humorously; jocularly, jocosely; facetiously; whimsically, drolly.**

.19 **in fun, in sport, in play, in jest,** in joke, as a joke, jokingly, jestingly, with tongue in cheek; for fun, for sport.

882. BANTER

.1 NOUNS **banter, badinage, persiflage, pleasantry, fooling, fooling around, kidding** *or* **kidding around** [both informal], **raillery,** rallying, **sport,** good-natured banter, harmless teasing; ridicule 967; **chaff, twit,** jest, joke, jape, josh [informal]; jive [slang]; exchange, give-and-take.

.2 **bantering, twitting, chaffing, joking, jesting,** japing, **fooling, teasing,** hazing, joshing [informal]; **jollying** *or* **kidding** [both informal]; **ribbing** *or* **ragging** *or* **razzing** *or* roasting [all slang].

.3 **banterer,** *persifleur* [Fr], **chaffer, twitter; jollyer** *or* **kidder** *or* josher [all informal]; **ribber** *or* roaster *or* razzer *or* ragger [all slang].

.4 VERBS **banter, twit, chaff,** rally, **joke, jest,** jape, **tease,** haze; **jolly** *or* **kid** *or* josh *or* put on [all informal], ride *or* needle [both informal]; **rib** *or* **rag** *or* **razz** *or* roast *or* jive [all slang].

.5 ADJS **bantering, chaffing, twitting; jollying** *or* **kidding** *or* joshing [all informal], **fooling, teasing,** quizzical.

883. DULLNESS

(being uninteresting)

.1 NOUNS **dullness, dryness,** dustiness, uninterestingness; **stuffiness, stodginess,** woodenness, stiffness; barrenness, sterility, aridity, jejunity; **insipidness,** insipidity, vapidness, vapidity, inanity, hollowness, emptiness, superficiality, **flatness,** tastelessness; characterlessness, colorlessness, pointlessness; **deadness,** lifelessness, spiritlessness, bloodlessness, paleness, pallor, etiolation, effeteness; **slowness,** pokiness, dragginess [informal], unliveliness; **tediousness** 884.2; **dreariness,** drearisome-

ness, dismalness; **heaviness,** leadenness, ponderousness; inexcitability 858; solemnity 871; lowness of spirit 872.3.

.2 **prosaicness,** prosiness; prosaism, prosaicism, prose, plainness; **matter-of-factness,** unimaginativeness; matter of fact.

.3 **triteness,** corniness *or* squareness [both slang], **banality,** banalness, unoriginality, **hackneyedness, commonplaceness,** commonness, familiarness, platitudinousness; **staleness,** mustiness, fustiness; cliché 517.3.

.4 VERBS **fall flat,** fall flat as a pancake; leave one cold, go over like a lead balloon [slang], lay an egg, bomb [slang]; **wear thin.**

.5 prose, platitudinize, sing a familiar tune.

.6 ADJS **dull, dry,** dusty, dryasdust; **stuffy, stodgy,** wooden, stiff; arid, barren, blank, sterile, jejune; **insipid,** vapid, inane, hollow, empty, superficial; fade, blah [informal], **flat,** tasteless; characterless, colorless, pointless; **dead,** lifeless, spiritless, bloodless, pale, pallid, etiolated, effete; cold; **slow,** poky, draggy [informal], pedestrian, plodding, unlively; **tedious** 884.8; **dreary,** drearisome, dismal; **heavy,** leaden, ponderous, elephantine; ho-hum [informal]; dull as dish water, "weary, stale, flat and unprofitable" [Shakespeare]; inexcitable 858.10; solemn 871.3; low-spirited 872.22.

.7 **uninteresting,** uneventful, **unexciting; unentertaining,** unenjoyable, **unamusing,** unfunny, unwitty.

.8 **prosaic,** prose, prosy, prosing, plain; **matter-of-fact,** unimaginative, unimpassioned.

.9 **trite;** corny *or* square *or* square-John *or* Clyde [all slang], fade, **banal,** unoriginal, platitudinous, **stereotyped,** stock, set, **commonplace, common,** truistic, **familiar,** bromidic [slang], old hat [informal], back-number, bewhiskered, warmed-over, **cut-and-dried; hackneyed,** hackney; well-known 475.27; **stale,** musty, fusty; **worn,** timeworn, well-worn, moth-eaten, threadbare, **worn thin.**

.10 ADVS **dully, dryly,** dustily, **uninterestingly;** stuffily, stodgily; aridly, barrenly, jejunely, **insipidly, vapidly,** inanely, hollowly, emptily, superficially, tastelessly, **colorlessly,** pointlessly; lifelessly, spiritlessly, bloodlessly, pallidly, effetely; slowly, draggily [informal], ploddingly; **tediously** 884.12; drearily, drearisomely, dismally; heavily, ponderously.

.11 **tritely,** cornily [slang], **banally,** commonplacely, commonly, familiarly, hackneyedly, unoriginally, truistically, stalely.

884. TEDIUM

.1 NOUNS **tedium, monotony, humdrum,** irksomeness, irk; **sameness,** sameliness, samesomeness [dial], wearisome sameness, the same old thing, the same damn thing [slang]; broken record; undeviation, unvariation, invariability; the round, the daily round, the weary round, the treadmill, the squirrel cage, the beaten track *or* path; time on one's hands, time hanging heavily on one's hands.

.2 **tediousness, monotonousness; humdrumness,** humdrumminess; **dullness** 883; **wearisomeness,** wearifulness; **tiresomeness, irksomeness,** drearisomeness; **boresomeness,** boringness; prolixity, long-windedness.

.3 **weariness, tiredness,** wearifulness; jadedness, fed-upness, satiation, satiety; **boredom,** boredness; **ennui,** spleen, melancholy, life-weariness, *taedium vitae* [L], world-weariness, dispiritedness 872.3.

.4 **bore,** crashing bore [informal], frightful bore; **pest, nuisance; headache** *or* **pain in the neck** *or* pain in the ass [all slang]; dryasdust, dusty, humdrum; drag [slang], proser, twaddler; **drip** *or* **pill** *or* **flat tire** [all slang]; **wet blanket;** buttonholer.

.5 VERBS **be tedious, drag on,** go on forever; have a certain sameness, be infinitely repetitive; **weary, tire, irk,** wear, wear on *or* upon, **make one tired,** fatigue, weary *or* tire to death, jade; give one a swift pain in the ass *or* give one a bellyful *or* make one fed-up [all slang], pall, satiate, glut.

.6 **bore,** leave one cold, set *or* send to sleep; **bore stiff** [informal], bore to tears, bore to death *or* extinction, bore to distraction, bore out of one's life, bore out of all patience; buttonhole.

.7 **harp on** *or* **upon, dwell on** *or* **upon,** harp upon one *or* the same string, play *or* sing the same old song *or* tune, play the same broken record.

.8 ADJS **tedious, monotonous, humdrum,** singsong, jog-trot, treadmill, unvarying, invariable, uneventful, broken-record, harping, everlasting, too much with us [informal]; blah [informal], **dreary,** drearisome, dry, dryasdust, dusty, **dull** 883.6; prolix, long-winded.

.9 **wearying,** wearing, **tiring; wearisome,** weariful, fatiguing, **tiresome, irksome; boring, boresome,** stupefyingly boring, stuporific, yawny [informal].

.10 **weary,** weariful; **tired,** wearied, irked; good and tired, tired to death, weary unto death; sick, **sick of, tired of, sick and tired of;** jaded, satiated, fed-up [slang]; **blasé;** splenetic, melancholy, melancholic, life-weary, world-weary, tired of living, dispirited 872.22.

.11 **bored, uninterested;** bored stiff [slang], bored to death *or* extinction, bored to tears, stupefied *or* stuporous with boredom.

.12 ADVS **tediously, monotonously,** harpingly, everlastingly, unvaryingly, endlessly; long-windedly; **boringly,** boresomely; **wearisomely,** fatiguingly, wearyingly, **tiresomely, irksomely,** drearisomely; dully 883.10.

.13 on a treadmill, in a squirrel cage, on the beaten track, on the same old round; without a change of menu *or* scenery *or* pace.

.14 PHRS ho, hum!, heigh ho!, what a life!; *plus ça change, plus c'est la même chose* [Fr, the more it changes, the more it's the same thing]; so what else is new?

885. AGGRAVATION

.1 NOUNS **aggravation, worsening; exacerbation,** embittering, embitterment, souring; deterioration; **intensification, heightening,** sharpening, deepening, increase, enhancement, amplification, enlargement, magnification, augmentation; **exasperation, annoyance, irritation** 866.2,3; deliberate aggravation, provocation; contentiousness 797.15.

.2 VERBS **aggravate, worsen,** make worse; **exacerbate,** embitter, sour; deteriorate; **intensify, heighten,** sharpen, make acute *or* more acute, bring to a head, deepen, increase, enhance, amplify, enlarge, magnify, build up; augment; rub salt in the wound, add insult to injury, pour oil on the fire, heat up [informal], hot up [slang]; **exasperate, annoy, irritate** 866.13, 14; provoke, be an *agent provocateur.*

.3 **worsen,** get *or* grow worse, go from push to shove; **go from bad to worse, jump out of the frying pan into the fire,** avoid Scylla and fall into Charybdis, "sow the wind and reap the whirlwind" [Bible].

.4 ADJS **aggravated, worsened, worse,** exacerbated, embittered, soured; **intensified, heightened,** increased, enhanced, amplified, magnified, enlarged, augmented, heated up [informal], hotted up [slang]; **exasperated, irritated, annoyed** 866.21; provoked, deliberately provoked.

.5 **aggravating,** aggravative; **exasperating,** exasperative; **annoying, irritating** 864.22; provocative; contentious.

.6 ADVS **aggravatingly, exasperatingly; annoyingly** 864.29.

.7 **from bad to worse,** worse and worse, out of the frying pan into the fire.

886. RELIEF

.1 NOUNS **relief, easement, easing,** ease; **reduction,** diminishment, diminution, lessening, abatement; **remedy** 687; **alleviation, mitigation, palliation,** softening, assuagement, allayment, appeasement, mollification, subduement; soothing, salving; lulling; dulling, deadening, numbing, anesthesia, anesthetizing, analgesia.

.2 **release, deliverance, freeing,** removal; suspension, intermission, respite, surcease, reprieve; discharge; catharsis, purging, purgation, purge, cleansing, cleansing away, emotional release.

.3 **lightening, disburdening,** unburdening, unweighting, unloading, disencumbrance, disembarrassment, easing of the load, a load off one's mind, something out of one's system.

.4 **sense** *or* **feeling of relief,** sigh of relief.

.5 VERBS **relieve,** give relief; **ease,** ease matters; **reduce,** diminish, lessen, abate; **alleviate, mitigate, palliate,** soften, pad, cushion, assuage, allay, lay, appease, mollify, subdue, soothe; salve, pour balm into, pour oil on; poultice, foment, stupe; slake, slacken; lull; **dull, deaden,** dull *or* deaden the pain, numb, benumb, anesthetize; temper the wind to the shorn lamb, lay the flattering unction to one's soul.

.6 **release, free, deliver,** reprieve, remove, free from; suspend, intermit, give respite *or* surcease; discharge; act as a cathartic, purge, purge away, cleanse, cleanse away; give release.

.7 **lighten, disburden,** unburden, unweight, unload, unfreight, disencumber, disembarrass, ease one's load; **set one's mind at ease** *or* **rest,** set at ease, **take the load off one's mind,** smooth the ruffled brow of care.

.8 **be relieved, feel relief,** feel better about it, get something out of one's system, feel *or* be oneself again; **breathe easy** *or* **easier,** breathe more freely, breathe again; **heave a sigh of relief,** draw a long *or* deep breath.

.9 ADJS **relieving, easing, alleviative,** alleviating, **mitigative,** mitigating, **palliative,** len-

itive, assuasive, softening, subduing, soothing, demulcent, emollient, balmy, balsamic; **remedial** 687.39; dulling, deadening, numbing, benumbing, anesthetic, analgesic, anodyne, pain-killing; cathartic, purgative, cleansing.

887. COMFORT

.1 NOUNS **comfort, ease, well-being;** contentment 868; clover, velvet [slang], bed of roses; life of ease 728.1; solid comfort.

.2 **comfortableness, easiness; restfulness,** reposefulness, peace, peacefulness; softness, cushiness [informal], cushioniness; **coziness, snugness;** friendliness, warmness; **homelikeness,** homeyness [informal], homeliness; **commodiousness,** roominess, convenience; luxuriousness 904.5; hospitality 925.

.3 **creature comforts, comforts, conveniences,** excellent accommodations, amenities, good things of life, cakes and ale, egg in one's beer [slang], all the comforts of home, all the heart can desire.

.4 **consolation, solace,** solacement, easement, heart's-ease, **encouragement,** aid and comfort, **assurance, reassurance,** support, **comfort,** crumb *or* shred of comfort, "kind words and comfortable" [William Cowper]; condolence 946, sympathy; **relief** 886.

.5 **comforter,** consoler, solacer, encourager, paraclete.

.6 VERBS **comfort, console, solace,** give comfort, bear up; condole with, sympathize with; ease, **put** *or* **set at ease;** relieve 886.5; **assure, reassure; encourage, hearten,** pat on the back; **cheer** 870.7; wipe away the tears, "rejoice with them that do rejoice, and weep with them that weep" [Bible].

.7 **be comforted, take comfort, take heart,** pull oneself together, pluck up one's spirits.

.8 **be at ease,** be *or* feel easy, stand easy [Brit]; **make oneself comfortable,** make oneself at home, feel at home; **relax,** be relaxed; live a life of ease 728.10.

.9 **snug,** snug down *or* up; tuck in.

.10 **snuggle, nestle, cuddle,** croodle [Brit dial], cuddle up, curl up; bundle; snuggle up to, snug up *or* together [archaic].

.11 ADJS **comfortable,** comfy [informal]; contented 868.7–10; **easy,** easeful; **restful,** reposeful, peaceful, **relaxing;** soft, cushioned, cushy [informal], cushiony; **cozy, snug,** snug as a bug in a rug; friendly, warm; **homelike,** homey [informal], homely, lived-in; **commodious,** roomy, convenient; luxurious 904.21.

.12 **at ease, at one's ease,** easy, relaxed, at rest; **at home,** in one's element.

.13 **comforting, consoling,** consolatory, of good comfort; condoling, condolent, condolatory, sympathetic; **assuring, reassuring,** supportive; **encouraging, heartening; cheering** 870.16; relieving 886.9; hospitable 925.11.

.14 ADVS **comfortably, easily,** with ease; **restfully,** reposefully, peacefully; **cozily, snugly; commodiously,** roomily, conveniently; luxuriously, voluptuously.

.15 **in comfort,** in ease, **in clover, on** *or* **in velvet** [slang], on a bed of roses.

.16 **comfortingly, consolingly,** assuringly, reassuringly, supportively, encouragingly, hearteningly; hospitably.

888. HOPE

.1 NOUNS **hope, hopefulness,** hoping, **hopes,** fond *or* fervent hope, good hope, good cheer; aspiration, **desire** 634; **expectation** 539; sanguine expectation, happy *or* cheerful expectation; **trust, confidence, faith,** assured faith, **reliance,** dependence; conviction, assurance, security, well-grounded hope; assumption, presumption; **promise,** prospect, prospects, good *or* bright *or* fair prospect, good *or* hopeful prognosis; great expectations, high hopes; hoping against hope, prayerful hope; doomed hope *or* hopes.

.2 "the second soul of the unhappy" [Goethe], "the dream of those that wake" [Matthew Prior], "the thing with feathers that perches in the soul" [Emily Dickinson], "the worst of all evils, because it prolongs the torments of man" [Nietzsche].

.3 **optimism,** optimisticalness, Pollyannaism, cheerful *or* bright *or* rosy outlook; **cheerfulness** 870; bright side, silver lining; "the noble temptation to see too much in everything" [Chesterton], "the mania of maintaining that everything is well when we are wretched" [Voltaire]; philosophical optimism, Leibnizian optimism, utopianism, perfectionism, perfectibilism; millenarianism, chiliasm, millennialism.

.4 **ray of hope,** gleam *or* glimmer of hope; faint hope.

.5 **airy hope,** unreal hope, dream, golden dream, pipe dream [informal], bubble, chimera, fool's paradise, quixotic ideal, utopia 535.11.

.6 **optimist,** hoper, Pollyanna [Eleanor Por-

ter], ray of sunshine [slang], irrepressible optimist; "a proponent of the doctrine that black is white" [Ambrose Bierce], "one who makes the best of it when he gets the worst of it" [anon], "one who makes the most of all that comes and the least of all that goes" [Sara Teasdale], Leibnizian optimist, philosophical optimist, utopian, perfectionist, perfectibilist, perfectibilitarian; millenarian, chiliast, millennialist, millennian; aspirer, aspirant, hopeful [informal].

.7 VERBS **hope,** be *or* live in hopes, entertain *or* harbor the hope, cling to the hope, cherish *or* foster *or* nurture the hope; **expect** 539.5; **trust,** confide, presume, feel confident, rest assured; pin one's hope upon, put one's trust in, hope in, rely on, count on, lean upon, bank on; hope for, **aspire to, desire** 634.14–16; **hope against hope,** hope and pray, hope to God [informal].

.8 **be hopeful, get one's hopes up,** keep one's spirits up, never say die, take heart, be of good hope, be of good cheer, keep hoping, keep hope alive; **hope for the best,** knock on wood, keep one's fingers crossed, allow oneself to hope; catch at straws.

.9 **be optimistic, look on the bright side, look through rose-colored glasses,** *voir en couleur de rose* [Fr], think positively *or* affirmatively, be upbeat [informal], think the best of, **make the best of it,** say that all is for the best, put a good *or* bold face upon, put the best face upon; count one's chickens before they are hatched, count one's bridges before they are crossed.

.10 **give hope, raise hope,** yield *or* afford hope, hold out hope, justify hope, inspire hope, **raise one's hopes,** raise expectations, **lead one to expect; cheer** 870.7; inspire, inspirit; **assure, reassure,** support; **promise,** hold out promise, augur well, bid fair *or* well, make fair promise, have good prospects.

.11 ADJS **hopeful, hoping, in hopes,** full of hope, in good heart, of good hope, of good cheer; **aspiring** 634.28; **expectant** 539.11; **sanguine,** fond; **confident,** assured; undespairing.

.12 **optimistic,** upbeat [informal], bright, sunny; **cheerful** 870.11–15; **rosy,** roseate, rose-colored, *couleur de rose* [Fr]; Leibnizian, utopian 535.23, perfectionist, perfectibilitarian, millenarian, chiliastic, millennialistic.

.13 **promising,** of promise, full of promise, bright with promise, pregnant of good, **favorable,** looking up; **auspicious, propitious** 544.18; inspiring, inspiriting, **encouraging,** cheering, reassuring, supportive.

.14 ADVS **hopefully,** hopingly; **expectantly** 539.15; **optimistically; cheerfully** 870.17; sanguinely, fondly; confidently.

889. HOPELESSNESS

.1 NOUNS **hopelessness,** unhopefulness, no hope, not a prayer [informal], small hope, bleak outlook *or* prospect *or* prognosis, blank future; inexpectation 540; futility 669.2; impossibility 510.

.2 **despair, desperation,** desperateness; no way [informal], no way out, no exit, despondency 872.3; disconsolateness 872.12; forlornness; cave of despair, cave of Trophonius; acedia, sloth; apathy 856.4.

.3 **irreclaimability, irretrievability,** irredeemability, irrecoverableness, unsalvageability, unsalvability; incorrigibility, irreformability; irrevocability, **irreversibility; irreparability, incurability,** irremediableness, curelessness, remedilessness, immedicableness; unrelievability, unmitigability.

.4 **forlorn hope,** vain expectation, doomed *or* foredoomed hope, counsel of perfection.

.5 dashed hopes, blighted hope, hope deferred; disappointment 541.

.6 **pessimism, cynicism,** malism, nihilism; uncheerfulness 872.2; **gloominess,** dismalness, gloomy outlook; negativism; defeatism; retreatism; "the name that men of weak nerve give to wisdom" [Bernard De Voto].

.7 **pessimist, cynic,** malist, nihilist; killjoy 872.14, calamity howler [informal], worrywart [slang], seek-sorrow, Job's comforter, prophet of doom, Cassandra, Eeyore; negativist; defeatist; retreatist; "one who is not happy except when he is miserable" [anon], "a man who feels bad when he feels good for fear he'll feel worse when he feels better" [George Burns], "one who is always building dungeons in the air" [John Galsworthy], "a man who thinks everybody as nasty as himself, and hates them for it" [G. B. Shaw].

.8 **hopeless case; goner** *or* gone goose *or* gosling *or* dead duck [all slang]; terminal case.

.9 VERBS **be hopeless,** have not a hope *or* prayer, look bleak *or* dark; **be pessimistic, look on the dark side,** be *or* think downbeat [informal], think negatively, think *or*

make the worst of, put the worst face upon; "fancy clouds where no clouds be" [Thomas Hood].

.10 **despair,** despair of, **despond** 872.16, falter, lose hope, **lose heart, abandon hope,** give up hope, **give up,** give up all hope *or* expectation, give way, fall *or* sink into despair, give oneself up *or* yield to despair, turn one's face to the wall.

.11 **shatter one's hopes,** dash *or* crush *or* blight one's hope, dash the cup from one's lips, disappoint 541.2, drive to despair *or* desperation.

.12 ADJS **hopeless,** unhopeful, without hope, affording no hope, bleak, grim, dismal, cheerless, comfortless; **desperate, despairing, in despair;** despondent 872.22; disconsolate 872.28; forlorn; apathetic 856.13.

.13 futile, vain 669.13; doomed, foredoomed.

.14 **impossible,** out of the question, not to be thought of, no go [informal].

.15 **past hope, beyond recall,** past praying for; **irretrievable, irrecoverable, irreclaimable,** irredeemable, unsalvageable, unsalvable; incorrigible, irreformable; irrevocable, **irreversible; irremediable, irreparable,** inoperable, **incurable,** cureless, remediless, immedicable, beyond remedy, terminal; unrelievable, unmitigable; **ruined,** undone; lost, gone.

.16 **pessimistic,** pessimist, downbeat [informal], **cynical,** nihilistic; uncheerful 872.21; **gloomy,** dismal; negative, negativistic; defeatist; Cassandran *or* Cassandrian, Cassandra-like.

.17 ADVS **hopelessly, desperately,** forlornly; impossibly.

.18 **irreclaimably, irretrievably, irrecoverably,** irredeemably, unsalvageably, unsalvably; irrevocably, **irreversibly; irremediably, incurably, irreparably.**

890. ANXIETY

(troubled thought)

.1 NOUNS **anxiety, anxiousness; apprehension, apprehensiveness,** misgiving, foreboding, forebodingness, suspense, strain, tension, nervous strain *or* tension; **dread, fear** 891; **concern,** concernment, anxious concern, **solicitude,** zeal 635.2; **care,** cankerworm of care; **distress,** trouble, vexation; **uneasiness, perturbation, disturbance,** upset, **agitation, disquiet,** disquietude, inquietude, unquietness; **nervousness** 859; malaise, angst 866.1; pucker *or* stew *or* all-overs [all informal], pins and needles; overanxiety; anxious seat *or* bench; anxiety neurosis 690.19, anxiety hysteria 690.19.

.2 **worry,** worriment [informal], worriedness; **worries,** worries and cares; worrying, fretting; harassment, torment.

.3 VERBS **concern,** give concern, **trouble, bother, distress, disturb, upset,** frazzle, **disquiet, agitate;** rob one of ease *or* sleep *or* rest, keep one on edge *or* on tenterhooks *or* on pins and needles.

.4 (make anxious) **worry, vex,** fret, **harass,** harry, **torment,** dog, hound, plague, persecute, haunt, beset.

.5 (feel anxious) **worry,** worry oneself, worry one's head about, worry oneself sick, be a prey to anxiety; **fret, fuss, chafe,** stew *or* take on [both informal], fret and fume; bite one's nails.

.6 ADJS **anxious, concerned, apprehensive,** foreboding, misgiving, suspenseful, strained, tense; **fearful** 891.31,32; **solicitous,** zealous 635.9,10; **troubled, bothered; uneasy, perturbed, disturbed, disquieted, agitated; nervous** 859.10–12; **on pins and needles,** on tenterhooks, on the anxious seat *or* bench; anxioused up [dial], all hot and bothered [slang]; all-overish *or* in a pucker *or* in a stew [all informal]; overanxious, overapprehensive.

.7 **worried, vexed,** fretted; **harassed,** harried, tormented, dogged, hounded, persecuted, haunted, beset, plagued; worried sick, worried to a frazzle, worried stiff [slang].

.8 **careworn,** heavy-laden.

.9 **troublesome,** bothersome, **distressing,** distressful, **disturbing, upsetting, disquieting; worrisome,** worrying; fretting, chafing; **harassing,** tormenting, plaguing; **annoying** 864.22.

.10 ADVS **anxiously, concernedly, apprehensively,** misgivingly, **uneasily;** worriedly; solicitously, zealously 635.14,15.

891. FEAR, FRIGHTENINGNESS

.1 NOUNS **fear, fright,** affright, phob(o)–; **scare, alarm, consternation, dismay; dread,** unholy dread, **awe; terror, horror,** horrification, mortal *or* abject fear; **phobia;** funk *or* blue funk [both informal]; **panic,** panic fear *or* terror; stampede; **cowardice** 892.

.2 **frighteningness, frightfulness, awfulness, scariness,** fearfulness, fearsomeness, alarmingness, dismayingness, disquietingness, startlingness, disconcertingness, terribleness, **dreadfulness,** horribleness, **hideousness,** appallingness, direness, **ghastliness,** grimness, grisliness, **gruesomeness,**

ghoulishness; **creepiness, spookiness,** eeriness, weirdness, uncanniness.

.3 **fearfulness,** afraidness; **timidity, timorousness, shyness;** shrinkingness, bashfulness, diffidence, stage fright, mike fright [informal]; skittishness, startlishness, jumpiness.

.4 **apprehension,** apprehensiveness, **misgiving, qualm,** qualmishness, all-overs [informal]; **anxiety** 890; doubt 503.2; foreboding 544.

.5 **trepidation,** trepidity, perturbation, **fear and trembling; quaking, agitation** 857.3,4; **uneasiness, disquiet,** disquietude, inquietude; nervousness 859; palpitation, heartquake; shivers *or* cold shivers [both informal], creeps *or* cold creeps [both informal], chills of fear *or* terror, icy fingers *or* icy clutch of dread, jimjams [slang]; horripilation, gooseflesh, goose bumps [informal]; sweat, cold sweat; thrill of fear, spasm *or* quiver of terror; sinking stomach.

.6 **frightening, intimidation,** bullying, browbeating, cowing, bulldozing [informal], hectoring; **demoralization,** psychological warfare, war of nerves.

.7 **terrorization,** horrification, scaremongering; **terrorism,** terror *or* terroristic tactics, *Schrecklichkeit* [Ger], rule by terror, reign of terror.

.8 **alarmist,** scaremonger; **terrorist,** bomber, assassin.

.9 **frightener, scarer;** scarebabe, **bogey,** bogey man, **bugaboo,** bugbear; hobgoblin; **scarecrow; horror, terror,** holy terror; **ogre,** ogress, **monster,** vampire, werewolf, ghoul, bête noire, fee-faw-fum; incubus, succubus, nightmare; **ghost,** specter, phantom, revenant; Frankenstein, Dracula, Wolf-man; mythical monsters 85.20.

.10 (fear of people, etc.) androphobia (men), gynephobia (women), parthenophobia (young girls), pedophobia (children); tyrannophobia (tyrants), hagiophobia (saints), hierophobia (priests), papaphobia (the Pope), anthropophobia (people), agoraphobia *or* demophobia (crowds), ochlophobia (mobs), harpaxophobia (robbers); xenophobia (foreigners), Anglophobia (English), Francophobia *or* Gallophobia (French), Germanophobia *or* Teutonophobia (Germans), gringophobia (gringos), Japanophobia (Japanese), Judeophobia (Jews), Negrophobia (Negroes), Russophobia (Russians), Sinophobia (Chinese); theophobia (God), Satanophobia (Satan), demonophobia (demons), phasmophobia (ghosts), pneumatophobia (spirits).

.11 (fear of animals) ailurophobia (cats), cynophobia (dogs), hippophobia (horses), musophobia (mice), taurophobia (bulls), zoophobia (animals); batrachophobia *or* herpetophobia (reptiles), ophiciophobia *or* ophiophobia *or* snakephobia (snakes); ornithophobia (birds); ichthyophobia (fish); vermiphobia *or* helminthophobia (worms); acarophobia (mites), apiphobia (bees), arachnephobia (spiders), entomophobia (insects), pediculophobia (lice); bacillophobia *or* microbiophobia (microbes), bacteriophobia (bacteria), spermophobia *or* spermatophobia (germs); teratophobia (monsters).

.12 (fear of things) anthophobia (flowers), aulophobia (flutes), ballistophobia (bullets), belonephobia (needles), crystallophobia (crystals), eisoptrophobia (mirrors), enetophobia (pins); koniophobia *or* amathophobia (dust), linonophobia (string), mysophobia (dirt), necrophobia (corpses); hydrophobia (water); metallophobia (metal), aurophobia (gold), chrometophobia (money); mechanophobia (machinery), ochophobia (vehicles), telephonophobia (telephone); chaetophobia *or* trichophobia (hair), dermatosiophobia (skin), doraphobia (fur), odontophobia (teeth), ommetaphobia (eyes), pogonophobia (beards), pteronophobia (feathers), rectophobia (rectum); blennophobia *or* myxophobia (slime), coprophobia (feces), hemaphobia *or* hematophobia *or* hemophobia (blood), proteinphobia (protein), urophobia (urine); cibophobia *or* sitophobia *or* sitiophobia (food), potophobia (drink), pharmacophobia (drugs), toxiphobia *or* toxophobia *or* toxicophobia (poison); microphobia (small things), neophobia (new things), monophobia (one thing), panphobia *or* pantophobia (everything).

.13 (fear of natural phenomena) cometophobia (comets), heliophobia (sun), siderophobia (stars); barophobia (gravity); astraphobia *or* astrapophobia (lightning), brontophobia *or* tonitrophobia *or* keraunophobia (thunder), ancraophobia (wind), aerophobia (draft), homichlophobia (fog); nephophobia (clouds); chionophobia (snow); antlophobia (floods), cymophobia (waves); cheimaphobia *or* cheimatophobia (cold), thermophobia (heat), pyrophobia (fire); photophobia (light), selaphobia (light flashes), electro-

phobia (electricity); eosophobia (dawn), achluophobia *or* scotophobia (darkness), sciophobia (shadows), nyctophobia (night); acousticophobia (sound); bromidrosiphobia (body odor); cryophobia (ice, frost).

.14 (fear of diseases) acarophobia (the itch), albuminurophobia (albumin in the urine), anemophobia (anemia), cancerphobia *or* cancerophobia *or* carcinophobia (cancer), cardiophobia (heart disease), cholerophobia (cholera), cnidophobia (insect stings), coprostasophobia (constipation), dermatopathophobia (skin disease), diabetophobia (diabetes), diplopiaphobia (double vision), emetophobia (vomiting), febriphobia (fever), helminthophobia (worms), hormephobia (shock), hydrophobophobia (rabies), lyssophobia *or* maniaphobia (insanity), meningitophobia (meningitis), nephophobia *or* pathophobia (disease), parasitophobia (parasites), pellagraphobia (pellagra), scabiophobia (scabies), syphilophobia (syphilis), traumatophobia (wound, injury), trichinophobia (trichinosis), trichopathophobia (hair disease), tuberculophobia *or* phthisiophobia (tuberculosis), venereophobia (venereal disease).

.15 (fear of situations) acerophobia *or* acerbophobia (sourness), acrophobia (sharpness), anginophobia (narrowness), asthenophobia (weakness), bathophobia (depth), hygrophobia (dampness); algophobia (pain), dikephobia (justice), eleutherophobia (freedom), hedonophobia (pleasure), kopophobia (fatigue), peniaphobia (poverty), phobophobia (fear), poinephobia (punishment), zelophobia (jealousy); chromophobia (color), chronophobia (duration), dromophobia *or* kinetophobia (motion), symmetrophobia (symmetry), tachophobia (speed), tredecaphobia *or* triskaidekaphobia (13); autophobia *or* monophobia *or* ermitophobia (being alone), atephobia (ruin), atelophobia (imperfection), hypegiaphobia (responsibility), kakorraphiaphobia (failure); erotophobia *or* genophobia (sex), gametophobia (marriage), patroiophobia (heredity), gymnophobia *or* nudophobia (nudity); ideophobia (ideas), logophobia (words), onomatophobia (names), philosophobia (philosophy), politicophobia (politics), rhabdophobia (magic); apeirophobia (infinity), kenophobia (void).

.16 (fear of places) agoraphobia (open places), claustrophobia (enclosed places), acrophobia *or* altophobia *or* batophobia *or* hypsophobia (high places); cremnophobia (precipices), limnophobia (lakes), potamophobia (rivers), thalassophobia (sea); ecclesiophobia (church), ecophobia *or* oecophobia *or* oikophobia (home); uranophobia *or* ouranophobia (heaven), hadephobia *or* stygiophobia (hell); topophobia (certain places).

.17 (fear of activities) agyrophobia (crossing a street), gephyrophobia (crossing a bridge), batophobia (passing high buildings), hodophobia (travel); clinophobia (going to bed), coitophobia (coitus), ergophobia (work), graphophobia (writing), hypnophobia (sleep), kleptophobia (stealing), lalophobia *or* laliophobia *or* glossophobia *or* phonophobia (speech), phagophobia (swallowing), rypophobia (soiling), stasophobia (standing), thaasophobia (being idle); erythrophobia (blushing), geumatophobia (taste), haptophobia *or* haphophobia *or* thixophobia (touch), olfactophobia *or* osmophobia *or* ophresiophobia (smell), phronemophobia (thinking), tremophobia (trembling); katagelophobia (ridicule), mastigophobia (beating), pnigophobia *or* pnigerophobia (smothering), trypanophobia *or* vaccinophobia (inoculation); tocophobia (childbirth), thanatophobia (death); musicophobia (music); hamartophobia *or* peccatiphobia (sin).

.18 VERBS **fear, be afraid; apprehend,** have qualms, misgive, eye askance; **dread,** stand in dread *or* awe of, be in mortal dread of, stand aghast; be on pins and needles, sit upon thorns; have one's heart in one's mouth.

.19 **take fright,** take alarm, push the panic button [informal]; funk *or* go into a funk [both informal], get wind up [Brit slang]; lose courage 892.8; pale, grow *or* turn pale, change *or* turn color; look as if one had seen a ghost; freeze, be paralyzed with fear; shit in one's pants [slang].

.20 **start,** startle, **jump,** jump out of one's skin, jump a mile, leap like a startled gazelle; **shy,** fight shy, start aside, boggle, jib; **panic,** stampede, skedaddle [informal].

.21 **flinch, shrink,** draw back, recoil, funk [informal], **quail, cringe, wince, blench,** blink.

.22 **tremble, shake, quake, shiver, quiver, quaver; tremble** *or* **quake in one's boots** *or* **shoes,** tremble like an aspen leaf, quiver like a rabbit, shake all over.

.23 **frighten,** fright, affright, funk [informal]; **scare,** spook [slang]; give one a fright *or* scare *or* turn; **alarm,** disquiet, raise apprehensions; shake, stagger; **startle** 540.8; **unnerve, unman,** unstring; give one gooseflesh, horripilate, make one's flesh creep, chill one's spine, make one's nerves tingle, make one's hair stand on end, make one's blood run cold, freeze *or* curdle the blood, make one's teeth chatter, make one tremble, take one's breath away, make one shit one's pants [slang].

.24 **put in fear,** put the fear of God into, **throw a scare into** [slang], scare the life out of, scare the pants off of, scare hell out of *or* scare the shit out of [both slang]; **panic,** stampede, send scuttling, throw blind fear into.

.25 **terrify, awe,** strike terror into; **horrify, appall, shock,** make one's flesh creep; **frighten out of one's wits** *or* **senses,** frighten from one's propriety, **scare stiff** *or* **shitless** [slang], scare to death; strike dumb, **stun, stupefy, paralyze, petrify,** freeze.

.26 **daunt, deter,** shake, stop; **discourage, dishearten;** faze [informal]; **awe, overawe.**

.27 **dismay, disconcert, appall, astound, confound, abash, discomfit, put out, take aback** [informal].

.28 **intimidate, cow, browbeat, bulldoze** [informal], bludgeon, dragoon; **bully, hector, harass,** huff; bluster, bluster out of *or* into; **terrorize,** put in bodily fear, use terror *or* terroristic tactics, pursue a policy of *Schrecklichkeit,* systematically terrorize; threaten 973.2; **demoralize.**

.29 **frighten off, scare away,** bluff off, put to flight.

.30 ADJS **afraid, scared,** spooked [slang]; feared *or* afeared [both dial]; fear-stricken, fear-struck; haunted with fear; –phobic.

.31 **fearful,** fearing, fearsome, **in fear; cowardly** 892.10; **timorous, timid, shy,** rabbity *or* mousy [both informal]; **shrinking,** bashful, diffident; scary; **skittish,** skittery [dial], startlish, jumpy, goosy [slang], trigger-happy [informal]; **tremulous,** trembling, trepidant, shaky, shivery; **nervous** 859.10.

.32 **apprehensive, misgiving,** all-overish [informal], **qualmish,** qualmy; anxious 890.6.

.33 **frightened,** affrighted, in a fright, in a funk *or* blue funk [informal]; **alarmed,** disquieted; consternated, **dismayed,** daunted; **startled** 540.13; more frightened than hurt.

.34 **terrified,** terror-stricken, terror-struck, terror-smitten, terror-shaken, terror-troubled, terror-riven, terror-ridden, terror-driven, terror-crazed, terror-haunted; awe-stricken, awestruck; **horrified,** horror-stricken, horror-struck; **appalled, astounded, aghast;** frightened out of one's wits, **scared to death, scared stiff** *or* **shitless** [slang]; unnerved, unstrung, unmanned, undone, **cowed,** awed, **intimidated; stunned, petrified, stupefied,** paralyzed, frozen; white as a sheet, pale as death *or* a ghost, deadly pale, ashen, blanched, pallid, gray with fear.

.35 **panicky,** panic-prone, panicked, in a panic, panic-stricken, panic-struck, out of one's mind with fear, prey to blind fear.

.36 **frightening, frightful; fearful,** fearsome, fear-inspiring; **scary** [informal], scaring, chilling; **alarming, startling,** disquieting, dismaying, disconcerting; daunting, deterring, **deterrent,** discouraging, disheartening, fazing, awing, overawing.

.37 **terrifying,** terrorful, terror-striking, terror-inspiring, terror-bringing, terror-giving, terror-breeding, terror-breathing, terror-bearing, terror-fraught; **bloodcurdling, hair-raising** [informal]; petrifying, paralyzing, stunning, stupefying; **terror, terroristic.**

.38 **terrible,** terrific, tremendous, din(o)– *or* dein(o)–; **horrid, horrible, horrifying,** horrific, horrendous, *schrecklich* [Ger]; **dreadful, dread,** dreaded; **awful;** awesome, awe-inspiring; **shocking, appalling,** astounding; **dire,** direful, fell; formidable, redoubtable; **hideous, ghastly,** morbid, grim, grisly, gruesome, ghoulish, macabre.

.39 **creepy, spooky, eerie, weird, uncanny,** unco *or* uncolike [both Scot].

.40 ADVS **fearfully, apprehensively, diffidently,** for fear of; **timorously, timidly, shyly,** mousily [informal], bashfully, shrinkingly; tremulously, tremblingly, quakingly, **with** *or* **in fear and trembling;** with heart in mouth, with bated breath.

.41 **in fear, in terror,** in awe, in alarm, in consternation; in mortal fear, in fear of one's life.

.42 **frightfully, fearfully; alarmingly, startlingly,** disquietingly, dismayingly, disconcertingly; **shockingly, appallingly,** astoundingly; **terribly,** terrifically, tremendously; **dreadfully, awfully; horridly, horribly,** horrifyingly, horrifically, horrendously.

892. COWARDICE

.1 NOUNS **cowardice, cowardliness; fear** 891; **faintheartedness,** faintheart, weakheartedness, chickenheartedness, henheartedness, pigeonheartedness; **yellowness,** white-liveredness *or* lily-liveredness *or* chicken-liveredness [all informal], weakkneedness; weakness, softness; unmanliness, unmanfulness; timidness, **timidity,** timorousness, milksoppiness, milksoppishness, milksopism.

.2 **uncourageousness, unvaliantness,** unvalorousness, unheroicness, ungallantness, unintrepidness; **plucklessness, spunklessness** *or* gritlessness [both informal], gutlessness [slang], spiritlessness, heartlessness.

.3 **dastardliness,** pusillanimousness, **pusillanimity, poltroonery,** poltroonishness, poltroonism, baseness, **cravenness;** desertion under fire, skedaddling [informal].

.4 **cold feet** [slang], weak knees, **faint heart,** chicken heart, **yellow streak** [slang], white feather.

.5 **coward,** jellyfish, invertebrate, **weakling,** weak sister [informal], milksop, Milquetoast, mouse, **sissy,** baby, **big baby, chicken** [slang]; white liver *or* lily liver *or* chicken liver [all informal], white feather; fraid-cat *or* **fraidy-cat** *or* scaredy-cat [all slang]; funk *or* funker [both informal]; "one who in a perilous emergency thinks with his legs" [Ambrose Bierce]; –phobe.

.6 **dastard, craven, poltroon,** recreant, caitiff, arrant coward; **sneak.**

.7 VERBS **dare not; have a yellow streak** [slang], **have cold feet** [slang], be unable to say 'boo' to a goose.

.8 **lose one's nerve,** lose courage, **get cold feet** [slang], **show the white feather;** falter, boggle, funk [informal], **chicken** [slang]; back out, funk out [informal], **chicken out** [slang]; desert under fire, skedaddle [informal], **run scared** [slang], scuttle.

.9 **cower, quail, cringe, crouch, skulk, sneak, slink.**

.10 ADJS **cowardly,** coward; **afraid, fearful** 891.30–35; timid, timorous, overtimorous, overtimid, rabbity *or* mousy [both informal]; **fainthearted,** weakhearted, chickenhearted, henhearted, pigeonhearted; white-livered *or* lily-livered *or* chicken-livered *or* milk-livered [all informal]; **yellow** *or* with a yellow streak [both informal]; **weak-kneed, chicken** [slang], afraid of one's shadow; weak, soft; unmanly, unmanful, sissy, sissified; milksoppy, milksoppish; panicky, panic-prone, funking *or* funky [both informal]; daunted, dismayed, unmanned, cowed, intimidated.

.11 **uncourageous, unvaliant, unvalorous, unheroic,** ungallant, **unintrepid, undaring,** unable to say 'boo' to a goose; unsoldierlike, unsoldierly; **pluckless, spunkless** *or* gritless [both informal], **gutless** [slang], spiritless, heartless.

.12 **dastardly,** dastard; **poltroonish,** poltroon; **pusillanimous,** base, craven, recreant, caitiff; dunghill, dunghilly.

.13 **cowering, quailing, cringing; skulking, sneaking, slinking,** sneaky, slinky.

.14 ADVS **cravenly,** poltroonishly, like a coward, **uncourageously, unvaliantly, unvalorously, unheroically,** ungallantly, unintrepidly, undaringly; plucklessly, spunklessly *or* gritlessly [both informal], spiritlessly, heartlessly; faintheartedly, weakheartedly, chickenheartedly.

893. COURAGE

.1 NOUNS **courage,** courageousness; **bravery,** braveness, **boldness, valor,** valorousness, valiance, valiancy, **gallantry,** conspicuous gallantry, gallantry under fire, gallantness, **intrepidity,** intrepidness, **prowess,** virtue; doughtiness, stalwartness, stoutness, stoutheartedness, lionheartedness, greatheartedness; **heroism,** heroicalness; chivalry, chivalrousness, knightliness; military *or* martial spirit, soldierly quality *or* virtues; **manliness,** manfulness, **manhood;** Dutch courage [informal], pot-valor.

.2 "fear that has said its prayers" [Dorothy Bernard], "fear holding on a minute longer" [George Patton], "taking hard knocks like a man when occasion calls" [Plautus], "doing without witnesses that which we would be capable of doing before everyone" [La Rochefoucauld].

.3 **fearlessness,** dauntlessness, **undauntedness, unfearfulness,** unfearingness, unafraidness, **unapprehensiveness; confidence** 513.5; untimidness, untimorousness, unshrinkingness, unshyness, unbashfulness.

.4 **fortitude, hardihood,** hardiness; **pluckiness; spunkiness** *or* grittiness *or* nerviness [all informal], mettlesomeness; **gameness,** gaminess; **resolution** 624, resoluteness, tenaciousness, tenacity, pertinaciousness, pertinacity, bulldog courage.

.5 **nerve,** *chutzpah* [Yid], **spunk** [informal], **pluck,** grit, **stamina,** toughness, **backbone** [informal], pith, **mettle,** bottom; **guts** *or*

gutsiness *or* guttiness [all slang], **intestinal fortitude** [informal]; heart, spirit; stout heart, heart of oak.

.6 **daring,** derring-do; **bravado,** bravura; **audacity,** audaciousness, overboldness, balls [slang]; **adventurousness,** venturousness, **venturesomeness,** adventuresomeness, enterprise; foolhardiness 894.3.

.7 **exploit, feat, deed, enterprise, achievement, adventure,** gest, **bold stroke,** heroic act *or* deed; aristeia.

.8 (brave person) **hero, heroine;** brave, stalwart, gallant, valiant, man of courage *or* mettle, a man, valiant knight, good soldier; demigod, paladin; demigoddess; the brave; decorated hero; Hector, Achilles, Roland, David, Samson; lion, tiger, bulldog, fighting cock, gamecock; *chutzpanik* [Yid].

.9 **encouragement, heartening, inspiration,** inspiriting, inspiritment, emboldening, assurance, reassurance, pat *or* clap on the back.

.10 VERBS **dare, venture, make bold to,** make so bold as to, **have the nerve, have the guts** [slang], have the courage of one's convictions, be a man, "dare do all that may become a man" [Shakespeare], "be strong, and quit yourselves like men" [Bible]; defy 793.3.

.11 **brave, face, confront,** affront, front, look straight in the eyes, meet eyeball to eyeball [informal], meet, meet boldly; set at defiance 793.4; speak up, speak out, stand up and be counted; **face up to, stand up to,** not flinch *or* shrink from, bite the bullet [informal], look full in the face, put a bold face upon, show *or* present a bold front, **meet head-on,** face up, face the music [informal]; **brazen,** brazen out *or* through; beard, "beard the lion in his den" [Sir Walter Scott]; put one's head in the lion's mouth, fly into the face of danger, take the bull by the horns, march up to the cannon's mouth, bell the cat, go through fire and water, go in harm's way, run the gauntlet, take one's life in one's hands, put one's life on the line [informal].

.12 **outbrave, outdare; outface,** face down, face out; **outbrazen,** brazen out; **outlook, outstare,** stare down, stare out of countenance.

.13 **steel oneself, get up nerve,** nerve oneself, muster *or* summon up *or* gather courage, pluck up heart, screw up one's nerve *or* courage, "screw your courage to the sticking place" [Shakespeare], stiffen one's backbone [informal].

.14 **take courage, take heart,** take heart of grace; **brace up** *or* **buck up** [informal].

.15 keep up one's courage, bear up, **keep one's chin up** [informal], **keep a stiff upper lip** [informal], hold up one's head, take what comes; hang in *or* hang in there *or* hang tough *or* stick it out [all slang], stick to one's guns.

.16 **encourage, hearten, embolden, nerve,** pat *or* clap on the back, **assure, reassure,** bolster, support; **inspire,** inspirit; buck up *or* brace up [both informal]; put upon one's mettle, make a man of; cheer 870.7.

.17 ADJS **courageous, brave, bold, valiant, valorous, gallant, intrepid,** doughty, **hardy,** stalwart, stout, stouthearted, ironhearted, lionhearted, greathearted, bold-spirited, bold as a lion; **heroic,** herolike; **chivalrous,** chivalric, knightly, knightlike, soldierly, soldierlike; **manly,** manful.

.18 **plucky; spunky** *or* gritty *or* **nervy** [all informal], gutsy *or* gutty [both slang], tough, **resolute, game,** gamy; **spirited,** spiritful, red-blooded, **mettlesome;** bulldoggish, tenacious, pertinacious.

.19 **unafraid, unfearing, unfearful; unapprehensive,** undiffident; **confident** 513.21; **fearless, dauntless,** aweless, dreadless; **unfrightened,** unscared, unalarmed, unterrified; **untimid,** untimorous, unshy, unbashful.

.20 **undaunted, undismayed,** uncowed, unintimidated, unappalled, unabashed, unawed; **unflinching, unshrinking,** unquailing, uncringing, unwincing, unblenching, unblinking.

.21 **daring, audacious,** overbold; **adventurous, venturous, venturesome,** adventuresome, enterprising; foolhardy 894.9.

.22 ADVS **courageously, bravely, boldly, heroically, valiantly,** valorously, **gallantly, intrepidly,** doughtily, stoutly, hardily, stalwartly; **pluckily, spunkily** [informal], gutsily [slang], **resolutely, gamely,** tenaciously, pertinaciously, bulldoggishly, **fearlessly,** unfearingly, unfearfully; **daringly,** audaciously; chivalrously, knightly, yeomanly; like a man, like a soldier.

894. RASHNESS

.1 NOUNS **rashness, brashness,** brazen boldness, **incautiousness,** overboldness, **imprudence, indiscretion,** injudiciousness, improvidence; **unwariness,** unchariness; overcarelessness; overconfidence, oversureness, overweeningness; **impudence,**

insolence 913; gall *or* brass *or* cheek [all informal], *chutzpah* [Yid]; hubris; **temerity,** temerariousness; heroics.

.2 **recklessness,** devil-may-careness; heedlessness, **carelessness** 534.2; **impetuousness** 630.2, impetuosity, hotheadedness; **haste** 709, **hastiness,** hurriedness, overeagerness, overzealousness, overenthusiasm; **furiousness,** desperateness, wantonness, wildness; **precipitateness,** precipitousness, precipitance, precipitancy, precipitation.

.3 **foolhardiness,** harebrainedness; **audacity,** audaciousness; *courage fou* [Fr]; forwardness, boldness, **presumption,** presumptuousness; **daring,** daredeviltry, daredevilry, fire-eating; playing with fire, flirting with death, courting disaster, stretching one's luck, going for broke [slang], brinkmanship; adventurousness 893.6.

.4 **daredevil,** devil, **madcap,** madbrain, wild man, hotspur, hellcat, rantipole, harum-scarum *or* fire-eater [both informal]; **adventurer,** adventuress; brazenface.

.5 VERBS be rash, be reckless, carry too much sail, sail too near the wind, go out of one's depth, go too far, go to sea in a sieve, take a leap in the dark, buy a pig in a poke, count one's chickens before they are hatched, catch at straws, lean on a broken reed, put all one's eggs in one basket, live in a glass house; go out on a limb [informal], leave oneself wide open [slang], drop one's guard, stick one's neck out *or* ask for it [both slang].

.6 **court danger,** mock *or* defy danger, thumb one's nose at the consequences, **tempt Providence,** tweak the devil's nose, bell the cat, play a desperate game, ride for a fall; play with fire, flirt with death, stretch one's luck, go for broke [slang], march up to the cannon's mouth, put one's head in a lion's mouth, beard the lion in his den, sit on a barrel of gunpowder, sleep on a volcano, play Russian roulette.

.7 ADJS **rash, brash, incautious,** overbold, **imprudent, indiscreet,** injudicious, improvident; **unwary, unchary;** overcareless; overconfident, oversure, overweening, **impudent,** insolent, brazenfaced, brazen 913.8–10; hubristic; temerarious.

.8 **reckless,** devil-may-care; careless 534.11; **impetuous,** hotheaded; **hasty** 709.9–11, hurried, overeager, overzealous, overenthusiastic; **furious,** desperate, mad, wild, wanton, harum-scarum [informal]; precipitate, **precipitous, precipitant; headlong, breakneck;** slapdash, slap-bang; accident-prone.

.9 **foolhardy, harebrained,** madcap, **wild,** wild-ass [slang], madbrain, madbrained; **audacious;** forward, bold, **presumptuous; daring,** daredevil, fire-eating, death-defying; adventurous 893.21.

.10 ADVS **rashly, brashly, incautiously, imprudently, indiscreetly,** injudiciously, improvidently; **unwarily,** uncharily; overconfidently, overweeningly, **impudently,** insolently, **brazenly,** hubristically, temerariously.

.11 **recklessly,** happen what may; heedlessly, **carelessly** 534.18; **impetuously,** hotheadedly; **hastily,** hurriedly, overeagerly, overzealously, overenthusiastically; **furiously,** desperately, wildly, wantonly, **madly,** like mad [informal], like crazy [slang]; **precipitately,** precipitously, precipitantly; **headlong,** headfirst, headforemost, **head over heels,** heels over head, *à corps perdu* [Fr]; slapdash, slap-bang *or* slam-bang [both informal]; helter-skelter, ramble-scramble [informal], hurry-scurry, holus-bolus.

.12 **foolhardily, daringly, audaciously,** presumptuously, harebrainedly.

895. CAUTION

(provident care)

.1 NOUNS **caution, cautiousness;** slowness to act *or* commit oneself *or* make one's move; **care, heed, solicitude; carefulness, heedfulness,** mindfulness, regardfulness, thoroughness; **gingerliness,** guardedness; uncommunicativeness 613; **tentativeness,** hesitation, unprecipitateness, slow and careful steps, deliberate stages, wait and see policy; **prudence,** prudentialness, **circumspection, discretion,** canniness [Scot], pawkiness [Brit], judiciousness; calculation, **deliberateness,** deliberation, careful consideration, prior consultation; **safeness,** safety first, no room for error; **hedge, hedging,** hedging one's bets, cutting one's losses.

.2 **wariness, chariness, cageyness** *or* **leeriness** [both slang]; **suspicion,** suspiciousness; **distrust,** distrustfulness, mistrust, mistrustfulness.

.3 **precaution,** precautiousness; **forethought, foresight,** foresightedness, forehandedness, forethoughtfulness; **providence,** provision, forearming; precautions, steps, measures, steps and measures; **safeguard,** protection 699, preventive measure; insurance.

.4 **overcaution, overcautiousness, overcarefulness,** overwariness.

.5 VERBS **be cautious, be careful;** think twice, give it a second thought; make haste slowly, take it easy [informal]; put the right foot forward, take one step at a time, pick one's steps, go step by step, feel one's ground *or* way; pussyfoot, tiptoe, go on tiptoe, walk on eggshells; draw in one's horns.

.6 **take precautions, take steps** *or* **measures,** take steps and measures; **prepare** *or* **provide for** *or* **against,** forearm; **guard against, make sure against,** make sure, "make assurance double sure" [Shakespeare]; **play safe** [informal], keep on the safe side; leave no stone unturned, forget *or* leave out nothing, overlook no possibility, leave no room for error, leave nothing to chance, consider every angle; **look before one leaps;** see how the land lies *or* the wind blows, see how the cat jumps [informal]; clear the decks, batten down the hatches, shorten sail, reef down, tie in *or* tuck in *or* take in a reef, get out a sheet-anchor, have an anchor to windward; **hedge,** provide a hedge, hedge one's bets, cut one's losses; take out insurance; keep something for a rainy day.

.7 **beware, take care, have a care,** take heed, take heed at one's peril; keep at a respectful distance, keep out of harm's way; mind, mind one's business; **be on one's guard,** be on the watch *or* lookout, be on the *qui vive;* **look out, watch out** [informal]; **look sharp,** keep one's eyes open, keep a weather eye open [informal], keep one's eye peeled [slang], **watch one's step** [slang], look about one; stop, look, and listen; not stick one's neck out [slang], not go out on a limb [informal], not expose oneself, not be too visible, lie low, stay in the background; hold one's tongue 451.5–7.

.8 ADJS **cautious, careful,** heedful, mindful, regardful, **thorough; prudent, circumspect,** slow to act *or* commit oneself *or* make one's move, canny [Scot], pawky [Brit], **discreet, politic, judicious,** noncommittal; unadventurous, unenterprising, undaring; **gingerly; guarded,** on guard, on one's guard; uncommunicative 613.8–10; **tentative,** hesitant, unprecipitate; **deliberate;** safe, on the safe side, leaving no stone unturned, forgetting *or* leaving out nothing, overlooking no possibility, leaving no room for error.

.9 **wary, chary, cagey** [slang], **leery** [slang], **suspicious,** suspecting, **distrustful,** mistrustful, shy.

.10 **precautious,** precautionary, precautional; **forethoughtful,** forethoughted, **foresighted,** foreseeing, forehanded; **provident,** provisional.

.11 **overcautious, overcareful,** overwary.

.12 ADVS **cautiously, carefully,** heedfully, mindfully, regardfully; **prudently, circumspectly,** cannily [Scot], pawkily [Brit], **discreetly,** judiciously; **gingerly,** guardedly, easy [informal], with caution, with care.

.13 **warily, charily,** cagily [slang]; **askance,** askant, suspiciously, leerily [slang], distrustfully.

.14 INTERJS careful!, be careful!, **take care!,** have a care!, **look out!, watch out!, watch your step!,** watch it!, steady!, look sharp!, easy!, take it easy!, easy does it!, go easy!

896. FASTIDIOUSNESS

.1 NOUNS **fastidiousness, particularity,** particularness; **scrupulousness,** scrupulosity; punctiliousness, punctilio; preciseness, precision; **meticulousness, conscientiousness,** criticalness; **taste** 897; **sensitivity, discrimination** 492, discriminatingness, discriminativeness; **selectiveness,** selectivity, pickiness [slang], choosiness; **strictness** 533.3, perfectionism, precisianism, purism; puritanism, priggishness, prudishness, censoriousness.

.2 **finicalness,** finickiness, finickingness, finicality; **fussiness,** pernicketiness *or* persnicketiness [both informal]; squeamishness, queasiness, pawkiness [Brit].

.3 **nicety,** niceness, **delicacy,** delicateness, daintiness, exquisiteness, fineness, refinement.

.4 overfastidiousness, **overscrupulousness, overparticularity, overconscientiousness,** overmeticulousness, overniceness, **overnicety; overcriticalness,** hypercriticism, hairsplitting; overrefinement; oversqueamishness, oversensitivity, hypersensitivity, morbid sensibility.

.5 **exclusiveness,** selectness, selectiveness, selectivity; **cliquishness,** clannishness; **snobbishness,** snobbery, snobbism.

.6 **perfectionist,** precisian, precisianist, stickler, nitpicker [slang], captious critic 494.7.

.7 **fuss-budget** *or* **fusspot** [both informal], fuss, fusser, **fuddy-duddy** [slang], granny, old woman, old maid.

.8 VERBS **be hard to please,** fuss, pick and choose; **turn up one's nose at,** look down one's nose at, disdain, scorn, spurn.

.9 ADJS **fastidious, particular, scrupulous,**

meticulous, conscientious, exacting, precise, punctilious; **sensitive, discriminating** 492.7, discriminative; **selective,** picky [slang], choosy, choicy [slang]; critical 969.24, "nothing if not critical" [Shakespeare]; **strict** 533.12, perfectionistic, precisianistic, puristic; puritanic(al), priggish, prudish, censorious.

.10 **finical, finicky,** finicking, finikin; **fussy,** fuss-budgety [informal]; **squeamish,** queasy, pawky [Brit], pernickety *or* persnickety [both informal], difficult, hard to please.

.11 **nice, dainty, delicate,** *délicat* [Fr], fine, refined, exquisite.

.12 overfastidious, **overparticular, overscrupulous, overconscientious,** overmeticulous, **overnice,** overprecise; **overcritical,** hypercritical, ultracritical, hairsplitting; overrefined; oversqueamish, oversensitive, hypersensitive, morbidly sensitive.

.13 **exclusive,** selective, **select,** elect; **cliquish,** clannish; **snobbish,** snobby.

.14 ADVS **fastidiously, particularly, scrupulously, meticulously, conscientiously,** critically, punctiliously; discriminatingly, discriminatively, selectively; **finically,** finickily, finickingly; **fussily; squeamishly,** queasily.

897. TASTE, TASTEFULNESS

.1 NOUNS **taste, good taste,** sound critical judgment, discernment *or* appreciation of excellence, preference for the best, *goût raffiné* [Fr]; **tastefulness,** quality, excellence, choiceness, **elegance,** grace, gracefulness, gracility, graciousness, graciosity; **refinement,** finesse, **polish, culture, cultivation,** civilizedness, refined *or* cultivated *or* civilized taste; niceness, nicety, delicacy, daintiness, subtlety, sophistication, **discrimination** 492, fastidiousness 896; acquired taste, "caviare to the general" [Shakespeare].

.2 "good sense delicately put in force" [Chévier], "the microscope of the judgment" [Rousseau], "a fine judgment in discerning art" [Horace], "the literary conscience of the soul" [Joseph Joubert], "the enemy of creativeness" [Picasso].

.3 **decorousness, decorum,** decency, properness, propriety, rightness, **seemliness,** becomingness, fittingness, fitness, appropriateness, suitability, meetness, happiness, felicity; gentility, genteelness; civility, urbanity 936.1.

.4 **restraint,** restrainedness, understatement, unobtrusiveness, quietness, subduedness, quiet taste; simplicity 902.1.

.5 **aesthetic** *or* **artistic taste,** virtuosity, virtu, **expertise,** expertism, connoisseurship; dilettantism; fine art of living; epicurism, epicureanism; gastronomy, *friandise* [Fr]; aesthetics.

.6 **aesthete,** man of taste, lover of beauty.

.7 **connoisseur,** *connaisseur* [Fr], *cognoscente* [Ital]; **judge,** good judge, **critic, expert,** authority, maven [slang], arbiter, arbiter of taste, *arbiter elegantiarum* [L]; **epicure,** epicurean; **gourmet, gourmand,** *bon vivant* [Fr], good *or* refined palate; virtuoso; dilettante, amateur; collector.

.8 ADJS **tasteful, in good taste,** in the best taste; excellent, of quality, of the best; **aesthetic,** artistic, pleasing, well-chosen, choice, of choice; pure, chaste; classic(al), Attic, restrained, understated, unobtrusive, quiet, subdued, simple, unaffected 902.6,7.

.9 **elegant,** graceful, gracile, gracious; **refined, polished, cultivated,** civilized, **cultured;** nice, fine, delicate, dainty, subtle, sophisticated, **discriminating** 492.7,8, fastidious 896.9.

.10 **decorous,** decent, proper, right, **seemly, becoming,** fitting, appropriate, suitable, meet, happy, felicitous; genteel; civil, urbane 936.14.

.11 ADVS **tastefully, with taste,** in good taste, in the best taste; aesthetically, artistically; elegantly, gracefully; decorously, genteelly, decently, properly, seemly, becomingly; quietly, unobtrusively; simply 902.10.

898. VULGARITY

.1 NOUNS **vulgarity,** vulgarness, vulgarism; **inelegance** *or* inelegancy, **indelicacy, impropriety, indecency, indecorum,** indecorousness, unseemliness, unbecomingness, unfittingness, inappropriateness, unsuitableness, unsuitability; ungentility; **untastefulness,** tastelessness, unaestheticness, unaestheticism; low *or* bad *or* poor taste, *mauvais goût* [Fr]; vulgar taste, bourgeois taste, Babbittry, philistinism; popular taste, pop culture *or* pop [both slang]; campiness, camp, high *or* low camp; kitsch.

.2 **coarseness, grossness,** *grossièreté* [Fr], **rudeness, crudeness,** crudity, **crassness,** rawness, roughness, **earthiness;** ribaldness, ribaldry; **obscenity** 990.4; meretriciousness, **loudness** [informal], **gaudiness** 904.3.

.3 **unrefinement, uncouthness,** uncultiva-

tion, uncultivatedness, unculturedness; uncivilizedness, wildness; impoliteness, incivility, ill breeding 937.1; **barbarism,** barbarousness, barbarity, philistinism, Gothicism; **savagery,** savagism; **brutality,** brutishness, bestiality, animality; Neanderthalism, troglodytism.

.4 **boorishness, churlishness,** carlishness, **loutishness,** lubberliness, lumpishness, cloddishness, clownishness, yokelism; ruffianism, rowdyism, hooliganism; parvenuism, arrivism, upstartness.

.5 **commonness, commonplaceness,** ordinariness, homeliness; **lowness, baseness, meanness; ignobility,** plebeianism.

.6 **vulgarian,** low *or* vulgar *or* ill-bred fellow, mucker [slang], guttersnipe [informal], *épicier* [Fr]; Babbitt, Philistine, bourgeois; *parvenu, arriviste, nouveau riche* [all Fr], upstart; bounder [informal], cad, **boor,** churl, clown, **lout,** looby, peasant, groundling, yokel; rough, **ruffian,** roughneck [slang], **rowdy,** hooligan; vulgarist, ribald.

.7 **barbarian, savage,** Goth, animal, brute; Neanderthal, troglodyte.

.8 vulgarization, coarsening; popularization; *haute vulgarisation* [Fr].

.9 VERBS vulgarize, coarsen; popularize.

.10 ADJS **vulgar, inelegant, indelicate, indecorous, indecent, improper, unseemly,** unbeseeming, unbecoming, unfitting, inappropriate, unsuitable, **ungenteel,** undignified; **untasteful,** tasteless, in bad *or* poor taste, chintzy; **offensive,** offensive to gentle ears.

.11 **coarse, gross, rude, crude, crass,** raw, rough, **earthy;** ribald; **obscene** 990.5–9; meretricious, **loud** [informal], **gaudy** 904.20.

.12 **unrefined, unpolished, uncouth,** unkempt, uncombed, unlicked; **uncultivated, uncultured; uncivilized,** noncivilized; impolite, uncivil, ill-bred 937.4–6; **wild,** untamed, agrio–; **barbarous,** barbaric, barbarian; outlandish, Gothic; primitive; **savage, brutal,** brutish, bestial, animal; Neanderthal, troglodytic; wild-and-woolly, rough-and-ready.

.13 **boorish, churlish,** carlish, **loutish,** lubberly, lumpish, cloddish, clownish, looby-ish, yokelish 182.7; rowdy, **rowdyish, ruffianly,** roughneck [slang], hooliganish, raffish, raised in a barn.

.14 **common, commonplace, ordinary;** plebeian 919.11; homely, homespun; **general, public, popular,** pop [slang]; vernacular; Babbittish, Philistine, bourgeois; campy, high-camp, low-camp, kitschy.

.15 **low, base, mean, ignoble,** vile, scurvy, sorry, scrubby, beggarly; low-minded, base-minded.

.16 ADVS **vulgarly, uncouthly, inelegantly,** indelicately, indecorously, indecently, improperly, unseemly, untastefully, offensively; **coarsely, grossly, rudely, crudely,** crassly, roughly; ribaldly.

899. UGLINESS

.1 NOUNS **ugliness, unsightliness, unattractiveness,** uncomeliness, unhandsomeness, unbeautifulness, unprettiness, unloveliness, unaestheticness, unpleasingness 864.1; unprepossessingness, ill-favoredness, inelegance; **homeliness,** plainness; unshapeliness, shapelessness; ungracefulness, gracelessness, clumsiness, ungainliness 734.3; **uglification, uglifying, disfigurement,** defacement; dysphemism; cacophony.

.2 **hideousness,** horridness, horribleness, frightfulness, dreadfulness, terribleness, awfulness [informal]; **repulsiveness** 864.2, repugnantness, offensiveness, forbiddingness, loathsomeness; ghastliness, gruesomeness, grisliness; **deformity,** misshapenness.

.3 forbidding countenance, vinegar aspect, wry face, face that would stop a clock.

.4 **eyesore,** blot, blemish, **sight** [informal], **fright,** mess, no beauty, ugly duckling; baboon; scarecrow, gargoyle, monster, **monstrosity,** teratism; witch, bag *or* dog [both slang], **hag,** harridan.

.5 VERBS **offend** 864.9, offend the eye, offend one's aesthetic sensibilities, **look bad;** look something terrible *or* look like hell *or* look like the devil *or* look a sight *or* look a fright *or* look a mess *or* look like something the cat dragged in [all informal]; **uglify, disfigure,** deface, blot, blemish, mar, spoil; dysphemize.

.6 ADJS **ugly, unsightly, unattractive, unhandsome, unpretty, unlovely,** uncomely, **inelegant; unbeautiful,** unbeauteous, beautiless, unaesthetic, unpleasing 864.17; **homely, plain;** not much to look at, not much for looks, short on looks [informal], hard on the eyes [slang]; ugly as sin, ugly as the wrath of God, ugly as hell, homely as a mud fence, homely enough to sour milk, homely enough to stop a clock, not fit to be seen; **uglified, disfigured,** defaced, blotted, blemished,

marred, spoiled; dysphemized, dysphemistic; cacophonous, cacophonic.

.7 **unprepossessing, ill-favored,** hard-favored, evil-favored, ill-featured; ill-looking, evil-looking; hard-featured, hard-visaged; grim, grim-faced, grim-visaged.

.8 **unshapely,** shapeless, **ill-shaped,** ill-made, ill-proportioned; **deformed,** misshapen, misproportioned, malformed, misbegotten; grotesque, scarecrowish, gargoylish; monstrous, teratic, cacogenic.

.9 **ungraceful,** ungraced, graceless; clumsy, **ungainly** 734.20.

.10 **inartistic,** unartistic, **unaesthetic; unornamental, undecorative.**

.11 **hideous, horrid, horrible, frightful, dreadful, terrible, awful** [informal]; **repulsive** 864.18, repelling, **repugnant,** offensive, foul, forbidding, loathsome, revolting; **ghastly,** gruesome, grisly.

.12 ADVS **uglily,** homelily, uncomelily, **unattractively, unhandsomely, unbeautifully, unprettily.**

.13 **hideously, horridly, horribly, frightfully, dreadfully, terribly, awfully** [informal]; **repulsively, repugnantly,** offensively, forbiddingly, loathsomely, revoltingly; gruesomely, ghastly.

900. BEAUTY

.1 NOUNS **beauty, beautifulness,** beauteousness, **prettiness, handsomeness, attractiveness** 863.2, **loveliness, pulchritude, charm,** grace, elegance, exquisiteness; bloom, glow; the beautiful; source of aesthetic pleasure *or* delight; beauty unadorned.

.2 "truth's smile when she beholds her own face in a perfect mirror" [Tagore], "the sensible image of the Infinite" [Bancroft], "God's handwriting" [Emerson], "a form of genius" [Oscar Wilde], "the power by which a woman charms a lover and terrifies a husband" [Ambrose Bierce].

.3 **comeliness, fairness,** sightliness, personableness, becomingness, pleasingness 863.1, goodliness, bonniness, agreeability, agreeableness.

.4 **good looks,** good appearance, good effect; good proportions, aesthetic proportions; **shapeliness,** good figure, good shape, *belle tournure* [Fr], nice body, lovely build, physical *or* bodily charm, curvaceousness, curves [informal], pneumaticness, sexy body; bodily grace, **gracefulness,** gracility; good points, **beauties, charms, delights,** perfections, good features.

.5 **daintiness, delicacy,** delicateness; **cuteness** *or* cunningness [both informal].

.6 **gorgeousness,** ravishingness; **gloriousness,** heavenliness, sublimity; **splendor,** splendidness, splendorousness, splendrousness, resplendence; **brilliance,** brightness, radiance, luster; **glamour** 650.1.

.7 **thing of beauty,** vision, picture [informal], poem, eyeful [informal], **sight** *or* **treat for sore eyes** [slang].

.8 **beauty, charmer,** *charmeuse* [Fr]; **beaut** *or* dream *or* looker *or* good looker *or* **stunner** *or* **dazzler** *or* fetcher *or* peach *or* knockout *or* **raving beauty** [all slang]; beauty queen, beauty contest winner, Miss America, bathing beauty, cover girl, model, pinup girl, pinup, bunny, cute *or* slick chick [slang], pussycat *or* sex kitten [both slang]; **belle,** reigning beauty, great beauty, lady fair; beau ideal, paragon; enchantress 650.3; "the face that launch'd a thousand ships" [Marlowe].

.9 (famous beauties) Venus, Venus de Milo; Aphrodite, Hebe; Adonis, Apollo, Apollo Belvedere, Hyperion, Antinoüs, Narcissus; Astarte; Balder, Freya; Helen of Troy, Cleopatra; the Graces, houri, peri.

.10 **beautification,** prettification, **adornment;** decoration 901.1; beauty treatment; facial [informal]; manicure; hairdressing.

.11 **makeup, cosmetics;** war paint *or* drugstore complexion [both informal]; powder, talcum, talcum powder; rouge, paint, lip rouge; nail polish; greasepaint, clown white; mascara, eye shadow; cold cream, hand cream *or* lotion, vanishing cream, foundation cream; foundation, base; mudpack; lipstick; eyebrow pencil; puff, powder puff; compact, vanity case.

.12 **beautician,** beautifier; hairdresser, *coiffeur, coiffeuse* [both Fr]; barber; manicurist.

.13 **beauty parlor** *or* salon *or* shop, *salon de beauté* [Fr]; barbershop.

.14 VERBS **beautify, prettify;** pretty up *or* gussy up *or* doll up [all informal], grace, **adorn; decorate** 901.8; set off, set off to advantage *or* good advantage, become one; glamorize.

.15 **look good;** look like a million *or* look fit to kill *or* knock dead *or* knock one's eyes out [all slang]; take the breath away, beggar description; shine, beam, bloom, glow.

.16 ADJS **beautiful, beauteous,** endowed with beauty, cal(o)– *or* call(o)– *or* cali– *or* call–; heavy [slang]; **pretty, handsome, at-**

tractive 863.7, pulchritudinous, **lovely, graceful,** gracile, habro–; elegant, fine, exquisite, flowerlike; aesthetic, aesthetically appealing; eye-filling *or* easy on the eyes *or* not hard to look at *or* long on looks *or* looking fit to kill [all slang]; pretty as a picture, "lovely as the day" [Longfellow], "fair as is the rose in May" [Chaucer]; tall, dark, and handsome.

.17 **comely, fair, good-looking,** well-favored, **personable,** presentable, agreeable, becoming, pleasing 863.6, goodly, bonny, likely [dial], **sightly,** braw [Scot]; pleasing to the eye, lovely to behold; **shapely,** well-built, built, well-shaped, well-proportioned, well-made, well-formed, stacked, well-stacked, curvaceous, curvy [slang], pneumatic, amply endowed, built for comfort *or* built like a brick shithouse [both slang], buxom, callipygian, callipygous; Junoesque, statuesque, goddess-like; slender 205.16.

.18 **dainty, delicate;** *mignon* [Fr], **cute,** cunning [informal], cute as a bug's ear.

.19 **gorgeous, ravishing;** raving *or* **devastating** *or* **stunning** *or* killing [all slang]; **glorious,** heavenly, divine, sublime; **resplendent,** splendorous, splendrous, splendid, resplendently beautiful; **brilliant,** bright, radiant, shining, beaming, glowing, blooming, sparkling, **dazzling; glamorous** 650.7.

.20 **beautifying,** cosmetic; decorative 901.10.

.21 ADVS **beautifully,** beauteously, **prettily, handsomely, attractively, becomingly,** comelily; elegantly, exquisitely.

.22 **daintily, delicately; cutely,** cunningly [informal].

.23 **gorgeously, ravishingly;** ravingly *or* devastatingly *or* stunningly [all slang]; **gloriously,** divinely, sublimely; **resplendently,** splendidly, splendorously, splendrously; **brilliantly,** brightly, radiantly, glowingly, **dazzlingly.**

901. ORNAMENTATION

.1 NOUNS **ornamentation, ornament; decoration,** decor; **adornment, embellishment,** embroidery, elaboration; nonfunctional addition *or* adjunct; garnish, garnishment, garniture; trimming, trim; flourish; emblazonment, emblazonry; illumination; **color,** color patterns, color compatibility, color design, color arrangement; **arrangement,** flower arrangement, floral decoration, furniture arrangement; table setting *or* decoration; window dressing; **interior decoration** *or* decorating, room decoration.

.2 **ornateness, elegance, fanciness,** fineness, **elaborateness; ostentation** 904; richness, luxuriousness, luxuriance; **floweriness,** floridness, floridity; flamboyance; **overelegance,** overelaborateness, overornamentation; baroqueness, baroque, rococo, arabesque, moresque, chinoiserie.

.3 **finery,** frippery, gaudery, gaiety, bravery, trumpery, flashery [slang], folderol, trickery, chiffon, trappings, festoons, superfluity; **frills,** frills and furbelows, **frillery,** frilling, frilliness; foofaraw [dial], fuss [informal], froufrou; gingerbread; **tinsel,** clinquant, pinchbeck, paste; gilt, gilding.

.4 **trinket,** gewgaw, **knickknack,** knack, **gimcrack,** kickshaw, whim-wham, **bauble,** fribble, bibelot, toy, gaud; bric-a-brac.

.5 **jewelry,** bijouterie, ice [slang]; costume jewelry, glass, paste, junk jewelry [informal], scatter pins.

.6 **jewel,** bijou, **gem,** stone, precious stone, dactylio–; rhinestone; pin, brooch, stickpin, breastpin, chatelaine; ring, circle, earring, nose ring; bracelet, wristlet, wristband, armlet, anklet; chain, necklace, torque; locket; beads, chaplet, wampum; bangle; charm; fob; crown, coronet, diadem, tiara.

.7 **motif,** ornamental motif, **figure, detail,** form, touch, repeated figure; **pattern, theme,** design, ornamental theme, ornamental *or* decorative composition; foreground detail, background detail; **background,** setting, foil, **style,** ornamental *or* decorative style, national style, **period style.**

.8 VERBS **ornament, decorate, adorn, dress, trim, garnish,** array, **deck,** bedeck, dizen, bedizen; prettify, **beautify** 900.14; **redecorate,** refurbish, redo 694.17; **embellish, furbish,** embroider, enrich, grace, set off *or* out, paint, color, blazon, emblazon, paint in glowing colors; **dress up; spruce up** *or* gussy up *or* doll up *or* fix up [all informal], **primp up,** prink up, prank up, trick up *or* out, deck out, fig out; primp, prink, prank, preen; smarten, smarten up, dandify, titivate.

.9 figure, filigree; **spangle, bespangle;** bead; tinsel; jewel, bejewel, gem, diamond; ribbon, beribbon; flounce; flower, garland, wreathe; feather, plume; flag; illuminate; paint 362.13; engrave 578.10.

.10 ADJS **ornamental, decorative,** adorning, embellishing.

.11 **ornamented, adorned, decorated, embellished, bedecked,** decked out, tricked out, garnished, trimmed, bedizened; fig-

ured; flowered; festooned, befrilled, wreathed; spangled, bespangled, spangly; jeweled, bejeweled; beaded; studded; plumed, feathered; beribboned.

.12 **ornate, elegant, fancy,** fine, chichi, pretty-pretty; picturesque; **elaborate,** labored, high-wrought; **ostentatious** 904.18–22; **rich, luxurious,** luxuriant; **flowery, florid; flamboyant; fussy, frilly; overelegant,** overelaborate, overlabored, overworked, overwrought, busy; **baroque,** rococo, arabesque, moresque.

.13 **ornamentations**

aglet
aigrette
appliqué
arabesque
arras
batik
beading
beaten work
bouquet
boutonniere
bow
bugle
chaplet
coronal
corsage
crown
cul-de-lampe [Fr]
cuspidation
cutwork
damascene, damask
decoupage
diaper, diapering
drapery
drawnwork
egret
embroidery
epaulet
fancywork
feather
festoon
figure work
filigree
fillet
finial
fleuron [Fr]
foliage
foliation
fretwork
fringe
frog
frostwork
garland
graffito
guilloche
hanging
helix
imbrication
inlay
lacework
metalwork
motif
niello
nosegay
openwork
panache
panelwork
parquetry
passementerie
plume
pom-pom
posy
quilting
reeding
rosette
ruffle
scroll
sequin
snood
spangle
spiral
stenciling
strapwork
striping
tapestry
tassel
tooling
tracery
vermiculation
vignette
wreath

.14 **architectural ornamentations**

acanthus
apophyge
astragal
beading
beak
billet
boss
cartouche
cavetto
cinquefoil
congé [Fr]
cornice
cusp
cyma
fascia
fillet
finial
foil
fret
frieze
listel
molding
ogee
ovolo
patera
pendant
quatrefoil
reed
scotia
scrollhead
splay
terminal
torus
trefoil
volute

902. PLAINNESS

(unaffectedness)

.1 NOUNS **plainness, simplicity, simpleness, ordinariness, commonness, commonplaceness,** homeliness, prosaicness, prosiness, matter-of-factness; **purity,** chasteness, classic *or* classical purity, Attic simplicity.

.2 **naturalness,** inartificiality; **unaffectedness,** unassumingness, **unpretentiousness;** directness, straightforwardness.

.3 **unadornment, unembellishment,** unornamentation; **uncomplexity,** uncomplication, uncomplicatedness, **unsophistication,** unadulteration; bareness, baldness, nakedness, nudity, undress, beauty unadorned.

.4 **inornateness, unelaborateness,** unfanciness, unfussiness; austerity, severity, starkness, Spartan simplicity.

.5 VERBS simplify, chasten, restrain, purify.

.6 ADJS **simple, plain, ordinary, nondescript, common, commonplace, prosaic,** prosy, **matter-of-fact, homely, homespun,** everyday, workday, workaday, household, garden, common- *or* garden-variety; pure, **pure and simple,** chaste, classic *or* classical, Attic.

.7 **natural,** native; **inartificial,** unartificial; **unaffected, unpretentious,** unpretending, unassuming, unfeigning, direct, straightforward, honest, candid.

.8 **unadorned, undecorated, unornamented, unembellished,** ungarnished, unfurbished, unvarnished, untrimmed; **uncomplex,** uncomplicated, **unsophisticated,** unadulterated; **undressed,** undecked, unarrayed; bare, bald, blank, naked, nude.

.9 **inornate,** unornate, **unelaborate,** unfancy, unfussy; austere, severe, stark, Spartan.

.10 ADVS **plainly, simply,** ordinarily, commonly, commonplacely, prosaically, matter-of-factly.

.11 **unaffectedly, naturally,** unpretentiously, unassumingly, directly, straightforwardly.

903. AFFECTATION

.1 NOUNS **affectation, affectedness; pretension, pretense, airs,** putting on airs, put-on [informal]; **show, false show,** mere show; front, false front [informal], **façade,** mere façade, **image,** public image; feigned belief, **hypocrisy** 616.6; sham

616.3; artificiality, unnaturalness, insincerity; prunes and prisms, airs and graces; stylishness, mannerism.

.2 **mannerism,** *minauderie* [Fr], **trick of behavior,** trick, **quirk,** habit, peculiarity, peculiar trait, idiosyncrasy, trademark; –ism.

.3 **posing, pose, posturing,** attitudinizing, attitudinarianism; peacockery, peacockishness.

.4 **foppery, foppishness, dandyism,** coxcombry, puppyism, conceit.

.5 **overniceness,** overpreciseness, **overrefinement, elegance,** exquisiteness, preciousness, preciosity; goody-goodyism *or* goody-goodness [both informal]; purism, formalism, formality, pedantry, precisionism, precisianism; euphuism; euphemism.

.6 **prudery, prudishness, priggishness, primness, smugness, stuffiness** [informal], old-maidishness, **straitlacedness,** stiff-neckedness, hideboundness, narrowness, censoriousness, sanctimony, sanctimoniousness, **puritanicalness,** Quakerishness; **false modesty,** overmodesty, demureness, demurity, *mauvaise honte* [Fr].

.7 **affecter;** mannerist; **phony** [slang], **fake** *or* **fraud** [informal], **pretender,** actor, playactor [informal], performer; paper tiger, hollow man, straw man, man of straw; deceiver 619.

.8 **poser,** poseur, striker of poses, **posturer,** posturist, posture maker, attitudinarian, attitudinizer.

.9 **dandy, fop,** coxcomb, macaroni, gallant, dude *or* swell [both informal], sport [slang], exquisite, blood, fine gentleman, puppy, jackanapes, jack-a-dandy, fribble, clotheshorse, fashion plate; beau, Beau Brummel, spark, blade, ladies' man, lady-killer [slang], masher; man-about-town, boulevardier.

.10 **fine lady,** *grande dame, précieuse* [both Fr]; belle, toast.

.11 **prude, prig, puritan, bluenose,** goody-goody [informal], old maid; Victorian, mid-Victorian.

.12 VERBS **affect, assume, put on,** assume *or* put on airs, wear, **pretend, simulate, counterfeit, sham, fake** [informal], **feign,** make out like [informal], make a show of, play, playact [informal], act *or* play a part, play a scene, do a bit [informal], put up a front [slang], dramatize, histrionize, lay it on thick [informal], overact, tug the heartstrings.

.13 **pose, posture, attitudinize,** peacock, strike a pose, strike an attitude, pose for effect.

.14 **mince,** mince it, prink [Brit dial]; **simper,** smirk, bridle.

.15 ADJS **affected, pretentious,** la-di-da; **mannered,** *maniéré* [Fr]; **artificial, unnatural,** insincere; theatrical, stagy, histrionic; overdone, overacted.

.16 **assumed, put-on, pretended,** simulated, **phony** [slang], **fake** *or* **faked** [informal], feigned, counterfeited; spurious, sham 616.26; hypocritical 616.33.

.17 **foppish, dandified,** dandy, coxcombical, conceited.

.18 (affectedly nice) **overnice,** overprecise, precious, *précieuse* [Fr], exquisite, **overrefined, elegant,** mincing, simpering, namby-pamby; **goody-goody** *or* goody good-good [both informal]; puristic, formalistic, pedantic, precisionistic, precisian, precisianistic, euphuistic, euphemistic.

.19 **prudish, priggish, prim, smug, stuffy** [informal], old-maidish, **overmodest,** demure, **straitlaced,** stiff-necked, hidebound, narrow, censorious, sanctimonious, **puritanical,** Quakerish, Victorian, mid-Victorian.

.20 ADVS **affectedly, pretentiously;** elegantly, mincingly; for effect, for show.

.21 **prudishly, priggishly,** primly, smugly, stuffily [informal], straitlacedly, stiff-neckedly, puritanically.

904. OSTENTATION

.1 NOUNS **ostentation,** ostentatiousness, ostent; **pretentiousness, pretension, pretense;** loftiness, lofty affectations.

.2 **pretensions,** vain pretensions; **airs,** lofty airs, vaporing, highfalutin *or* highfaluting ways [informal], side, swank [informal].

.3 **showiness, flashiness,** flamboyance, panache, dash, jazziness [slang], jauntiness, sportiness [informal], gaiety, glitter, glare, dazzle, dazzlingness; extravaganza; **gaudiness,** gaudery, **tawdriness,** meretriciousness; gorgeousness, colorfulness; **garishness,** loudness [informal], **blatancy,** flagrancy, shamelessness, brazenness, luridness, extravagance, sensationalism, obtrusiveness, vulgarness, crudeness, extravagation.

.4 **display, show, demonstration,** manifestation, **exhibition, parade,** *étalage* [Fr]; **pageantry,** pageant, **spectacle;** vaunt, fanfaronade, blazon, flourish, flaunt, flaunting; daring, brilliancy, éclat, bravura, flair; dash *or* splash *or* splurge [all informal]; figure; **exhibitionism,** showing-off;

theatrics, histrionics, dramatics, staginess; false front, sham 616.3.

.5 **grandeur,** grandness, grandiosity, **magnificence,** gorgeousness, **splendor,** splendidness, splendiferousness, resplendence, brilliance, glory; nobility, proudness, **state, stateliness, majesty;** impressiveness, imposingness; **sumptuousness, elegance, elaborateness, lavishness, luxuriousness;** ritziness *or* poshness *or* plushness *or* swankness *or* swankiness [all informal]; **luxury,** barbaric *or* Babylonian splendor.

.6 **pomp,** circumstance, pride, **state,** solemnity 871, formality 646; **pomp and circumstance,** "pride, pomp, and circumstance" [Shakespeare]; heraldry, "trump and solemn heraldry" [Coleridge].

.7 **pompousness, pomposity,** pontification, pontificality, **stuffiness** [informal], **self-importance,** inflation; grandiloquence 601, turgidity, orotundity.

.8 **swagger, strut,** swank [informal], bounce, brave show; swaggering, strutting; swash, **swashbucklery,** swashbuckling, swashbucklering; peacockishness, peacockery.

.9 **stuffed shirt** [slang], blimp [slang], Colonel Blimp; bloated aristocrat.

.10 **strutter, swaggerer,** swanker [Brit], swash, swasher, **swashbuckler,** peacock, miles gloriosus.

.11 **show-off** [informal], **exhibitionist,** flaunter; **grandstander** *or* grandstand player *or* hot dog *or* **hotshot** *or* showboat [all slang].

.12 VERBS **put** *or* **thrust oneself forward,** come forward, step to the front *or* fore, step into the limelight, take center stage, attract attention, make oneself conspicuous.

.13 **cut a dash,** make a show, put on a show, make one's mark, cut a swath, **cut** *or* **make a figure;** make a splash *or* a splurge [informal]; **splurge** *or* splash [both informal]; shine, glitter, glare, dazzle.

.14 **give oneself airs, put on airs,** put on, put on side, put on the dog [informal], put up a front [slang], ritz it [slang], look big, **swank** [slang], swell, swell it, act the grand seigneur; pontificate, play the pontiff.

.15 **strut, swagger,** swank [Brit], prance, stalk, peacock, swash, swashbuckle.

.16 **show off** [informal], **grandstand** *or* hot dog [both slang], play to the gallery *or* galleries [informal], please the crowd; exhibit *or* parade one's wares [informal], strut one's stuff [slang], go through one's paces, show what one has.

.17 **flaunt,** vaunt, **parade, display, demonstrate,** manifest, **exhibit,** air, put forward, put forth, hold up, flash *or* sport [both informal]; advertise; **flourish,** brandish, wave; dangle, dangle before the eyes; emblazon, blazon forth; trumpet, trumpet forth.

.18 ADJS **ostentatious, pretentious,** ambitious, vaunting, **lofty, highfalutin** *or* highfaluting [both informal], **high-flown,** high-flying; **high-toned,** tony [both informal], **fancy,** classy [slang], flossy [informal].

.19 **showy, flaunting, flashy,** snazzy, flashing, glittering, **jazzy** [slang], splashy *or* splurgy [both informal]; exhibitionistic, showoffy [informal], bravura; **gay,** jaunty, rakish, **dashing;** gallant, brave, braw [Scot], daring; **sporty** *or* dressy [both informal]; frilly [informal], frothy, chichi.

.20 **gaudy, tawdry;** gorgeous, colorful; **garish, loud** [informal], **blatant, flagrant,** shameless, **brazen,** brazenfaced, lurid, extravagant, sensational, **spectacular,** glaring, flaring, flaunting, screaming [informal], obtrusive, vulgar, crude; meretricious.

.21 **grandiose, grand, magnificent, splendid,** splendiferous [informal], splendacious [slang], **glorious,** superb, fine, superfine, fancy, superfancy, swell [slang]; **imposing, impressive,** awful, awe-inspiring; **noble, proud, stately, majestic,** princely; **sumptuous, elegant, elaborate, luxurious,** extravagant, deluxe; plush *or* posh *or* ritzy *or* swank *or* swanky [all informal], Corinthian; palatial, Babylonian; barbaric.

.22 **pompous, stuffy** [informal], **self-important,** impressed with oneself, pontifical; **inflated, swollen,** bloated, tumid, turgid, flatulent, gassy [informal], stilted; grandiloquent, **bombastic** 601.8,9; solemn 871.3, formal 646.7–10.

.23 **strutting, swaggering;** swashing, **swashbuckling,** swashbucklering; peacockish, peacocky.

.24 **theatrical, stagy, dramatic, histrionic;** spectacular.

.25 ADVS **ostentatiously, pretentiously, loftily;** with flourish of trumpet, with beat of drum, with flying colors.

.26 **showily, flauntingly,** flashily, with a flair, glitteringly; gaily, jauntily, **dashingly;** gallantly, bravely, daringly.

.27 **gaudily, tawdrily;** gorgeously, colorfully; **garishly, blatantly, flagrantly,** shamelessly, **brazenly,** brazenfacedly, luridly, sensationally, **spectacularly,** glaringly, flaringly, obtrusively.

.28 **grandiosely, grandly, magnificently,**

splendidly, splendiferously, splendaciously, gloriously, superbly; nobly, proudly, majestically; imposingly, impressively; **sumptuously, elegantly,** elaborately, luxuriously, **extravagantly;** palatially.

.29 **pompously,** stuffily [informal], **self-importantly;** stiltedly; **bombastically** 601.12.

905. PRIDE

.1 NOUNS **pride,** proudness, pridefulness; **self-esteem, self-respect,** self-confidence, self-reliance, self-consequence, face, independence, self-sufficiency; pardonable pride; obstinate *or* stiff-necked pride, stiff-neckedness; **vanity, conceit** 909.4; haughtiness, **arrogance** 912; boastfulness 910.1; purse-pride.

.2 **proud bearing,** pride of bearing, **dignity,** dignifiedness, **stateliness,** courtliness, grandeur, **loftiness;** pride of place; **nobility,** lordliness, princeliness; **majesty,** regality, kingliness, queenliness; worthiness, augustness, venerability; **sedateness, solemnity** 871, gravity, sobriety.

.3 proudling, highflier; stiff neck; egoist 909.5; boaster 910.5; the proud.

.4 VERBS **be proud,** hold up one's head, hold one's head high, stand up straight, hold oneself erect, never stoop; look one in the face *or* eye.

.5 **pride oneself, preen oneself,** plume oneself on, pique oneself, **congratulate oneself,** hug oneself; **be proud of, take pride in,** glory in, exult in.

.6 **make proud,** do proud [informal], **gratify, elate,** flush, turn one's head.

.7 save face, save one's face, preserve one's dignity, guard *or* preserve one's honor, be jealous of one's repute *or* good name.

.8 ADJS **proud, prideful,** proudful [dial]; **self-esteeming, self-respecting;** self-confident, self-reliant, independent, self-sufficient; proudhearted, proud-minded, proud-spirited, proud-blooded; proud-looking; as proud as Punch, proud as Lucifer, proud as a peacock; erect, stiff-backed, stiff-necked; purse-proud, house-proud.

.9 **vain, conceited** 909.8–12; haughty, **arrogant** 912.9; boastful 910.10.

.10 **puffed up,** swollen, bloated, swollen *or* bloated with pride; elated, flushed, flushed with pride.

.11 **lofty, elevated,** high, high-flown, highfalutin *or* highfaluting [both informal], high-toned [informal]; high-minded, lofty-minded; high-headed, high-nosed [informal].

.12 **dignified, stately, imposing, grand, courtly,** magisterial, aristocratic; **noble,** lordly, princely; **majestic,** regal, royal, kingly, queenly; worthy, **august, venerable;** statuesque; **sedate, solemn** 871.3, sober, grave.

.13 ADVS **proudly,** pridefully, **with pride;** self-esteemingly, self-respectingly, self-confidently, self-reliantly, independently, self-sufficiently; erectly, with head erect, with head held high, with nose in air; stiff-neckedly; like a lord, *en grand seigneur* [Fr].

.14 **dignifiedly, with dignity;** nobly, stately, imposingly, loftily, grandly, magisterially; majestically, regally, royally; worthily, augustly, venerably; sedately, solemnly, soberly, gravely.

906. HUMILITY

.1 NOUNS **humility, humbleness, meekness; lowliness,** lowlihood, poorness, meanness, smallness, ingloriousness, undistinguishedness; unimportance 673; innocuousness 674.9; teachableness 564.5; submissiveness 765.3; **modesty,** unpretentiousness 908.1; plainness, simpleness, homeliness.

.2 **humiliation, mortification;** embarrassment 866.4; **abasement,** debasement, **letdown,** setdown, put-down, dump [informal], **comedown,** descent, deflation, wounded *or* humbled pride; self-diminishment, **self-abasement, self-abnegation** 979.1; **shame, disgrace;** shamefacedness, shamefastness, hangdog look.

.3 **condescension,** condescendence, deigning, lowering oneself, stooping from one's high place.

.4 VERBS **humiliate, humble;** mortify, **embarrass** 866.15; put out, put out of face *or* countenance; **shame, disgrace,** put to shame, put to the blush; **deflate,** prick one's balloon, let down; take it out of, take the shine out of [informal], take the wind out of one's sails, take the starch out of [slang]; put one's nose out of joint [informal], put a tuck in one's tail *or* make one sing small [both informal].

.5 **abase, debase, crush,** abash, **degrade, reduce,** diminish, **demean,** lower, **bring low,** bring down, trip up, take down, set down, put down, dump *or* dump on [both informal], knock one off his perch; take down a peg *or* a peg or two [informal].

.6 **humble oneself, demean oneself,** abase oneself, climb down [informal], get down from one's high horse [informal]; put

one's pride in one's pocket; **eat humble pie,** eat crow, eat dirt, swallow one's pride, lick the dust; come on bended knee, come hat in hand; go down on one's knees; draw in one's horns *or* sing small [both informal], lower one's note *or* tone, tuck one's tail; come down a peg *or* a peg or two; **deprecate** *or* **depreciate oneself,** diminish oneself, discount oneself, belittle oneself.

.7 **condescend, deign, vouchsafe; stoop, descend,** lower oneself, set one's dignity aside *or* to one side; be so good as to, so forget oneself.

.8 **be humiliated,** be put out of countenance; **be crushed, feel small, feel cheap,** look foolish *or* silly, could sink through the floor; **take shame, be ashamed, feel ashamed of oneself,** be put to the blush, have a very red face; hang one's head, hide one's face, not dare to show one's face, not have a word to say for oneself; drink the cup of humiliation to the dregs.

.9 ADJS **humble, lowly,** low, **poor, mean,** small, inglorious, undistinguished; unimportant 673.14–19; innocuous 674.20; teachable 564.18; **modest, unpretentious** 908.9; **plain, simple,** homely; humble-looking, humble-visaged; humblest, lowliest, lowest, least.

.10 humblehearted, humble-minded, humble-spirited, poor in spirit; **meek,** meek-hearted, meek-minded, meek-spirited; **abject,** submissive 765.12–16.

.11 **self-abasing, self-abnegating, self-deprecating,** self-depreciating, self-doubting.

.12 **humbled,** reduced, diminished, lowered, brought down, brought low, set down, bowed down, in the dust; on one's knees, on one's marrowbones [informal].

.13 **humiliated,** humbled, mortified, **embarrassed, chagrined, abashed, crushed,** out of countenance; blushing, red-faced, **ashamed,** shamed, ashamed of oneself, shamefaced, shamefast; crestfallen, chapfallen, hangdog.

.14 **humiliating,** humiliative, humbling, chastening, mortifying, **embarrassing,** crushing.

.15 ADVS **humbly, meekly;** modestly 908.14; with due deference, with bated breath, "with bated breath and whispering humbleness" [Shakespeare]; submissively 765.17–19; **abjectly,** on bended knee, **on one's knees,** on one's marrowbones [informal], on all fours, with one's tail between one's legs, hat in hand.

907. SERVILITY

.1 NOUNS **servility, slavishness,** subservience *or* subserviency, menialness, abjectness, **baseness,** meanness; **submissiveness** 765.3; slavery, helotry, helotism, serfdom, peonage.

.2 **obsequiousness, sycophancy,** fawnery, **toadyism,** flunkyism, parasitism, sponging; ingratiation, insinuation; **truckling, fawning, toadying,** toadeating, groveling, cringing, footlicking, **bootlicking** [slang], backscratching, tufthunting; **apple-polishing** *or* **handshaking** [both informal]; ass-licking *or* ass-kissing *or* brown-nosing [all slang]; timeserving; obeisance, prostration; mealymouthedness.

.3 **sycophant, flatterer, toady,** toad, toad-eater, footlicker, bootlick *or* **bootlicker** [both slang], lickspit, lickspittle, **truckler, fawner,** courtier, led captain, tufthunter, kowtower, groveler, cringer, spaniel; **backslapper,** backscratcher, clawback [dial]; **handshaker** *or* **apple-polisher** *or* **yes-man** [all informal]; suck *or* ass-licker *or* ass-kisser *or* brown-nose *or* brown-noser *or* brownie [all slang]; flunky, lackey, stooge [slang], jackal; timeserver; creature, **puppet,** minion, **tool,** cat's-paw, dupe, instrument, faithful servant, slave, helot, serf, peon; mealymouth.

.4 **parasite,** barnacle, leech, parasit(o)– *or* parasiti–; **sponger,** sponge [informal], freeloader [slang], smell-feast; beat *or* deadbeat [both slang].

.5 **hanger-on, adherent,** dangler, appendage, **dependent, satellite, follower,** retainer, servant, man, shadow, tagtail, **henchman,** heeler *or* ward heeler [both informal].

.6 VERBS **fawn, truckle; flatter; toady,** toadeat; **bootlick** [slang], lickspittle, lick one's shoes, lick the feet of; **grovel,** crawl, creep, cower, cringe, crouch, stoop, kneel, bend the knee, fall on one's knees, prostrate oneself, throw oneself at the feet of, fall at one's feet, kiss one's feet, kiss the hem of one's garment, lick the dust, make a doormat of oneself; **kowtow,** bow, **bow and scrape.**

.7 **toady to, truckle to, pander to, cater to; wait on** *or* **upon,** wait on hand and foot, do service, fetch and carry, do the dirty work of, do *or* jump at the bidding of.

.8 **curry favor, court, pay court to,** make court to, run after [informal], dance attendance on; **shine up to,** make up to [informal]; **suck up to** *or* **play up to** *or* act up to [all slang]; be a yes man [informal],

agree to anything; fawn upon, fall over *or* all over [slang]; **handshake** *or* **polish the apple** [both informal]; lick one's ass *or* kiss one's ass *or* brown-nose [all slang].

.9 **ingratiate oneself,** insinuate oneself, worm oneself in, creep into the good graces of, get next to [informal], **get on the good** *or* **right side of,** rub the right way [informal].

.10 **attach oneself to,** pin *or* fasten oneself upon, hang about *or* around, dangle, hang on the skirts of, hang on the sleeve of, become an appendage of, **follow,** follow at heel; follow the crowd, get on the bandwagon, go with the stream, hold with the hare and run with the hounds.

.11 sponge *or* **sponge on** [both informal]; feed on, fatten on, batten on, live off of, use as a meal ticket.

.12 ADJS **servile, slavish,** subservient, **menial, base,** mean; **submissive** 765.12.

.13 **obsequious, flattering, sycophantic(al), toadyish, fawning, truckling, ingratiating, toadying,** toadeating, **bootlicking** [slang], footlicking, backscratching; **groveling,** sniveling, cringing, cowering, crouching, crawling; **parasitic,** leechlike, sponging [informal], par(a)–; timeserving; **abject,** beggarly, hangdog; obeisant, prostrate, on one's knees, on one's marrowbones [slang], on bended knee; mealymouthed.

.14 ADVS **servilely, slavishly,** subserviently, menially, "in a bondman's key" [Shakespeare]; **submissively** 765.17.

.15 **obsequiously, sycophantically, ingratiatingly, fawningly, trucklingly;** hat-in-hand, cap-in-hand; **abjectly,** obeisantly, grovelingly, on one's knees; parasitically.

908. MODESTY

.1 NOUNS **modesty, meekness;** humility 906; **unpretentiousness,** unassumingness, unpresumptuousness, **unostentatiousness,** unambitiousness, unobtrusiveness, unboastfulness.

.2 **self-effacement, self-depreciation,** self-deprecation, self-detraction, undervaluing of self, self-doubt, **diffidence;** weak ego, lack of self-confidence *or* self-reliance, self-distrust.

.3 **reserve, restraint, constraint,** backwardness, retiring disposition.

.4 **shyness, timidity,** timidness, timorousness, **bashfulness,** shamefacedness, shamefastness, **coyness, demureness,** demurity, skittishness, mousiness; self-consciousness, embarrassment; stammering, confusion; stagefright, mikefright [informal].

.5 **blushing, flushing,** coloring, mantling, reddening, crimsoning; **blush, flush,** suffusion; pudicity, pudency.

.6 shrinking violet, modest violet, mouse.

.7 VERBS **efface oneself,** depreciate *or* deprecate *or* doubt *or* distrust oneself; reserve oneself, retire, shrink, **retire into one's shell, keep in the background,** keep oneself to oneself, keep one's distance, remain in the shade, take a back seat [informal], hide one's face, hide one's light under a bushel, avoid the limelight; pursue the noiseless tenor of one's way, blush unseen, "do good by stealth and blush to find it fame" [Pope].

.8 **blush, flush,** mantle, **color,** change color, color up, redden, crimson, turn red, get red in the face, blush up to the eyes; stammer; squirm with self-consciousness *or* embarrassment.

.9 ADJS **modest, meek;** humble 906.9; **unpretentious,** unpretending, **unassuming,** unpresuming, unpresumptuous, **unostentatious,** unobtrusive, unimposing, unboastful; unambitious, unaspiring.

.10 **self-effacing, self-depreciative, self-depreciating,** self-deprecating; **diffident,** deprecatory, deprecative, self-doubting, unself-confident, unselfreliant, self-distrustful.

.11 **reserved, restrained, constrained;** quiet; **backward, retiring, shrinking.**

.12 **shy, timid,** timorous, **bashful,** shamefaced, shamefast, **coy, demure,** skittish, mousy; self-conscious, conscious, confused; stammering, inarticulate.

.13 **blushing,** blushful; **flushed,** red, ruddy, red in the face; **sheepish; embarrassed.**

.14 ADVS **modestly, meekly;** humbly 906.15; **unpretentiously,** unpretendingly, **unassumingly,** unpresumptuously, **unostentatiously,** unobtrusively; quietly, without ceremony, *sans façon* [Fr].

.15 **shyly, timidly,** timorously, **bashfully, coyly, demurely,** diffidently; **shamefacedly,** shamefastly, **sheepishly,** blushingly, with downcast eyes.

909. VANITY

.1 NOUNS **vanity, vainness;** overproudness, overweening pride; **self-importance,** consequentiality, **self-esteem,** self-respect, self-assumption; **self-admiration,** self-delight, self-worship, self-endearment, **self-love,** *amour-propre* [Fr], self-infatuation, narcissism, narcism; autoeroticism, autoerotism; **self-satisfaction, self-content,** ego trip [informal], self-approbation, self-congratulation, self-gratulation, self-compla-

cency, **smugness,** complacency, self-sufficiency; vainglory, vainglorious ness; "an itch for the praise of fools" [R. Browning].

.2 **pride** 905; arrogance 912; **boastfulness** 910.1.

.3 **egotism, egoism,** egoisticalness, egotisticalness, **ego** [informal], self-interest, individualism, "the tongue of vanity" [Chamfort]; **egocentricity,** egocentrism, self-centeredness, self-centerment; selfishness 978.

.4 **conceit, conceitedness, self-conceit, self-conceitedness, immodesty,** side, self-assertiveness; **stuck-upness** [informal], chestiness [slang], swelled-headedness, swelled head; **cockiness** [informal], pertness, perkiness; aggressive self-confidence, obtrusiveness, bumptiousness.

.5 **egotist, egoist, egocentric,** individualist; **swellhead** [slang], narcissist, narcist, Narcissus; **braggart** 910.5, know-it-all, smart aleck 913.5, no modest violet, "a person of low taste, more interested in himself than in me" [Ambrose Bierce].

.6 VERBS **be stuck on oneself** [slang], be impressed *or* overly impressed with oneself; ego-trip, be *or* go on an ego trip [all informal]; think well of oneself, think one is it *or* one's shit doesn't stink [slang], get too big for one's breeches, have a swelled head, know it all, have no false modesty, have no self-doubt, love the sound of one's own voice, be blinded by one's own glory, lay the flattering unction to one's soul; fish for compliments; toot one's own horn, **boast** 910.6–8; be vain as a peacock, give oneself airs 904.14.

.7 **puff up, inflate,** swell; go to one's head, turn one's head.

.8 ADJS **vain, vainglorious,** overproud, overweening; **self-important, self-esteeming,** self-respecting, self-assuming, consequential; **self-admiring,** self-delighting, self-worshiping, self-loving, self-endeared, self-infatuated, narcissistic, narcistic, narcissan, narcissine; **self-satisfied, self-content,** self-contented, self-approving, self-gratulating, self-gratulatory, self-congratulating, self-congratulatory, self-complacent, **smug,** complacent, self-sufficient.

.9 **proud** 905.8; arrogant 912.9; boastful 910.10.

.10 **egotistic(al),** egoistic(al), self-interested; **egocentric,** egocentristic, self-centered, narcissistic, narcistic, narcissan, narcissine; selfish 978.5.

.11 **conceited, self-conceited, immodest,** self-opinionated; **stuck-up** [informal], **puffed up,** chesty [slang], **swelled-headed,** too big for one's shoes *or* britches; biggety [dial]; **cocky** [informal], pert, perk, perky; peacockish, peacocky; know-it-all, smart-alecky 913.9, overwise, wise in one's own conceit; aggressively self-confident, obtrusive, bumptious.

.12 **stuck on oneself** [informal], impressed with oneself, pleased with oneself, full of oneself, all wrapped up in oneself.

.13 ADVS **vainly,** self-importantly; **egotistically,** egoistically; **conceitedly,** self-conceitedly, immodestly; cockily [informal], pertly, perkily.

910. BOASTING

.1 NOUNS **boasting, bragging,** vaunting; **boastfulness, braggadocio, braggartism; boast, brag,** vaunt; side, bombast, bravado, vauntery, fanfaronade, gasconade, gasconism, rodomontade; bluster, swagger 911.1; vanity, conceit 909.4; jactation, jactitation; heroics.

.2 [slang or informal terms] **big talk,** fine talk, fancy talk, tall talk, highfalutin *or* highfaluting, **hot air,** gas, bunk, bunkum, **bullshit;** tall story, fish story.

.3 **self-approbation,** self-praise, self-laudation, self-gratulation, self-applause, self-puffery, self-vaunting, self-advertising, self-advertisement, self-glorification; vainglory, vainglorious ness.

.4 **crowing,** exultation, elation, triumph, jubilation; **gloating.**

.5 **braggart, boaster,** brag, braggadocio, hector, fanfaron, Gascon, gasconader, miles gloriosus; **blowhard** *or* blower *or* big mouth *or* bullshit artist *or* hot-air artist *or* gasbag *or* windbag *or* big bag of wind *or* windjammer *or* windy [all slang]; blusterer 911.2; Texan, Fourth-of-July orator; Braggadocchio [Spenser], Captain Bobadil [Ben Jonson], Thraso [Terence], Parolles [Shakespeare].

.6 VERBS **boast, brag,** make a boast of, vaunt, flourish, gasconade, vapor, puff, draw the longbow, advertise oneself, **blow one's own trumpet, toot one's own horn,** sing one's own praises, exaggerate one's own merits; bluster, swagger 911.3; speak for Buncombe.

.7 [slang or informal terms] **blow,** blow off, **blow hard, talk big,** shoot the shit, spread oneself, lay it on thick, brag oneself up.

.8 **flatter oneself,** conceit oneself, **congratulate oneself,** hug oneself, shake hands with oneself, **pat oneself on the back,** take merit to oneself.

.9 **exult,** triumph, glory, delight, joy, jubilate; **crow** *or* crow over, crow like a rooster *or* cock; **gloat,** gloat over.

.10 ADJS **boastful, boasting, braggart, bragging,** thrasonical, thrasonic, big-mouthed [slang], vaunting, vaporing, gasconading, Gascon, fanfaronading, fanfaron; vain, conceited 909.8–12; **vainglorious,** self-glorious, self-lauding, self-applauding, self-praising, self-flattering, self-vaunting, self-advertising.

.11 **inflated, swollen, windy** *or* gassy [both informal], **bombastic,** high-swelling, **high-flown, highfalutin** *or* highfaluting [both informal], **pretentious,** extravagant, big, tall [informal].

.12 **crowing,** exultant, exulting, elated, elate, jubilant, **triumphant, flushed,** cock-a-hoop, in high feather; **gloating.**

.13 ADVS **boastfully,** boastingly, braggingly, vauntingly, vaingloriously.

.14 **exultantly,** exultingly, elatedly, jubilantly, triumphantly, in triumph; **gloatingly.**

911. BLUSTER

.1 NOUNS **bluster,** blustering, hectoring, bullying, **swagger,** swashbucklery, side; **bravado,** rant, rodomontade, fanfaronade; sputter, splutter; fuss, bustle, fluster, flurry; bluff, bluster and bluff; intimidation 891.6; **boastfulness** 910.1.

.2 **blusterer, swaggerer,** swasher, swashbuckler, fanfaron, bravo, **bully,** bullyboy, bucko, roisterer, cock of the walk, vaporer, blatherskite [informal]; ranter, raver, hectorer, hector, Herod; slanger [Brit]; bluff, bluffer; **braggart** 910.5.

.3 VERBS **bluster,** hector; **swagger,** swashbuckle; bully; bounce, vapor, roister, rollick, gasconade, kick up a dust [informal]; sputter, splutter; rant, rage, rave, storm, "out-herod Herod" [Shakespeare]; slang [Brit]; bluff, bluster and bluff, put up a bluff [informal]; intimidate 891.28; **brag** 910.6.

.4 ADJS **blustering,** blustery, blusterous, hectoring, **bullying, swaggering,** swashing, swashbuckling, boisterous, roisterous, roistering, rollicking; ranting, raging, raving, storming; tumultuous 162.17; noisy, "full of sound and fury" [Shakespeare].

912. ARROGANCE

.1 NOUNS **arrogance,** arrogantness; overbearingness, overbearing pride, overweening pride, stiff-necked pride, assumption of superiority, domineering, domineeringness; **pride,** proudness; superbia, sin of pride, chief of the deadly sins; **haughtiness, hauteur; loftiness,** Olympian loftiness *or* detachment; **toploftiness** *or* stuck-upness *or* uppishness *or* uppityness [all informal], side, hoity-toitiness, hoity-toity; haughty airs, airs of *de haut en bas,* cornstarchy airs [informal]; high horse [informal]; **condescension,** condescendence, patronizing, patronization, patronizing attitude; purse-pride.

.2 **presumptuousness,** presumption, overweening, overweeningness, assumption, total self-assurance; hubris; **insolence** 913.

.3 **lordliness, imperiousness,** masterfulness, magisterialness, **high-and-mightiness,** aristocratic presumption; elitism.

.4 **aloofness, standoffishness,** offishness [informal], chilliness, coolness, distantness, remoteness.

.5 **disdainfulness, disdain,** aristocratic disdain, **contemptuousness, superciliousness,** contumeliousness, cavalierness, you-be-damnedness [slang].

.6 **snobbery, snobbishness,** snobbiness, snobbism; **priggishness, priggery,** priggism; snootiness *or* snottiness *or* sniffiness *or* high-hattedness *or* high-hattiness [all slang]; tufthunting.

.7 **snob, prig;** elitist; **highbrow** *or* egghead [both slang], Brahmin, mandarin; name-dropper, tufthunter; "he who meanly admires a mean thing" [Thackeray].

.8 VERBS **give oneself airs** 904.14; **hold one's nose in the air, look down one's nose,** toss the head, bridle; mount *or* get on one's high horse *or* ride the high horse [informal]; **condescend, patronize,** deal with *or* treat *de haut en bas.*

.9 ADJS **arrogant, overbearing, superior,** domineering, **proud, haughty; lofty, toplofty** [informal] 207.19; high-flown, high-falutin *or* high-faluting [both informal]; high-headed; high-nosed *or* **stuck-up** *or* **uppish** *or* uppity *or* **upstage** [all informal]; **hoity-toity,** big, big as you please, six feet above contradiction; on one's high horse; **condescending, patronizing,** *de haut en bas* [Fr]; purse-proud.

.10 **presumptuous,** presuming, assuming, overweening, would-be, self-elect, self-elected, self-appointed; **insolent** 913.8.

.11 **lordly, imperious,** aristocratic, totally self-assured; hubristic; masterful, magisterial, **high and mighty;** elitist; U [Brit informal]; dictatorial 739.16.

.12 **aloof, standoffish,** standoff, offish [informal], chilly, cool, distant, remote, above all that; Olympian.

.13 **disdainful,** dismissive, **contemptuous, supercilious,** contumelious, cavalier, you-be-damned [slang].

.14 **snobbish,** snobby, **priggish,** snippy [informal]; **snooty** *or* **snotty** *or* sniffy [all slang]; **high-hat** *or* high-hatted *or* high-hatty [all slang]; patronizing, condescending.

.15 ADVS **arrogantly, haughtily, proudly,** aloofly; **condescendingly, patronizingly,** *de haut en bas* [Fr]; loftily, toploftily [informal]; imperiously, magisterially; Olympianly; **disdainfully, contemptuously,** superciliously, contumeliously; with nose in air, with nose turned up, with head held high, with arms akimbo.

.16 **presumptuously,** overweeningly, aristocratically; hubristically; **insolently** 913.11.

.17 **snobbishly,** snobbily, **priggishly;** snootily *or* snottily [both slang].

913. INSOLENCE

.1 NOUNS **insolence,** procacity, bumptiousness, contumely; **audacity, effrontery,** boldness, assurance, hardihood; hubris; **presumption,** presumptuousness, overweening, overweeningness; **arrogance** 912, uppishness *or* uppityness [both informal], obtrusiveness, pushiness [informal].

.2 **impudence, impertinence,** flippancy, **cockiness** *or* cheekiness [both informal], freshness [slang], **brazenness,** brazenfacedness, brassiness [informal], face of brass, **rudeness** 937.1, brashness, disrespectfulness, contempt 966, derision, ridicule 967.

.3 **cheek** *or* face *or* **brass** [all informal]; **nerve** *or* **gall** *or* crust [all slang]; *chutzpah* [Yid].

.4 **sauciness,** sassiness [informal], **sauce** [informal], sass [dial], lip [slang], **back talk** *or* backchat [both informal].

.5 (impudent person) malapert, saucebox [informal]; minx, hussy; whippersnapper, puppy, pup, upstart; smarty *or* smart-ass *or* wise-ass [all slang], **smart aleck** *or* smarty-pants [both informal], wise guy [slang]; boldface, brazenface; *chutzpanik* [Yid]; swaggerer 911.2.

.6 VERBS **have the audacity, have the cheek; have the gall** *or* have a nerve *or* have one's nerve [all informal]; **get fresh** [slang], get smart [informal], forget one's place, **dare, presume,** take liberties, make bold; hold in contempt 966.3–6, ridicule, taunt, deride 967.8–10.

.7 **sauce** [informal], sass [dial], **talk back,** answer back [informal], lip *or* give one the lip [both slang], provoke.

.8 ADJS **insolent,** insulting, **audacious,** procacious, bumptious, contumelious; **arrogant** 912.9, uppish *or* uppity [both informal]; hubristic; **presumptuous,** presuming, overpresumptuous, overweening; forward, pushy [informal], obtrusive, familiar; cool, cold, **disdainful** 912.13.

.9 **impudent, impertinent, pert,** malapert, flip [informal], flippant, **cocky** *or* cheeky [both informal], **fresh** [slang], facy [dial]; crusty *or* gally *or* nervy [all slang], *chutzpadik* [Yid]; uncalled-for, gratuitous, biggety [dial]; **rude** 937.4–7, **disrespectful,** contemptuous 966.8, derisive 967.12, brash, bluff; **saucy,** sassy [dial]; smart *or* smart-alecky [both informal], smart-ass *or* wise-ass [both slang].

.10 **brazen,** brazenfaced, boldfaced, barefaced, brassy [informal], **bold,** bold as brass [informal], unblushing, unabashed, aweless, **shameless,** dead *or* lost to shame; swaggering 911.4.

.11 ADVS **insolently, audaciously,** procaciously, bumptiously, contumeliously; **arrogantly** 912.15; **presumptuously,** obtrusively, pushily [informal].

.12 **impudently, impertinently,** pertly, flippantly, **cockily** *or* cheekily [both informal], saucily; **rudely** 937.8, brashly, disrespectfully, contemptuously 966.9, derisively 967.15, in a smart-alecky way [informal], in a smart-ass fashion [slang].

.13 **brazenly,** brazenfacedly, **boldly,** boldfacedly, **shamelessly,** unblushingly.

914. REPUTE

.1 NOUNS **repute, reputation,** "the bubble reputation" [Shakespeare]; **name,** character, figure; **fame,** famousness, **renown,** "that last infirmity of noble mind" [Milton], **kudos,** report, **glory;** éclat, **celebrity, popularity,** recognition, a place in the sun; **acclaim, public acclaim,** réclame, publicity, vogue, **notoriety,** notoriousness, talk of the town.

.2 **reputability,** reputableness; good reputation, good name, **good** *or* **high repute,** good report, good odor, fair name, name to conjure with; jealousy of one's repute, maintenance of one's good name; face-saving.

.3 **esteem,** estimation, **honor, regard, respect,** approval, approbation, account, favor, consideration, credit, worth.

.4 **prestige,** kudos, **dignity; face; rank, standing,** stature, high place, position, station, **status.**

.5 **distinction, mark, note;** importance, con-

sequence, significance; **notability, prominence, eminence, greatness,** conspicuousness, outstandingness; elevation, exaltation, loftiness, high mightiness; nobility, grandeur, sublimity; excellence 674.1, supereminence 674.2.

.6 **illustriousness,** luster, brilliance *or* brilliancy, radiance, splendor, resplendence *or* resplendency, glory, blaze of glory, nimbus, halo, aura, envelope; charisma, mystique, glamour, numinousness, magic.

.7 (posthumous fame) **memory, remembrance,** legend, heroic legend *or* myth; **immortality,** lasting *or* undying fame, niche in the hall of fame, secure place in history; immortal name, "ghost of a great name" [Lucan].

.8 **glorification, ennoblement,** dignification, **exaltation,** elevation, magnification, aggrandizement; enthronement; immortalization, enshrinement; beatification, canonization, sainting, sanctification; deification, apotheosis; lionization.

.9 **celebrity,** man of mark *or* note, person of note *or* consequence, **notable, notability, luminary, great man,** master spirit, worthy, name, **big name,** figure, public figure, **somebody; important person, personage** 672.8; cynosure, "the observed of all observers" [Shakespeare], idol, popular idol, lion, social lion; hero, heroine, popular hero, pop hero [slang], folk hero; star, superstar; immortal; luminaries, galaxy, pleiad, constellation.

.10 VERBS **be somebody,** be something; figure, make *or* cut a figure, cut a dash *or* make a splash [both informal], **make a noise in the world,** make *or* leave one's mark; live, flourish; shine, glitter, gleam, glow.

.11 **gain recognition,** be recognized, come into one's own, come to the front *or* fore, come into vogue.

.12 **honor,** confer *or* bestow honor upon; **dignify,** adorn, grace; **distinguish,** signalize, confer distinction on.

.13 **glorify,** glamorize; **exalt,** elevate, raise, uplift, set up, **ennoble,** aggrandize, magnify, exalt to the skies; crown; throne, enthrone; immortalize, enshrine, hand one's name down to posterity, make legendary; beatify, canonize, saint, sanctify; deify, apotheosize, apotheose; **lionize.**

.14 **reflect honor on,** shed a luster on, redound to one's honor.

.15 ADJS **reputable,** highly reputed, **estimable, esteemed,** much *or* highly esteemed, **honorable,** honored; meritorious, noble, worthy, creditable; respected, respectable, highly respectable; revered, reverend, venerable, venerated, worshipful; **well-thought-of,** highly regarded, held in esteem, in good odor, in favor, in high favor; in one's good books; prestigious.

.16 **distinguished,** distingué; **noted, notable,** marked, of note, of mark; **famous,** famed, honored, **renowned, celebrated, popular,** acclaimed, much acclaimed, **notorious, well-known,** in everyone's mouth, on everyone's tongue *or* lips, talked-of, talked-about; far-famed, far-heard; fabled, legendary, mythical.

.17 **prominent, conspicuous, outstanding,** to the front, in the limelight [informal]; **important,** consequential, significant.

.18 **eminent, high, exalted,** elevated, lofty, sublime, held in awe, awesome; immortal; **great,** big [informal], **grand;** excellent 674.12–15, supereminent 674.17,18, mighty, high and mighty; glorified, ennobled, magnified, aggrandized; enthroned, throned; immortalized, shrined, enshrined; beatified, canonized, sainted, sanctified; deified, apotheosized.

.19 **illustrious,** lustrous, glorious, brilliant, radiant, splendid, splendorous, splendrous, splendent, resplendent, bright, shining; charismatic, glamorous, numinous, magic(al).

.20 ADVS **reputably, estimably, honorably,** nobly, respectably, worthily, creditably.

.21 **famously, notably, notedly, notoriously,** popularly, celebratedly; **prominently, eminently,** conspicuously, outstandingly; **illustriously,** gloriously.

915. DISREPUTE

.1 NOUNS **disrepute, ill repute,** bad repute, bad *or* poor reputation, evil repute *or* reputation, ill fame, shady *or* unsavory reputation, **bad name,** bad odor, bad report, bad character; **disesteem, dishonor,** public dishonor, **discredit; disfavor,** ill-favor; disapprobation 969.1.

.2 **disreputability,** disreputableness, **notoriety;** discreditableness, dishonorableness, unsavoriness, **unrespectability;** disgracefulness, **shamefulness.**

.3 **baseness, lowness, meanness, crumminess** [slang], poorness, pettiness, paltriness, smallness, littleness, pokiness, beggarliness, shabbiness, shoddiness, squalor, scrubbiness, scumminess, scabbiness, scurviness, scruffiness, abjectness, wretchedness, miserableness, despicableness, contemptibleness, contemptibility, abomina-

bleness, execrableness, obnoxiousness, **odiousness, vileness** 864.2, foulness, rankness, fulsomeness, grossness, nefariousness, heinousness, **atrociousness,** monstrousness, enormity; degradation, debasement, depravity.

.4 **infamy,** infamousness; **ignominy,** ignominiousness; ingloriousness, **ignobility,** odium, obloquy, opprobrium, "a long farewell to all my greatness" [Shakespeare]; depluming, displuming, loss of honor *or* name *or* repute, degradation, demotion 783.

.5 **disgrace, scandal, humiliation; shame,** dirty shame *or* low-down dirty shame [both slang], crying *or* burning shame; **reproach,** byword, byword of reproach, a disgrace to one's name.

.6 **stigma,** stigmatism, onus; **brand,** badge of infamy; **slur,** reproach, censure, reprimand, imputation, aspersion, reflection, stigmatization; pillorying; **black eye** [informal], black mark; **disparagement** 971; **stain, taint,** attaint, **tarnish,** blur, **smirch,** smutch, smudge, smear, spot, blot, blot on *or* in one's escutcheon *or* scutcheon; bend *or* bar sinister [her]; baton, champain, point champain [all her]; mark of Cain; broad arrow [Brit].

.7 VERBS **incur disgrace,** incur disesteem *or* dishonor *or* discredit, be shamed, earn a bad name, forfeit one's good opinion, fall into disrepute, seal one's infamy; lose one's good name, **lose face,** lose countenance, lose credit, **lose caste; disgrace oneself,** lower oneself, demean oneself, degrade *or* debase oneself, act beneath oneself, derogate, stoop, descend, ride to a fall, fall from one's high estate, foul one's own nest; put one's good name in jeopardy; compromise oneself.

.8 **disgrace, dishonor, discredit,** reflect discredit upon, bring into discredit, reproach, cast reproach upon, be a reproach to; **shame, put to shame,** impute shame to, hold up to shame; hold up to public shame *or* public scorn *or* public ridicule, pillory, bring shame upon; **humiliate** 906.4; **degrade, debase** 783.3, deplume, displume, defrock, unfrock, bring low.

.9 **stigmatize, brand; stain,** tarnish, taint, attaint, blot, **blacken, smear,** bespatter, **sully,** soil, defile, vilify, **slur,** cast a slur upon, blow upon; disapprove 969.10–15; **disparage, defame** 971.8,9; censure, reprimand, **give a black eye** [informal], give a black mark, put in one's bad *or* black books; give a bad name, give a dog a bad name; expose, expose to infamy; pillory, gibbet; burn *or* hang in effigy.

.10 ADJS **disreputable, discreditable, dishonorable,** unsavory, shady, seamy, sordid, **unrespectable, ignoble, ignominious, infamous,** inglorious; notorious; unpraiseworthy 969.25,26; derogatory 971.13.

.11 **disgraceful, shameful,** pitiful, deplorable, opprobrious, sad, sorry, too bad; degrading, debasing, demeaning, beneath one, beneath one's dignity, *infra indignitatem* [L], infra dig [informal], unbecoming, unworthy of one; cheap, gutter; **humiliating,** humiliative; **scandalous,** shocking, outrageous.

.12 **base, low,** low-down [informal], **mean,** crummy [slang], poor, petty, paltry, small, little, **shabby, shoddy,** squalid, lumpen, scrubby, scummy, scabby, **scurvy,** scruffy, mangy [informal], measly *or* cheesy [both slang], poky, beggarly, **wretched, miserable,** abject, **despicable, contemptible,** abominable, execrable, obnoxious, **disgusting, odious** 864.18, vile, foul, dirty, rank, fulsome, gross, flagrant, grave, arrant, nefarious, heinous, reptilian, **atrocious,** monstrous, unmentionable; degraded, debased, depraved.

.13 **in disrepute,** in bad repute, in bad odor; **in disfavor,** in discredit, **in bad** [informal], in one's bad *or* black books, out of favor, out of countenance, at a discount; **in disgrace,** in Dutch [informal], **in the doghouse** [slang], under a cloud; stripped of reputation, disgraced, discredited, dishonored, shamed, loaded with shame, unable to show one's face.

.14 **unrenowned,** renownless, nameless, inglorious, **unnotable, unnoted,** unnoticed, unremarked, **undistinguished, unfamed,** uncelebrated, unsung, unhonored, unglorified, unpopular; no credit to; **unknown,** little known, obscure, unheard-of, *ignotus* [L].

.15 ADVS **disreputably, discreditably, dishonorably, unrespectably, ignobly, ignominiously, infamously,** ingloriously.

.16 **disgracefully, scandalously,** shockingly, deplorably, outrageously; **shamefully,** to one's shame, to one's shame be it spoken.

.17 **basely, meanly,** poorly, pettily, **shabbily, shoddily,** scurvily, **wretchedly, miserably,** abjectly, **despicably, contemptibly,** abominably, execrably, obnoxiously, **odiously** 864.26, **vilely,** foully, grossly, flagrantly, arrantly, nefariously, heinously, **atrociously,** monstrously.

916. HONOR

(token of esteem)

.1 NOUNS **honor,** great honor, distinction, glory, credit, ornament; "blushing honors" [Shakespeare].

.2 **award, reward, prize;** first prize, second prize; consolation prize; booby prize; Nobel Prize, Pulitzer Prize; sweepstakes; jackpot; Oscar, Academy Award.

.3 **trophy,** laurel, **laurels,** bays, palm, palms, crown, chaplet, wreath, garland, **feather in one's cap** [informal]; civic crown *or* garland *or* wreath; **cup,** loving cup, pot [slang]; America's Cup, Old Mug.

.4 **citation,** eulogy, mention, honorable mention, kudos, **accolade, tribute, praise** 970.1.

.5 **decoration,** decoration of honor, order, ornament; ribbon, riband; blue ribbon, *cordon bleu* [Fr]; red ribbon, red ribbon of the Legion of Honor; cordon, grand cordon; garter; star, gold star.

.6 **medal,** order, medallion; military medal, service medal, war medal, soldier's medal; Congressional Medal of Honor, Medal of Honor, Distinguished Service Medal, Distinguished Service Cross, Navy Cross, Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal, Silver Star Medal, Bronze Star Medal, Order of the Purple Heart, Unit Citation, Distinguished Unit Citation; Distinguished Conduct Medal, Military Cross, Victoria Cross, Distinguished Service Order; Croix de Guerre, Médaille Militaire; Carnegie hero's medal.

.7 scholarship, fellowship.

.8 VERBS **honor, do honor,** pay regard to, give *or* pay *or* render honor to; **cite; decorate,** pin a medal on; crown, crown with laurel; pay tribute, praise 970.5.

.9 ADJS **honored, distinguished;** laureate, crowned with laurel.

.10 **honorary, honorific, honorable.**

.11 ADVS **with honor,** with distinction; *cum laude, magna cum laude, summa cum laude, insigne cum laude, honoris causa* [all L].

917. TITLE

(appellation of dignity or distinction)

.1 NOUNS **title, honorific, honor,** title of honor; **handle** *or* handle to one's name [both slang].

.2 (honorifics) Excellency, Eminence, Reverence, Grace, Honor, Worship, Your *or* His *or* Her Excellency; Lord, My Lord, milord, Lordship, Your *or* His Lordship; Lady, My Lady, milady, Ladyship, Your *or* Her Ladyship; Highness, Royal Highness, Imperial Highness, Serene Highness, Your *or* His *or* Her Highness; Majesty, Royal Majesty, Imperial Majesty, Serene Majesty, Your *or* His *or* Her Majesty.

.3 Sir, sire, sirrah; Esquire; Master, Mister 420.7; mirza, effendi, sirdar, emir, khan, sahib.

.4 Mistress, madame 421.8.

.5 (ecclesiastical titles) Reverend, His Reverence, His Grace; Monsignor; Holiness, His Holiness; Dom, Brother, Sister, Father, Mother; Rabbi.

.6 **degree,** academic degree; **bachelor,** baccalaureate, *baccalaureus* [L], bachelor's degree; **master,** master's degree; **doctor,** doctorate, doctor's degree.

.7 ADJS **titular,** titulary; honorific.

.8 the Noble, the Most Noble, the Most Excellent, the Most Worthy, the Most Worshipful; the Honorable, the Most Honorable, the Right Honorable; the Reverend, the Very Reverend, the Right Reverend, the Most Reverend.

.9 **academic degrees**

AA, Associate of Arts
AB, Bachelor of Arts (Artium Baccalaureus)
AdjA, Adjunct in Arts
AM, Master of Arts (Artium Magister)
BA, Bachelor of Arts
BD, Bachelor of Divinity
BS, Bachelor of Science
DD, Doctor of Divinity
DDS, Doctor of Dental Surgery
DEd, Doctor of Education
DPhil, Doctor of Philosophy
EdD, Doctor of Education
JD, Doctor of Jurisprudence
LittD, Doctor of Letters
LLD, Doctor of Laws
MA, Master of Arts
MBA, Master in Business Administration
MD, Doctor of Medicine
MDiv, Master of Divinity
MFA, Master of Fine Arts
MLS, Master of Library Science
MRE, Master of Religious Education
MS, Master of Science
MusD, Doctor of Music
PhD, Doctor of Philosophy
SB, Bachelor of Science
ScD, Doctor of Science
SM, Master of Science
STD, Doctor of Sacred Theology
ThD, Doctor of Theology

918. NOBILITY

(noble rank or birth)

.1 NOUNS **nobility,** nobleness; **aristocracy,** aristocraticalness; **gentility,** genteelness; quality, rank, distinction; birth, high *or*

noble birth, ancestry, high *or* honorable descent; blood, **blue blood**; royalty 739.8.

.2 **nobility,** noblesse, **aristocracy,** aristo–; **elite,** elect, the classes, **upper classes** *or* circles, upper cut *or* **upper crust** [both informal], upper ten [Brit informal], **upper ten thousand,** the Four Hundred, high society, high life, *haut monde* [Fr]; old nobility, *ancienne noblesse* [Fr], *noblesse de robe, noblesse d'épée* [both Fr]; First Families of Virginia, FFVs; **peerage,** baronage, lords temporal and spiritual; baronetage; knightage, chivalry; royalty.

.3 **gentry,** gentlefolk, gentlefolks, gentlepeople, better sort; lesser nobility, *petite noblesse* [Fr]; *samurai* [Jap]; landed gentry, squirearchy.

.4 **nobleman, noble, gentleman; peer; aristocrat, patrician,** Brahman, **blue blood,** thoroughbred, silk-stocking, lace-curtain, swell *or* upper-cruster [both slang]; **grandee,** magnifico, magnate, optimate; **lord,** laird [Scot], lordling; seignior, seigneur, *hidalgo* [Sp]; **duke,** grand duke, archduke, marquis, **earl, count,** viscount, **baron,** daimio, **baronet;** squire; esquire, armiger; palsgrave, waldgrave, margrave, landgrave.

.5 **knight, cavalier,** chevalier, *caballero* [Sp], *Ritter* [Ger], "a verray parfit gentil knight" [Chaucer]; **knight-errant,** knight-adventurer; companion; bachelor, knight bachelor; baronet, knight baronet; banneret, knight banneret; Bayard, Gawain, Lancelot, Sidney, Sir Galahad, Don Quixote.

.6 **noblewoman, peeress, gentlewoman; lady,** dame, *doña* [Sp], khanum; **duchess,** grand duchess, archduchess, marchioness, viscountess, **countess, baroness,** margravine.

.7 **prince,** *Prinz, Fürst* [both Ger], knez, atheling, sheikh, sherif, mirza, khan, emir, shahzada [India]; princeling, princelet; crown prince, heir apparent; heir presumptive; prince consort; prince regent; **king** 749.7; princes of India 749.9; Muslim rulers 749.10.

.8 **princess,** *princesse* [Fr], *infanta* [Sp], rani, maharani, begum, shahzadi, kumari *or* kunwari, raj-kumari, malikzadi; crown princess; **queen** 749.11.

.9 (rank or office) lordship, ladyship; dukedom, marquisate, earldom, barony, baronetcy; viscountship, viscountcy, viscounty; knighthood, knight-errantship; seigniory, seigneury, seignioralty; pashaship, pashadom; princeship, princedom; kingship, queenship 739.8.

.10 ADJS **noble,** of rank, high, exalted; **aristocratic, patrician; gentle,** genteel, of gentle blood; gentlemanly, gentlemanlike; ladylike, quite the lady; knightly, chivalrous; ducal, archducal; princely, princelike; kingly, kinglike, "every inch a king" [Shakespeare]; queenly, queenlike; titled.

.11 **wellborn, well-bred, blue-blooded,** of good breed; **thoroughbred,** purebred, pure-blooded, *pur sang* [Fr], full-blooded; **highborn,** highbred; born to the purple.

919. COMMONALTY

.1 NOUNS **commonalty,** commonality, commonage, commoners, commons; **common people,** *vulgus* [L], ordinary people, common sort, plain people, plain folks, common run [informal], rank and file, neither nobility nor clergy, the third estate, the salt of the earth; **proletariat,** working class, working people, toiling class, toilers, laborers, lumpen proletariat; **bourgeoisie,** middle class, middle orders, upper middle class, lower middle class, linendrapers, shopkeepers, small tradesmen; **lower classes,** lower orders, the lower cut [informal], the other half; peasantry.

.2 **the people, the populace,** *hoi polloi* [Gk], the population, the citizenry, **the public,** the general public, John Q. Public; *demos* [Gk]; Tom, Dick, and Harry; Brown, Jones, and Robinson.

.3 **the masses, the hoi polloi,** the many, **the multitude,** the crowd, **the mob,** the horde, the million, **the majority,** the mass of the people, the herd, the great unnumbered, the great unwashed, **the vulgar** *or* **common herd;** *profanum vulgus, ignobile vulgus, mobile vulgus* [all L]; "the multitude of the gross people" [Erasmus], "many-headed multitude" [Sir Philip Sidney], "the beast with many heads" [Shakespeare], "the blunt monster with uncounted heads, the still-discordant wavering multitude" [Shakespeare].

.4 **rabble,** rabblement, rout, ruck, common ruck, canaille, ragtag [informal], "the tag-rag people" [Shakespeare], **ragtag and bobtail;** rag, tag, and bobtail.

.5 **riffraff,** raff, chaff, trash, **rubbish,** dregs, sordes, offscourings, offscum, **scum, scum of the earth, dregs** *or* **scum** *or* **offscum** *or* **offscourings of society,** swinish multitude, vermin, cattle.

.6 **the underprivileged,** the disadvantaged, the poor, ghetto-dwellers, slum-dwellers, welfare cases, chronic poor, depressed class, poverty subculture, the wretched of the earth, outcasts, the dispossessed, the powerless.

.7 **common man, commoner,** little man, **little fellow, average man,** ordinary man, typical man, **man in the street,** one of the people, man of the people, Everyman; **plebeian,** pleb [slang]; **proletarian,** bourgeois, *roturier* [Fr]; Cockney; Joe Doakes, John Smith, Mr. *or* Mrs. Brown *or* Smith.

.8 **peasant, countryman,** countrywoman, **provincial,** son of the soil, tiller of the soil; **peon,** hind, fellah, muzhik; sons of Martha, "hewers of wood and drawers of water" [Bible].

.9 **rustic,** bucolic [informal]; **yokel, hick, rube, hayseed** [all slang], **bumpkin,** country bumpkin, clod, **clodhopper** [informal], hillbilly *or* woodhick [both slang], **boor,** clown, lout, looby, **farmer** 413.5.

.10 **upstart, parvenu,** adventurer, sprout [slang], "an upstart crow beautified in our feathers" [Robert Greene]; *bourgeois gentilhomme* [Fr], would-be gentleman; *nouveau riche, nouveau roturier* [both Fr], **newly-rich,** pig in clover [slang]; social climber, name-dropper, tufthunter; status seeker.

.11 ADJS **common,** commonplace, **plain, ordinary, lowly,** low, mean, **humble,** homely; **lowborn,** lowbred, baseborn, earthborn, plebeian; non-noble, nonclerical; third-estate; ungenteel, shabby-genteel; vulgar, rude 898.10–15; below the salt; cockney, born within sound of Bow bells.

.12 **middle-class, bourgeois; proletarian,** working-class.

.13 **parvenu, upstart,** mushroom, risen from the ranks; **newly-rich,** *nouveau-riche* [Fr].

920. WONDER

.1 NOUNS **wonder,** wonderment, sense of wonder, marveling, marvel, **astonishment, amazement,** amaze, **astoundment;** dumbfoundment, stupefaction; **surprise, awe,** breathless wonder *or* awe, sense of mystery, admiration; beguilement, fascination 650.1; bewilderment, puzzlement 514.3.

.2 **marvel, wonder, prodigy, miracle, phenomenon,** astonishment, amazement, marvelment, wonderment, wonderful thing, nine days' wonder, amazing *or* astonishing thing, quite a thing, really something, **sensation,** stunner [slang]; one for the book *or* something to brag about *or* something to shout about *or* something to write home about *or* something else [all informal]; **rarity,** nonesuch, exception, one in a thousand, one in a way; **curiosity,** gazingstock, sight, spectacle; wonders of the world.

.3 **wonderfulness,** wondrousness, **marvelousness,** miraculousness, phenomenalness, prodigiousness, stupendousness, remarkableness, extraordinariness; beguilingness, fascination, enchantingness, enticingness, seductiveness, glamorousness; awesomeness, mysteriousness, mystery, numinousness.

.4 **inexpressibility, ineffability,** inenarrability, noncommunicability, noncommunicableness, incommunicability, incommunicableness, indescribability, indefinableness, **unutterability, unspeakability,** unnameableness, innominability, unmentionability.

.5 VERBS **wonder, marvel,** be astonished *or* amazed *or* astounded, be seized with wonder; **gaze, gape,** look *or* stand aghast *or* agog, gawk, **stare,** stare openmouthed, open one's eyes, rub one's eyes, hold one's breath; not be able to account for, not know what to make of, not believe one's eyes *or* ears *or* senses.

.6 **astonish, amaze, astound, surprise,** startle, stagger, **bewilder, perplex** 514.12,13, flabbergast [informal], confound, overwhelm, boggle; **awe,** awestrike, strike with wonder *or* awe; **dumbfound,** dumbfounder, strike dumb, strike dead; strike all of a heap *or* throw on one's beam ends [both informal], bowl down *or* over [informal], dazzle, bedazzle, daze, bedaze; stun, stupefy, petrify, paralyze.

.7 take one's breath away, turn one's head, make one's head swim, make one's hair stand on end, make one's tongue cleave to the roof of one's mouth, make one stare, make one sit up and take notice, carry one off his feet.

.8 beggar *or* baffle description, stagger belief.

.9 ADJS **wondering,** wrapped *or* rapt in wonder, marveling, **astonished, amazed, surprised, astounded,** flabbergasted [informal], **bewildered,** puzzled 514.23,24, confounded, **dumbfounded,** dumbstruck, staggered, overwhelmed, unable to believe one's senses *or* eyes; **aghast,** agape, agog, all agog, gazing, gaping, at gaze, staring, gauping, wide-eyed, popeyed,

open-eyed, openmouthed, **breathless; thunderstruck,** wonder-struck, wonder-stricken, awestruck, struck all of a heap [informal]; awed, in awe, in awe of; spellbound, fascinated, captivated, under a charm, beguiled, enthralled, enraptured, enravished, enchanted, entranced, bewitched, hypnotized, mesmerized, stupefied, lost in wonder *or* amazement.

.10 **wonderful, wondrous, marvelous, miraculous,** fantastic, fabulous, phenomenal, prodigious, stupendous, unheard-of, unprecedented, extraordinary, exceptional, rare, unique, **remarkable,** striking, **sensational; strange,** passing strange, "wondrous strange" [Shakespeare]; **beguiling, fascinating** 650.7; incredible, inconceivable, outlandish, unimaginable, incomprehensible; **bewildering, puzzling** 514.25, enigmatic.

.11 **awesome,** awful, awing, awe-inspiring; **mysterious,** numinous; weird, eerie, uncanny, bizarre.

.12 **astonishing, amazing, surprising,** startling, **astounding,** confounding, staggering, stunning [slang], eye-opening, breathtaking, overwhelming, mind-boggling; **spectacular.**

.13 **indescribable, ineffable,** inenarrable, inexpressible, unutterable, unspeakable, noncommunicable, incommunicable, indefinable, undefinable, unnameable, innominable, unwhisperable, unmentionable.

.14 ADVS **wonderfully,** wondrously, **marvelously, miraculously,** fantastically, fabulously, phenomenally, prodigiously, stupendously, extraordinarily, exceptionally, remarkably, strikingly, **sensationally;** strangely, outlandishly, incredibly, inconceivably, unimaginably, incomprehensibly, **bewilderingly, puzzlingly,** enigmatically; **beguilingly,** fascinatingly 650.8.

.15 **awesomely,** awfully, awingly, awe-inspiringly; **mysteriously,** numinously, weirdly, eerily, uncannily, bizarrely.

.16 **astonishingly, amazingly, astoundingly,** staggeringly, confoundingly; **surprisingly,** startlingly, to one's surprise *or* great surprise, to one's astonishment *or* amazement; for a wonder, strange to say.

.17 **indescribably, ineffably,** inexpressibly, unutterably, unspeakably, inenarrably, indefinably, unnameably, unmentionably.

.18 in wonder, in astonishment, in amazement, in bewilderment, in awe, in admiration, with gaping mouth.

.19 INTERJS (astonishment or surprise) my word!, I declare!, well I never!, of all things!, as I live and breathe!, what!, indeed!, really!, surely!, how now!, what on earth!, what in the world!, I'll be jiggered!, holy Christ!, holy Christmas!, holy cow!, holy mackerel!, holy Moses!, holy smoke!, holy shit! [slang], hush *or* shut my mouth!, blow me down!, strike me dead!, shiver my timbers!

.20 oh!, O!, ah!, la!, lo!, lo and behold!, hello!, halloo!, hey!, whew!, phew!, wow!, yipes!, yike!

.21 my!, oh, my!, dear!, dear me!, goodness!, gracious!, goodness gracious!, gee!, my goodness!, my stars!, good gracious!, good heavens!, good lack!, lackadaisy!, welladay!, hoity-toity!, zounds!, 'sdeath!, gadzooks!, gad so!, bless my heart!, God bless me!, heavens and earth!, for crying out loud! [slang].

.22 imagine!, fancy!, fancy that!, just imagine!, only think!, well!, I never!, can you feature that!, can you beat that!, it beats the Dutch!, do tell!, you don't say!, the devil *or* deuce you say!, I'll be!, what do you know!, what do you know about that!, how about that!, who would have thought it!, did you ever!, can it be!, can such things be?, will wonders never cease!

921. UNASTONISHMENT

.1 NOUNS **unastonishment, unamazement,** unamazedness, nonastonishment, nonamazement, nonamazedness, nonwonder, nonwondering, nonmarveling, unsurprise, unsurprisedness, awelessness, wonderlessness, calmness, coolness, **cool** [slang], cool *or* calm *or* nodding acceptance, composure, inexcitability 858, expectation 539, unimpressibleness, refusal to be impressed *or* awed *or* amazed.

.2 VERBS **accept, take for granted,** take as a matter of course, treat as routine, show no amazement, refuse to be impressed, not blink an eye, not turn a hair, keep one's cool [slang].

.3 ADJS **unastonished, unsurprised, unamazed,** unmarveling, unwondering, unastounded, undumbfounded, unbewildered; undazzled, undazed; unawed, aweless, wonderless; **unimpressed,** unmoved; calm, **cool,** composed, inexcitable 858.10–15; expecting, expected 539.11–14.

922. SOCIABILITY

.1 NOUNS **sociability,** sociality, sociableness, fitness *or* fondness for society, social-mindedness, **gregariousness, affability,**

companionability, compatibility, geniality, **congeniality;** hospitality 925; clubbability [informal], clubbishness, clubbism; intimacy, familiarity; amiability, **friendliness** 927.1; **communicativeness** 554.3; social grace, civility, urbanity, courtesy 936.

.2 **camaraderie,** comradery, comradeship, **fellowship, good-fellowship;** consorting, hobnobbing.

.3 **conviviality, joviality, jollity,** gaiety, heartiness, cheer, good cheer, festivity, merrymaking, merriment, revelry.

.4 **social intercourse,** social activity, **intercourse, communication, communion,** intercommunion, **fellowship,** intercommunication, **community,** collegiality, commerce, congress, converse, conversation, social relations.

.5 (social grouping) **social circle** *or* **set,** social class, one's crowd *or* set; **association** 788.

.6 **association,** consociation, affiliation, **fellowship, companionship, company, society;** fraternity, **fraternization;** membership, participation, partaking, sharing, cooperation 786.

.7 **visit, social call,** call; formal visit, duty visit, required visit; visiting, visitation; round of visits; social round, social whirl, mad round.

.8 **appointment, engagement, date** [informal], double date, blind date [both informal]; arrangement, interview; engagement book.

.9 **rendezvous, tryst, assignation, meeting;** trysting place, meeting place, place of assignation; assignation house; love nest [informal].

.10 **social gathering, social,** sociable, social affair, affair, gathering, get-together [informal]; **reception,** at home, salon, levee; soiree; matinee; reunion, family reunion; wake.

.11 **party, entertainment,** blowout [slang]; **festivity** 878.3,4; shindig *or* shindy; **ball** 879.2; stag *or* stag party [both informal]; hen party [slang]; house party; housewarming, house-raising; shower, donation party; surprise party; garden party, lawn party, *fête champêtre* [Fr]; costume party, masquerade party, masquerade, masque, mask; coffee party, coffee klatch, *Kaffeeklatsch* [Ger]; cocktail party; dinner party, dinner; smoker [informal].

.12 **tea,** afternoon tea, five-o'clock tea, high tea; **tea party.**

.13 bee, quilting bee, raising bee, husking bee, cornhusking, corn shucking, husking.

.14 **debut, coming out** [informal], presentation, coming-out party [informal].

.15 (sociable person) joiner, mixer *or* **good mixer** [both informal], good *or* pleasant company, excellent companion, life of the party, bon vivant; man-about-town, playboy, social lion, nightclub habitué; clubman, clubwoman.

.16 VERBS **associate with,** assort with, sort with, consort with, hobnob with, **mingle with, mix with, touch elbows** *or* **shoulders with,** eat off the same trencher; **fraternize,** fellowship, join in fellowship; **keep company with,** bear one company, walk hand in hand with; join, take up with [informal], tie up with [slang]; **flock together,** herd together, club together, clique *or* clique with [both informal], gang up with [slang], hang around with [informal], hunt *or* run in couples; chum, **chum with** *or* chum together [both informal]; pal *or* pal with [both informal], pal up with *or* around with [slang], run around with, run with, hang out with.

.17 **visit,** make *or* pay a visit, **call on** *or* **upon, drop in,** run in, look in, look one up, see, stop off *or* over [informal], drop *or* run *or* stop by; leave one's card.

.18 ADJS **sociable, social,** social-minded, fit for society, fond of society, **gregarious, affable; companionable,** companionate, compatible, genial, **congenial;** hospitable 925.11; clubby, clubbable [both informal], clubbish; **communicative** 554.10; amiable, **friendly** 927.14; civil, urbane, courteous 936.14–17.

.19 **convivial,** boon, free and easy, hail-fellow-well-met; **jovial, jolly,** hearty, festive, gay.

.20 **intimate, familiar,** cozy, chatty, tête-à-tête.

.21 ADVS **sociably,** socially, gregariously, affably; companionably, arm in arm, hand in hand.

923. UNSOCIABILITY

.1 NOUNS **unsociability,** insociability, unsociableness, dissociability; **ungregariousness,** uncompanionability; unclubbableness *or* unclubbability [both informal], ungeniality, **uncongeniality;** incompatibility, social incompatibility; **unfriendliness** 929.1; **uncommunicativeness** 613; sullenness, mopishness, moroseness; self-sufficiency, self-containment; autism; bashfulness 908.4.

.2 **aloofness, standoffishness,** offishness,

withdrawnness, **remoteness,** distance, detachment; **coolness,** coldness, frigidity, chill, chilliness, iciness, frostiness; inaccessibility, unapproachability.

.3 seclusiveness, exclusiveness; **seclusion** 924.

.4 VERBS **keep to oneself,** keep oneself to oneself, enjoy *or* prefer one's own company, stay at home, shun companionship, **stand aloof,** hold oneself aloof *or* apart, keep one's distance, keep at a distance, keep in the background, retire, retire into the shade, creep into a corner.

.5 ADJS **unsociable,** insociable, dissociable, unsocial; **ungregarious,** nongregarious; **uncompanionable,** ungenial, uncongenial; incompatible, socially incompatible; unclubbable [informal]; **unfriendly** 929.9; **uncommunicative** 613.8; sullen, mopish, mopey, morose; close, snug; self-sufficient, self-contained; autistic; bashful 908.12.

.6 **aloof, standoffish,** offish, standoff, **distant, remote,** withdrawn, removed, detached, Olympian; **cool,** cold, frigid, chilly, icy, frosty; seclusive, exclusive; inaccessible, unapproachable.

924. SECLUSION

.1 NOUNS **seclusion,** reclusion, **retirement, withdrawal, retreat,** recess; renunciation *or* forsaking of the world; **sequestration,** quarantine, separation, detachment, apartness; segregation, apartheid, Jim Crow; **isolation,** "splendid isolation" [Sir William Goschen]; **privacy,** privatism, **secrecy;** rustication; privatization; isolationism.

.2 **hermitism,** hermitry, eremitism, anchoritism, cloistered monasticism.

.3 **solitude,** solitariness, **aloneness,** loneness, singleness; **loneliness, lonesomeness.**

.4 **forlornness, desolation;** friendlessness, kithlessness, fatherlessness, motherlessness, homelessness; helplessness, defenselessness; abandonment, desertion.

.5 **recluse, loner,** solitaire, solitary, solitudinarian; **shut-in,** invalid, bedridden invalid; cloistered monk *or* nun; **hermit,** eremite, anchorite; marabout; hermitess, anchoress; **ascetic;** closet cynic; stylite, pillarist, pillar saint; Hieronymite, Hieronymian; Diogenes, Timon of Athens, St. Simeon Stylites, St. Anthony, desert saints, desert fathers; outcast, pariah 926.4; **stay-at-home, homebody; isolationist,** seclusionist.

.6 VERBS **seclude oneself, go into seclusion, retire, go into retirement,** retire from the world, abandon *or* forsake the world, live in retirement, lead a retired life, lead a cloistered life, be *or* remain incommunicado, shut oneself up, live alone, live apart; stay at home; rusticate; take the veil; cop out [slang], opt out *or* drop out of society.

.7 ADJS **secluded, retired, withdrawn; isolated,** shut off, insular, **separate,** separated, **apart,** detached, removed; segregated, quarantined; **remote, out-of-the-way,** in a backwater, out-of-the-world; **unfrequented,** unvisited.

.8 **private,** privy, **secret, hidden.**

.9 **recluse, sequestered, cloistered,** shut up *or* in; **hermitic(al),** eremitic(al), hermitish; anchoritic(al); stay-at-home, domestic.

.10 **solitary, alone; in solitude,** by oneself, all alone; **lonely, lonesome, lone.**

.11 **forlorn,** lorn; **abandoned, forsaken, deserted, desolate,** godforsaken [informal], friendless, unfriended, kithless, fatherless, motherless, homeless; helpless, defenseless; outcast 926.10.

.12 ADVS **in seclusion, in retirement,** in retreat, in solitude; in privacy, in secrecy; "far from the madding crowd's ignoble strife" [Thomas Gray], "the world forgetting by the world forgot" [Pope].

925. HOSPITALITY, WELCOME

.1 NOUNS **hospitality,** hospitableness, receptiveness; **cordiality,** amiability, graciousness, **friendliness,** neighborliness, geniality, heartiness, bonhomie, **generosity,** liberality, openheartedness, warmth, warmness, warmheartedness; open door.

.2 **welcome,** welcoming, **reception,** *accueil* [Fr]; cordial *or* warm *or* hearty welcome, pleasant *or* smiling reception, the glad hand [slang], open arms; embrace, hug; welcome mat.

.3 **greetings, salutations,** salaams; **regards,** best wishes 936.8.

.4 **greeting, salutation,** salute; **hail, hello,** how-do-you-do; accost, address; nod, bow, bob; curtsy 964.2; wave; handshake, hand-clasp; embrace, hug, kiss; smile, smile of recognition.

.5 **host,** mine host; hostess, receptionist; landlord 809.2.

.6 **guest, visitor,** visitant, xen(o)–; **caller,** company; frequenter, habitué; uninvited guest, gate-crasher [informal]; moocher *or* freeloader [both slang].

.7 VERBS **receive, admit,** accept, take in, let in, open the door to; **be at home to,** have

the latchstring out, keep a light in the window, put out the welcome mat, keep the door open, keep an open house.

.8 **entertain,** entertain guests, guest; host, preside, do the honors [informal]; give a party, throw a party [slang]; spread oneself [informal].

.9 **welcome,** make welcome, bid one welcome, make one feel welcome *or* at home, hold out the hand, extend the right hand of friendship; glad hand, give the glad hand *or* glad eye [all informal]; **embrace, hug, receive with open arms;** give a warm reception to, "kill the fatted calf" [Bible].

.10 **greet, hail, accost,** address; **salute,** make one's salutations; **bid** *or* **say hello,** bid good day *or* good morning, etc.; exchange greetings, **pass the time of day; give one's regards** 936.13; shake hands, shake [slang], press *or* squeeze one's hand; nod to, bow to; curtsy 964.6; tip the hat to, lift the hat, touch the hat *or* cap; take one's hat off to, uncover; pull the forelock; kiss, greet with a kiss, kiss hands *or* cheeks.

.11 ADJS **hospitable, receptive,** welcoming; **cordial,** amiable, gracious, **friendly,** neighborly, genial, hearty, open, open-hearted, warm, warmhearted; **generous,** liberal; –xenous.

.12 **welcome,** welcome as the roses in May; **agreeable,** desirable, acceptable; **grateful,** gratifying, pleasing.

.13 ADVS **hospitably, with open arms.**

.14 INTERJS **welcome!,** *soyez le bienvenu!* [Fr], *¡bien venido!* [Sp], *benvenuto!* [Ital], *Willkommen!* [Ger]; glad to see you!

.15 **greetings!,** salutations!, **hello!,** hullo!, hail!, hey! *or* heigh!, **hi!,** aloha!, *¡hola!* [Sp]; **how do you do?, how are you?,** *comment allez-vous?, comment ça va?* [both Fr], *¿cómo está Usted?* [Sp], *come sta?* [Ital], *wie geht's?* [Ger]; **good morning!,** *guten Morgen!* [Ger]; good day!, *bon jour!* [Fr], *¡buenos días!* [Sp], *buon giorno!* [Ital], *guten Tag!* [Ger]; **good afternoon!,** *¡buenas tardes!* [Sp]; **good evening!,** *bon soir!* [Fr], *buona sera!* [Ital], *guten Abend!* [Ger].

.16 [informal terms] **howdy!,** howdy-do!, how-de-do!, how-do-ye-do!, how-d'ye-do!, how you doin'?, hi ya!; how's things?, how's tricks?, how goes it?, how's every little thing?, how's the world treating you?

926. INHOSPITALITY

.1 NOUNS **inhospitality,** inhospitableness, unhospitableness, unreceptiveness; **uncordialness,** ungraciousness, **unfriendliness,** unneighborliness; nonwelcome, nonwelcoming.

.2 unhabitability, uninhabitability, unlivability.

.3 **ostracism,** ostracization; **banishment** 310.4; **proscription, ban; boycott,** boycottage; **blackball,** blacklist.

.4 **outcast,** social outcast, outcast of society, **castaway, derelict,** Ishmael; **pariah, untouchable,** leper; outcaste; *déclassé* [Fr]; **outlaw; expellee, evictee; displaced person,** DP; **exile, expatriate,** man without a country; undesirable; *persona non grata* [L], unacceptable person.

.5 VERBS **have nothing to do with,** have no truck with [informal], refuse to associate with, steer clear of [informal], **spurn, turn one's back upon;** deny oneself to, refuse to receive, not be at home to; shut the door upon.

.6 **ostracize,** disfellowship; **banish** 310.17; **proscribe, ban, outlaw,** put under the ban; **boycott, blackball,** blacklist.

.7 ADJS **inhospitable,** unhospitable; **unreceptive,** closed; **uncordial,** ungracious, **unfriendly,** unneighborly.

.8 **unhabitable, uninhabitable,** nonhabitable, unoccupiable, untenantable, **unlivable, unfit to live in,** not fit for man or beast.

.9 **unwelcome, unwanted; unagreeable,** undesirable, unacceptable; **uninvited,** unasked, unbidden.

.10 **outcast, cast-off, castaway, derelict;** outside the pale, outside the gates; **rejected, disowned; abandoned, forsaken** 924.11.

927. FRIENDSHIP

.1 NOUNS **friendship, friendliness; amicability,** amicableness, amity, peaceableness, unhostility; **amiability,** amiableness, **congeniality,** well-affectedness; neighborliness, neighborlikeness; sociability 922; love 931; kindness 938.

.2 **fellowship, companionship, comradeship,** colleagueship, chumship [informal], palship [slang], freemasonry, consortship, boon companionship; **brotherhood, fraternity,** fraternalism, sodality, confraternity; **sisterhood, sorority;** brotherliness, sisterliness; community of interest, *esprit de corps* [Fr].

.3 **good terms, good understanding,** good

footing, friendly relations; **harmony,** sympathy, fellow feeling, **rapport** 794.1; **favor, goodwill, good graces, regard,** respect, mutual regard, favorable regard, the good *or* right side of [informal]; an in [informal].

.4 **acquaintance,** acquaintedness, close acquaintance; **introduction,** presentation, knockdown [slang].

.5 **familiarity, intimacy,** intimate acquaintance, closeness, nearness, inseparableness; affinity, special affinity; chumminess [informal], palliness [slang], mateyness [Brit informal].

.6 **cordiality, geniality,** heartiness, bonhomie, ardency, warmth, warmness, warmheartedness; hospitality 925.

.7 **devotion, devotedness;** dedication, commitment; fastness, steadfastness, firmness, constancy, staunchness; triedness, trueness, tried-and-trueness.

.8 cordial friendship, warm *or* ardent friendship, devoted friendship, bosom friendship, intimate *or* familiar friendship, sincere friendship, beautiful friendship, fast *or* firm friendship, staunch friendship, loyal friendship, lasting friendship, undying friendship.

.9 VERBS **be friends,** have the friendship of, have the ear of; **know, be acquainted with;** associate with 922.16; cotton to *or* hit it off [both informal], get on well with, hobnob with, fraternize with; be close friends with, be inseparable; **be on good terms,** enjoy good *or* friendly relations with; keep on good terms, have an in with [informal].

.10 **befriend, make friends with,** gain the friendship of, **strike up a friendship,** get to know one another, take up with [informal], shake hands with, **get acquainted,** make *or* scrape acquaintance with, pick up an acquaintance with; get chummy with [informal], buddy up [slang]; play footsie with [slang]; win friends, win friends and influence people.

.11 **cultivate,** cultivate the friendship of, **court,** pay court to, pay addresses to, seek the company of, **run after** [informal], **shine up to,** make up to [informal], play up to *or* suck up to [both slang], hold out *or* extend the right of friendship *or* fellowship; **make advances,** approach, break the ice.

.12 **get on good terms with, get into favor,** win the regard of, **get in the good graces of, get in good with,** get in with [informal], get on the in with *or* get next to [both informal], **get on the good** *or* **right side of** [informal].

.13 **introduce, present, acquaint,** make acquainted, give an introduction, give a knockdown [slang], do the honors [informal].

.14 ADJS **friendly,** friendlike; **amicable, peaceable,** unhostile; **harmonious** 794.3; **amiable, congenial,** *simpático* [Sp], *simpatico* [Ital], *sympathique* [Fr], pleasant, agreeable, favorable, well-affected, well-disposed, well-intentioned, well-meaning, well-meant; brotherly, fraternal; sisterly; neighborly, neighborlike; sociable 922.18; kind 938.13–17.

.15 **cordial, genial,** hearty, ardent, warm, warmhearted; hospitable 925.11.

.16 **friends with,** friendly with, at home with; **acquainted.**

.17 **on good terms,** on a good footing, on friendly *or* amicable terms, **on speaking terms,** on a first-name basis, on visiting terms; **in good with,** in with [informal], on the in with, in [both slang], **in favor, in one's good graces,** in one's good books, on the good *or* right side of [informal].

.18 **familiar, intimate, close,** near, inseparable, on familiar *or* intimate terms; hand-in-hand, hand and glove; **thick, thick as thieves** [informal].

.19 **chummy** [informal], matey [Brit informal]; pally *or* palsy *or* palsy-walsy *or* buddy-buddy [all slang].

.20 **devoted,** dedicated, committed, **fast,** steadfast, constant, faithful, staunch; tried, true, **tried and true,** tested.

.21 ADVS **amicably,** friendly, friendliwise; **amiably, congenially,** pleasantly, agreeably, favorably; **cordially, genially,** heartily, ardently, warmly, with open arms; familiarly, intimately; arm in arm, hand in hand.

928. FRIEND

.1 NOUNS **friend, acquaintance,** close acquaintance; confidant, confidante, repository; **intimate,** familiar, **close friend,** intimate *or* familiar friend; **bosom friend,** friend of one's bosom, inseparable friend, **best friend;** alter ego, other self; brother, fellow, fellowman, fellow creature, neighbor; **sympathizer,** well-wisher, partisan, advocate, favorer, backer, **supporter** 787.9; casual acquaintance; pickup [informal]; lover 931.11,12.

.2 **good friend,** great friend, **devoted friend,** warm *or* ardent friend, **faithful friend,** trusted *or* trusty friend, *fidus Achates*

[L], constant friend, staunch friend, fast friend, "a friend that sticketh closer than a brother" [Bible]; **friend in need,** friend indeed.

.3 **companion, fellow,** fellow companion, **comrade,** *camarade* [Fr], amigo [informal], mate [Brit], comate, company, **associate** 787, consociate, compeer, confrere, consort, **colleague, partner,** pardner *or* pard [both slang], copartner, side partner, **sidekick** [slang], **crony,** old crony, gossip; **chum** *or* **buddy** *or* buddy-boy *or* bosom buddy [all informal], **pal** [informal], ace [slang], butty [Brit informal]; girl friend [informal]; **roommate,** chamberfellow; bunkmate, bunkie [informal]; bedfellow, bedmate; **schoolmate,** schoolfellow, classmate, classfellow, school companion, school chum, fellow student *or* pupil; **playmate,** playfellow; **teammate,** yokefellow, yokemate; workfellow 787.5; shipmate; messmate.

.4 **boon companion,** boonfellow; **good fellow,** jolly fellow, hearty, *bon vivant* [Fr]; pot companion.

.5 (famous friendships) Achilles and Patroclus, Castor and Pollux, Damon and Pythias, David and Jonathan, Diomedes and Sthenelus, Epaminondas and Pelopidas, Hercules and Iolaus, Nisus and Euryalus, Pylades and Orestes, Theseus and Pirithoüs, Christ and the beloved disciple; The Three Musketeers.

929. ENMITY

.1 NOUNS **enmity, unfriendliness,** inimicality; **uncordiality,** unamiability, ungeniality, disaffinity, incompatibility, incompatibleness; personal conflict, strain, **tension;** coolness, coldness, chilliness, chill, frost, iciness; inhospitality 926, unsociability 923.

.2 **disaccord** 795; ruffled feelings, strained relations, alienation, estrangement 795.4.

.3 **hostility, antagonism, repugnance, antipathy,** spitefulness, spite, despitefulness, malice, malevolence, malignity, **hatred, hate** 930; **conflict, contention** 796, collision, clash, clashing, **friction;** quarrelsomeness 795.3; belligerence 797.15.

.4 **animosity,** animus; **ill will,** ill feeling, bitter feeling, **hard feelings,** no love lost; **bad blood,** ill blood, feud, vendetta; **bitterness,** sourness, soreness, **rancor,** acrimony, virulence, venom, vitriol.

.5 **grudge, spite,** crow to pick *or* pluck *or* pull, bone to pick; peeve *or* pet peeve [both informal].

.6 **enemy, foe,** foeman, **adversary, antagonist;** bitter enemy; sworn enemy; open enemy; public enemy; archenemy, devil; "my nearest and dearest enemy" [Thomas Middleton].

.7 VERBS **antagonize,** set against, set at odds, set at each other's throat, sick on each other [informal]; aggravate, exacerbate, heat up, **provoke,** envenom, **embitter,** infuriate, madden; **alienate,** estrange 795.14.

.8 **bear ill will,** bear malice, have it in for [informal], hold it against, be down on [informal]; **bear a grudge,** owe a grudge, have a bone to pick with; have a crow to pick *or* pluck *or* pull with; **hate** 930.5.

.9 ADJS **unfriendly, inimical, unamicable; uncordial,** unamiable, ungenial, incompatible; strained, tense; disaccordant, unharmonious 795.16; cool, cold, chill, chilly, frosty, icy; inhospitable 926.7; unsociable 923.5.

.10 **hostile, antagonistic,** repugnant, antipathetic, set against, spiteful, despiteful, malicious, malevolent, malignant, hateful, full of hate *or* hatred; virulent, **bitter,** sore, rancorous, acrid, caustic, venomous, vitriolic; conflicting, clashing, colliding; quarrelsome 795.17; belligerent 797.25.

.11 **alienated, estranged,** disaffected, separated, divided, disunited, torn; irreconcilable.

.12 **at outs, on the outs** [informal], at enmity, at variance, **at odds,** at loggerheads, at cross-purposes, at sixes and sevens, at each other's throat, at daggers drawn.

.13 **on bad terms,** not on speaking terms; in bad with [informal], in bad odor with, in one's bad *or* black books, on one's shitlist [slang].

.14 ADVS **unamicably,** inimically; **uncordially,** unamiably, ungenially; coolly, coldly, chillily, frostily; **hostilely, antagonistically.**

930. HATE

.1 NOUNS **hate, hatred,** mis(o)–; **dislike** 867; **detestation, abhorrence, aversion, antipathy,** repugnance, **loathing,** execration, **abomination,** odium; **spite,** spitefulness, despitefulness, **malice, malevolence,** malignity; vials of hate *or* wrath; misanthropy, misandry, misogyny; anti-Semitism; race hatred, racism; bigotry; Anglophobia, Russophobia, xenophobia, etc. 891.10–17.

.2 **enmity** 929; bitterness, **animosity** 929.4.

.3 (hated thing) **anathema, abomination,**

detestation, aversion, abhorrence, antipathy, execration, hate; peeve, pet peeve; phobia.

.4 hater, man-hater, woman-hater, misanthropist, misanthrope, misogynist, anti-Semite, racist, bigot; Anglophobe, Russophobe, xenophobe, etc.

.5 VERBS **hate, detest, loathe, abhor,** execrate, **abominate,** hold in abomination, take an aversion to, shudder at, utterly detest.

.6 **dislike,** disrelish 867.3.

.7 ADJS **hating, abhorrent,** loathing; averse to 867.8; disgusted 866.20.

.8 **hateful,** detestable 864.18; despiteful; unlikable 867.7.

931. LOVE

.1 NOUNS **love, affection, attachment, devotion,** phil(o)–, –phily; **fondness,** sentiment, weakness [informal], like, **liking,** fancy, shine [slang]; **passion,** tender feeling *or* passion, **ardor,** ardency, fervor, heart, flame; physical love, Amor, Eros, bodily love, libido, sexual love, sex 419; desire, yearning 634.1–5; lasciviousness 989.5; charity, *caritas* [L], brotherly love, Christian love, *agape* [Gk]; spiritual love, Platonic love; **adoration,** worship, hero worship; **regard,** admiration; idolization, idolism, idolatry; popular regard, popularity; faithful love, truelove; married love, conjugal love, uxoriousness; free love, free-lovism; **lovemaking** 932.

.2 "an insatiate thirst of enjoying a greedily desired object" [Montaigne], "the heart's immortal thirst to be completely known and all forgiven" [Henry Van Dyke], "Nature's second sun" [George Chapman], "tyrant sparing none" [Corneille], "the blood of life, the power of reunion of the separated" [Tillich], "the reflection of a man's own worthiness from other men" [Emerson], "a spiritual coupling of two souls" [Ben Jonson].

.3 **amorousness,** amativeness, lovingness, meltingness, **affection, affectionateness,** demonstrativeness; sexiness; goatishness, horniness [slang]; romanticism, **sentimentality,** susceptibility; lovesickness, lovelornness; ecstasy, rapture 857.7; enchantment 865.2.

.4 **infatuation,** infatuatedness, passing fancy; **crush** *or* mash *or* pash *or* case [all slang]; **puppy love** *or* calf love [both informal].

.5 **parental love, natural affection,** mother *or* maternal love, father *or* paternal love; filial love.

.6 **love affair, affair,** affair of the heart, **amour, romance,** romantic tie *or* bond, something between, liaison, entanglement, intrigue; flirtation, hanky-panky; triangle, eternal triangle; illicit love, forbidden love, adulterous affair, adultery, unfaithfulness, infidelity, cuckoldry.

.7 **lovability, likability, adorability,** sweetness, loveliness, lovesomeness, amiability, attractiveness 863.2, desirability, agreeability; **charm, appeal,** allurement 650; winsomeness, winning ways.

.8 (gods) Love, Cupid, Amor, Eros, Kama; (goddesses) Venus, Aphrodite, Astarte, Freya.

.9 (symbols) **cupid,** cupidon, amor, amourette, amoretto, *amorino* [Ital].

.10 **sweetheart,** sweetie [informal], sweet patootie [slang]; honey 932.5; date [informal]; steady [slang]; flirt, coquette; vampire, vamp; conquest, catch, captive.

.11 **lover, admirer,** adorer, amorist, –phile; infatuate, paramour, **suitor, wooer,** pursuer, follower.

.12 **beau, inamorato, swain,** man, gallant, cavalier, squire, esquire, *caballero* [Sp]; *amoroso, cavaliere servente* [both Ital]; sugar daddy [slang]; gigolo; **boyfriend** *or* **fellow** *or* young man *or* flame [all informal]; old man [informal]; love-maker; petter *or* necker [both slang]; seducer, lady-killer, ladies' man, sheik, philanderer; Lothario, Casanova, Romeo, Don Juan.

.13 **loved one, love, beloved, darling, dear, dear one,** dearly beloved, well-beloved, truelove, beloved object, **object of one's affections,** light of one's eye *or* life, light of love; crush.

.14 **lady love, inamorata,** *amorosa* [Ital], lady, mistress; old lady [informal]; **girl** *or* girl friend *or* best girl *or* dream girl [all informal], lass, lassie, jo [Scot], gill, jill, Dulcinea.

.15 **favorite,** preference; **darling,** idol, jewel, apple of one's eye, man after one's own heart; **pet,** fondling, cosset, minion; spoiled child *or* darling, *enfant gâté* [Fr]; teacher's pet; matinee idol.

.16 **fiancé, fiancée,** bride-to-be, affianced, betrothed, future, intended [informal].

.17 **loving couple,** soul mates, lovebirds, turtledoves, bill-and-cooers; Romeo and Juliet, Antony and Cleopatra, Tristan and Isolde, Pelléas and Mélisande, Abélard

and Héloïse, Daphnis and Chloë, Aucassin and Nicolette.

.18 VERBS **love, be fond of,** be in love with, **care for, like, fancy,** have a fancy for, have eyes for [informal], go for [slang], take an interest in, **dote on** *or* **upon,** be sweet on [informal]; have a crush *or* mash *or* case on [slang]; be desperately in love, have it bad [slang], burn with love; be partial to, have a soft spot in one's heart for, have a weakness *or* fondness for.

.19 **cherish, hold dear,** prize, treasure; **admire, regard,** esteem, revere; **adore, idolize,** worship, dearly love, think worlds *or* the world of, love to distraction.

.20 **fall in love, lose one's heart, become enamored,** be smitten [informal]; take to, **take a liking** *or* **fancy to,** take a shine to *or* fall for [both slang], cotton to [informal], become attached to, bestow one's affections on; fall head and ears *or* head over heels in love, be swept off one's feet.

.21 **enamor, endear;** win one's heart, win the love *or* affections of, take the fancy of, make a hit with [slang]; **charm,** becharm, **infatuate,** hold in thrall, **fascinate,** attract, allure, **captivate,** bewitch, enrapture, carry away, sweep off one's feet, turn one's head, inflame with love; **seduce,** vamp [slang], draw on, tempt, tantalize.

.22 ADJS **beloved, loved, dear, darling, precious;** pet, favorite; **adored, admired,** esteemed, revered; **cherished,** prized, treasured, held dear; **well-liked,** popular; **well-beloved,** dearly beloved, dear to one's heart, after one's heart *or* own heart, dear as the apple of one's eye.

.23 **lovable, likable, adorable,** admirable, **lovely,** lovesome, sweet, winning, winsome; **charming** 650.7; angelic, seraphic; caressable, kissable; cuddlesome, cuddly.

.24 **amorous,** amatory, amative, erotic; **sexual** 419.26–30; loverly, loverlike; **passionate, ardent,** impassioned; desirous 634.21–28; lascivious 989.29.

.25 **loving,** lovesome, **fond, adoring, devoted, affectionate,** –philic, –philous; demonstrative, **romantic, sentimental, tender,** soft [informal], melting; lovelorn, lovesick, languishing; wifely, husbandly, conjugal, uxorious, faithful; parental, paternal, maternal, filial.

.26 **enamored, charmed,** becharmed, **fascinated, captivated,** bewitched, enraptured 857.23, enchanted 865.14; **infatuated,** infatuate; **smitten** [informal], heartsmitten.

.27 **in love,** head over heels in love, over head and ears in love.

.28 **fond of, enamored of,** partial to, **sweet on** *or* **upon** [informal], **stuck on** [slang], **in love with,** attached to, wedded to, devoted to, wrapped up in; **taken with,** smitten with [informal], struck with; gone on *or* far gone on *or* hipped on *or* keen about *or* **wild about** *or* **mad about** *or* crazy about [all informal]; nuts about [slang], have a thing about [informal].

.29 ADVS **lovingly, fondly, affectionately, tenderly,** dearly, **adoringly,** devotedly; amorously, ardently, passionately; with love, with affection, with all one's love.

932. LOVEMAKING, ENDEARMENT

.1 NOUNS **lovemaking,** dalliance, amorous dalliance, billing and cooing; **petting** *or* **necking** *or* spooning [all informal], smooching [slang], lollygagging [dial]; **fondling, caressing,** hugging, kissing; cuddling, snuggling, nestling, nuzzling; bundling; sexual intercourse 419.8.

.2 **embrace, hug,** squeeze, clasp, enfoldment, bear hug [informal].

.3 **kiss,** buss, smack, smooch [slang], **osculation.**

.4 **endearment; caress,** pat; sweet talk, soft words, honeyed words, sweet nothings; blandishments, artful endearments.

.5 **darling, dear,** deary, **sweetheart, sweetie, sweet,** sweets, sweetkins, **honey,** hon, **honey bunch,** honey child, sugar, love, lover, precious, precious heart, pet, petkins, babe, **baby, doll,** baby-doll, cherub, angel, chick, chickabiddy, buttercup, duck, duckling, lamb, lambkin, snookums.

.6 **courtship, courting, wooing;** court, suit, suing, amorous pursuit, addresses; gallantry; serenade.

.7 **proposal,** marriage proposal, offer of marriage; engagement 770.3.

.8 **flirtation, coquetry,** dalliance; flirtatiousness, coquettishness, coyness; sheep's eyes, goo-goo eyes [slang], amorous looks, coquettish glances, come-hither look; ogle, side-glance.

.9 **philandering,** philander, lady-killing [slang]; lechery, licentiousness, unchastity 989.

.10 **flirt, coquette,** gold digger *or* vamp [both slang]; strumpet, whore 989.14–16.

.11 **philanderer,** philander, woman chaser, **ladies' man,** heartbreaker; masher, lady-killer, wolf, skirt chaser, man on the

make *or* make-out artist [both slang]; libertine, lecher, seducer 989.10–12.

.12 **love letter,** billet-doux, mash note [slang]; valentine.

.13 VERBS **make love,** bill and coo; **pet** *or* **neck** *or* spoon [all informal], make out [slang], smooch [slang], lollygag [dial]; dally, toy, trifle, wanton; sweet-talk [dial], whisper sweet nothings; copulate 419.23.

.14 **caress, pet,** pat; **fondle,** dandle, coddle, cocker, cosset; pat on the head *or* cheek, chuck under the chin.

.15 **cuddle, snuggle, nestle,** nuzzle; lap; bundle.

.16 **embrace, hug, clasp, press, squeeze** [informal], fold, **enfold,** bosom, embosom, put *or* throw one's arms around, take to one's arms, fold to the heart, press to the bosom.

.17 **kiss, osculate,** buss, smack, smooch [slang]; blow a kiss.

.18 **flirt, coquet;** gold-dig; **philander,** gallivant, run around, play around; **make eyes at, ogle,** eye, cast coquettish glances, cast sheep's eyes at, make goo-goo eyes at [slang], *faire les yeux doux* [Fr], look sweet upon [informal].

.19 **court, woo,** sue, press one's suit, **pay court** *or* **suit to,** make suit to, pay one's court to, address, pay one's addresses to, pay attention to, lay siege to, throw oneself at the head of; **pursue,** follow; chase [slang]; set one's cap at *or* for [informal]; serenade; spark [informal], squire, esquire, beau, sweetheart [informal], swain.

.20 **propose, pop the question** [informal], ask for one's hand; become engaged 770.6.

.21 ADJS amatory, amative 931.24; sexual 419.26–30; caressive; **flirtatious,** flirty; **coquettish,** coy.

933. MARRIAGE

.1 NOUNS **marriage, matrimony, wedlock,** –gamy; holy matrimony, holy wedlock, match, union, matrimonial union, alliance, "a world-without-end bargain" [Shakespeare], "a dignified and commodious sacrament" [T. S. Eliot], marriage sacrament, sacrament of matrimony, bond of matrimony, wedding knot, conjugal bond *or* tie *or* knot, nuptial bond *or* tie *or* knot; married state *or* status, wedded state *or* status, wedded bliss, weddedness, wifehood, husbandhood, spousehood; coverture, cohabitation; bed, marriage bed, bridebed; intermarriage, mixed marriage, interfaith marriage, interracial marriage; miscegenation; misalliance, *mésalliance* [Fr], ill-assorted marriage.

.2 (kinds of marriage) **monogamy,** monogyny, monandry; serial polygamy; digamy, deuterogamy; **bigamy;** trigamy, **polygamy,** polygyny, polyandry; morganatic marriage, left-handed marriage; marriage of convenience, *mariage de convenance* [Fr]; love match; levirate, leviration; beena marriage; companionate marriage, trial marriage; common-law marriage; picture marriage; concubinage; homosexual marriage.

.3 **marriageability,** nubility, ripeness.

.4 **wedding, marriage,** marriage ceremony, nuptial mass; church wedding, civil wedding, civil ceremony; espousement, bridal; banns; **nuptials,** spousals, espousals, hymeneal rites; *chuppah* [Heb], wedding canopy; wedding song, marriage song, nuptial song, prothalamium, epithalamium, epithalamy, hymen, hymeneal; wedding veil, saffron veil *or* robe; bridechamber, bridal suite, nuptial apartment; **honeymoon;** forced marriage, shotgun wedding; Gretna Green wedding, elopement.

.5 **wedding party;** wedding attendant, usher; **best man,** bridesman, groomsman; paranymph; **bridesmaid,** bridemaiden, maid *or* matron of honor.

.6 **newlywed; bridegroom, groom; bride,** plighted bride, blushing bride; war bride, GI bride [slang]; honeymooner.

.7 **spouse, mate,** yokemate, partner, consort, **better half** [informal], "bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh" [Bible].

.8 **husband, married man,** man, benedict, goodman [archaic], old man [slang].

.9 **wife, married woman,** wedded wife, goodwife *or* goody [both archaic], squaw, woman, lady, matron, old lady *or* old woman [both slang], feme, feme covert, **better half** [informal], **helpmate,** helpmeet, rib, wife of one's bosom; wife in name only; wife in all but name, concubine, common-law wife.

.10 **married couple,** wedded pair, **man and wife,** husband and wife, man and woman, *vir et uxor* [L], one flesh; newlyweds, **bride and groom.**

.11 **harem, seraglio,** serai, gynaeceum; zenana, purdah.

.12 **monogamist,** monogynist; **bigamist;** digamist, deuterogamist; trigamist; **polygamist,** polygynist, polyandrist; Mormon, Bluebeard.

.13 **matchmaker, marriage broker,** matrimonial agent, *shadchen* [Yid]; matrimonial agency *or* bureau.

.14 (god) Hymen; (goddesses) Hera, Teleia; Juno, Pronuba; Frigg.

.15 VERBS (join in marriage) **marry,** wed, nuptial, **join, unite, hitch** [slang], **splice** [informal], couple, match, make *or* arrange a match, join together, **unite in marriage,** join *or* unite in holy wedlock, tie the nuptial *or* wedding knot, make one; give away, give in marriage; marry off, find a mate for, find a husband *or* wife for.

.16 (get married) **marry, wed,** contract matrimony, mate, couple, espouse, wive, **take to wife,** take to oneself a wife, **get hitched** [slang], be spliced [informal], become one, be made one, pair off, give one's hand to, bestow one's hand upon, lead to the altar, take for better or for worse; remarry, rewed; intermarry, interwed, miscegenate.

.17 **honeymoon,** go on a honeymoon.

.18 **cohabit,** live together, live as man and wife, share one's bed and board.

.19 ADJS **matrimonial, marital, conjugal, connubial, nuptial,** wedded, married, hymeneal; epithalamic; spousal, husbandly, wifely; bridal; –gamous.

.20 **monogamous,** monogynous, monandrous; **bigamous,** digamous; **polygamous,** polygynous, polyandrous; morganatic; miscegenetic.

.21 **marriageable,** nubile, ripe, of age, of marriageable age.

.22 **married, wedded,** one, one bone and one flesh, mated, matched, coupled, partnered, paired.

934. CELIBACY

.1 NOUNS **celibacy, singleness,** single blessedness, single state *or* condition; unwed state *or* condition; **bachelorhood,** bachelordom, bachelorism, bachelorship; **spinsterhood,** maidenhood, maidenhead, **virginity,** maiden *or* virgin state; **monasticism,** monachism; misogamy, misogyny; continence 988.3.

.2 **celibate,** *célibataire* [Fr]; monk, monastic, priest, nun; misogamist, misogynist; unmarried, single [informal].

.3 **bachelor,** bach *or* old bach [both slang], confirmed bachelor, **single man.**

.4 **spinster,** spinstress, **old maid,** maid, maiden, bachelor girl, single girl, single woman, lone woman, maiden lady, feme sole; **virgin,** vestal, vestal virgin; parthen(o)–.

.5 VERBS **be unmarried, be single, live alone,** enjoy single blessedness, **bach** *or* **bach it** [both slang], keep bachelor quarters, keep one's freedom.

.6 ADJS **celibate; monastic,** monachal, **monkish;** misogamic, misogynous.

.7 **unmarried, unwedded, unwed, single,** sole, spouseless, wifeless, husbandless; **bachelorly,** bachelorlike; **spinsterly,** spinsterish, spinsterlike; **old-maidish,** old-maidenish; maiden, maidenly; virgin, virginal.

935. DIVORCE, WIDOWHOOD

.1 NOUNS **divorce,** divorcement, grasswidowhood, **separation,** legal *or* judicial separation, separate maintenance; interlocutory decree; dissolution of marriage; annulment, decree of nullity; broken marriage, broken home.

.2 **divorcée,** divorced person, divorced man, *divorcé* [Fr], divorced woman, *divorcée* [Fr]; divorcer; grass widow, grass widower.

.3 **widowhood,** viduity [archaic]; **widowerhood,** widowership; weeds, widow's weeds.

.4 **widow,** widow woman [dial], relict; dowager, queen dowager, etc.; **widower,** widowman [dial].

.5 VERBS **divorce, separate,** part, split up [informal], unmarry, put away, obtain a divorce, come to a parting of the ways, untie the knot, sue for divorce, file suit for divorce; grant a divorce, grant a final decree; grant an annulment, grant a decree of nullity, annul a marriage, put asunder.

.6 **widow,** bereave.

.7 ADJS widowly, widowish, widowlike; **widowed,** widowered; **divorced;** separated, legally separated.

936. COURTESY

.1 NOUNS **courtesy,** courteousness, **politeness, civility,** amenity, agreeableness, urbanity, comity, affability; **graciousness,** gracefulness; complaisance; **thoughtfulness, considerateness,** tactfulness, tact, solicitousness, solicitude; **respect,** respectfulness, deference.

.2 **gallantry,** gallantness, **chivalry,** chivalrousness, knightliness; courtliness, courtly politeness, *noblesse oblige* [Fr].

.3 **mannerliness, manners, good manners,** excellent *or* exquisite manners, good *or* po-

lite deportment, good *or* polite behavior, *bienséance* [Fr]; *savoir-faire, savoir-vivre* [both Fr]; correctness, correctitude.

.4 **good breeding, breeding; refinement, polish, culture, cultivation; gentility,** gentleness, genteelness, elegance; gentlemanliness, gentlemanlikeness, ladylikeness.

.5 **suavity, suaveness, smoothness, smugness,** blandness, **unctuousness,** oiliness, **glibness,** fulsomeness; sweet talk, fair words, soft words *or* tongue, sweet *or* honeyed words *or* tongue, incense; soft soap *or* butter [both informal].

.6 **courtesy, civility,** amenity, urbanity, attention, polite act, act of courtesy *or* politeness, graceful gesture; favor 938.7.

.7 **amenities, civilities,** gentilities, graces, elegancies; dignities; formalities, ceremonies, rites, rituals.

.8 **regards, compliments, respects,** *égards, devoirs* [both Fr]; **best wishes,** one's best, good wishes, best regards, kind *or* kindest regards, love, best love; greetings 925.3; remembrances, kind remembrances; compliments of the season.

.9 **gallant, cavalier,** chevalier, **knight,** "a verray parfit gentil knight" [Chaucer].

.10 "the very pink of courtesy" [Shakespeare], "the very pineapple of politeness" [R. B. Sheridan], "the mirror of all courtesy" [Shakespeare].

.11 VERBS **mind one's manners,** mind one's P's and Q's [informal]; keep a civil tongue in one's head; mend one's manners; observe etiquette, observe *or* follow protocol.

.12 **pay one's respects to, make one's compliments to,** present oneself, pay attentions to, do service, wait on *or* upon.

.13 **give one's regards, give one's compliments,** give one's love, give one's best regards, give one's best, send one's regards *or* compliments, etc.; wish one joy, wish one luck, bid Godspeed.

.14 ADJS **courteous, polite, civil, urbane, gracious,** graceful, agreeable, affable, fair; complaisant; obliging, accommodating; **thoughtful, considerate,** tactful, solicitous; respectful, deferential, attentive.

.15 **gallant, chivalrous,** chivalric, knightly; **courtly; formal,** ceremonious; old-fashioned, old-world.

.16 **mannerly, well-mannered,** good-mannered, **well-behaved,** well-spoken; **correct,** correct in one's manners *or* behavior.

.17 **well-bred,** highbred, **well-brought-up; cultivated, cultured, polished, refined, genteel,** gentle; gentlemanly, gentlemanlike, ladylike.

.18 **suave, smooth, smug,** bland, **glib, unctuous,** oily, soapy *or* buttery [both informal], fulsome, ingratiating, disarming; suave-spoken, fine-spoken, fair-spoken, soft-spoken, smooth-spoken, smooth-tongued, oily-tongued, honey-tongued, honey-mouthed.

.19 ADVS **courteously, politely, civilly,** urbanely, mannerly; **gallantly, chivalrously,** courtly, knightly; **graciously,** gracefully, with a good grace; complaisantly, complacently; obligingly, accommodatingly; respectfully, attentively, deferentially.

937. DISCOURTESY

.1 NOUNS **discourtesy,** discourteousness; **impoliteness,** unpoliteness; **rudeness, incivility,** inurbanity, **ungraciousness, ungallantness,** uncourtliness, ungentlemanliness, **unmannerliness,** mannerlessness, bad *or* ill manners, **ill breeding,** conduct unbecoming a gentleman, caddishness; inconsiderateness, unsolicitousness, tactlessness, insensitivity; grossness, gross behavior, vulgarity, offensiveness, coarseness, crudeness, loutishness.

.2 disrespectfulness 965.1; **insolence** 913.

.3 **gruffness, brusqueness,** *brusquerie* [Fr], **curtness,** shortness, sharpness, abruptness, bluntness, brashness; **harshness,** roughness, severity; truculence, aggressiveness 797.15; **surliness,** crustiness, bearishness, beastliness, churlishness, **boorishness,** nastiness.

.4 ADJS **discourteous,** uncourteous; **impolite,** unpolite; **rude, uncivil, ungracious, ungallant,** uncourtly, inaffable, uncomplaisant, unaccommodating; disrespectful 965.5; **insolent** 913.8.

.5 **unmannerly,** unmannered, mannerless, **ill-mannered, ill-behaved,** ill-conditioned.

.6 **ill-bred, ungenteel,** ungentle, caddish; inconsiderate, unsolicitous, tactless, insensitive; **ungentlemanly,** ungentlemanlike; **unladylike,** unfeminine; **vulgar, boorish, unrefined** 898.10–13, offensive, coarse, crude, loutish, louty, nasty.

.7 **gruff, brusque, curt,** short, sharp, snippy [informal], abrupt, **blunt,** bluff, brash, cavalier; **harsh,** rough, severe; truculent, aggressive 797.25; **surly,** crusty, bearish, beastly, churlish.

.8 ADVS **discourteously, impolitely, rudely,** uncivilly, ungraciously, ungallantly, ungenteelly, caddishly; inconsiderately, unsolicitously, tactlessly, insensitively.

.9 **gruffly, brusquely, curtly,** shortly, sharply, snippily [informal], abruptly, bluntly, bluffly, brashly, cavalierly; harshly, crustily, bearishly, churlishly, **boorishly,** nastily.

938. KINDNESS, BENEVOLENCE

.1 NOUNS **kindness, kindliness,** kindly disposition; **benignity,** benignancy; **goodness,** niceness; **graciousness; kindheartedness,** warmheartedness, softheartedness, tenderheartedness, affectionateness, warmth, goodness *or* warmth of heart, **loving kindness,** "milk of human kindness" [Shakespeare]; soul of kindness, heart of gold; **brotherhood,** fellow feeling, **sympathy,** compassion, fraternal feeling, feeling of kinship; **humaneness,** humanity.

.2 **good nature, good humor,** good disposition, good temper, sweetness, sweet temper *or* nature, goodnaturedness, goodhumoredness, goodtemperedness, bonhomie; **amiability,** affability, geniality, cordiality; **gentleness,** mildness, lenity.

.3 **considerateness, consideration, thoughtfulness,** mindfulness, heedfulness, regardfulness, attentiveness, **solicitousness,** solicitude, thought, regard, concern, delicacy, tact, tactfulness; indulgence, toleration, leniency 759; complaisance, accommodatingness, **helpfulness,** obligingness, agreeableness.

.4 **benevolence,** benevolentness, benevolent disposition, well-disposedness, **beneficence, charity,** charitableness, **philanthropy; altruism,** philanthropism, **humanitarianism,** welfarism, do-goodism; utilitarianism, Benthamism, greatest good of the greatest number; **goodwill,** grace, brotherly love, Christian charity *or* love, *caritas* [L], love of mankind, good will to *or* toward man, love, *agape* [Gk], flower power; BOMFOG (brotherhood of man and fatherhood of God); **bigheartedness,** largeheartedness, greatheartedness; **generosity** 853; giving 818.

.5 **welfare; welfare work, social service,** social welfare, social work; child welfare, etc.; commonweal, public welfare; welfare state, welfare statism, welfarism.

.6 **benevolences,** philanthropies, charities; works, **good works.**

.7 **kindness, favor,** mercy, **benefit,** benefaction, benevolence, benignity, blessing, **service,** turn, **good turn, good** *or* **kind deed,** *mitzvah* [Heb], office, good *or* kind offices, obligation, grace, act of grace, courtesy, act of kindness, kindly act, labor of love.

.8 **philanthropist, altruist,** benevolist, **humanitarian,** man of good will, **do-gooder,** well-doer, power for good; welfare worker, social worker; welfare statist; almsgiver, almoner; Robin Hood.

.9 VERBS **be kind,** be good *or* nice to, show kindness to; treat well, do right by; favor, oblige, accommodate.

.10 **be considerate,** consider, respect, regard, think of, **be thoughtful of,** have consideration *or* regard for.

.11 **be benevolent, bear good will,** wish well, have one's heart in the right place; practice the golden rule, do as you would be done by, do unto others as you would have others do unto you; make love, not war.

.12 **do a favor, do good,** do a kindness, do a good turn, do a good *or* kind deed, use one's good offices, render a service, confer a benefit; benefit, help 785.11.

.13 ADJS **kind, kindly,** kindly-disposed; **benign,** benignant; **good, nice,** decent; **gracious; kindhearted, warm, warmhearted,** softhearted, tenderhearted, tender, loving, affectionate; **sympathetic,** sympathizing, compassionate; brotherly, fraternal; humane, human; Christian, Christly, Christlike.

good-natured, well-natured, **good-humored, good-tempered,** bonhomous, **sweet, sweet-tempered; amiable, affable, genial, cordial; gentle,** mild; easy, easy-natured, easy to get along with, **agreeable.**

.15 **benevolent, charitable, beneficent, philanthropic, altruistic,** humanitarian; **bighearted,** largehearted, greathearted, freehearted; **generous** 853.4; almsgiving, eleemosynary; **welfare,** welfarist(ic), welfare statist.

.16 **considerate, thoughtful,** mindful, heedful, regardful, solicitous, attentive, delicate, tactful, mindful of others; complaisant, **accommodating,** accommodative, **helpful,** agreeable, **obliging,** indulgent, tolerant, lenient 759.7,8.

.17 **well-meaning, well-meant,** well-affected, well-disposed, **well-intentioned.**

.18 ADVS **kindly,** benignly, benignantly; **good,** nicely, well, favorably; **kindheartedly, warmly,** warmheartedly, softheartedly, tenderheartedly; humanely, humanly.

.19 **good-naturedly, good-humoredly,** bonhomously; **sweetly; amiably,** affably, genially, cordially; graciously, in good part.

.20 **benevolently, beneficently, charitably,**

philanthropically, altruistically, bigheartedly, with good will.

.21 **considerately, thoughtfully,** mindfully, heedfully, regardfully, tactfully, solicitously, attentively; well-meaningly, well-disposedly.

939. UNKINDNESS, MALEVOLENCE

.1 NOUNS **unkindness, unkindliness;** unbenignity, unbenignness; **unamiability,** uncordiality, ungraciousness, inhospitality, inhospitableness, ungeniality, unaffectionateness; unsympatheticness, uncompassionateness; disagreeableness.

.2 **unbenevolentness, uncharitableness,** ungenerousness.

.3 **inconsiderateness, inconsideration, unthoughtfulness,** unmindfulness, unheedfulness, **thoughtlessness,** heedlessness, respectlessness, disregardfulness, forgetfulness; **unhelpfulness,** unobligingness, unaccommodatingness.

.4 **malevolence, ill will,** bad will, bad blood, bad temper, ill nature, ill-disposedness, ill *or* evil disposition; evil eye, *malocchio* [Ital], whammy [slang], blighting glance.

.5 **malice, maliciousness,** maleficence; malignance *or* **malignancy,** malignity; **meanness** *or* orneriness *or* cussedness *or* bitchiness [all informal], hatefulness, nastiness, invidiousness; **wickedness,** iniquitousness 981.4; deviltry, devilry, devilment; malice prepense *or* aforethought, evil intent; **harmfulness, noxiousness** 675.5.

.6 **spite,** despite; **spitefulness,** cattiness; gloating pleasure, unwholesome *or* unholy joy, *Schadenfreude* [Ger].

.7 **rancor, virulence,** venomousness, **venom,** vitriol, gall.

.8 **causticity,** causticness, corrosiveness, mordancy, mordacity, bitingness; **acrimony, asperity,** acidity, acidness, acidulousness, acridity, acerbity, **bitterness,** tartness; sharpness, keenness, incisiveness, piercingness, stabbingness, trenchancy; "sharp-toothed unkindness" [Shakespeare].

.9 **harshness, roughness,** ungentleness; **severity,** austerity, hardness, sternness, grimness, inclemency; stringency, astringency.

.10 **heartlessness, unfeeling,** unnaturalness, unresponsiveness, insensitivity, coldness, **coldheartedness,** coldbloodedness; **hardheartedness,** hardness, hardness of heart, heart of stone; **callousness,** callosity; obduracy; **pitilessness, unmercifulness** 945.1.

.11 **cruelty,** cruelness, sadistic cruelty, sadism, wanton cruelty; **ruthlessness** 945.1; inhumaneness, **inhumanity,** atrociousness; **brutality,** brutalness, brutishness, bestiality, beastliness, animality; **barbarity,** barbarousness, vandalism; **savagery, viciousness,** violence, fiendishness, truculence; fierceness, ferociousness, ferocity; bloodthirst, bloodthirstiness, bloodlust, bloodiness, bloody-mindedness, sanguineousness; cannibalism.

.12 (brutal act) **atrocity,** cruelty, brutality, barbarity, inhumanity.

.13 **bad deed, disservice,** ill service, **ill turn,** bad turn.

.14 ADJS **unkind, unkindly,** ill; **unbenign,** unbenignant; **unamiable,** disagreeable, **uncordial, ungracious,** inhospitable, **ungenial,** unaffectionate, unloving; **unsympathetic,** unsympathizing, **uncompassionate,** uncompassioned.

.15 **unbenevolent,** unbeneficent, **uncharitable,** unphilanthropic, unaltruistic, ungenerous.

.16 **inconsiderate, unthoughtful,** unmindful, unheedful, disregardful, **thoughtless,** heedless, respectless, mindless, unthinking, forgetful; uncomplaisant; **unhelpful, unaccommodating, unobliging,** disobliging, uncooperative.

.17 **malevolent, ill-disposed,** evil-disposed, **ill-natured,** ill-affected, ill-conditioned, ill-intentioned.

.18 **malicious,** maleficent, malefic; **malignant,** malign; **mean** *or* **ornery** *or* cussed *or* bitchy [all informal], hateful, nasty, baleful, invidious; **wicked,** iniquitous 981.16; **harmful, noxious** 675.12.

.19 **spiteful,** despiteful; **catty,** cattish.

.20 **rancorous, virulent,** vitriolic; **venomous,** venenate, envenomed.

.21 **caustic,** mordant, mordacious, corrosive, corroding; **acrimonious,** acrid, acid, acidic, acidulous, acidulent, acerb, acerbate, acerbic, **bitter,** tart; **sharp,** keen, incisive, trenchant, **cutting,** penetrating, piercing, biting, **stinging,** stabbing, **scathing, scorching,** withering.

.22 **harsh, rough,** rugged, ungentle; **severe,** austere, **stringent,** astringent, hard, stern, dour, grim, inclement, unsparing.

.23 **heartless, unfeeling,** unnatural, unresponsive, insensitive, **cold,** cold of heart, **coldhearted, coldblooded; hard, hardened,** hard of heart, **hardhearted,** stony-hearted, marblehearted, flinthearted; **callous,** calloused; obdurate; **unmerciful** 945.3.

.24 **cruel,** cruel-hearted, sadistic; **ruthless** 945.3; **brutal,** brutish, brute, bestial, beastly, animal; subhuman, dehuman-

ized, brutalized; sharkish, wolfish, slavering; **barbarous,** barbaric, uncivilized, unchristian; **savage, ferocious,** feral, **vicious,** fierce, **atrocious,** truculent, fell; **inhumane,** inhuman, unhuman; fiendish, fiendlike; demoniac *or* demoniacal, diabolic(al), devilish, satanic, hellish, infernal; **bloodthirsty,** bloody-minded, bloody, sanguineous, sanguinary; cannibalistic, anthropophagous; murderous 409.24; Draconian, Tartarean.

.25 ADVS **unkindly,** ill; **unbenignly,** unbenignantly; **unamiably,** disagreeably, uncordially, ungraciously, inhospitably, ungenially, unaffectionately, unlovingly; unsympathetically, uncompassionately.

.26 **unbenevolently,** unbeneficently, **uncharitably,** unphilanthropically, unaltruistically, ungenerously.

.27 **inconsiderately, unthoughtfully,** thoughtlessly, heedlessly, unthinkingly; unhelpfully, uncooperatively.

.28 **malevolently, maliciously,** maleficently, **malignantly; meanly** *or* ornerily *or* cussedly *or* bitchily [all informal], hatefully, nastily, invidiously, balefully; **wickedly,** iniquitously 981.19; **harmfully, noxiously** 675.15, **spitefully,** in spite; with bad intent, with malice prepense *or* aforethought.

.29 **rancorously, virulently,** vitriolically; venomously, venenately.

.30 **caustically,** mordantly, mordaciously, corrosively, corrodingly; **acrimoniously,** acridly, acidly, acerbly, acerbically, **bitterly,** tartly; **sharply,** keenly, incisively, trenchantly, **cuttingly,** penetratingly, piercingly, bitingly, **stingingly,** stabbingly, **scathingly,** scorchingly, witheringly.

.31 **harshly, roughly; severely,** austerely, stringently, sternly, grimly, inclemently, unsparingly.

.32 **heartlessly, unfeelingly, callously,** coldheartedly; cold-bloodedly, **in cold blood.**

.33 **cruelly, brutally,** brutishly, bestially, subhumanly, sharkishly, wolfishly, slaveringly; **barbarously, savagely, ferociously,** ferally, **viciously,** fiercely, **atrociously,** truculently; **ruthlessly** 945.4; **inhumanely,** inhumanly, unhumanly; fiendishly, diabolically, devilishly.

940. MISANTHROPY

.1 NOUNS **misanthropy,** misanthropism, Timonism, cynicism, antisociality, antisocial sentiments *or* attitudes; unsociability 923.

.2 **misanthrope,** misanthropist; man-hater, cynic; misogynist, woman-hater; sexist; Alceste, Timon.

.3 ADJS **misanthropic,** Timonistic, **antisocial;** unsociable 923.5,6; man-hating, cynical; misogynous, woman-hating; sexist.

941. PUBLIC SPIRIT

.1 NOUNS **public spirit,** social consciousness; **civism,** citizenship, citizenism.

.2 **patriotism,** love of country; "the last refuge of a scoundrel" [Samuel Johnson]; **nationalism,** nationality, ultranationalism; Americanism, Anglicism, Briticism, etc.; **chauvinism, jingoism,** overpatriotism; patriotics, flag waving.

.3 **patriot;** nationalist; ultranationalist; **chauvinist,** chauvin, **jingo,** jingoist; patrioteer [informal], flag waver, superpatriot, hard hat [informal], hundred-percenter, hundred-percent American.

.4 ADJS **public-spirited, civic; patriotic; nationalistic;** ultranationalist, ultranationalistic; overpatriotic, superpatriotic, flag-waving, **chauvinist**(ic), jingoist(ic).

942. BENEFACTOR

.1 NOUNS **benefactor,** benefactress, **benefiter,** succorer, befriender; ministrant, ministering angel; Samaritan, **good Samaritan; helper,** aider, assister, help, aid, helping hand, "a very present help in time of trouble" [Bible]; jack-at-a-pinch; **patron, backer** 787.9; **good person** 985.

.2 **savior, redeemer,** deliverer, **liberator,** rescuer, freer, **emancipator,** manumitter.

943. EVILDOER

.1 NOUNS **evildoer, wrongdoer,** worker of ill *or* evil, **malefactor,** malfeasant, malfeasor, misfeasor, malevolent, public enemy, **sinner, villain,** transgressor, delinquent; **criminal,** outlaw, felon, **crook** [informal], lawbreaker, gangster *or* mobster [both informal], racketeer, thief; **bad person** 986; deceiver 619.

.2 **troublemaker, mischief-maker;** agitator 648.11.

.3 **ruffian,** rough, bravo, **rowdy, thug,** desperado, cutthroat, kill-crazy animal, mad dog; gunman; bully, bullyboy, bucko; devil, hellcat, hell-raiser; killer 409.11.

.4 [slang or informal terms] **roughneck, tough,** bruiser, mug, mugger, ugly customer, **hoodlum, hood, hooligan,** gorilla, plug-ugly, strong-arm man, muscle man, **goon;** gun, gunsel, trigger man, rodman, torpedo, hatchet man; hellion, terror, holy terror.

.5 **savage, barbarian, brute, beast, animal,** tiger, shark, hyena; wild man; cannibal, man-eater, anthropophagite; **wrecker, vandal,** nihilist, destroyer.

.6 **monster, fiend,** fiend from hell, **demon, devil,** devil incarnate, hellhound, hellkite; **vampire,** lamia, **harpy, ghoul;** werewolf, ape-man; ogre, ogress; Frankenstein's monster.

.7 **witch, hag, vixen,** hellhag, hellcat, she-devil, virago, termagant, grimalkin, Jezebel, beldam, she-wolf, tigress, wildcat, bitch-kitty [slang], siren, fury.

944. PITY

.1 NOUNS **pity, sympathy,** feeling, fellow feeling in suffering, **commiseration,** condolence; **compassion, mercy,** ruth, humanity; **clemency,** quarter, reprieve, mitigation, relief 886, favor, grace; **leniency,** forbearance 759.1; **kindness, benevolence** 938; pardon, **forgiveness** 1007.1; self-pity; **pathos.**

.2 **compassionateness, mercifulness,** ruthfulness, softheartedness, tenderness, lenity, gentleness; bowels of compassion *or* mercy; bleeding heart.

.3 VERBS **pity, be** *or* **feel sorry for,** feel sorrow for; **commiserate,** compassionate; sympathize, **sympathize with,** feel for, weep for, lament for, bleed, bleed for, have one's heart bleed for, condole with 946.2.

.4 **have pity, have mercy upon, take pity on** *or* **upon;** melt, thaw; relent, forbear, relax, give quarter, spare, temper the wind to the shorn lamb, go easy on *or* let up on [both informal], reprieve, pardon, forgive 1007.4; put out of one's misery; be cruel to be kind.

.5 (excite pity) **move, touch,** affect, reach, **soften,** melt, melt the heart, appeal to one's better feelings; sadden, grieve 872.17,18.

.6 **beg for mercy,** ask for pity, cry for quarter, beg for one's life; fall on one's knees, throw oneself at the feet of.

.7 ADJS **pitying, sympathetic,** sympathizing, commiserative, condolent, understanding; **compassionate, merciful,** ruthful, **clement,** gentle, soft, melting, bleeding, tender, **tenderhearted,** softhearted, warmhearted; **humane,** human; lenient, forbearant 759.7,8; charitable 938.15.

.8 **pitiful, pitiable, pathetic, piteous,** touching, moving, affecting, heartrending, grievous, doleful 872.26.

.9 self-pitying, self-pitiful, sorry for oneself.

.10 ADVS **pitifully,** sympathetically; **compassionately, mercifully,** ruthfully, clemently, humanely.

945. PITILESSNESS

.1 NOUNS **pitilessness, unmercifulness, uncompassionateness,** unsympatheticness, mercilessness, **ruthlessness,** unfeelingness, inclemency, relentlessness, inexorableness, unyieldingness 626.2, unforgivingness; **heartlessness,** hardness, flintiness, harshness, **cruelty** 939.10,11; remorselessness, unremorsefulness; short shrift, tender mercies.

.2 VERBS **show no mercy,** give no quarter, turn a deaf ear to, claim one's pound of flesh, harden one's heart.

.3 ADJS **pitiless,** unpitying, unpitiful; **unsympathetic,** unsympathizing; **uncompassionate,** uncompassioned; **merciless, unmerciful,** without mercy, **ruthless,** dog-eat-dog; unfeeling, bowelless, inclement, relentless, inexorable, unyielding 626.9, unforgiving; **heartless,** hard, flinty, harsh, **cruel** 939.23,24; remorseless, unremorseful.

.4 ADVS **pitilessly,** unsympathetically; mercilessly, **unmercifully, ruthlessly,** uncompassionately, inclemently, relentlessly, inexorably, unyieldingly, unforgivingly; heartlessly, harshly, cruelly 939.33; remorselessly, unremorsefully.

946. CONDOLENCE

.1 NOUNS **condolence,** condolement, **consolation,** comfort, balm, soothing words, **commiseration, sympathy,** sharing of grief *or* sorrow.

.2 VERBS **condole with, commiserate, sympathize with,** feel with, express sympathy for, send one's condolences; **console,** wipe away one's tears, comfort, speak soothing words, bring balm to one's sorrow; sorrow with, share *or* help bear one's grief, grieve *or* weep with, grieve *or* weep for, share one's sorrow, "weep with them that weep" [Bible].

.3 ADJS condolent, consolatory, comforting, commiserative, **sympathetic.**

947. FORGIVENESS

.1 NOUNS **forgiveness,** forgivingness; unresentfulness, unrevengefulness; **condonation,** overlooking, disregard; **patience** 861; **indulgence, forbearance,** longanimity, long-suffering; **kindness, benevolence** 938; **magnanimity** 979.2; **tolerance** 526.4.

.2 **pardon,** excuse, sparing, **amnesty,** indemnity, exemption, immunity, reprieve,

grace; **absolution,** shrift, remission, remission of sin; redemption; **exoneration, exculpation** 1007.1.

.3 VERBS **forgive, pardon, excuse,** give *or* grant forgiveness, spare; amnesty, grant amnesty to, grant immunity *or* exemption; **absolve,** remit, give absolution, shrive, grant remission; **exonerate, exculpate** 1007.4; blot out one's sins, wipe the slate clean.

.4 **condone, overlook, disregard, ignore,** take [informal], pass over, let it go [informal], give one another chance, let one off this time *or* let one off easy [both informal], close *or* shut one's eyes to, **blink** *or* **wink at,** connive at; allow for, make allowances for; bear with, endure, regard with indulgence; pocket the affront, leave unavenged, turn the other cheek.

.5 **forget, forgive and forget,** dismiss from one's thoughts, think no more of, not give it another *or* a second thought, let it go [informal], let it pass, **let bygones be bygones;** write off, charge off, charge to experience; bury the hatchet.

.6 ADJS **forgiving,** sparing, placable, conciliatory; **kind, benevolent** 938.13–17; **magnanimous, generous** 979.6; **patient** 861.9,10; **forbearing,** longanimous, long-suffering; unresentful, unrevengeful; **tolerant** 526.11, more in sorrow than in anger.

.7 **forgiven, pardoned, excused,** spared, amnestied, reprieved, remitted, overlooked, disregarded, forgotten, not held against one, wiped away, removed from the record, blotted, canceled, **condoned,** indulged; absolved, shriven; redeemed; exonerated, exculpated, acquitted; unresented; unavenged, unrevenged; uncondemned.

948. CONGRATULATION

.1 NOUNS **congratulation,** gratulation, **felicitation,** blessing, **compliment,** pat on the back; good wishes, best wishes.

.2 VERBS **congratulate,** gratulate, **felicitate,** bless, **compliment,** tender *or* offer one's congratulations *or* felicitations *or* compliments; shake one's hand, pat on the back; **rejoice with,** wish one joy.

.3 ADJS **congratulatory,** congratulant, congratulational; gratulatory, gratulant; **complimentary.**

.4 INTERJS **congratulations!,** take a bow!; nice going!, bravo!, well done!, right on! [slang], good show! [Brit].

949. GRATITUDE

.1 NOUNS **gratitude, gratefulness, thankfulness, appreciation, appreciativeness;** obligation, sense of obligation *or* indebtedness.

.2 **thanks, thanksgiving,** praise, hymn, paean, benediction; grace, prayer of thanks; **thank-you; acknowledgment,** cognizance, **credit,** crediting, recognition; thank offering.

.3 VERBS **be grateful, be obliged,** feel *or* be *or* lie under an obligation, be obligated *or* indebted, be in the debt of; **be thankful,** thank God, thank *or* bless one's stars; **appreciate,** be appreciative of; never forget; overflow with gratitude.

.4 **thank,** bless; give one's thanks, **express one's appreciation; offer thanks, give thanks,** tender *or* render thanks, return thanks; acknowledge, make acknowledgments of, credit, recognize, give *or* render credit *or* recognition; fall on one's knees.

.5 ADJS **grateful, thankful; appreciative,** sensible; **obliged, much obliged,** beholden, indebted to, crediting, under obligation, acknowledging, cognizant of.

.6 INTERJS **thanks!, thank you!,** I thank you!, *merci!* [Fr], *¡gracias!* [Sp], *grazie!* [Ital], *danke!, danke schön!* [both Ger], gramercy!, **much obliged!,** many thanks!, thank you kindly!; I thank you very much!, *merci beaucoup!, je vous remercie beaucoup!* [both Fr].

950. INGRATITUDE

.1 NOUNS **ingratitude, ungratefulness, unthankfulness,** thanklessness, unappreciation, **unappreciativeness;** nonacknowledgment, nonrecognition, denial of due *or* proper credit; "benefits forgot" [Shakespeare]; grudging *or* halfhearted thanks.

.2 **ingrate,** ungrateful wretch.

.3 VERBS **be ungrateful,** feel no obligation, **not appreciate,** owe one no thanks; look a gift horse in the mouth; bite the hand that feeds one.

.4 ADJS **ungrateful, unthankful,** thankless, unappreciative, unmindful.

.5 unthanked, unacknowledged, unrecognized, uncredited, denied due *or* proper credit, unrequited, unrewarded, forgotten, neglected, unduly *or* unfairly neglected, ignored; ill-requited, ill-rewarded.

951. ILL HUMOR

.1 NOUNS **ill humor,** bad humor, **bad temper,** ill temper, **ill nature,** filthy *or* rotten

or evil humor; sourness, biliousness; choler, bile, gall, spleen; causticity, corrosiveness, asperity 939.8; **anger** 952.5; discontent 869.

.2 **irascibility, irritability,** excitability, **crossness,** crabbedness, **crankiness, testiness,** crustiness, huffiness, huffishness, **cantankerousness** [informal], churlishness, bearishness, snappishness, waspishness; **meanness** *or* **orneriness** *or* **bitchiness** *or* cussedness [all informal], disagreeability, ugliness [informal]; **perversity,** cross-grainedness, fractiousness.

.3 **hot temper, temper,** quick *or* short temper, irritable temper, warm temper, fiery temper, fierce temper, short fuse [slang], pepperiness, spunkiness [informal], **hotheadedness,** hot blood.

.4 **touchiness, tetchiness,** ticklishness, prickliness, quickness to take offense, **sensitiveness,** oversensitiveness, hypersensitiveness, sensitivity, oversensitivity, hypersensitivity, thin skin; temperamentalness.

.5 **petulance** *or* petulancy, **peevishness,** pettishness, **querulousness, fretfulness,** resentfulness; shrewishness, vixenishness.

.6 **grouchiness, crabbiness, grumpiness,** grumpishness, gruffness.

.7 **contentiousness, quarrelsomeness** 795.3; **disputatiousness, argumentativeness,** litigiousness; **belligerence** 797.15.

.8 **sullenness, sulkiness, surliness, moroseness, glumness,** grumness, grimness, mumpishness, dumpishness, *bouderie* [Fr]; **moodiness,** moodishness; mopishness, mopiness [informal]; dejection, melancholy 872.3–5.

.9 **scowl, frown,** lower, **glower, pout,** moue, mow, grimace, wry face; sullen looks, black looks, **long face.**

.10 **sulks,** sullens, **mopes,** mumps, dumps, grumps [informal], frumps [Brit dial], **blues,** blue devils, mulligrubs, dorts *or* dods [both Scot], **pouts.**

.11 (ill-humored person) **sorehead, grouch, crank, crosspatch,** feist [dial], **bear,** grizzly bear; fury, Tartar, dragon, ugly customer [slang]; **hothead,** hotspur; fire-eater.

.12 **bitch** [slang], **shrew, vixen,** virago, termagant, fury, witch, beldam, cat, tigress, she-wolf, she-devil, spitfire; fishwife; **scold,** common scold; battle-ax [slang].

.13 VERBS have a temper, have a short fuse [slang], have a devil in one, be possessed of the devil.

.14 **sulk, mope;** grump *or* **grouch** *or* **bitch** [all informal], **fret;** get oneself in a sulk.

.15 **look sullen,** look black, look black as thunder, gloom, pull *or* make a long face; **frown, scowl,** knit the brow, lower, **glower, pout,** make a moue *or* mow, grimace, make a wry face, make a lip, hang one's lip.

.16 **sour,** acerbate, exacerbate; **embitter,** bitter, envenom.

.17 ADJS **out of humor,** out of temper, out of sorts, **in a bad humor,** in a shocking humor, feeling evil [slang]; caustic, corrosive, acid 939.21; angry 952.26; discontented 869.5.

.18 **ill-humored, bad-tempered,** ill-tempered, evil-humored, evil-tempered, **ill-natured,** ill-affected, ill-disposed.

.19 **irascible, irritable,** excitable, **cross, cranky, testy,** feisty, crusty, huffy, huffish, shirty [Brit slang], **cantankerous** [informal], cankered, crabbed, spiteful, spleeny, splenetic, churlish, bearish, snappish, waspish; **mean** *or* **ornery** *or* cussed *or* **bitchy** [all informal], disagreeable, ugly [informal]; **perverse,** fractious, cross-grained.

.20 **touchy, tetchy,** miffy, ticklish, prickly, quick to take offense, **thin-skinned, sensitive,** oversensitive, hypersensitive, high-strung, temperamental.

.21 **peevish, petulant,** pettish, **querulous, fretful,** resentful; catty; shrewish, vixenish, vixenly; nagging, naggy.

.22 **grouchy, crabby, grumpy,** grumpish, gruff, grumbly, grumbling, growling.

.23 **sour,** soured, **sour-tempered,** vinegarish; **choleric, dyspeptic, bilious,** jaundiced; **bitter,** embittered.

.24 **sullen, sulky, surly, morose,** dour, mumpish, dumpish, **glum,** grum, grim; **moody,** moodish; **mopish,** mopey [informal], moping; **glowering,** lowering, **scowling, frowning;** dark, black; black-browed, beetle-browed; dejected, melancholy 872.22, 23.

.25 **hot-tempered, hotheaded, passionate,** hot, fiery, peppery, spunky [informal], **quick-tempered, short-tempered;** hasty, quick, "sudden and quick in quarrel" [Shakespeare], explosive, volcanic, combustible.

.26 **contentious, quarrelsome** 795.17; **disputatious,** controversial, litigious, polemic(al); **argumentative,** argumental; scrappy [slang], fighty [dial]; cat-and-doggish, cat-and-dog; **belligerent** 797.25.

.27 ADVS **ill-humoredly, ill-naturedly; irascibly, irritably, crossly, crankily, testily,** huffily, cantankerously [informal], crabbedly, sourly, churlishly, crustily, bear-

ishly, snappily; perversely, fractiously, cross-grainedly.

.28 **peevishly, petulantly,** pettishly, **querulously, fretfully.**

.29 **grouchily** [informal], **crabbily, grumpily,** grumblingly.

.30 **sullenly, sulkily, surlily, morosely,** mumpishly, glumly, grumly, grimly; moodily, mopingly; gloweringly, loweringly, scowlingly, frowningly.

952. RESENTMENT, ANGER

.1 NOUNS **resentment,** resentfulness; **displeasure,** disapproval, disapprobation, dissatisfaction, **discontent; vexation,** irritation, **annoyance,** aggravation [informal], exasperation.

.2 **offense, umbrage, pique;** glower, scowl, angry look, dirty look [slang], glare, frown.

.3 **bitterness, bitter resentment,** bitterness of spirit, heartburning; **rancor,** virulence, **acrimony,** acerbity, asperity; causticity 939.8; **choler,** gall, bile, spleen, acid, acidity, acidulousness; hard feelings, **animosity** 929.4; soreness, rankling, slow burn [informal]; gnashing of teeth.

.4 **indignation,** indignant displeasure, righteous indignation.

.5 **anger, wrath, ire,** *saeva indignatio* [L], mad [informal]; angriness, irateness, wrathfulness, soreness [informal], "a transient madness" [Horace]; infuriation, enragement; vials of wrath, grapes of wrath; **heat,** more heat than light [informal].

.6 **temper,** dander *or* Irish [both informal], monkey [Brit slang]; bad temper 951.1.

.7 **dudgeon,** high dudgeon; **huff,** pique, pet, tiff, miff *or* stew [both informal], fret, **fume,** ferment.

.8 **fit,** fit of anger, fit of temper, rage, wax [Brit slang], **tantrum,** temper tantrum; duck fit *or* cat fit *or* **conniption** *or* conniption fit [all informal], paroxysm, convulsion.

.9 **outburst,** outburst of anger, burst, **explosion,** eruption, blowup *or* **flare-up** [both informal], access, blaze of temper; **storm, scene,** high words.

.10 **rage, passion; fury,** furor; towering rage *or* passion, blind *or* burning rage, raging *or* tearing passion, furious rage; vehemence, violence; the Furies, the Eumenides, the Erinyes; Nemesis; Alecto, Tisiphone, Megaera.

.11 **provocation, affront, offense,** "head and front of one's offending" [Shakespeare]; *casus belli* [L], red rag, red rag to a bull, sore point, sore spot, tender spot, raw nerve, slap in the face.

.12 VERBS **resent,** be resentful, feel *or* harbor *or* nurse resentment, feel hurt, smart, feel sore *or* have one's nose out of joint [both informal].

.13 **take amiss,** take ill, **take in bad part,** take to heart, not take it as a joke, **mind; take offense, take umbrage,** get miffed *or* huffy [informal].

.14 (show resentment) redden, color, flush, mantle; **growl, snarl,** gnarl, **snap,** show one's teeth, spit; gnash *or* grind one's teeth; **glower,** lower, scowl, **glare, frown,** give a dirty look [slang], look daggers.

.15 (be angry) **burn, seethe, simmer,** sizzle, smoke, smolder; be pissed *or* pissed off *or* browned off [all slang], be livid, be beside oneself, **fume,** stew [informal], boil, fret, chafe; foam at the mouth; breathe fire and fury; **rage, storm, rave,** rant, bluster; take on *or* go on *or* carry on [all informal], rant and rave, kick up a row *or* dust *or* shindy [slang]; raise Cain *or* raise hell *or* raise the devil *or* raise the roof [all slang], tear up the earth; throw a fit, have a conniption *or* conniption fit *or* duck fit *or* cat fit [informal], go into a tantrum; stamp one's foot.

.16 **vent one's anger,** vent one's rancor *or* choler *or* spleen, pour out the vials of one's wrath; **snap at, bite** *or* **snap one's nose off, bite** *or* **take one's head off, jump down one's throat;** expend one's anger on, take it out on [informal].

.17 (become angry) **anger, lose one's temper,** forget oneself, let one's angry passions rise; **get mad** *or* **get sore** [both informal]; **get one's gorge up,** get one's blood up, **get one's dander** *or* **Irish up** [informal], get one's monkey up [Brit slang]; **bridle,** bridle up, **bristle,** bristle up, raise one's hackles, get one's back up; **see red** [informal]; **get hot under the collar** [slang], flip out [slang], work oneself into a lather *or* sweat *or* stew [informal], do a slow burn [informal], reach boiling point, boil over.

.18 **flare up, blaze up,** fire up, flame up, spunk up, ignite, kindle, take fire.

.19 **fly into a rage** *or* **passion** *or* **temper,** fly out, fly off at a tangent; **fly off the handle** *or* **hit the ceiling** *or* go into a tailspin *or* have a hemorrhage [all slang]; **explode, blow up** [informal]; blow one's top *or* stack [slang], blow a fuse *or* gasket [slang], flip one's lid *or* wig [slang].

.20 **offend, give offense, give umbrage,** affront, outrage; grieve, aggrieve; wound,

hurt, **sting,** hurt the feelings; step *or* tread on one's toes.

.21 **anger, make angry, make mad** *or* **sore** [informal], tick off [slang], raise one's gorge *or* choler, raise one's dander [informal], **put** *or* **get one's dander** *or* **Irish up** [informal], put *or* get one's monkey up [Brit slang], get one's mad up [informal]; make hot under the collar *or* burn one up [both slang]; piss one off [slang].

.22 **provoke, incense,** arouse, inflame, embitter; **vex, irritate, annoy, aggravate** [informal], **exasperate, nettle,** fret, chafe; **pique, peeve** *or* miff [both informal], huff; **ruffle, roil, rile** [informal], ruffle one's feathers, **rankle;** bristle, put *or* get one's back up, set up, put one's hair *or* fur *or* bristles up; stick in one's craw [informal]; **stir up, work up,** stir one's bile, stir the blood.

.23 **enrage, infuriate, madden,** drive one mad, frenzy, lash into fury, work up into a passion, **make one's blood boil.**

.24 ADJS **resentful,** resenting; **bitter,** embittered, rancorous, virulent, **acrimonious,** acerb, acerbic, acerbate; caustic 939.21; **choleric,** splenetic, acid, acidic, acidulous, acidulent; **sore** [informal], rankled, burning *or* stewing [both informal].

.25 **provoked, vexed, piqued; peeved** *or* miffed *or* huffy [all informal], **nettled, irritated, annoyed,** aggravated [informal], exasperated, put-out.

.26 **angry,** angered, **incensed, indignant, irate,** ireful; pissed *or* pissed-off *or* PO'd *or* teed off *or* TO'd *or* ticked off *or* browned-off [all slang], livid, livid with rage, beside oneself, **wroth, wrathful,** wrathy, **mad** *or* **sore** [both informal], **cross,** waxy [Brit slang]; wrought-up, worked up, riled up [informal].

.27 **hot** [slang], het up [dial], **hot under the collar** [slang]; **burning, seething,** simmering, smoldering, sizzling, boiling; flushed with anger.

.28 **in a temper, in a huff, in a pet,** in a stew [informal], in a wax [Brit slang], **in high dudgeon.**

.29 **infuriated,** infuriate, in a rage *or* passion *or* fury; **furious,** fierce, wild, savage; raving mad [informal], **rabid,** foaming *or* frothing at the mouth; **fuming,** in a fume; **enraged, raging, raving, ranting, storming;** mad as a hornet, mad as a wet hen; fighting mad *or* roaring mad *or* good and mad *or* hopping mad [all informal], fit to be tied [slang].

.30 ADVS **angrily, indignantly, irately,** wrathfully, infuriatedly, infuriately, furiously, heatedly; **in anger,** in hot blood, in the heat of passion.

953. JEALOUSY

.1 NOUNS **jealousy,** *jalousie* [Fr], jealousness, heartburning, heartburn, **jaundice,** jaundiced eye, green in the eye [informal], "the jaundice of the soul" [Dryden]; "green-eyed jealousy", "green-eyed monster", "a monster begot upon itself, born on itself" [all Shakespeare], Othello's flaw, horn-madness; **envy** 954.

.2 **suspiciousness,** suspicion, doubt, misdoubt, mistrust, distrust, distrustfulness.

.3 VERBS suffer pangs of jealousy, have green in the eye [informal], be possessive *or* overpossessive, view with a jaundiced eye; **suspect,** distrust, mistrust, doubt, misdoubt.

.4 ADJS **jealous, jaundiced,** jaundice-eyed, yellow-eyed, green-eyed, yellow, green, green with jealousy; horn-mad; invidious, **envious** 954.4; **suspicious,** distrustful.

954. ENVY

.1 NOUNS **envy,** enviousness, **covetousness;** invidia, deadly sin of envy, invidiousness; grudging, grudgingness; **jealousy** 953; rivalry.

.2 "the tax which all distinction must pay" [Emerson], "emulation adapted to the meanest capacity" [Ambrose Bierce], "a kind of praise" [John Gay].

.3 VERBS **envy,** be envious *or* covetous of, **covet,** cast envious eyes, desire for oneself; **grudge, begrudge.**

.4 ADJS **envious,** envying, invidious, green with envy; **jealous** 953.4; **covetous,** desirous of; **grudging, begrudging.**

955. RETALIATION

.1 NOUNS **retaliation, reciprocation,** exchange, interchange, give-and-take; **retort, reply,** return, comeback [informal]; counter, counterblow, counterstroke, counterblast, recoil, boomerang.

.2 **reprisal, requital, retribution; recompense, compensation** 33, **reward,** comeuppance [informal], desert, deserts, just deserts, what is merited, what is due *or* condign, what one has coming [informal]; quittance, return of evil for evil; **revenge** 956; **punishment** 1010.

.3 **tit for tat, measure for measure,** like for like, quid pro quo, something in return, blow for blow, a Roland for an Oliver, a game two can play, an eye for an eye, a

tooth for a tooth, "eye for eye, tooth for tooth, hand for hand, foot for foot" [Bible], law of retaliation *or* equivalent retaliation, *lex talionis* [L], talion.

.4 VERBS **retaliate, retort,** counter, **strike back,** hit back at [informal], give in return; **reciprocate,** give in exchange, give and take; **get back at** [slang], come back at [informal], turn the tables upon.

.5 **requite,** quit, make requital *or* reprisal *or* retribution, get satisfaction, recompense, compensate, make restitution, indemnify, reward, redress, make amends, **repay,** pay, **pay back,** pay off; **give one his comeuppance** [informal], give one his deserts, serve one right, give one what is coming to him [informal].

.6 **give in kind,** cap, match, give as good as was sent; repay in kind, **pay one in his own coin** *or* **currency, give one a dose of his own medicine** [informal]; return the like, return the compliment; return like for like, **return evil for evil;** return blow for blow, **give one tit for tat,** give a quid pro quo, give as good as one gets, give measure for measure, give *or* get an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth, follow *or* observe the *lex talionis.*

.7 **get even with** [informal], even the score, **settle with, settle** *or* **square accounts** [informal], settle the score [informal], fix [informal], pay off old scores, pay back in full measure, be *or* make quits; **take revenge** 956.4; **punish** 1010.10–12.

.8 ADJS **retaliatory,** retaliative; **retributive,** retributory; reparative, compensatory, restitutive, recompensing, recompensive, reciprocal; punitive 1010.25.

.9 ADVS **in retaliation, in exchange,** in reciprocation; **in return,** in reply; **in requital, in reprisal,** in retribution, in reparation, in amends; **in revenge,** *en revanche* [Fr].

956. REVENGE

.1 NOUNS **revenge, vengeance, avengement,** sweet revenge, getting even, evening of the score; revanche, revanchism; **retaliation, reprisal** 955.2; vendetta, feud, blood feud.

.2 **revengefulness, vengefulness, vindictiveness,** rancor, grudgefulness, irreconcilableness, unappeasableness, implacableness, implacability.

.3 **avenger, vindicator;** revanchist; Nemesis, the Furies, the Erinyes, the Eumenides.

.4 VERBS **revenge, avenge, take revenge,** have one's revenge, wreak one's vengeance; **retaliate, even the score, get even with** 955.4–7; launch a vendetta.

.5 **harbor revenge,** breathe vengeance; have accounts to settle, have a crow to pick *or* pluck *or* pull with; nurse one's revenge, brood over, dwell on *or* upon, keep the wound open.

.6 ADJS **revengeful, vengeful,** avenging; **vindictive,** vindicatory; revanchist; **punitive,** punitory; rancorous, grudgeful, irreconcilable, unappeasable, implacable, unwilling to forgive and forget, unwilling to let bygones be bygones; **retaliatory** 955.8.

957. ETHICS

.1 NOUNS **ethics, principles,** standards, **morals,** moral principles; code, ethical *or* moral code, **ethic,** code of morals *or* ethics, ethical system, value system, axiology; **norm,** behavioral norm, normative system; moral climate, ethos, *Zeitgeist* [Ger]; Ten Commandments, decalogue; new morality; social ethics, professional ethics, medical ethics, legal ethics, business ethics, etc.

.2 ethical *or* moral philosophy, ethology, ethonomics, aretaics, eudaemonics, casuistry, deontology, empiricism, evolutionism, hedonism, ethical formalism, intuitionism, perfectionism, Stoicism, utilitarianism, categorical imperative, golden rule; egoistic ethics, altruistic ethics, Christian ethics, situation ethics; comparative ethics.

.3 **morality, morals,** morale; virtue 980; ethicality, ethicalness.

.4 **amorality,** unmorality; amoralism.

.5 **conscience,** grace, **sense of right and wrong;** inward monitor, inner arbiter, moral censor, censor, ethical self, superego; **voice of conscience,** still small voice within; tender conscience; social conscience; conscientiousness 974.2; twinge of conscience 873.2.

.6 ADJS **ethical, moral,** moralistic; ethological; axiological.

.7 **amoral,** unmoral, nonmoral.

958. RIGHT

.1 NOUNS **right,** rightfulness, rightness; what is right *or* proper, what should be, what ought to be, the seemly, the thing, the proper thing, the right *or* proper thing to do, what is done.

.2 **propriety, decorum, decency;** correctness, correctitude, rightness, properness, decorousness, goodness, niceness, seemliness; fitness, fittingness, appropriateness, suit-

ability 670.1; normativeness, normality; proprieties, decencies; righteousness 980.1.

.3 (a right or privilege) **right, due,** droit; **prerogative,** power, authority; faculty, appurtenance; **claim,** proper claim, demand, **interest, title,** pretension, pretense, prescription; birthright; natural right, presumptive right, inalienable right; divine right; vested right *or* interest; property right; conjugal right.

.4 **privilege, license, liberty, freedom, immunity;** franchise, patent, copyright, grant, warrant, blank check, carte blanche; favor, indulgence, **special favor,** dispensation.

.5 **human rights,** rights of man; constitutional rights, **civil rights** 762.2.

.6 **women's rights,** rights of women; **feminism, women's liberation,** women's lib [informal], women's liberation movement, sisterhood.

.7 **women's rightist, feminist, women's liberationist,** women's liberation advocate *or* adherent *or* activist, women's libber, libber [both informal]; **suffragette,** suffragist.

.8 ADJS **right,** rightful; fit, suitable 670.5; **proper, correct, decorous,** good, nice, decent, seemly, **due, appropriate,** fitting, condign, **right and proper,** as it should be, as it ought to be; kosher, according to Hoyle [both informal]; in the right; normative, normal; righteous 980.7–9; orth(o)–.

.9 ADVS **rightly, rightfully,** right; **by rights,** by right, with good right, **as is right** *or* **only right; properly,** correctly, as is proper *or* fitting, **duly, appropriately,** fittingly, condignly, **in justice,** in equity; in reason, in all conscience.

959. WRONG

.1 NOUNS **wrong,** wrongfulness, wrongness; **impropriety, indecorum;** incorrectness, improperness, indecorousness, unseemliness; unfitness, unfittingness, inappropriateness, unsuitability 671.1; infraction, violation, delinquency, criminality, illegality, unlawfulness; abnormality, deviance *or* deviancy, aberrance *or* aberrancy; sinfulness, wickedness, unrighteousness 981.3–5.

.2 **abomination,** terrible thing; **scandal, disgrace, shame, pity,** atrocity, profanation, desecration, violation, sacrilege, infamy, ignominy.

.3 ADJS **wrong, wrongful; improper, incorrect, indecorous,** undue, unseemly; unfit, unfitting, inappropriate, unsuitable 671.5; delinquent, criminal, illegal, unlawful; abnormal, deviant, aberrant; evil, sinful, wicked, unrighteous 981.16; not the thing, hardly the thing, not done; **off-base** *or* **out-of-line** *or* **off-color** [all informal]; abominable, terrible, scandalous, disgraceful, shameful, shameless, atrocious, sacrilegious, infamous, ignominious; mis–.

.4 ADVS **wrongly, wrongfully,** wrong; **improperly,** incorrectly, indecorously.

960. DUENESS

.1 NOUNS **dueness, entitlement,** entitledness, deservingness, deservedness, meritedness, expectation, just *or* justifiable expectation; **justice** 976.

.2 **due,** one's due, what one merits, what one has earned, what is owing, what one has coming, what is coming to one, acknowledgment, cognizance, credit, crediting, recognition; **right** 958.3.

.3 **deserts,** just deserts, deservings, merits, dues, due reward *or* punishment, **comeuppance** [informal], all that is coming to one.

.4 VERBS **be due,** be one's due, **be entitled to,** have a right or title to, have a rightful claim to *or* upon, claim as one's right, **have coming.**

.5 **deserve, merit,** earn, rate *or* be in line for [both informal], **be worthy of,** be deserving, richly deserve.

.6 **get one's deserts,** get one's dues, **get one's comeuppance** [informal], get his *or* get hers [both slang], get what is coming to one; get justice; serve one right, be rightly served; get for one's pains, reap the fruits *or* benefit of, reap where one has sown.

.7 ADJS **due, owed, owing,** payable, redeemable, coming, **coming to.**

.8 **rightful,** condign, appropriate, proper 958.8; fit, becoming 670.5; **fair, just** 976.8–10.

.9 **warranted, justified, entitled,** qualified, worthy; **deserved, merited,** richly deserved, earned, well-earned.

.10 **due, entitled to,** with a right to; **deserving, meriting, meritorious, worthy of;** attributable, ascribable.

.11 ADVS **duly,** rightfully, condignly, as is one's due *or* right.

961. UNDUENESS

.1 NOUNS **undueness, undeservedness,** undeservingness, unentitledness, unentitle-

ment, unmeritedness; disentitlement; lack of claim *or* title, false claim *or* title, invalid claim *or* title, no claim *or* title, empty claim *or* title; **inappropriateness** 671.1; **impropriety** 959.1; **excess** 663.

.2 **presumption,** assumption, **imposition; license,** licentiousness, **undue liberty,** liberties, familiarity, **presumptuousness,** freedom *or* liberty abused, hubris; lawlessness 740.

.3 (taking to oneself unduly) **usurpation, arrogation,** seizure, **appropriation,** assumption, adoption, infringement, encroachment, invasion, trespass, trespassing; playing God.

.4 **usurper,** arrogator, pretender.

.5 VERBS **not be entitled to,** have no right *or* title to, have no claim upon, not have a leg to stand on.

.6 **presume, assume, venture, hazard, dare,** pretend, attempt, **make bold,** make free, **take the liberty,** take upon oneself.

.7 **presume on** *or* **upon, impose on** *or* **upon,** encroach upon, obtrude upon; **take liberties,** take a liberty, overstep, overstep one's rights *or* bounds *or* prerogatives, make free with *or* of, abuse one's rights, abuse a privilege, give an inch and take an ell; **inconvenience,** bother, trouble, cause to go out of one's way.

.8 (take to oneself unduly) **usurp, arrogate,** seize, **appropriate,** assume, adopt, take over, arrogate *or* accroach to oneself, pretend to, infringe, encroach, invade, trespass; play God.

.9 ADJS **undue, unowed, unowing,** not coming, not outstanding; **undeserved, unmerited,** unearned; **unwarranted, unjustified;** unentitled, undeserving, unmeriting, nonmeritorious, unworthy; preposterous, outrageous.

.10 **inappropriate** 671.5; **improper** 959.3; **excessive** 663.16–21.

.11 **presumptuous, presuming,** licentious; hubristic.

962. DUTY

(moral obligation)

.1 NOUNS **duty, obligation,** charge, onus, burden, mission, devoir, must, ought, imperative, bounden duty, proper *or* assigned task, what ought to be done, what one is responsible for, "stern daughter of the voice of God" [Wordsworth], deference, respect 964, fealty, allegiance, loyalty, homage, devotion, dedication, commitment, self-imposed duty; **business,** place 656.3; ethics 957; line of duty; call of duty; duties and responsibilities.

.2 **responsibility,** incumbency; **liability,** accountability, accountableness, answerability, answerableness, amenability; **responsibleness, dutifulness,** duteousness, devotion *or* dedication to duty, sense of duty *or* obligation.

.3 VERBS **should, ought to,** had best, had better, be expedient.

.4 **behoove, become,** befit, beseem, be bound, be obliged *or* obligated, be under an obligation; **owe it to,** owe it to oneself.

.5 **be the duty of, be incumbent on** *or* **upon,** stand on *or* upon, be a must *or* an imperative for, duty calls one to.

.6 **be responsible for,** stand responsible for, **be liable for,** be answerable *or* accountable for, have to answer for.

.7 **be one's responsibility,** be one's office, be one's charge *or* mission, **rest with,** lie upon, devolve on, rest on the shoulders of, lie on one's head, lie at one's door, fall to one, fall to one's lot.

.8 **incur a responsibility,** become bound to, become sponsor for.

.9 **take** *or* **accept the responsibility, take upon oneself,** take upon one's shoulders, commit oneself, **answer for,** respect *or* defer to one's duty; sponsor, be *or* stand sponsor for; do at one's own risk *or* peril; **take the blame,** take the rap for [slang].

.10 **do one's duty,** perform *or* fulfill *or* discharge one's duty, do what one has to do, pay one's dues [informal], **do what is expected,** do the needful, do justice to, **do** *or* **act one's part,** play one's proper role; answer the call of duty, do one's bit.

.11 **meet an obligation,** satisfy one's obligations, stand to one's engagement, stand up to, **acquit oneself, make good,** redeem one's pledge.

.12 **obligate, oblige, require,** make incumbent *or* imperative, tie, **bind,** pledge, commit, saddle with, put under an obligation.

.13 ADJS **dutiful, duteous;** moral, ethical; conscientious, scrupulous, observant; obedient 766.3; deferential, respectful 964.8.

.14 **incumbent on** *or* **upon,** chargeable to, behooving.

.15 **obligatory, binding, imperative,** imperious, peremptory, mandatory, must, *de rigueur* [Fr]; **necessary,** required 639.12,13.

.16 **obliged, obligated,** obligate, **under obligation; bound, duty-bound,** in duty bound, tied, pledged, committed, saddled, be-

holden, bounden; **obliged to,** beholden to, bound *or* bounden to, **indebted to.**

.17 **responsible, answerable; liable, accountable,** amenable, unexempt from, chargeable; responsible for, at the bottom of; to blame.

.18 ADVS **dutifully, duteously, in the line of duty,** as in duty bound; beyond the call of duty.

963. IMPOSITION

(a putting or inflicting upon)

.1 NOUNS **imposition, infliction,** laying on, charging, taxing, tasking; burdening, weighting, freighting, loading, loading down, imposing an onus; **exaction, demand** 753; unwarranted demand, obtrusiveness, presumptuousness 913.1; inconvenience, trouble, bother; inconsiderateness 939.3.

.2 administration, giving, bestowal; applying, application, dosing, dosage, meting out, prescribing; forcing, forcing on, enforcing.

.3 **charge, duty, tax,** task; **burden,** weight, freight, cargo, load, onus.

.4 VERBS **impose, impose on** *or* **upon, inflict on** *or* **upon, put on** *or* **upon, lay on** *or* **upon,** enjoin; **put, place, set, lay,** put down; **levy, exact, demand** 753.4; **tax,** task, **charge,** burden with, weight *or* freight with, weight down with, yoke with, **fasten upon,** saddle with; subject to.

.5 **inflict, wreak, do to,** bring, bring upon, bring down upon, visit upon.

.6 **administer, give, bestow; apply, put on** *or* **upon,** lay on *or* upon, dose, dose with, mete out to, prescribe for; **force, force upon,** enforce upon.

.7 **impose on** *or* **upon, take advantage of** 665.16; **presume upon** 961.7; **deceive** 618.13, play *or* work on, put on *or* upon, put over *or* across [slang]; palm *or* pass off on, fob *or* foist on; shift the blame *or* responsibility, **pass the buck** [informal].

964. RESPECT

.1 NOUNS **respect, regard,** consideration, appreciation, favor, approbation, approval; **esteem,** estimation, prestige; **reverence, veneration,** awe; **deference,** deferential *or* reverential regard; **honor, homage,** duty; great respect, high regard, admiration, adoration, breathless adoration, exaggerated respect, worship, hero worship, **idolization** 1033.8; idolatry, deification, apotheosis; courtesy 936.

.2 **obeisance,** reverence, homage; **bow, nod, bob,** bend, inclination, inclination of the head, **curtsy, salaam, kowtow,** scrape, bowing and scraping, making a leg; **genuflection,** kneeling, bending the knee; prostration; salute, salutation, presenting arms, dipping the colors *or* ensign, standing at attention; **submissiveness, submission** 765; **obsequiousness, servility** 907.

.3 **respects, regards,** *égards* [Fr], duties, *devoirs* [Fr], attentions.

.4 VERBS **respect,** entertain respect for, accord respect to, **regard, esteem,** hold in esteem *or* consideration, favor, **admire,** think much of, think well of, think highly of, have *or* hold a high opinion of; **appreciate, value,** prize; **revere, reverence,** hold in reverence, **venerate, honor, look up to, defer to,** exalt, put on a pedestal, **worship,** hero-worship, deify, apotheosize, **idolize, adore,** worship the ground one walks on, stand in awe of.

.5 **do** *or* **pay homage to,** show *or* demonstrate respect for, pay respect to, pay tribute to, **do** *or* **render honor to; doff one's cap to, take off one's hat to;** salute, present arms, dip the colors *or* ensign, stand at *or* to attention.

.6 **bow, make obeisance, salaam, kowtow,** make one's bow, bow down, **nod,** incline *or* bend *or* bow the head, bend the neck, **bob,** bob down, **curtsy,** bob a curtsy, bend, make a leg, scrape, **bow and scrape; genuflect, kneel,** bend the knee, get down on one's knees, throw oneself on one's knees, fall on one's knees, fall down before, fall at the feet of, prostrate oneself, kiss the hem of one's garment.

.7 **command respect,** inspire respect, stand high, have prestige, rank high, be widely reputed; awe 920.6.

.8 ADJS **respectful, regardful,** attentive; **deferential,** conscious of one's place, dutiful, honorific, ceremonious, cap in hand; **courteous** 936.14.

.9 **reverent,** reverential; admiring, **adoring, worshiping,** worshipful, hero-worshiping, **idolizing,** idolatrous, deifying, apotheosizing; **venerative,** venerational; awestruck, awestricken, awed, in awe; solemn 871.3.

.10 **obeisant,** prostrate, on one's knees, on bended knee; **submissive** 765.12–16; **obsequious** 907.13.

.11 **respected, esteemed, revered,** reverenced, adored, worshiped, **venerated, honored,**

well-thought-of, admired, much-admired, appreciated, valued, prized, in high esteem *or* estimation, highly considered, well-considered, held in respect *or* regard *or* favor *or* consideration, prestigious.

.12 **venerable, reverend, estimable, honorable,** worshipful, august, awe-inspiring, awesome, awful, dreadful; time-honored.

.13 ADVS, PREPS **in deference to,** with due respect, with all respect, **with all due respect to** *or* **for,** saving, excusing the liberty, saving your reverence, sir-reverence.

965. DISRESPECT

.1 NOUNS **disrespect, disrespectfulness,** lack of respect, **disesteem,** dishonor, **irreverence; ridicule** 967; **disparagement** 971; **discourtesy** 937; **impudence,** insolence 913.

.2 **indignity, affront, offense, injury,** humiliation; scurrility, contempt 966, contumely, despite, flout, flouting, mockery, jeering, jeer, mock, scoff, gibe, taunt, brickbat [informal]; **insult, aspersion,** uncomplimentary remark, left-handed *or* backhanded compliment, slap in the face, damning with faint praise; cut, "most unkindest cut of all" [Shakespeare]; dump *or* **put-down** [both slang]; **outrage, atrocity,** enormity.

.3 VERBS **disrespect,** not respect, disesteem, hold a low opinion of, rate *or* rank low, hold in low esteem, not care much for; **show disrespect for,** show a lack of respect for, **be disrespectful,** treat with disrespect, be overfamiliar with; trifle with, make bold *or* free with, take a liberty, take liberties with, play fast and loose with; **ridicule** 967.8–11; **disparage** 971.8–12.

.4 **offend, affront,** give offense to, disoblige, outrage; dishonor, humiliate, treat with indignity; flout, mock, jeer at, scoff at, fleer at, gibe at, taunt; **insult,** call names, hurl a brickbat [informal], slap in the face, damn with faint praise, take *or* pluck by the beard; dump on *or* put down [both slang]; **add insult to injury.**

.5 ADJS **disrespectful, irreverent,** aweless; **discourteous** 937.4; **insolent, impudent** 913.8,9; ridiculing, **derisive** 967.12–14; **disparaging** 971.13.

.6 **insulting, insolent, abusive,** offensive, humiliating, degrading, contumelious, calumnious; scurrilous, scurrile; backhand, backhanded, left-handed; outrageous, atrocious, unspeakable.

.7 **unrespected, unregarded, unrevered,** unvenerated, unhonored, unenvied.

966. CONTEMPT

.1 NOUNS **contempt, disdain, scorn,** contemptuousness, disdainfulness, superciliousness, snootiness, snottiness, sniffiness, toploftiness, scornfulness, despite, contumely, sovereign contempt; snobbishness; clannishness, cliquishness, exclusiveness; hauteur, airs, arrogance 912; **ridicule** 967; **insult** 965.2; **disparagement** 971.

.2 **snub, rebuff,** repulse; **slight,** humiliation, spurning, spurn, disregard, the go-by [slang]; cut, cut direct, **the cold shoulder** [informal]; sneer, snort, sniff.

.3 VERBS **disdain, scorn, despise,** contemn, disprize, misprize, rate *or* rank low, be contemptuous of, feel contempt for, **hold in contempt,** hold cheap, look down upon, feel superior to, be above, hold beneath one *or* beneath contempt, look with scorn upon, view with a scornful eye; **put down** *or* dump on [both slang]; deride, **ridicule** 967.8–11; **insult** 965.4; **disparage** 971.8–12; thumb one's nose at, sniff at, sneeze at, snap one's fingers at, sneer at, snort at, curl one's lip at, shrug one's shoulders at; care nothing for, couldn't care less about, think nothing of, set at naught.

.4 **spurn,** scout, **turn up one's nose at,** scorn to receive *or* accept, not want any part of; spit upon.

.5 **snub, rebuff,** repulse; **high-hat** *or* upstage [both slang]; **look down one's nose at,** look cool *or* coldly upon; cold-shoulder *or* turn a cold shoulder upon *or* **give the cold shoulder** *or* give *or* turn the shoulder [informal]; turn one's back upon, turn away from, turn on one's heel, set one's face against, slam the door in one's face, show one his place, put one in his place; not be at home to, not receive.

.6 **slight, ignore,** pooh-pooh [informal], make little of, dismiss, pretend not to see, disregard, overlook, neglect, pass by, pass up *or* give the go-by [both slang], leave out in the cold [informal], take no note *or* notice of, look right through [informal], pay no attention *or* regard to, refuse to acknowledge *or* recognize; cut *or* cut dead [both informal].

.7 **avoid** 631.6, shun, dodge, steer clear of *or* have no truck with [both informal]; **keep one's distance,** keep at a respectful distance, **keep** *or* **stand** *or* **hold aloof;** keep at a distance, keep at arm's length; **be stuck-up** [informal], act holier than thou, give oneself airs.

.8 ADJS **contemptuous, disdainful,** supercilious, snooty, snotty, sniffy, toplofty, toploftical, **scornful,** sneering, withering, contumelious; snobbish, snobby; clannish, cliquish, exclusive; haughty, arrogant 912.9.

.9 ADVS **contemptuously, scornfully, disdainfully;** in *or* with contempt, in disdain, in scorn; sneeringly, with a sneer, with curling lip.

.10 INTERJS **bah!,** pah!, phooey!, boo!, phoo!, pish!, ecch!, yeech!, eeyuck! *or* eeyuch!, yeeuck!, *feh!* [Yid].

967. RIDICULE

.1 NOUNS **ridicule, derision, mockery, raillery,** rallying, chaffing; panning *or* razzing *or* roasting *or* ragging [all slang], **scoffing, jeering, sneering,** snickering, sniggering, smirking, grinning, leering, fleering, snorting, levity, flippancy, smartness, smart-aleckiness *or* joshing [both informal], fooling, twitting, taunting, booing, hooting, catcalling, hissing; **banter** 882.

.2 **gibe, scoff, jeer,** fleer, flout, mock, barracking [Brit], **taunt, twit,** quip, jest, jape, put-on *or* leg-pull [both informal], foolery; scurrility, caustic remark; **cut,** cutting remark, verbal thrust; dump *or* put-down *or* rank-out *or* dirty dig [all slang], crack [slang], **slap, slam** *or* **swipe** [both informal], jab [slang], **dig** [informal], gibing retort, rude reproach, short answer, back answer, comeback [slang], parting shot, Parthian shot.

.3 **boo,** booing, **hoot, catcall; Bronx cheer** *or* **raspberry** *or* razz [all slang]; **hiss, hissing,** the bird [slang].

.4 scornful laugh *or* smile, snicker, snigger, **smirk,** sardonic grin, leer, fleer, **sneer,** snort.

.5 **sarcasm, irony, cynicism, satire,** satiric wit *or* humor, invective, innuendo; causticity 939.8.

.6 **burlesque, lampoon,** squib, **parody, satire, farce,** mockery, imitation, wicked imitation *or* pastiche, takeoff [informal], **travesty, caricature.**

.7 **laughingstock,** jestingstock, gazingstock, derision, mockery, **figure of fun,** byword, byword of reproach, jest, joke, **butt,** target, stock, **goat** [informal], toy, game, **fair game,** victim, dupe, fool, everybody's fool, monkey, mug [Brit slang].

.8 VERBS **ridicule, deride,** ride [informal], make a laughingstock *or* mockery of; **pan** *or* **razz** *or* roast *or* rag [all slang]; **make fun** *or* **game of, poke fun at,** make merry with, put one on *or* pull one's leg [both informal]; **laugh at,** laugh in one's face, grin at, smile at, snicker *or* snigger at; **laugh to scorn,** hold in derision, laugh out of court; point at, point the finger of scorn; pillory.

.9 **scoff, jeer,** gibe, barrack [Brit], **mock, revile, rail at, rally,** chaff, **twit, taunt,** jape, flout, scout, have a fling at, cast in one's teeth; cut at; dump on *or* put down *or* rank out [all slang], slap at, slam *or* swipe [both informal], jab, jab at, dig at; pooh, **pooh-pooh;** sneer, **sneer at,** fleer, curl one's lip.

.10 **boo, hiss, hoot,** catcall, give the raspberry *or* Bronx cheer [slang], give the bird [slang], whistle at.

.11 **burlesque, lampoon, satirize, parody, caricature,** travesty, hit *or* take off on.

.12 ADJS **ridiculing, derisive,** derisory; **mocking,** railing, rallying, chaffing; panning *or* razzing *or* roasting *or* ragging [all slang], **scoffing,** jeering, sneering, snickering, sniggering, smirking, grinning, leering, fleering, snorting, flippant, smart, smart-alecky [informal], smart-ass [slang], joshing [informal], fooling, twitting, taunting, booing, hooting, catcalling, hissing, bantering, kidding, teasing, quizzical.

.13 **sarcastic, ironic(al), sardonic, cynical, satiric(al),** Rabelaisian, dry; caustic 939.21.

.14 **burlesque, satiric(al), farcical,** parodic, caricatural, macaronic, doggerel.

.15 ADVS **derisively, mockingly, scoffingly,** jeeringly, sneeringly, "with scoffs and scorns and contumelious taunts" [Shakespeare].

968. APPROVAL

.1 NOUNS **approval, approbation; sanction,** acceptance, countenance, **favor; admiration, esteem, respect** 964; endorsement, vote, favorable vote, yea vote, yea, voice, adherence, blessing, seal of approval, nod, stamp of approval, OK 521.4.

.2 **applause,** plaudit, éclat, **acclaim, acclamation; popularity;** clap, handclap, **clapping,** handclapping, clapping of hands; **cheer** 876.2; burst of applause, peal *or* thunder of applause; round of applause, hand, big hand; ovation, standing ovation; encore.

.3 **commendation,** good word, acknowledgment, recognition, appreciation; boost *or* buildup [both slang]; **puff,** promotion; **blurb** *or* **plug** *or* promo *or* hype [all slang]; honorable mention.

.4 **recommendation,** recommend [Brit infor-

mal]; **advocacy,** advocating, advocation, patronage; **reference, credential,** voucher, **testimonial;** character reference, character, certificate of character; letter of introduction.

.5 **praise,** bepraisement; **laudation,** laud; **glorification,** glory, exaltation, magnification, **honor; eulogy,** *eloge, hommage* [both Fr], eulogium; **encomium,** accolade, kudos, panegyric; paean; **tribute,** homage, meed of praise; congratulation 948.1; flattery 970; overpraise, excessive praise, idolizing, idolatry, deification, apotheosis, adulation, lionizing, hero worship.

.6 **compliment,** polite commendation, complimentary *or* flattering remark; **bouquet** *or* posy [both informal], trade-last *or* TL [both informal].

.7 **praiseworthiness, laudability,** laudableness, commendableness, estimableness, meritoriousness, exemplariness, admirability.

.8 **commender,** eulogist, eulogizer; **praiser,** lauder, extoller, encomiast, panegyrist, **booster** [informal], puffer, promoter; plugger *or* tout *or* touter [all slang]; **applauder,** claqueur; claque; rooter *or* fan *or* buff [all informal], adherent; appreciator.

.9 VERBS **approve, approve of,** think well of; **sanction, accept; admire, esteem, respect** 964.4; endorse, bless, OK 521.12; **countenance,** keep in countenance; hold with, uphold; **favor,** be in favor of, view with favor, take kindly to.

.10 **applaud, acclaim, hail; clap,** clap the hands, give a hand *or* big hand, hear it for [slang]; **cheer** 876.6; root for [informal], cheer on; encore; cheer *or* applaud to the very echo.

.11 **commend, speak well** *or* **highly of,** speak in high terms of, speak warmly of, have *or* say a good word for; boost *or* give a boost to [both informal], puff, promote, cry up; plug *or* tout *or* hype [all slang]; **recommend, advocate,** put in a word *or* good word for, support, back, lend one's name *or* support *or* backing to.

.12 **praise,** bepraise; **laud,** belaud; **eulogize,** panegyrize, pay tribute, salute; **extol, glorify,** magnify, exalt, bless; cry up, blow up, puff, puff up; boast of, brag about [informal], make much of; celebrate, emblazon, sound *or* resound the praises of, ring one's praises, sing the praise of, trumpet; praise to the skies, *porter aux nues* [Fr]; flatter 970.5; overpraise, praise to excess, idolize, deify, apotheosize, adulate, lionize, hero-worship.

.13 **espouse,** take up, take for one's own; **campaign for, crusade for,** put on a drive for; carry the banner of, march under the banner of; beat the drum for, thump the tub for; lavish oneself on, fight the good fight for; devote *or* dedicate oneself to, spend *or* give *or* sacrifice oneself for.

.14 **compliment, pay a compliment,** make one a compliment, give a bouquet *or* posy [informal], say something nice about; hand it to *or* have to hand it to [both slang], pat on the back, take off one's hat to, doff one's cap to, congratulate 948.2.

.15 **meet with approval,** find favor with, pass muster, recommend itself, do credit to; redound to the honor of; ring with the praises of.

.16 ADJS **approbatory, commendatory, complimentary, laudatory,** acclamatory, eulogistic, panegyric, encomiastic, **appreciative; admiring, regardful, respectful** 964.8; flattering 970.8.

.17 **approving, favorable,** favoring, in favor of, **pro,** well-disposed, well-inclined, supporting, backing, **advocating.**

.18 **uncritical,** uncriticizing, **uncensorious,** unreproachful; overpraising, overappreciative, unmeasured *or* excessive in one's praise, idolatrous, adulatory, lionizing, hero-worshiping, fulsome.

.19 **approved,** favored, backed, advocated, supported; favorite; **accepted,** received, admitted; recommended, highly touted [informal], **admired** 964.11, **applauded,** well-thought-of, in good odor, **acclaimed,** cried up; **popular.**

.20 **praiseworthy,** worthy, **commendable,** estimable, **laudable,** admirable, meritorious, creditable; exemplary, model, unexceptionable; deserving, well-deserving; beyond all praise, *sans peur et sans reproche* [Fr].

.21 PREPS **in favor of, for, pro,** all for.

.22 INTERJS **bravo!,** bravissimo!, **well done!,** *¡ole!* [Sp], *bene!* [Ital], hear, hear!, aha!; hurrah!; **good!,** fine!, excellent!, great!, beautiful!, swell!, good for you!, good enough!, not bad!, now you're talking!; attaboy!, attababy!, attagirl!, attagal!, good boy!, good girl!; that's the idea!, that's the ticket!; encore!, *bis!* [Fr], take a bow!, one cheer more!

.23 **hail!,** all hail!, *ave!* [L], *vive!* [Fr], *viva!, evviva!* [both Ital], long life to!, glory be to!, honor be to!

969. DISAPPROVAL

.1 NOUNS **disapproval, disapprobation,** disfavor, disesteem, disrespect 965; dim view, poor *or* low opinion, low estimation; **displeasure,** distaste, **dissatisfaction,** discontent, discontentment, discontentedness, disgruntlement, indignation, **unhappiness;** disillusion, disillusionment, disenchantment, disappointment; disagreement, **opposition** 790, opposure; rejection, thumbs-down, exclusion, ostracism, blackballing, blackball, ban; **complaint, protest,** objection, **dissent** 522.

.2 **deprecation,** discommendation, dispraise, denigration, disvaluation; **ridicule** 967; depreciation, disparagement 971; **contempt** 966.

.3 **censure, reprehension,** stricture, reprobation, **blame, denunciation,** denouncement, decrial, impeachment, arraignment, indictment, **condemnation,** damnation, fulmination, anathema; castigation, flaying, skinning alive [informal], fustigation, excoriation; pillorying.

.4 **criticism,** adverse criticism, hostile criticism, flak [informal], bad notices, bad press, animadversion, imputation, reflection, **aspersion,** stricture, obloquy; **knock** *or* **swipe** *or* **slam** *or* **rap** *or* hit [all informal], home thrust; minor *or* petty criticism, niggle, cavil, quibble, exception, nit [informal]; **censoriousness,** reproachfulness, priggishness; **faultfinding,** taking exception, carping, caviling, pettifogging, quibbling, captiousness, niggling, nit-picking, pestering, nagging; hypercriticism, hypercriticalness, overcriticalness, hairsplitting, trichoschistism.

.5 **reproof,** reproval, reprobation; **rebuke, reprimand, reproach,** reprehension, **scolding, chiding,** rating, **upbraiding,** objurgation; **admonishment, admonition; correction,** castigation, chastisement, spanking, rap on the knuckles; lecture, lesson, sermon.

.6 [slang or informal terms] piece *or* bit of one's mind, **talking-to,** speaking-to, roasting, raking-down, **raking-over,** raking over the coals, dressing, dressing-down, setdown; **bawling-out,** cussing-out, **calling-down,** jacking-up, going-over, chewing-out, chewing, reaming-out, reaming, asschewing, ass-reaming, what-for.

.7 **berating,** rating, jawing [slang], tongue-lashing; **revilement, vilification,** blackening, **execration, abuse, vituperation,** invective, contumely, hard *or* cutting *or* bitter words; **tirade, diatribe,** jeremiad, screed, philippic; **attack, assault,** onslaught, assailing.

.8 **reproving look,** dirty *or* nasty look [slang], black look, frown, scowl.

.9 **faultfinder,** *frondeur* [Fr], momus; **critic** 494.7, captious critic, criticizer, **nitpicker** [informal], smellfungus, belittler, censor, censurer, carper, caviler, quibbler, pettifogger; **scold,** common scold.

.10 VERBS **disapprove, disapprove of,** not approve; **disfavor, view with disfavor, frown at** *or* **upon,** look black upon, look askance at, make a wry face at, grimace at, **turn up one's nose at,** shrug one's shoulders at; **take a dim view of** [informal], not think much of, think ill of, think little of, not take kindly to, not hold with, hold no brief for [informal]; not go for *or* not get all choked up over *or* be turned off by [all slang]; not want *or* have any part of, wash one's hands of, dissociate oneself from; **object to,** take exception to; **oppose** 790.3–7, set oneself against, set one's face against; **reject,** categorically reject, disallow, not hear of; **turn thumbs down on** *or* thumb down [both informal], frown down, exclude, ostracize, blackball, ban; say no to, shake one's head at; **dissent from, protest, object** 522.4,5.

.11 **discountenance,** not countenance, **not tolerate,** not brook, not condone, not suffer, not abide, not endure, not bear with, not put up with, **not stand for** [informal].

.12 **deprecate,** discommend, dispraise, disvalue, not be able to say much for, denigrate, put down [slang]; **ridicule** 967.8–11; **depreciate, disparage** 971.8; **hold in contempt,** disdain, **despise** 966.3.

.13 **censure,** reprehend; **blame,** lay *or* cast blame upon; **reproach,** impugn; **condemn,** damn, damn with faint praise; fulminate against, anathematize, anathemize, put on the Index; **denounce,** denunciate, **accuse** 1005.7–11, **decry,** cry down, impeach, arraign, indict, call to account, exclaim *or* declaim *or* inveigh against, cry out against, cry out on *or* upon, cry shame upon, raise one's voice against, raise a hue and cry against, shake up [archaic]; reprobate, hold up to reprobation; animadvert on *or* upon, reflect upon, cast reflection upon, cast a reproach *or* slur upon, complain against; throw a stone at, cast *or* throw the first stone.

.14 **criticize; pan** *or* **knock** *or* **slam** *or* hit *or* rap *or* take a rap *or* swipe at [all informal], snipe at.

.15 **find fault,** take exception, fault-find, pick holes, cut up, pick *or* pull *or* tear apart, **pick** *or* **pull** *or* **tear to pieces; carp, cavil,** quibble, **nitpick,** pettifog, catch at straws.

.16 **nag,** niggle, **carp at, fuss at, fret at,** yap at *or* **pick at** [both informal], peck at, nibble at, **pester, henpeck, pick on** [informal], bug *or* hassle [both slang].

.17 **reprove, rebuke, reprimand,** reprehend, **scold, chide,** rate, **admonish, upbraid,** objurgate, have words with; **lecture,** read a lesson *or* lecture to; **correct,** rap on the knuckles, **chastise,** spank, turn over one's knees; **take to task,** call to account, bring to book, call on the carpet, read the riot act; take down, set down, set straight, straighten out.

.18 [informal terms] **call down, dress down, speak** *or* **talk to, tell off,** tell a thing or two, **give a piece** *or* **bit of one's mind, rake** *or* **haul over the coals,** rake up one side and down the other, give it to, trim, come down on *or* upon, jump on, jump all over, jump down one's throat.

.19 [slang terms] **bawl out,** give a bawling out, chew, **chew out,** chew ass, ream, ream out, ream ass, cuss out, jack up, sit on *or* upon, lambaste, give a going-over, tell where to get off; **give what-for,** give the deuce *or* devil, give hell, give hail Columbia.

.20 **berate,** rate, betongue, jaw [slang], clapper-claw [dial], **tongue-lash, rail at,** rag, thunder *or* fulminate against, rave against, yell at, bark *or* yelp at; **revile, vilify,** blacken, **execrate, abuse,** vituperate, load with reproaches.

.21 (criticize or reprove severely) **attack, assail** 798.15; **castigate, flay,** skin alive [informal], lash, slash, **excoriate,** fustigate, scarify, scathe, **roast** [informal], scorch, blister, trounce.

.22 ADJS **disapproving, disapprobatory,** unapproving, turned-off, **displeased, dissatisfied,** discontented, disgruntled, indignant, **unhappy;** disillusioned, disenchanted, disappointed; **unfavorable,** low, poor, **opposed** 790.8, **opposing, con,** against, agin [informal], **dissenting** 522.6, 7; **uncomplimentary;** unappreciative.

.23 **condemnatory, censorious,** damnatory, **denunciatory, reproachful,** blameful, reprobative, objurgatory, priggish, judgmental; deprecative, deprecatory; **derisive, ridiculing, scoffing** 967.12–14; **depreciative, disparaging** 971.13; **contemptuous** 966.8; invective, inveighing; reviling, vilifying, blackening, execrating, execrative, execratory, abusive, vituperative.

.24 **critical, faultfinding,** carping, caviling, quibbling, pettifogging, captious, cynical; nagging, niggling; hypercritical, ultracritical, overcritical, hairsplitting, trichoschistic.

.25 **unpraiseworthy, illaudable; uncommendable,** discommendable; **objectionable,** exceptionable, unacceptable, not to be thought of.

.26 **blameworthy,** blamable, to blame; **reprehensible,** censurable, reproachable, reprovable, open to criticism *or* reproach; **culpable,** chargeable, impeachable, accusable, indictable, arraignable, imputable.

.27 ADVS **disapprovingly, askance,** askant, **unfavorably;** censoriously, critically, reproachfully; captiously.

.28 INTERJS **God forbid!,** Heaven forbid!, Heaven forfend!, forbid it Heaven!; by no means!, not for the world!, not on your life!, over my dead body!, not if I know it!, nothing doing!, no way!, perish the thought!, I'll be hanged *or* damned if . . . !

970. FLATTERY

.1 NOUNS **flattery, adulation; praise** 968.5; **blandishment,** palaver, **cajolery,** cajolement, wheedling; **blarney** *or* bunkum *or* **soft soap** *or* soap *or* butter salve [all informal], oil, grease, eyewash [slang]; sweet talk, fair *or* sweet *or* honeyed words, soft *or* honeyed phrases, incense, pretty lies, sweet nothings; **compliment** 968.6; **fawning, sycophancy** 907.2.

.2 **unction,** "that flattering unction" [Shakespeare]; **unctuousness,** oiliness; slobber, gush, smarm; flattering tongue; insincerity 616.5.

.3 **overpraise,** overprizing, excessive praise, overcommendation, overlaudation, overestimation; idolatry 968.5.

.4 **flatterer,** *flatteur* [Fr], adulator, courtier; **cajoler, wheedler; backslapper,** backscratcher; blarneyer *or* soft-soaper [both informal]; **sycophant** 907.3.

.5 VERBS **flatter,** adulate, conceit; **cajole, wheedle, blandish,** palaver; slaver *or* slobber over, beslobber, beslubber; oil the tongue, lay the flattering unction to one's soul, make fair weather; **praise, compliment** 968.12,14; fawn upon 907.6–9.

.6 [slang or informal terms] **soft-soap,** butter, honey, **butter up,** soften up; stroke;

blarney, jolly, pull one's leg; lay it on, lay it on thick, overdo it, soap, oil; string along, kid along; play up to, get around; lay it on with a trowel.

.7 **overpraise,** overprize, overcommend, overlaud; overesteem, overestimate; idolize 968.12.

.8 ADJS **flattering, adulatory; complimentary** 968.16; **blandishing, cajoling, wheedling,** blarneying *or* soft-soaping [both informal]; fair-spoken, fine-spoken, smooth-spoken, smooth-tongued, **mealymouthed,** honey-mouthed, honey-tongued, honeyed, oily-tongued; fulsome, slimy, slobbery, gushing, smarmy, insinuating, oily, buttery [informal], soapy [slang], **unctuous,** smooth, bland; insincere 616.32; courtly, courtierly; **fawning, sycophantic, obsequious** 907.13.

971. DISPARAGEMENT

.1 NOUNS **disparagement, depreciation, detraction,** derogation, running down *or* knocking [both informal], putting down [slang], **belittling;** sour grapes; slighting, minimizing, faint praise, lukewarm support, discrediting, decrial; disapproval 969; contempt 966; indignity, disgrace, comedown [informal].

.2 **defamation,** malicious defamation, defamation of character, injury of *or* to one's reputation; **vilification,** revilement, defilement, blackening, denigration; **smear,** character assassination, *ad hominem* attack, name-calling, smear word, smear campaign; **muckraking, mudslinging.**

.3 **slander, scandal, libel,** traducement; calumny, calumniation; backbiting, cattiness *or* bitchiness [both informal].

.4 **aspersion,** slur, **reflection,** imputation, insinuation, suggestion, sly suggestion, innuendo, whispering campaign; disparaging *or* uncomplimentary remark; personality, personal remark.

.5 **lampoon,** pasquinade, pasquin, pasquil, squib, **satire,** malicious parody, **burlesque** 967.6; poison pen, hatchet job.

.6 **disparager, depreciator,** decrier, detractor, belittler, debunker, deflater, slighter, derogator, **knocker** [informal], caustic critic, hatchet man; **slanderer,** libeler, defamer, backbiter; calumniator, traducer; **muckraker, mudslinger,** social critic; cynic, railer, Thersites.

.7 **lampooner,** lampoonist, **satirist,** pasquinader; poison-pen writer.

.8 VERBS **disparage, depreciate, belittle,** slight, minimize, make little of, degrade, debase, **run down** *or* **knock** [informal], **put down** [slang]; **discredit,** bring into discredit, reflect discredit upon, disgrace; detract from, derogate from, cut down to size [slang]; **decry,** cry down; speak ill of, speak slightingly of, not speak well of; disapprove of 969.10; hold in contempt 966.3; submit to indignity *or* disgrace, bring down, bring low.

.9 **defame, malign, bad-mouth** [informal]; **asperse, cast aspersions on,** cast reflections on, injure one's reputation, damage one's good name; **slur,** cast a slur on, do a number on [informal]; give a bad name, give a dog a bad name.

.10 **vilify, revile, defile, sully, soil, smear,** smirch, besmirch, bespatter, tarnish, **blacken,** denigrate, blacken one's good name, give a black eye [informal]; stigmatize 915.9; **muckrake, throw mud at,** heap dirt upon, drag through the mud; call names, engage in personalities.

.11 **slander, libel;** calumniate, traduce; stab in the back, backbite, speak ill of behind one's back.

.12 **lampoon, satirize,** pasquinade, dip the pen in gall, **burlesque** 967.11.

.13 ADJS **disparaging, derogatory,** derogative, **depreciatory,** depreciative, deprecatory, slighting, belittling, minimizing, detractory, pejorative, back-biting, catty *or* bitchy [both informal], contumelious, contemptuous, derisive, derisory, ridiculing 967.12; censorious 969.23; **defamatory,** vilifying, **slanderous, scandalous, libelous;** calumnious, calumniatory; **abusive,** scurrilous, scurrile.

972. CURSE

.1 NOUNS **curse, malediction,** malison, damnation, denunciation, commination, imprecation, execration; blasphemy; anathema, fulmination, thundering, excommunication; ban, proscription; hex, evil eye, *malocchio* [Ital], whammy [slang].

.2 **vilification, abuse,** revilement, **vituperation, invective,** opprobrium, obloquy, contumely, calumny, scurrility, blackguardism.

.3 **cursing,** cussing [informal], **swearing, profanity,** profane swearing, foul *or* profane *or* obscene *or* blue *or* bad *or* strong *or* unparliamentary *or* indelicate language, vulgar language, vile language, colorful language, unrepeatable expressions, dysphemism, billingsgate, ribaldry, evil speaking, **dirty language** *or* **talk** [infor-

mal], **obscenity,** scatology, **filthy language, filth.**

.4 **oath,** profane oath, curse; cuss *or* cuss word *or* dirty word *or* four-letter word *or* **swearword** [all informal], naughty word, no-no [informal], foul invective, **expletive, epithet,** dirty name [slang], dysphemism, obscenity.

.5 VERBS **curse,** accurse, **damn,** darn, **confound,** blast, anathematize, fulminate *or* thunder against, execrate, imprecate; excommunicate; call down evil upon, call down curses on the head of; put a curse on; curse up hill and down dale; curse with bell, book, and candle; blaspheme; hex, give the evil eye, throw a whammy [slang].

.6 **curse, swear, cuss** [informal], curse and swear, execrate, rap out *or* rip out an oath, take the Lord's name in vain; swear like a trooper, cuss like a sailor, make the air blue, swear till one is blue in the face; **talk dirty** [informal], scatologize, dysphemize.

.7 **vilify, abuse, revile,** vituperate, blackguard, call names, epithet, epithetize; **swear at,** damn, cuss out [informal].

.8 ADJS **cursing, maledictory,** imprecatory, **damnatory,** denunciatory, epithetic(al); **abusive,** vituperative, contumelious; calumnious, calumniatory; execratory, comminatory, fulminatory, excommunicative, excommunicatory; scurrilous, scurrile; blasphemous, profane, foul, vile, **dirty** [informal], **obscene,** dysphemistic, scatologic(al); ribald, Rabelaisian, raw, risqué.

.9 **cursed,** accursed, bloody [Brit slang], **damned, damn, damnable,** goddamned, goddamn, **execrable.**

.10 (euphemisms) **darned,** danged, **confounded,** deuced, blessed, **blasted,** dashed, blamed, goshdarn, doggone *or* doggoned, goldarned, goldanged, dadburned; blankety-blank; ruddy [Brit].

.11 INTERJS damn!, damn it!, God damn it! *or* goddam it!, confound it!, hang it!, devil take!, a plague upon!, a pox upon!, *parbleu!* [Fr].

.12 (euphemistic oaths) darn!, dern!, dang!, dash!, drat!, blast!, doggone!, goldarn!, goldang!, golding!, gosh-darn!

973. THREAT

.1 NOUNS **threat, menace,** threateningness, threatfulness, promise of harm, knife poised at one's throat, arrow aimed at one's heart, sword of Damocles; denunciation, commination; imminence 152; **foreboding** 544; **warning** 703; saber rattling, bulldozing, **intimidation** 891.6; veiled *or* implied threat, idle *or* hollow *or* empty threat.

.2 VERBS **threaten, menace,** bludgeon, bulldoze, **intimidate** 891.28; utter threats against, shake *or* double *or* clench one's fist at; hold over one's head; denounce, comminate; **lower,** look threatening; **be imminent** 152.2; **forebode** 544.11; **warn** 703.5.

.3 ADJS **threatening, menacing,** threatful, minatory, minacious; **lowering; imminent** 152.3; **ominous,** foreboding 544.17; denunciatory, comminatory, abusive; fear-inspiring, **intimidating,** bludgeoning, bulldozing, browbeating, bullying, hectoring, blustering, terrorizing, terroristic.

974. PROBITY

.1 NOUNS **probity,** assured probity, **honesty, integrity, rectitude, uprightness,** upstandingness, erectness, **virtue,** virtuousness, **righteousness, goodness;** cleanness, **decency; honor,** honorableness, worthiness, estimableness, reputability, nobility; unimpeachableness, unimpeachability, irreproachableness, irreproachability, blamelessness; immaculacy, unspottedness, stainlessness, pureness, purity; respectability; principles, high principles, high ideals, high-mindedness; **character,** good character, moral strength, moral excellence; **fairness,** justness, justice 976.

.2 **conscientiousness, scrupulousness,** scrupulosity, **scruples,** punctiliousness, meticulousness; scruple, point of honor, punctilio; qualm 623.2; twinge of conscience 873.2; overconscientiousness, overscrupulousness; fastidiousness 896.

.3 **veracity,** veraciousness, verity, **truthfulness,** truth, veridicality, truth-telling, truth-speaking; truth-loving; credibility, absolute credibility.

.4 **candor, candidness, frankness,** sincerity, genuineness, plain dealing; ingenuousness; artlessness 736; **openness,** openheartedness; freedom, freeness; **unreserve,** unrestraint, unconstraint; **forthrightness, directness, straightforwardness; outspokenness,** plainness, plainspokenness, plain speaking, roundness, broadness; **bluntness,** bluffness, brusqueness.

.5 **undeceptiveness, undeceitfulness, guilelessness.**

.6 **trustworthiness,** faithworthiness, trustiness, trustability, **reliability, dependability,** responsibility, sureness; unfalseness,

unperfidiousness, untreacherousness; incorruptibility, inviolability.

.7 **fidelity, faithfulness, loyalty,** faith; **constancy, steadfastness,** staunchness, firmness; trueness, troth, true blue; good faith, *bona fides* [L], *bonne foi* [Fr]; **allegiance, fealty, homage;** bond, tie; attachment, adherence, adhesion; devotion, devotedness.

.8 **man of honor,** man of his word, gentleman, *gentilhomme* [Fr], *galantuomo* [Ital]; **honest man,** good man; woman of honor, woman of her word, lady, real lady; honest woman, good woman; salt of the earth; square *or* straight shooter [informal]; true blue, truepenny; trusty, faithful.

.9 VERBS **keep faith,** not fail, **keep one's word** *or* **promise,** keep troth, be as good as one's word, redeem one's pledge, play by the rules, acquit oneself, make good.

.10 shoot straight [informal], draw a straight furrow, **put one's cards on the table,** level with [slang].

.11 **speak** *or* **tell the truth,** speak *or* tell true, paint in its true colors, tell the truth and shame the devil; tell the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth.

.12 **be frank, speak plainly,** speak out, speak one's mind, say what one thinks, **call a spade a spade,** tell it like it is.

.13 ADJS **honest, upright,** uprighteous, **upstanding,** erect, right, **righteous, virtuous, good,** clean, **decent; honorable,** full of integrity, **reputable,** estimable, creditable, worthy, noble, sterling, manly, yeomanly, Christian [informal]; unimpeachable, irreproachable, blameless, immaculate, spotless, stainless, unstained, unspotted, unblemished, untarnished, unsullied, undefiled, pure; **respectable,** highly respectable; **ethical, moral; principled, high-principled,** high-minded, right-minded; uncorrupt, uncorrupted, inviolate; truehearted, true-souled, true-spirited; true-dealing, true-disposing, true-devoted; **law-abiding,** law-loving, law-revering; **fair, just** 976.8–10.

.14 **straight, square,** foursquare, **fair and square; square-dealing,** square-shooting, straight-shooting, up-and-up, **on the up-and-up, on the level,** on the square; open, **aboveboard, open and aboveboard;** bona fide, good-faith; authentic, veritable, genuine 516.14; single-hearted; honest as the day is long.

.15 **conscientious,** tender-conscienced; **scrupulous,** careful 533.10–14; punctilious, punctual, meticulous, religious, strict, nice; fastidious 896.9; overconscientious, overscrupulous.

.16 **veracious, truthful,** true, veridical; truth-telling, truth-speaking, truth-declaring, truth-passing, truth-bearing, truth-loving, truth-seeking, truth-desiring, truth-guarding, truth-filled; true-speaking, true-meaning, true-tongued.

.17 **candid, frank, sincere,** genuine, ingenuous, frankhearted; **open,** openhearted, transparent; artless 736.5; **straightforward, direct,** straight [informal], **forthright,** downright, straight-out [informal]; plain, broad, round; **unreserved,** unrestrained, unconstrained, unchecked; unguarded; free; **outspoken, plain-spoken,** free-spoken, free-speaking, free-tongued; explicit, unequivocal; **blunt,** bluff, brusque; heart-to-heart.

.18 **undeceptive, undeceitful, undissembling,** undissimulating, undeceiving, undesigning, uncalculating; **guileless,** unbeguiling, unbeguileful; unassuming, unpretending, unfeigning, undisguising, unflattering; undissimulated, undissembled; unassumed, unaffected, unpretended, unfeigned, undisguised, unvarnished, untrimmed.

.19 **trustworthy, trusty,** trustable, faithworthy, **reliable, dependable, responsible,** straight [slang], sure, to be trusted, **to be depended** *or* **relied upon,** to be counted *or* reckoned on, as good as one's word; tried, true, **tried and true,** tested, proven; unfalse, unperfidious, untreacherous; incorruptible, inviolable.

.20 **faithful, loyal,** devoted; **true, true-blue,** true to one's colors; **constant, steadfast,** steady, consistent, stable, unfailing, staunch, firm, "marble-constant" [Shakespeare].

.21 ADVS **honestly, uprightly, honorably,** upstandingly, erectly, **virtuously, righteously, decently,** worthily, reputably, nobly; unimpeachably, irreproachably, blamelessly, immaculately, unspottedly, stainlessly, purely; high-mindedly, morally; **conscientiously, scrupulously,** punctiliously, meticulously, fastidiously 896.14.

.22 **truthfully, truly,** veraciously; to tell the truth, to speak truthfully; in truth, in sooth [archaic], of a truth, with truth, in good *or* very truth.

.23 **candidly, frankly, sincerely,** genuinely, in all seriousness *or* soberness, in all conscience; in plain words *or* English, straight from the shoulder, not to mince the matter, not to mince words, without

equivocation, with no nonsense, all joking aside *or* apart; **openly,** openheartedly, **unreservedly,** unrestrainedly, unconstrainedly, **forthrightly, directly, straightforwardly, outspokenly, plainly,** plain-spokenly, broadly, roundly, **bluntly,** bluffly, brusquely.

.24 **trustworthily,** trustily, **reliably, dependably, responsibly;** undeceptively, undeceitfully, guilelessly; incorruptibly, inviolably.

.25 **faithfully, loyally,** devotedly; **constantly, steadfastly,** steadily, responsibly, consistently, staunchly, firmly; in *or* with good faith, *bona fide* [L].

975. IMPROBITY

.1 NOUNS **improbity, dishonesty,** dishonor; **unscrupulousness,** unconscientiousness; **corruption,** corruptness, corruptedness; **crookedness,** criminality, feloniousness, **fraudulence** *or* fraudulency, underhandedness, unsavoriness, fishiness *or* shadiness [both informal], indirection, shiftiness, slipperiness, deviousness, evasiveness, unstraightforwardness, trickiness.

.2 **knavery, roguery, rascality,** rascalry, **villainy,** reprobacy, scoundrelism; chicanery 618.4; knavishness, roguishness, scampishness, villainousness; **baseness, vileness,** degradation, turpitude, moral turpitude.

.3 **deceitfulness** 618.4; falseheartedness 616.4; perjury, forswearing, untruthfulness 616.8, credibility gap; **insincerity,** unsincereness, uncandidness, uncandor, unfrankness, disingenuousness; sharp practice 618.4; fraud 618.8; artfulness, craftiness 735.1; intrigue 654.6.

.4 **untrustworthiness,** unfaithworthiness, untrustiness, **unreliability, undependability,** irresponsibility.

.5 **infidelity, unfaithfulness,** unfaith, faithlessness, trothlessness; **inconstancy, unsteadfastness,** fickleness; **disloyalty,** unloyalty; **falsity,** falseness, untrueness; disaffection, recreancy, dereliction; bad faith, *mala fides* [L], Punic faith; breach of promise, breach of trust *or* faith, barratry.

.6 **treachery,** treacherousness; **perfidy,** perfidiousness, falseheartedness; **duplicity, double-dealing, foul play;** dirty work *or* dirty pool *or* dirty trick [all slang].

.7 **treason,** petty treason, misprision of treason, high treason; lese majesty, sedition; quislingism, fifth-column activity; collaboration, fraternization.

.8 **betrayal,** betrayment, letting down [informal], **double cross** [slang], sellout [slang], Judas kiss, stab in the back.

.9 **corruptibility, venality,** bribability, purchasability.

.10 criminal 986.10, scoundrel 986.3, traitor 619.10, deceiver 619.

.11 VERBS (be dishonest) live by one's wits; shift, shift about, evade; deceive 618.13; cheat 618.17; falsify 616.16; lie 616.19.

.12 **be unfaithful,** not keep faith with, **go back on** [informal], **fail,** break one's word *or* promise, go back on one's word [informal], break faith, perjure *or* forswear oneself; forsake, desert 633.5,6; pass the buck [informal]; shift the responsibility *or* blame.

.13 **play one false,** prove false; **stab in the back,** knife [slang]; bite the hand that feeds one; play dirty pool [slang].

.14 **betray, double-cross** *or* two-time [both slang], sell out *or* sell down the river [both slang], turn in; let down *or* let down one's side [both informal]; inform on 557.12.

.15 **act the traitor,** quisle, turn against, go over to the enemy, turn one's coat, sell oneself; collaborate, fraternize.

.16 ADJS **dishonest, dishonorable; unconscientious,** unconscienced, conscienceless, unconscionable, shameless, without shame *or* remorse, **unscrupulous, unprincipled,** unethical, immoral, amoral; **corrupt,** corrupted, rotten; **crooked, criminal,** felonious, **fraudulent;** underhand, underhanded; shady [informal], not kosher, unsavory, dark, sinister, insidious, indirect, slippery, devious, tricky, shifty, evasive, unstraightforward; fishy [informal], questionable, suspicious, doubtful, dubious; ill-gotten, ill-got.

.17 **knavish, roguish, scampish, rascally, scoundrelly,** blackguardly, villainous, reprobate, recreant, **base, vile,** degraded; **infamous, notorious.**

.18 **deceitful** 618.20; falsehearted 616.31; perjured, forsworn, untruthful 616.34; **insincere,** unsincere, uncandid, unfrank, disingenuous; artful, crafty 735.12; calculating, scheming 654.14.

.19 **untrustworthy,** unfaithworthy, untrusty, trustless, **unreliable, undependable,** fly-by-night, irresponsible, unsure, not to be trusted, not to be depended *or* relied upon.

.20 **unfaithful,** faithless, of bad faith, trothless; **inconstant, unsteadfast,** fickle; **disloyal,** unloyal; false, **untrue,** not true to; disaffected, recreant, derelict, barratrous.

.21 **treacherous, perfidious,** falsehearted; **shifty,** slippery, tricky; **double-dealing,** double, ambidextrous; **two-faced** 616.31.

.22 **traitorous,** turncoat, double-crossing *or* two-timing [both slang], betraying; Judas-like, Iscariotic; **treasonable,** treasonous; quisling, quislingistic, fifth-column, Trojan-horse.

.23 **corruptible, venal,** bribable, purchasable, mercenary, hireling.

.24 ADVS **dishonestly, dishonorably; unscrupulously,** unconscientiously; **crookedly,** criminally, feloniously, **fraudulently,** underhandedly, like a thief in the night, insidiously, deviously, shiftily, evasively, fishily [informal], suspiciously, dubiously, by fair means or foul; **deceitfully** 618.22; knavishly, roguishly, villainously; basely, vilely; infamously, notoriously.

.25 **perfidiously,** falseheartedly; **unfaithfully,** faithlessly; **treacherously;** traitorously, treasonably.

976. JUSTICE

.1 NOUNS **justice, justness; equity,** equitableness, evenhandedness, measure for measure, give-and-take; **right, rightness,** rightfulness, meetness, properness, propriety, what is right; dueness 960; justification, **justifiableness,** justifiability, warrantedness, warrantability, defensibility; poetic justice; retributive justice, nemesis; summary justice, drumhead justice, rude justice; scales of justice; lawfulness, legality 998.

.2 "truth in action" [Disraeli], "right reason applied to command and prohibition" [Cicero], "the firm and continuous desire to render to everyone that which is his due" [Justinian].

.3 **fairness,** fair-mindedness, candor; the fair thing, the right *or* proper thing, the handsome thing [informal]; **square deal** [informal], **fair shake** [slang]; **fair play,** cricket [informal]; sportsmanship, good sportsmanship, sportsmanliness, sportsmanlikeness.

.4 **impartiality,** detachment, **dispassion,** loftiness, Olympian detachment, **dispassionateness, disinterestedness,** disinterest, unbias, unbiasedness, a fair field and no favor; **neutrality** 806; selflessness, unselfishness 979.

.5 (personifications) Justice, Justitia, blind *or* blindfolded Justice; Rhadamanthus, Minos; (deities) Jupiter Fidius, Deus Fidius; Fides, Fides publica Romani, Fides populi Romani; Nemesis, Dike, Themis; Astraea.

.6 VERBS **be just, be fair,** do the fair thing, do the handsome thing [informal], do the right thing by; **do justice to,** see justice done, see one righted *or* redressed, redress a wrong *or* injustice, remedy an injustice, serve one right, shoot straight with *or* **give a square deal** [both informal], give a fair shake [slang]; give the Devil his due; give and take; bend over backwards, lean over backwards.

.7 **play fair, play the game** [informal], be a good sport, show a proper spirit.

.8 ADJS **just, fair,** square, **fair and square; equitable,** balanced, level [informal], **even,** evenhanded; **right, rightful;** justifiable, justified, warranted, warrantable, defensible; **due** 960.7–10, deserved, merited; meet, meet and right, right and proper, fit, **proper, good,** as it should *or* ought to be; lawful, legal 998.10.

.9 fair-minded; **sporting, sportsmanly,** sportsmanlike; square-dealing *or* square-shooting [both informal].

.10 **impartial, impersonal,** candid, **dispassionate, disinterested,** detached, lofty, Olympian; **unbiased,** uninfluenced, unswayed; **neutral** 806.7; selfless, unselfish 979.5,6.

.11 ADVS **justly, fairly,** fair, in a fair manner; rightfully, rightly, duly, deservedly, meetly, properly; **equitably, equally, evenly,** upon even terms; justifiedly, justifiably, warrantably, warrantedly; **impartially, impersonally, dispassionately, disinterestedly,** without distinction, without regard *or* respect to persons, without fear or favor.

.12 **in justice,** in equity, in reason, in all conscience, in all fairness, **to be fair,** as is only fair *or* right, as is right *or* just *or* fitting *or* proper.

977. INJUSTICE

.1 NOUNS **injustice, unjustness; inequity,** iniquity, inequitableness, iniquitousness; **wrong, wrongness,** wrongfulness, unmeetness, improperness, **impropriety;** undueness; what should not be, what ought not *or* must not be; unlawfulness, illegality 999.

.2 **unfairness;** unsportsmanliness, **unsportsmanlikeness;** foul play, foul, a hit below the belt.

.3 **partiality, one-sidedness; bias,** leaning, inclination; undispassionateness, undetachment, interest, involvement, **partisanism,** partisanship, parti pris; unneutrality; **fa-**

voritism, preference, nepotism; unequal *or* preferential treatment, discrimination, unjust legal disability, inequality.

.4 **injustice, wrong, injury,** grievance, disservice, raw deal [slang]; imposition; mockery *or* miscarriage of justice; great wrong, grave *or* gross injustice; atrocity, outrage.

.5 **unjustifiability, unwarrantability,** indefensibility; **inexcusability,** unconscionableness, **unpardonability,** unforgivableness, inexpiableness, irremissibility.

.6 VERBS not play fair, hit below the belt, give a raw deal [slang].

.7 **do one an injustice, wrong,** do wrong, do wrong by, **do one a wrong,** do a disservice; do a great wrong, do a grave *or* gross injustice, commit an atrocity *or* outrage.

.8 **favor,** prefer, show preference, **play favorites,** treat unequally, discriminate.

.9 ADJS **unjust, inequitable,** unequitable, iniquitous, **unbalanced, uneven, unequal; wrong, wrongful,** unrightful; **undue,** unmeet, undeserved, unmerited; unlawful, illegal 999.6,7.

.10 **unfair,** not fair; **unsporting,** unsportsmanly, **unsportsmanlike,** not cricket [informal]; foul, below the belt.

.11 **partial, interested,** involved, **partisan,** unneutral, **one-sided,** all on one side, undetached, **undispassionate, biased,** warped, influenced, swayed.

.12 **unjustifiable, unwarrantable,** unallowable, unreasonable, indefensible; **inexcusable,** unconscionable, **unpardonable, unforgivable,** inexpiable, irremissible.

.13 ADVS **unjustly, unfairly;** wrongfully, wrongly, undeservedly; inequitably, iniquitously, unequally, unevenly; partially, interestedly, one-sidedly, undispassionately; **unjustifiably, unwarrantably,** unallowably, unreasonably, indefensibly; inexcusably, unconscionably, unpardonably, unforgivably, inexpiably, irremissibly.

978. SELFISHNESS

.1 NOUNS **selfishness,** selfism, **self-seeking,** self-serving, self-pleasing, **self-indulgence,** self-advancement, careerism, personal ambition, self-devotion, self-jealousy, self-sufficiency, **self-consideration,** self-solicitude, self-absorption, ego trip, self-occupation; self-containment, autism, remoteness 923.1,2; **self-interest,** self-interestedness, interest; self-esteem, self-admiration 909.1; **self-centeredness, narcissism, egotism** 909.3; possessiveness, greed, graspingness, acquisitiveness; **individualism** 762.5, personalism, privatism, private *or* personal desires, private *or* personal aims.

.2 **ungenerousness, unmagnanimousness, illiberality,** meanness, smallness, littleness, paltriness, minginess, pettiness; **niggardliness, stinginess** 852.2,3.

.3 **self-seeker,** self-pleaser, self-advancer; **narcissist, egotist** 909.5; timepleaser, timeserver, temporizer; fortune hunter, tufthunter; self-server, careerist; monopolist, hog, road hog; dog in the manger; **individualist,** loner *or* lone wolf [both informal].

.4 VERBS **please oneself,** gratify oneself; egotrip, be *or* go on an ego trip [all informal]; indulge *or* pamper *or* coddle oneself, consult one's own wishes, look after one's own interests, take care of *or* look out for number one [both informal].

.5 ADJS **selfish, self-seeking, self-serving,** self-pleasing, self-advancing, careerist, ambitious for self, **self-indulgent,** self-jealous, self-sufficient, **self-interested,** self-considerative, self-besot, self-devoted, self-occupied, self-absorbed, wrapped up in oneself, self-contained, autistic, remote 923.5, 6; self-esteeming, self-admiring 909.8; **self-centered, narcissistic, egotistical** 909.10; possessive, greedy, grasping, acquisitive; **individualistic** 762.21, personalistic, privatistic.

.6 **ungenerous, illiberal,** unchivalrous, mean, small, little, paltry, mingy, petty; **niggardly, stingy** 852.8,9.

.7 ADVS **selfishly, for oneself,** in one's own interest, from selfish *or* interested motives, to gain some private ends.

979. UNSELFISHNESS

.1 NOUNS **unselfishness, selflessness; altruism;** self-subjection, self-subordination, self-abasement, self-effacement; **humility** 906; modesty 908; self-neglect, self-neglectfulness, self-forgetfulness; **self-renunciation,** self-renouncement; **self-denial,** self-abnegation; **self-sacrifice,** sacrifice, self-immolation, self-devotion, devotion, dedication, commitment, consecration; disinterest, disinterestedness; unpossessiveness, unacquisitiveness.

.2 **magnanimity,** magnanimousness, **generosity,** generousness, openhandedness, **liberality,** liberalness; **bigness, bigheartedness,** greatheartedness, largeheartedness, big *or* large *or* great heart, greatness of heart *or* soul; noble-mindedness, high-mindedness, idealism; **nobleness,** nobility, princeliness, greatness, **loftiness,** elevation, exaltation,

sublimity; chivalry, chivalrousness, knightliness, errantry, knight-errantry; heroism.

.3 VERBS not have a selfish bone in one's body, think only of others; put oneself out, go out of the way, lean over backwards; sacrifice, make a sacrifice; subject oneself, subordinate oneself, abase oneself.

.4 observe the golden rule, do as one would be done by, do unto others as you would have others do unto you.

.5 ADJS **unselfish, selfless;** altruistic; self-unconscious, self-forgetful, self-abasing, self-effacing; **humble** 906.9; **unpretentious, modest** 908.9–13; self-neglectful, self-neglecting; **self-denying,** self-renouncing, self-abnegating, self-abnegatory; **self-sacrificing,** self-immolating, sacrificing, self-devotional, self-devoted, devoted, dedicated, committed, consecrated, unsparing of self, disinterested; unpossessive, unacquisitive.

.6 **magnanimous, generous,** openhanded, **liberal; big, bighearted,** greathearted, largehearted, great of heart *or* soul; noble-minded, high-minded, idealistic; **noble,** princely, handsome, great, high, elevated, **lofty,** exalted, sublime; chivalrous, knightly; heroic.

.7 ADVS **unselfishly, altruistically,** forgetful of self; for others.

.8 **magnanimously, generously,** openhandedly, **liberally; bigheartedly,** greatheartedly, largeheartedly; **nobly,** handsomely; chivalrously, knightly.

980. VIRTUE

(moral goodness)

.1 NOUNS **virtue, virtuousness, goodness, righteousness,** rectitude, right conduct, the straight and narrow; probity 974; **morality,** moral rectitude *or* virtue, morale; **saintliness,** saintlikeness, angelicalness; **godliness** 1028.2.

.2 "the health of the soul" [Joseph Joubert], "the fount whence honour springs" [Marlowe], "the adherence in action to the nature of things" [Emerson], "victorious resistance to one's vital desire to do this, that or the other" [James Branch Cabell], "to do unwitnessed what we should be capable of doing before all the world" [La Rochefoucauld].

.3 **purity,** immaculacy, **chastity** 988; guiltlessness, innocence 984.

.4 **uncorruptness,** uncorruptedness, incorruptness; **unsinfulness,** sinlessness; **unwickedness,** uniniquitousness; undegenerateness, undepravedness, undissoluteness, undebauchedness.

.5 **cardinal virtues,** natural virtues; prudence, justice, temperance, fortitude; theological virtues *or* supernatural virtues; faith, hope, charity *or* love.

.6 VERBS **be good,** do no evil; keep in the right path, walk the straight path, follow the straight and narrow, keep on the straight and narrow way *or* path; fight the good fight.

.7 ADJS **virtuous, good, moral; upright, honest** 974.13–20; **righteous,** just, straight, right-minded; **angelic,** seraphic; **saintly,** saintlike; **godly** 1028.9.

.8 **chaste, immaculate, pure** 988.4; guiltless, innocent 984.6.

.9 **uncorrupt,** uncorrupted, incorrupt, incorrupted; **unsinful,** sinless; **unwicked,** uniniquitous, unerring, unfallen; undegenerate, undepraved, undemoralized, undissolute, undebauched.

981. VICE

(moral badness)

.1 NOUNS **vice,** viciousness; criminality, **wrongdoing** 982; **immorality,** unmorality, **evil; amorality** 957.4; **unvirtuousness,** ungoodness; **unrighteousness, ungodliness,** unsaintliness, unangelicalness; **uncleanness,** impurity, **unchastity** 989; waywardness, wantonness, prodigality; delinquency, moral delinquency; peccability; backsliding, recidivism; **evil nature, carnality** 987.2.

.2 **vice, weakness,** weakness of the flesh, **flaw,** moral flaw, **frailty, infirmity; failing,** failure; weak point, weak side, foible; bad habit, besetting sin; **fault, imperfection** 678.

.3 **iniquity, evil,** bad, wrong, error, obliquity, villainy, knavery, reprobacy, peccancy, **abomination, atrocity,** shame, disgrace, scandal, **infamy; sin** 982.2.

.4 **wickedness, badness,** naughtiness, **evilness, viciousness, sinfulness, iniquitousness; baseness,** rankness, **vileness,** foulness, arrantness, nefariousness, heinousness, villainousness, flagitiousness; fiendishness, hellishness; devilishness, devilry, deviltry.

.5 **turpitude, moral turpitude; corruption,** corruptedness, corruptness, rottenness, moral pollution *or* pollutedness; **decadence** *or* decadency, debasement, degradation, demoralization, abjection; **degen-**

eracy, degenerateness, degeneration, reprobacy, **depravity,** depravedness, depravation; **dissoluteness, profligacy;** abandonment, abandon.

.6 **obduracy, hardheartedness, hardness, callousness,** heartlessness, hardness of heart, heart of stone.

.7 sink, **sink of corruption; den of iniquity,** den, **fleshpots,** hellhole; hole *or* joint [both slang]; Sodom, Gomorrah, Babylon; **brothel** 989.9.

.8 VERBS **do wrong, sin** 982.5.

.9 **go wrong,** go astray, **err,** deviate from the path of virtue, leave the straight and narrow; **fall,** lapse, slip, trip; **degenerate** 692.19; **go to the bad** 693.24; backslide 696.4.

.10 **demoralize,** vitiate, drive to the dogs; **corrupt** 692.14; **sully, soil, defile.**

.11 ADJS **vice-laden,** vice-prone, vicious, steeped in vice; **immoral,** unmoral; **amoral,** nonmoral.

.12 **unvirtuous,** virtueless, ungood; **unrighteous, ungodly,** unsaintly, unangelic; **unclean,** impure, **unchaste** 989.23; fleshly, carnal 987.6, wayward, wanton, prodigal; erring, fallen, lapsed, postlapsarian; frail, weak, infirm; Adamic; peccable; backsliding, recidivist, recidivistic; of easy virtue 989.26.

.13 **diabolic(al), devilish,** demoniac *or* demoniacal, satanic, Mephistophelian; **fiendish,** fiendlike; **hellish,** hellborn, **infernal.**

.14 **corrupt,** corrupted, vice-corrupted, polluted, morally polluted, rotten, tainted, contaminated, vitiated; warped, perverted; **decadent,** debased, degraded, reprobate, **depraved, debauched, dissolute, degenerate,** profligate, abandoned, gone to the bad *or* dogs, sunk *or* steeped in iniquity, rotten at *or* to the core.

.15 **evil-minded,** evilhearted, **blackhearted; base-minded,** low-minded; low-thoughted, dirty *or* dirty-minded [all slang].

.16 **wicked, evil, vicious, bad, naughty, wrong, sinful, iniquitous,** peccant, reprobate; dark, black; **base, low, vile,** foul, rank, flagrant, arrant, nefarious, heinous, villainous, criminal, knavish, flagitious; abominable, atrocious, monstrous, unspeakable, execrable, damnable; shameful, disgraceful, scandalous, **infamous, unpardonable,** unforgivable; **improper,** reprehensible, blamable, blameworthy, unworthy.

.17 **hardened, hard, case-hardened, obdurate,** inured, indurated; **callous,** calloused, **seared; hardhearted,** heartless; **shameless,** lost to shame, lost to all sense of honor, conscienceless, unblushing, **brazen.**

.18 **irreclaimable,** irredeemable, unredeemable, unregenerate, **irreformable,** incorrigible, past praying for; shriftless, graceless; **lost.**

.19 ADVS **wickedly, evilly, sinfully, iniquitously,** peccantly, **viciously;** basely, vilely, foully, rankly, arrantly, flagrantly, flagitiously.

982. WRONGDOING, SIN

.1 NOUNS **wrongdoing, evildoing,** misdoing, wrong conduct, **misconduct, misdemeanor,** misfeasance, malfeasance, malversation, **malpractice,** evil courses, machinations of the devil; **sin,** "thou scarlet sin" [Shakespeare], "the transgression of the law" [Bible]; **crime, criminality,** lawbreaking, feloniousness, criminal tendency, criminosis; viciousness, **vice** 981; misprision, negative *or* positive misprision, misprision of treason *or* felony.

.2 **misdeed, misdemeanor,** misfeasance, malfeasance, malefaction, criminal *or* guilty *or* sinful act, **offense,** injustice, injury, **wrong, iniquity, evil,** peccancy, *malum* [L]; tort; **error, fault,** breach; **impropriety,** slight *or* minor wrong, venial sin, **indiscretion,** peccadillo, trip, slip, lapse; **transgression,** trespass; **sin,** "deed without a name" [Shakespeare]; deadly *or* mortal sin, grave *or* heavy sin, unutterable sin, unpardonable *or* unforgivable *or* inexpiable sin; sin against the Holy Ghost; sin of commission; sin of omission, nonfeasance, omission, failure, dereliction, delinquency; **crime, felony;** capital crime; war crime, crime against humanity, genocide; **outrage, atrocity,** enormity.

.3 **deadly sin, seven deadly sins: pride,** superbia; **envy,** invidia; **avarice,** greed, avaritia; **sloth,** acedia; **wrath,** anger, ira; **gluttony,** gula; **lust,** luxuria.

.4 **original sin,** fall from grace, fall, fall of man, fall of Adam *or* Adam's fall, sin of Adam.

.5 VERBS **do wrong,** do amiss, misdemean oneself, **err,** offend; **sin,** commit sin; **transgress,** trespass.

.6 ADJS wrongdoing, evildoing, malefactory, malfeasant; **wrong,** iniquitous, **sinful, wicked** 981.16; **criminal,** felonious.

983. GUILT

.1 NOUNS **guilt, guiltiness; criminality,** peccancy; **culpability,** reprehensibility, blam-

ability, blameworthiness; chargeability, censurability, censurableness, reproachability, reproachableness, reprovability, reprovableness, inculpation, implication, involvement, complicity, impeachability, impeachableness, indictability, indictableness, arraignability, arraignableness; red-handedness, dirty hands, red *or* bloody hands, "hangman's hands" [Shakespeare]; guilty conscience, guilt-feelings; onus, burden.

.2 VERBS be guilty, look guilty, look like the cat that swallowed the canary, blush, stammer.

.3 ADJS **guilty,** peccant, **criminal, to blame, at fault,** faulty, on one's head; **culpable,** reprehensible, censurable, reproachable, reprovable, inculpated, implicated, involved, impeachable, indictable, arraignable.

.4 ADVS **red-handed,** red-hand, **in the act,** in the very act, *in flagrante delicto* [L].

.5 **guiltily,** shamefacedly, sheepishly, with a guilty conscience.

984. INNOCENCE

.1 NOUNS **innocence,** innocency, innocentness; unfallen *or* unlapsed *or* prelapsarian state; unguiltiness, **guiltlessness,** faultlessness, blamelessness, reproachlessness, **sinlessness,** offenselessness; **spotlessness,** stainlessness, taintlessness, unblemishedness; **purity,** cleanness, cleanliness, whiteness, immaculacy, impeccability; clean hands, clean slate, clear conscience, nothing to hide.

.2 childlikeness 736.1; lamblikeness, dovelikeness, angelicness; unacquaintance with evil, uncorruptedness, incorruptness, pristineness, undefiledness.

.3 **inculpability,** unblamability, unblamableness, **unblameworthiness,** irreproachability, irreproachableness, impeccability, impeccableness, unexceptionability, unexceptionableness, **irreprehensibility,** irreprehensibleness, uncensurability, uncensurableness, unimpeachability, unimpeachableness, unindictableness, unarraignableness.

.4 **innocent,** babe, newborn babe, infant, babe in the woods, child, mere child, lamb, dove, angel.

.5 VERBS know no wrong, have clean hands, have a clear conscience, look as if butter would not melt in one's mouth.

.6 ADJS **innocent;** unfallen, unlapsed, prelapsarian; **unguilty,** not guilty, **guiltless, faultless, blameless,** reproachless, **sinless,** offenseless, with clean hands, "blameless in life and pure of crime" [Horace]; clear, in the clear; without reproach, *sans reproche* [Fr]; innocent as a lamb, lamblike, dovelike, angelic, childlike 736.5; unacquainted with *or* untouched by evil, uncorrupted, incorrupt, pristine, undefiled.

.7 **spotless,** stainless, taintless, unblemished, unspotted, **untainted, unsoiled, unsullied, undefiled; pure, clean, immaculate,** impeccable, white, "without unspotted, innocent within" [Dryden].

.8 **inculpable,** unblamable, unblameworthy, **irreproachable,** irreprovable, **irreprehensible,** uncensurable, unimpeachable, unindictable, unarraignable, unobjectionable, unexceptionable, above suspicion.

.9 ADVS **innocently, guiltlessly, unguiltily,** with a clear conscience; **unknowingly,** unconsciously, unawares.

985. GOOD PERSON

.1 NOUNS good person, good man *or* woman *or* child, worthy, prince, nature's nobleman, man after one's own heart; *persona grata* [L], acceptable person; **good fellow,** capital fellow, **good sort,** right sort, a decent sort of fellow, good lot [Brit informal], no end of a fellow; real man *or* woman, *mensch* [Yid]; **gentleman,** perfect gentleman, a gentleman and a scholar; **lady,** perfect lady; **gem,** jewel, pearl, diamond; rough diamond, diamond in the rough; honest man 974.8.

.2 [slang or informal terms] **good guy,** crackerjack, brick, trump, good egg, stout fellow, nice guy, good Joe, likely lad, no slouch, doll, pussycat.

.3 **good** *or* **respectable citizen,** excellent *or* exemplary citizen, good neighbor, burgher, **pillar of society,** pillar of the church, salt of the earth; Christian *or* true Christian [both informal].

.4 **paragon, ideal,** beau ideal, nonpareil, *chevalier sans peur et sans reproche* [Fr], **good example,** shining example; exemplar, **model, pattern, standard,** mirror, "the observed of all observers" [Shakespeare]; *Übermensch* [Ger; Nietzsche]; one in a thousand *or* ten thousand, man of men, a man among men.

.5 **hero, god, demigod,** phoenix; **heroine, goddess,** demigoddess; **idol.**

.6 holy man; great soul, mahatma; guru, *rishi* [Skt]; *starets* [Russ]; saint, angel 1017.

986. BAD PERSON

.1 NOUNS bad person, bad man *or* woman *or* child, unworthy *or* disreputable person, unworthy, disreputable, **undesirable,** *persona non grata* [L], unacceptable *or* unwanted *or* objectionable person, bad news [informal]; bad example; –eer.

.2 **wretch,** mean wretch, **beggarly fellow, beggar, blighter** [Brit slang]; **bum** *or* bummer *or* lowlifer *or* lowlife *or* **mucker** [all slang], caitiff, budmash [India], pilgarlic; devil, **poor devil,** *pauvre diable* [Fr], poor creature, *mauvais sujet* [Fr]; **sad case,** sad sack *or* sad sack of shit [both slang]; **good-for-nothing, good-for-naught, no-good** [informal], **ne'er-do-well,** wastrel, *vaurien* [Fr], worthless fellow; **derelict,** skid-row bum, Bowery bum, tramp, hobo, beachcomber, **drifter,** drunkard, vagrant, vag [informal], vagabond, truant, stiff *or* bindlestiff [both slang], swagman *or* sundowner [both Austral]; human wreck.

.3 **rascal,** precious rascal, rogue, knave, **scoundrel,** villain, blackguard, **scamp, scalawag** [informal], spalpeen [Ir], rapscallion, **devil;** shyster; sneak.

.4 "a rascally yeaforsooth knave", "a foulmouthed and calumnious knave", "poor cuckoldy knave", "a poor, decayed, ingenious, foolish, rascally knave", "an arrant, rascally, beggarly, lousy knave", "a slipper and subtle knave, a finder of occasions", "a whoreson, beetle-headed, flap-ear'd knave", "filthy, worsted-stocking knave; a lily-livered, action-taking knave", "a knave; a rascal; an eater of broken meats; a base, proud, shallow, beggarly, three-suited, hundred-pound, filthy, worsted-stocking knave" [all Shakespeare].

.5 **reprobate,** recreant, **miscreant,** bad *or* sorry lot [both Brit informal], bad egg [informal], bad'un *or* wrong'un [both slang]; scapegrace, black sheep; lost soul, lost sheep, *âme damnée* [Fr], backslider, recidivist, fallen angel; degenerate, pervert; profligate, **lecher** 989.10,11; trollop, **whore** 989.14–16; **pimp** 989.18.

.6 [slang or informal terms] **bastard, son of a bitch,** SOB, **jerk,** creep, mother, **shit,** turd, shithead, fart, **louse, meanie, heel, shitheel, rat, stinker,** stinkard, pill, bugger; **hood, hooligan** 943.3,4.

.7 beast, **animal; cur,** dog, hound, whelp, mongrel; **reptile,** viper, serpent, snake; vermin, varmint [dial], hyena; **swine,** pig; **skunk,** polecat; insect, worm.

.8 cad, bounder *or* rotter [both informal].

.9 **wrongdoer, malefactor, sinner,** transgressor, delinquent; malfeasor, misfeasor, nonfeasor; misdemeanant, misdemeanist; **culprit, offender; evil person, evil man** *or* **woman** *or* **child, evildoer** 943.

.10 **criminal, felon, crook** [informal], public enemy, **lawbreaker,** scofflaw; **gangster** *or* mobster [both informal], **racketeer; swindler** 619.3,4; thief 825; thug 943.3,4; **desperado,** desperate criminal; **outlaw,** fugitive, **convict,** jailbird, gaolbird [Brit]; gallows bird [informal]; **traitor,** betrayer, quisling, Judas, double-dealer, two-timer [slang], **deceiver** 619.

.11 **the underworld,** gangland, gangdom, **organized crime,** the rackets, the mob, the syndicate, the Mafia, Cosa Nostra, Black Hand.

.12 **the wicked,** the bad, the evil, the unrighteous, the reprobate; sons of men, sons of Belial, sons *or* children of the devil, limbs of Satan, children of darkness; **scum of the earth,** dregs of society.

987. SENSUALITY

.1 NOUNS **sensuality,** sensualness, sensualism; appetitiveness, appetite; **voluptuousness,** luxuriousness, luxury; **unchastity** 989; **pleasure-seeking;** sybaritism; **hedonism,** Cyrenaic hedonism, Cyrenaicism, ethical hedonism, psychological hedonism, hedonics, hedonic calculus; epicurism, epicureanism; pleasure principle, *Lustprinzip* [Ger].

.2 **carnality,** carnal-mindedness; **fleshliness,** flesh; animal *or* carnal nature, the flesh, the beast, Adam, the Old Adam, the offending Adam, fallen state *or* nature, lapsed state *or* nature, postlapsarian state *or* nature; **animality, animalism, bestiality,** beastliness, brutishness, **brutality;** coarseness, grossness; swinishness; **earthiness,** unspirituality, nonspirituality, materialism.

.3 **sensualist,** sensuist; **voluptuary, pleasure-seeker,** sybarite, Cyrenaic, Sardanapalus, Heliogabalus, **hedonist,** *bon vivant* [Fr], carpet knight; epicure, epicurean; gourmet, gourmand; swine.

.4 VERBS sensualize, carnalize, coarsen, brutify.

.5 ADJS **sensual;** appetitive; **voluptuous,** luxurious; **unchaste** 989.23, **hedonistic, pleasure-seeking,** pleasure-bent, bent on pleasure, luxury-loving, epicurean, sybaritic; Cyrenaic.

.6 **carnal,** carnal-minded, **fleshly,** bodily, physical; Adamic, fallen, lapsed, postlap-

sarian; animal, animalistic; **brutish, brutal,** brute; **bestial,** beastly, beastlike; Circean; coarse, gross; swinish; orgiastic; **earthy,** unspiritual, nonspiritual, material, materialistic.

988. CHASTITY

.1 NOUNS **chastity, virtue,** virtuousness, honor; **purity,** cleanness, cleanliness; whiteness, snowiness; **immaculacy,** immaculateness, spotlessness, stainlessness, taintlessness, blotlessness, unspottedness, unstainedness, unblottedness, untaintedness, unblemishedness, unsoiledness, unsulliedness, undefiledness, untarnishedness; uncorruptness 980.4; sexual innocence, innocence 984.

.2 **decency, seemliness, propriety, decorum,** decorousness, elegance, delicacy; **modesty,** shame, pudicity, pudency.

.3 **continence** *or* continency; abstinence 992.2; celibacy; **virginity,** intactness, maidenhood, maidenhead; Platonic love; marital fidelity *or* faithfulness.

.4 ADJS **chaste, virtuous; pure,** purehearted, pure in heart; **clean,** cleanly; **immaculate, spotless,** blotless, stainless, taintless, white, snowy; **unsoiled, unsullied, undefiled,** untarnished, unstained, unspotted, untainted, unblemished, unblotted, uncorrupt 980.9; "as chaste as Diana", "as chaste as unsunn'd snow" [both Shakespeare], "chaste as morning dew" [Edward Young]; sexually innocent, innocent 984.6–8.

.5 **decent, modest, decorous,** delicate, elegant, proper, becoming, seemly.

.6 **continent;** abstinent 992.10; celibate; virginal, **virgin,** maidenly, vestal, intact; Platonic.

.7 **undebauched, undissipated, undissolute,** unwanton, unlicentious.

989. UNCHASTITY

.1 NOUNS **unchastity,** unchasteness; unvirtuousness; **impurity,** uncleanness, uncleanliness, taintedness, soiledness, sulliedness, maculacy; **indecency** 990.

.2 **incontinence,** uncontinence; intemperance 993; unrestraint 762.3.

.3 **profligacy, dissoluteness, licentiousness,** license, unbridledness, wildness, fastness, rakishness, gallantry, **libertinism,** libertinage; **dissipation, debauchery,** debauchment; venery, wenching, whoring, womanizing.

.4 **wantonness, waywardness; looseness,** laxity, lightness, loose morals, easy virtue, whorishness, chambering, **promiscuity,** sleeping around [informal]; swinging [informal].

.5 **lasciviousness, lechery, lecherousness, lewdness,** bawdiness, **dirtiness,** salacity, salaciousness, **carnality,** animality, fleshliness, **sexuality, sexiness, lust, lustfulness,** prurience *or* pruriency; **obscenity** 990.4; concupiscence, lickerishness, libidinousness, randiness, horniness [slang], lubricity, lubriciousness, **sensuality,** eroticism, goatishness; satyrism, satyriasis, gynecomania; nymphomania, furor uterinus, hysteromania, uteromania, clitoromania; erotomania, eroticomania, aphrodisiomania.

.6 **seduction,** seducement, **betrayal; violation,** abuse; **debauchment, defilement,** ravishment, ravage, despoilment, fate worse than death; priapism; defloration, deflowering; **rape,** sexual *or* criminal assault.

.7 (illicit sexual intercourse) **adultery,** criminal conversation *or* congress *or* cohabitation, extramarital *or* premarital sex, extramarital *or* premarital relations, extracurricular sex *or* relations [informal], **fornication;** free love, free-lovism; **incest;** concubinage; cuckoldry.

.8 **prostitution, harlotry,** whoredom, **streetwalking;** soliciting, solicitation; Mrs. Warren's profession; whoremonging, whoremastery, pimping, pandering.

.9 **brothel, house of prostitution,** house of assignation, house of joy *or* ill repute *or* ill fame, **whorehouse,** bawdyhouse, sporting house, disorderly house, **cathouse, bordello,** bagnio, stew, dive, den of vice, den *or* sink of iniquity, crib, joint; panel house *or* panel den; red-light district, tenderloin, stews, street of fallen women.

.10 **libertine, swinger** [informal], **profligate, rake,** rakehell, rip [informal], **roué,** wanton, womanizer, walking phallus, debauchee, rounder [archaic], **wolf** [slang], woman chaser, skirt chaser [slang], gay dog, gay deceiver, gallant, philanderer, lover-boy [informal], lady-killer, Lothario, Don Juan, Casanova.

.11 **lecher, satyr, goat,** old goat, **dirty old man;** whorer *or* whoremonger [both archaic], whoremaster, whorehound [slang]; Priapus; gynecomaniac; erotomaniac, eroticomaniac, aphrodisiomaniac.

.12 **seducer, betrayer,** deceiver; **debaucher, ravisher,** ravager, violator, despoiler, defiler; raper, **rapist.**

.13 **adulterer, fornicator; adulteress,** fornicatress, fornicatrix.

.14 **strumpet, trollop, wench, hussy, slut, jade, baggage,** *cocotte* [Fr], grisette; **tart** *or* **chippy** *or* **floozy** *or* broad [all slang], bitch, drab, trull, quean, harridan, Jezebel, wanton, whore [informal], bad woman, **loose woman,** easy woman [informal], easy lay [slang], woman of easy virtue, frail sister; pickup; nymphomaniac, nympho [slang], hysteromaniac, uteromaniac, clitoromaniac; nymphet.

.15 **demimonde,** demimondaine, demirep; **courtesan,** adventuress, **seductress,** femme fatale, vampire, vamp, temptress; hetaera, houri, harem girl, odalisque; Jezebel, Messalina, Delilah, Thais, Phryne, Aspasia, Lais.

.16 **prostitute, harlot, whore,** *fille de joie* [Fr], daughter of joy, call girl *or* B-girl [both informal], **scarlet woman,** unfortunate woman, painted woman, fallen woman, erring sister, **streetwalker,** hustler *or* **hooker** [both slang], woman of the town, *poule* [Fr], stew, meretrix, Cyprian, Paphian; white slave.

.17 **mistress,** woman, **kept woman,** kept mistress, **paramour,** concubine, doxy, playmate, spiritual *or* unofficial wife.

.18 **procurer, pimp,** pander *or* panderer, *maquereau* [Fr], **bawd; gigolo,** fancy man; procuress, **madam** [informal]; white slaver.

.19 VERBS **be promiscuous,** sleep around, swing [informal]; **debauch, wanton,** rake, chase women, womanize, whore, sow one's wild oats; **philander** 932.18; **dissipate** 993.6; fornicate, commit adultery; grovel, wallow, wallow in the mire.

.20 **seduce, betray, deceive,** mislead, lead astray; **debauch, ravish,** ravage, despoil, ruin; deflower, pop one's cherry [slang]; **defile,** soil, sully; **violate,** abuse; **rape,** force.

.21 **prostitute;** pimp, procure, pander.

.22 **cuckold,** father upon; wear horns, wear the horn.

.23 ADJS **unchaste, unvirtuous,** unvirginal; **impure, unclean; indecent** 990.5; soiled, sullied, smirched, besmirched, defiled, tainted, maculate.

.24 **incontinent,** uncontinent; **orgiastic;** intemperate 993.7; unrestrained 762.23.

.25 **profligate, licentious,** unbridled, free; **dissolute, dissipated, debauched,** abandoned; **wild, fast,** gallant, gay, rakish; rakehell, rakehellish, rakehelly.

.26 **wanton, wayward,** Paphian; **loose,** lax, slack, loose-moraled, of loose morals, of easy virtue, easy [informal], **light,** no better than she should be, whorish, chambering, **promiscuous.**

.27 freeloving; **adulterous,** illicit, extramarital, premarital; incestuous.

.28 **prostitute, prostituted, whorish, harlot,** scarlet, fallen, meretricious, streetwalking, hustling [slang], on the town *or* streets, on the *pavé.*

.29 **lascivious, lecherous, sexy, salacious, carnal,** animal, **sexual, lustful,** ithyphallic, **hot,** prurient, concupiscent, lickerish, libidinous, randy, horny [slang], lubricious; **lewd, bawdy,** dirty, **obscene** 990.9; erotic, **sensual,** fleshly; goatish, satyric, priapic, gynecomaniacal; nymphomaniacal, hysteromaniacal, uteromaniacal, clitoromaniacal; erotomaniacal, eroticomaniacal, aphrodisiomaniacal.

990. INDECENCY

.1 NOUNS **indecency, indelicacy,** inelegance *or* inelegancy, **indecorousness,** indecorum, **impropriety,** inappropriateness, unseemliness, indiscretion, indiscreetness; **unchastity** 989.

.2 **immodesty,** unmodestness, impudicity; exhibitionism; **shamelessness,** unembarrassedness; **brazenness,** forwardness, boldness, flagrancy, notoriousness.

.3 **vulgarity, uncouthness, coarseness, grossness,** rankness, rawness; **earthiness,** frankness; raciness, saltiness, spiciness.

.4 **obscenity, dirtiness,** bawdry, **ribaldry, pornography,** porno *or* porn [both informal], hard-core *or* soft-core pornography, salacity, **smut, dirt, filth; lewdness, bawdiness,** salaciousness, **smuttiness, foulness, filthiness,** nastiness, vileness, offensiveness; scurrility, fescenninity; Rabelaisianism; erotic art *or* literature, pornographic art *or* literature; sexploitation; blue movie *or* dirty movie *or* porno film *or* skin flick [all slang], stag film [informal], X-rated movie; pornographomania, erotographomania, iconolagny.

.5 ADJS **indecent, indelicate, inelegant, indecorous, improper,** inappropriate, **unseemly, unbecoming,** indiscreet.

.6 **immodest,** unmodest; exhibitionistic; **shameless,** unashamed, unembarrassed, unabashed, unblushing, **brazen,** brazenfaced; **forward,** bold, flagrant, notorious.

.7 **risqué,** risky, **racy,** salty, spicy, **off-color,** suggestive, scabrous.

.8 **vulgar, uncouth, coarse, gross,** rank, raw, broad, low; gutter; **earthy,** frank.

.9 **obscene, lewd, bawdy,** ithyphallic, **ribald, pornographic, salacious,** sultry [informal], lurid, **dirty, smutty,** raunchy [slang], blue, smoking-room, impure, unchaste, unclean, **foul, filthy, nasty,** vile, fulsome, offensive, unprintable, unrepeatable, not fit for mixed company; scurrilous, scurrile, Fescennine; foul-mouthed, foul-tongued, foul-spoken; Rabelaisian.

991. ASCETICISM

.1 NOUNS **asceticism, austerity, self-denial,** rigor; **puritanism,** eremitism, anchoritism, anchorite *or* anchoritic monasticism, monasticism, monachism; Sabbatarianism; Albigensianism, Waldensianism, Catharism; Yoga; mortification, self-mortification, maceration, flagellation; **abstinence** 992.2; fasting 995; voluntary poverty, mendicantism, Franciscanism; Trappism.

.2 **ascetic, puritan,** Sabbatarian; Albigensian, Waldensian, Catharist; **abstainer** 992.4; anchorite, **hermit** 924.5; yogi, yogin; sannyasi, bhikshu, dervish, fakir, flagellant; mendicant, Franciscan; Trappist.

.3 ADJS **ascetic, austere,** self-denying, rigoristic, **puritanical,** eremitic, anchoritic 924.9, Sabbatarian; Albigensian, Waldensian, Catharist; **abstinent** 992.10; mendicant, wedded to poverty, Franciscan; Trappist; flagellant.

992. TEMPERANCE

.1 NOUNS **temperance,** temperateness, **moderation,** moderateness, sophrosyne; golden mean; nothing in excess, sobriety, soberness, frugality, forbearance, abnegation; renunciation, renouncement; denial, **self-denial;** restraint, constraint, **self-restraint; self-control,** self-mastery, self-discipline.

.2 **abstinence,** abstention, abstainment, **abstemiousness,** refraining, refrainment, avoidance, eschewal, passing up [informal]; **total abstinence, teetotalism,** nephalism, Rechabitism; the pledge; Encratism, Shakerism; Pythagorism, Pythagoreanism; sexual abstinence, celibacy 934; chastity 988; gymnosophy; Stoicism; vegetarianism, fruitarianism; plain living, spare diet, simple diet; Spartan fare, Lenten fare; fish day, Friday, banyan day; fast 995.2,3; **continence** 988.3; **asceticism** 991.

.3 **prohibition,** prohibitionism; Eighteenth Amendment, Volstead Act.

.4 **abstainer,** abstinent; **teetotaler,** teetotalist; nephalist, Rechabite, hydropot, water-drinker; vegetarian, fruitarian; banian, banya; gymnosophist; Pythagorean, Pythagorist; Encratite, Apostolici, Shaker; **ascetic** 991.2.

.5 **prohibitionist, dry** [slang]; Anti-Saloon League; Women's Christian Temperance Union, WCTU.

.6 VERBS **restrain oneself,** constrain oneself, curb oneself, hold back, **avoid excess; limit oneself, restrict oneself; control oneself,** control one's appetites, repress *or* inhibit one's desires, contain oneself, discipline oneself, master oneself, exercise self-control *or* self-restraint, keep oneself under control, keep in *or* within bounds, keep within compass *or* limits, know when one has had enough; live plainly *or* simply *or* frugally; mortify oneself, mortify the flesh, control the fleshly lusts, control the carnal man *or* the old Adam, "let the passions be amenable to reason" [Cicero]; eat to live, not live to eat; eat sparingly.

.7 **abstain,** abstain from, refrain, **refrain from, forbear, forgo,** spare, withhold, hold back, **avoid, shun,** eschew, **pass up** [informal], **keep from,** keep *or* stand *or* hold aloof from, have nothing to do with, take no part in, have no hand in, **let alone,** let well enough alone, let go by, **deny oneself,** do without, not *or* never touch.

.8 **swear off, renounce,** forswear, **give up,** abandon, stop, discontinue; take the pledge, get on the wagon *or* water wagon [slang].

.9 ADJS **temperate, moderate,** sober, frugal, restrained, **sparing,** stinting, measured.

.10 **abstinent,** abstentious, **abstemious;** teetotal, sworn off, on the wagon *or* water wagon [slang]; nephalistic, Rechabite; Encratic, Apostolic, Shaker; Pythagorean; sexually abstinent, celibate, chaste; Stoic; vegetarian, fruitarian; Spartan, Lenten; **continent** 988.6; **ascetic** 991.3.

.11 prohibitionist, antisaloon, dry [informal].

.12 ADVS **temperately, moderately, sparingly,** stintingly, frugally, in moderation, within compass *or* bounds.

993. INTEMPERANCE

.1 NOUNS **intemperance,** intemperateness, **indulgence, self-indulgence; overindulgence,** overdoing; **unrestraint,** unconstraint, indiscipline, uncontrol; **immoderation,** immoderacy, immoderateness; in-

ordinacy, inordinateness; **excess, excessiveness,** too much, too-muchness [informal]; prodigality, extravagance; crapulence *or* crapulency, crapulousness; **incontinence** 989.2; **swinishness, gluttony** 994; **drunkenness** 996.1.

.2 **dissipation, licentiousness; riotous living,** free living, high living [informal], fast *or* killing pace; **debauchery,** debauchment; **carousal,** carouse; **debauch, orgy,** saturnalia.

.3 **dissipater,** rounder [archaic], free liver, high liver [informal]; nighthawk *or* night owl [both informal].

.4 VERBS **indulge,** indulge oneself, indulge one's appetites, "indulge in easy vices" [Samuel Johnson], deny oneself nothing *or* not at all; **give oneself up to,** give free course to, give free rein to; live well *or* high, live high on the hog [slang], live off the fat of the land; indulge in, luxuriate in, wallow in; roll in.

.5 **overindulge, overdo, carry to excess,** carry too far, go the limit, go whole hog [slang], not know when to stop; dine not wisely but too well.

.6 **dissipate,** plunge into dissipation, **debauch, wanton, carouse,** run riot, live hard *or* fast, squander one's money in riotous living, burn the candle at both ends, keep up a fast *or* killing pace, sow one's wild oats, have one's fling, "eat, drink, and be merry" [Bible].

.7 ADJS **intemperate, indulgent, self-indulgent; overindulgent,** overindulging, unthrifty, unfrugal, **immoderate,** inordinate, **excessive,** too much, prodigal, extravagant, extreme, unmeasured, unlimited; crapulous, crapulent; undisciplined, uncontrolled, unbridled, unconstrained, **unrestrained** 762.23; **incontinent** 989.24; **swinish, gluttonous** 994.6; bibulous 996.34.

.8 **licentious, dissipated, riotous, dissolute, debauched;** free-living, high-living [informal].

.9 **orgiastic,** saturnalian, corybantic.

.10 ADVS **intemperately,** prodigally, **immoderately,** inordinately, excessively, **in** *or* **to excess,** to extremes, beyond all bounds *or* limits, without restraint; high, high on the hog [slang].

994. GLUTTONY

.1 NOUNS **gluttony,** gluttonousness, **greed,** greediness, voraciousness, voracity, ravenousness, edacity, crapulence *or* crapulency, gulosity, rapacity, insatiability; omnivorousness; **piggishness, hoggishness,** swinishness, "swinish gluttony" [Milton]; overindulgence, overeating, polyphagia, hyperphagia; intemperance 993.

.2 **epicurism, epicureanism, gourmandise,** gastronomy.

.3 **glutton,** greedy eater, hefty *or* husky eater [informal], trencherman, trencherwoman, belly-god, greedygut *or* greedyguts [both slang], gorger, **gourmand,** gourmandizer, gormand, gormandizer, guttler, cormorant; **hog** *or* **pig** [both informal].

.4 VERBS **gluttonize,** gormandize, **indulge one's appetite,** live to eat; **gorge,** engorge, glut, cram, **stuff,** batten, guttle, guzzle, **devour,** raven, bolt, gobble, gulp, **wolf,** gobble *or* gulp *or* bolt *or* wolf down, eat like a horse, eat one's head off [informal], eat out of house and home.

.5 **overeat,** overgorge, **overindulge, make a pig** *or* **hog of oneself.**

.6 ADJS **gluttonous, greedy,** voracious, ravenous, edacious, rapacious, insatiable, polyphagic, hyperphagic, Apician; **piggish, hoggish,** swinish; crapulous, crapulent; intemperate 993.7; omnivorous, all-devouring; **gorging,** cramming, glutting, guttling, stuffing, guzzling, wolfing, bolting, **gobbling, gulping,** gluttonizing.

.7 overfed, overgorged, overindulged.

.8 ADVS **gluttonously, greedily,** voraciously, ravenously, edaciously; **piggishly, hoggishly, swinishly.**

995. FASTING

.1 NOUNS **fasting,** abstinence from food; starvation; restriction of intake; punishment of Tantalus.

.2 **fast,** lack of food; spare *or* meager diet, Lenten diet, Lenten fare, "Lenten entertainment" [Shakespeare]; short commons *or* rations, starvation diet, bread and water, bare subsistence; xerophagy, xerophagia; Barmecide *or* Barmecidal feast.

.3 **fast day,** *jour maigre* [Fr]; **Lent,** Quadragesima; Yom Kippur, Tishah B'Av *or* Ninth of Av; Ramadan.

.4 VERBS **fast,** not eat, go hungry, dine with Duke Humphrey; eat sparingly.

.5 ADJS **fasting,** uneating, unfed; **Lenten,** quadragesimal.

996. INTOXICATION

.1 NOUNS **intoxication, inebriation, inebriety,** insobriety, besottedness, sottedness, **drunkenness, tipsiness,** befuddlement, fuddle, fuddlement, fuddledness, tipsification *or* tiddliness [both informal]; a

high; Dutch courage, pot-valiance *or* pot-valiancy, pot-valor; hangover, katzenjammer, morning after [informal].

.2 **bibulousness,** bibacity, bibaciousness, bibulosity, sottishness; serious drinking; crapulence, crapulousness; **intemperance** 993; bacchanalianism; Bacchus, Dionysus.

.3 **alcoholism, dipsomania,** oenomania *or* oinomania, alcoholic psychosis *or* addiction, pathological drunkenness, problem drinking, heavy drinking, habitual drunkenness, ebriosity; delirium tremens 473.9, 10; grog blossom *or* bottle nose [both informal]; gin drinker's liver, cirrhosis of the liver.

.4 **drinking, imbibing; social drinking; tippling,** guzzling, gargling, bibbing; winebibbing, winebibbery; toping, **boozing** *or* swilling [both informal], **hitting the booze** *or* **bottle** *or* **sauce** [slang].

.5 **spree, drinking bout,** bout, **celebration,** potation, compotation, symposium, wassail, guzzle, **carouse, carousal,** drunken carousal *or* revelry; **binge, drunk,** bust, tear; **bender** *or* **toot** *or* **bat** *or* **jag** [all slang], pub-crawl [Brit informal]; bacchanal, bacchanalia, bacchanalian; **debauch, orgy.**

.6 **drink,** dram, potation, potion, libation, **nip,** draft, drop, spot, finger or two, sip, sup, suck, drench, guzzle, gargle, jigger; peg, swig, swill, pull; **snort,** jolt, **shot,** snifter, wet; round; round of drinks.

.7 **bracer, refresher,** reviver, pickup *or* **pick-me-up** [both informal], hair of the dog *or* hair of the dog that bit one [both informal].

.8 **drink, cocktail, highball,** mixed drink 996.42; **punch; eye-opener** [informal], **nightcap** [informal], sundowner [Brit informal]; **chaser** [informal], *pousse-café* [Fr], *apéritif* [Fr]; parting cup, stirrup cup, doch-an-dorrach *or* wee doch-an-dorrach [both Scot]; Mickey Finn *or* Mickey *or* knockout drops [all slang].

.9 **toast, pledge.**

.10 **drinker,** imbiber, **social drinker,** tippler, bibber; winebibber, oenophilist; **drunkard, drunk, inebriate,** *shikker* [Yid], **sot,** toper, guzzler, swiller, soaker, lovepot, tosspot, barfly, thirsty soul, **serious drinker,** devotee of Bacchus; **boozer** [informal], swigger; hard drinker, heavy drinker, big drunk [slang]; **alcoholic, dipsomaniac, problem drinker,** chronic alcoholic, chronic drunk, pathological drinker, alcoholic addict; carouser, reveler, wassailer; bacchanal, bacchanalian; pot companion.

.11 [slang terms] **lush,** lusher, **soak,** sponge, hooch hound, **boozehound,** ginhound, elbow bender *or* crooker, bottle sucker, swillbelly, swillpot, swillbowl; **souse, stew,** bum, rummy, rum hound; wino.

.12 **liquor,** intoxicating liquor, "the luscious liquor" [Milton], **hard liquor,** schnapps, **spirits, ardent spirits,** strong waters, **intoxicant,** toxicant, inebriant, **potable,** potation, **beverage, drink, strong drink,** alcoholic drink *or* beverage, **alcohol,** aqua vitae, water of life, brew, **grog,** social lubricant, nectar of the gods; **booze** [informal]; **rum,** the Demon Rum, John Barleycorn; the bottle, the cup, the cup that cheers, "the ruddy cup" [Sir Walter Scott], little brown jug; punch bowl, the flowing bowl.

.13 [slang terms] **likker, hooch, sauce,** firewater, tiger milk; **medicine,** snake medicine, corpse reviver.

.14 (bad liquor) **rotgut, poison,** rat poison, formaldehyde, embalming fluid, shellac, panther piss [all slang].

.15 **beer** 996.38, "barmy beer" [Dryden]; swipes [Brit informal], suds [informal]; small beer.

.16 **wine** 996.39, *vin* [Fr], *vino* [Sp & Ital], oen(o)– *or* en(o)–; vintage wine, nonvintage wine; red wine, white wine, rosé wine, pink wine; dry *or* sweet wine, heavy *or* light wine, full *or* thin wine, rough *or* smooth wine, still wine, sparkling wine; extra sec *or* demi-sec *or* sec *or* brut champagne; new wine, must; imported wine, domestic wine.

.17 **bootleg liquor, moonshine** [informal]; hooch *or* shine *or* mountain dew [all slang], white lightning *or* white mule [both slang]; bathtub gin; home brew.

.18 **liquor dealer,** liquor store owner; **vintner,** wine merchant; **bartender,** mixologist, barkeeper, barkeep, barman [Brit], tapster, publican [Brit]; barmaid, tapstress; **brewer,** brewmaster; **distiller; bootlegger, moonshiner** [informal].

.19 **bar,** barroom, bistro, cocktail lounge; taproom; **tavern, pub,** pothouse, alehouse, rumshop, grogshop, dramshop, groggery, gin mill [slang], **saloon,** drinking saloon, saloon bar [Brit]; public house [Brit]; public *or* local [both Brit informal]; beer parlor, beer garden, rathskeller; **nightclub, cabaret;** café, wine shop; barrel house *or* honky-tonk *or* dive [all slang]; **speakeasy** *or* blind tiger *or* blind pig *or* after-hours joint [all slang].

.20 **distillery, still,** distiller; **brewery,** brewhouse; **winery,** wine press; bottling works.

.21 VERBS **intoxicate, inebriate, addle, befuddle,** bemuse, besot, go to one's head, make one see double, make one tiddly.

.22 [slang or informal terms] **plaster,** pickle, swack, crock, stew, souse, stone, pollute, tipsify, booze up, boozify, fuddle, overtake.

.23 **tipple, drink,** dram [Brit], nip; grog, **guzzle,** gargle; **imbibe,** have a drink *or* nip *or* dram *or* guzzle *or* gargle, soak, bib, quaff, sip, sup, lap, lap up, take a drop, slake one's thirst, cheer *or* refresh the inner man, drown one's sorrows, commune with the spirits; toss off *or* down, toss one's drink, knock back, drink off *or* up, drain the cup, drink bottoms-up, drink deep; **drink hard,** drink like a fish, drink seriously, **tope;** take to drink *or* drinking, "follow strong drink" [Bible].

.24 [slang or informal terms] **booze,** swig, swill, moisten *or* wet one's whistle; **liquor, liquor up,** lush, souse, tank up, **hit the booze** *or* **bottle** *or* **sauce,** exercise *or* bend *or* crook *or* raise the elbow, dip the beak, splice the main brace; chug-a-lug, chug.

.25 **get drunk,** be stricken drunk, get high, put on a high, take a drop too much; **get plastered** *or* **pickled,** etc. [slang], tie one on *or* get a bun on [both slang].

.26 **be drunk,** be intoxicated, have a drop too much, have more than one can hold, have a jag on [slang], see double, be feeling no pain; **stagger, reel; pass out** [slang].

.27 **go on a spree; go on a binge** *or* **drunk** *or* **toot** *or* **bat** *or* **bender** [slang], **carouse, spree, revel,** wassail, debauch, "eat, drink, and be merry" [Bible], paint the town red [slang], pub-crawl [Brit informal].

.28 **drink to, toast, pledge,** drink a toast to, drink *or* pledge the health of, give you.

.29 **distill; brew;** bootleg, moonshine [informal], moonlight [slang].

.30 ADJS **intoxicated, inebriated,** inebriate, inebrious, **drunk, drunken,** *shikker* [Yid], **tipsy,** in liquor, **in one's cups, under the influence,** the worse for liquor; nappy, beery; **tiddly, giddy, dizzy,** muddled, addled, flustered, bemused, reeling, seeing double; **mellow, merry,** jolly, happy, gay, glorious; **full,** fou [Scot]; **besotted,** sotted, sodden, drenched, far-gone; drunk as a lord, drunk as a fiddler *or* piper, drunk as an owl; staggering drunk, blind drunk; crapulent, crapulous; **maudlin.**

.31 [slang or informal terms] **fuddled,** muzzy, **boozy,** overtaken; **swacked, plastered,** stewed, **pickled,** pissed, **soused,** soaked, boiled, fried, canned, tanked, potted, corned, bombed, smashed; bent, **crocked,** crocko, shellacked, tight, lushy, squiffy, afflicted, jug-bitten, oiled, lubricated, polluted, raddled, organized, **high,** elevated, high as a kite, lit, **lit up,** lit to the gills, illuminated, **loaded, stinko,** stinking drunk, pie-eyed, pissy-eyed, cockeyed, cockeyed drunk, roaring *or* rip-roaring drunk, skunk-drunk; half-seas over, three sheets to the wind.

.32 **full of Dutch courage, pot-valiant,** pot-valorous.

.33 **dead-drunk,** blind drunk, blind [informal], overcome, out [informal], **out cold** *or* passed out [both slang], **blotto** *or* **stiff** [both slang], helpless, under the table; paralyzed [informal], **stoned** [slang].

.34 **bibulous,** bibacious, drunken, sottish, liquorish, given *or* addicted to drink, **liquor-loving,** liquor-drinking, drinking, swilling [informal], toping, tippling, wine-bibbing.

.35 **intoxicating,** intoxicative, **inebriating,** inebriative, inebriant, heady.

.36 **alcoholic, spirituous, ardent, strong, hard,** with a kick [slang]; winy, vinous.

.37 INTERJS (toasts) skoal!, *skôl!* [Norw], prosit! *or* prost!, *à votre santé!* [Fr], *¡salud!* [Sp], *l'chaim!* [Heb], *sláinte!* [Ir], *salute!* [Ital], *na zdorov'e!* [Russ], *nazdrowie!* [Pol], to your health!, cheerio!, cheers!, down the hatch!, bottoms up!, here's how!, here's to you!, here's looking at you!, here's mud in your eye!, here's good luck!, here's to absent friends!

.38 **brews**

ale
beer
bitters [Brit]
bock beer
dark beer
half-and-half
kvass
lager beer
light beer
malt liquor
mead
metheglin
Munich beer
near beer
Pilsner
porter
pulque
sake
schenk beer
stout
weiss beer

.39 **wines**

abboccato
Aglianico del Vulture
Alba Flora
Alban(a)
Algarve
Algerian wine
Alicante
Aloxe-Corton
Alsace
altar wine
amontillado
amoroso
Anjou
apple wine
apricot wine
Argentine wine
Assmannshausen
Asti Spumante
Aszú
Bad Kreuznach

Badacsonyi
Banyuls
Barbaresco
Barbera
Bardolino
Barolo
Barsac
Beaujolais
Beaune
Bernkasteler
blackberry wine
blanc de blancs
blanc de noirs
Blanquette de Limoux
Bockstein
Bordeaux
bual
Bucelas
Burgundy
Byrrh
Cabernet
Cabernet Sauvignon
Cahors
California wine
Canary
Carignan
Castelli Romani
Catawba
Chablis
Chalonnais
Chambertin
Champagne
champagne cider
Chardonnay
Châteauneuf-du-Pape
Chenin blanc
cherry wine
Chian
Chianti
Chianti classico
Chiaretto
Chilean wine
Clairette de Die
claret
Colares
cold duck
Concord wine
Constantia
consumo
Cortaillod
Cortese
Corton
Corvo
Côte de Nuits
Côte d'Or
Côte Rotie
Côtes de Provence
Côtes du Rhone
cowslip wine
cream sherry
crémant
currant wine
damson wine
dandelion wine
Dão
Deidesheimer
Delaware
dessert wine
Dôle
Dubonnet
Échézeaux
Egri Bikavér
Eiswein
elderberry wine
Eszencia
Etna
Falerno
Fendant de Sion
Fixin
fortified wine
Frascati
Frecciarossa
frizzante
Gamay
Geisenheimer
Gewürztraminer
ginger wine
gooseberry wine
Gragano
Grands Échézeaux
Graves
Grenache
Grignolino
Grinzig
Grumello
Gumpoldskirchner
hard cider
Hattenheimer
Haut Sauternes
hawthorn wine
Hermitage
Hochheimer
hock
Hospices de Beaune
Inferno
Johannisberger
jug wine
Jura
Jurançon
Kaffia
kosher wine
Kremser
Lacrima Christi
Lambrusco
Liebfraumilch
Livermore Valley
Ljutomer
loganberry wine
Lugana
Mâcon(nais)
Madeira
Málaga
malmsey
Malvasia
Mamertino
Manzanilla
Marsala
Mavrodaphne
May wine
Médoc
Meursault
milk sherry
Monbazillac
Monchhof
Montefiascone
Montepulciano
Montmélian
Montrachet
Moroccan wine
Moselblümchen
Moselle
mulberry wine
Muscadet
Muscat
muscatel
Musigny
Nackenheimer
Napa Valley
Neckar
Neuchâtel
New York State wine
Nuits-St.-Georges
Oeil de Perdrix
oloroso
Orvieto
Pallini
Palomino
parsnip wine
Passover wine
peach wine
Peruvian wine
pink *or* rosé champagne
Pinot
Pinot blanc
Pinot Chardonnay
Pinot noir
plum wine
pomace
Pomerol
Pommard
pop wine
port
Pouilly-Fuissé
Pouilly-Fumé
Priorato
Prošek
quince wine
raisin wine
raspberry wine
red wine
retsina
Reuilly
Rhenish wine
Rhine
Rhône
rhubarb wine
Ribero
Riesling
Rioja
Riquewihr
riserva
Romanée Conti
rosé
Roussillon
ruby port
Rüdesheimer
Ruppertsberger
sack
sacramental wine
sage wine
St.-Denis
St.-Émilion
St. Raphael
Sancerre
Sangiovese
Santa Clara Valley
Sassella
Saumur
sauterne
Sauternes
Sauvignon blanc
Sekt
Sémillon
sercial
Seyssel
sherry
soave
solera sherry
Somlo
Sonoma Valley
sparkling Burgundy
sparkling wine
Steinwein
stone wine
straw wine
Sylvaner
Szekszárd
Szomorodni
table wine
Tarragona
Tavel
tawny port
Tokay
Touraine
Traminer
Tulare County
Valdepeñas
Valpolicella
Valtellina
verbesserte
verdelho
Verdicchio
vermouth
Vernaccia
Vesuvio
vinho verde
vin-jaune
vin mousseux
vin ordinaire
vin rosé
Volnay
Vougeot
Vouvray
white wine
Zinfandel
zucco

.40 spirits, liquor

absinthe
alcool blanc [Fr]
Amer Picon
Angostura bitters
aquavit *or* akvavit
arak
Armagnac
bitters
blended whiskey
bourbon
brandy
Campari
Canadian whiskey, Canadian
clean rum
Cognac
corn whiskey
eau de vie [Fr]
Fernet Branca
geneva
gin
Grand Champagne
Grand Fine Champagne
grappa
grog

Holland gin, Hollands
Irish whiskey, Irish
Jamaica gin
Jamaica rum
Kirsch
light whiskey
malt whiskey
marc
marc de Burgogne
mescal
moonshine
ouzo
pastis [Fr]
Pernod
Petite Champagne
plum brandy
Punt e Mes
raki
rum
rye whiskey, rye
schnapps
Scotch whiskey, Scotch
slivovitz
tequila
vodka
whiskey

.41 liqueurs, cordials.

anisette
apple brandy
applejack
apricot brandy
Benedictine
Calvados
Chartreuse
Cointreau
Cordial Médoc
Crema de Lima
crème d'amande
crème de cacao
crème de cassis
crème de menthe
crème de moka
crème de noyau
crème Yvette
Curaçao
Danzig brandy
Danziger Goldwasser
Drambuie
framboise
Galliano
goldwater
Grand Marnier
green Chartreuse
Irish Mist
Kümmel
maraschino
parfait amour
pear brandy
poire
pousse-café
rainbow cordial
sloe gin
Strega
Triple Sec
yellow Chartreuse

.42 mixed drinks

Americano
apricot sour
Bacardi
bishop
Black Russian
Bloody Mary
bourbon and branch water
bowle
brandy Alexander
brandy and soda, BS
brandy smash
Bronx cocktail
Bull Shot
buttered rum
champagne cocktail
church parade
cobbler
cocktail
coffee royale
collins
cooler
Cuba Libre
Daiquiri
dry martini
Dubonnet cocktail
eggnog
fizz
flip
gimlet
gin and tonic
gin fizz
gin rickey
gin sling
Glühwein
grasshopper
Green Dragon
Guggenheim
Harvey Wallbanger
highball
hot buttered rum
hot toddy
Irish coffee
Jersey Lily
julep
lamb's wool
Mai-Tai
Manhattan
Margarita
martini
mint julep
Moscow mule
Negroni
negus
old-fashioned
orange blossom
pink lady
pink squirrel
planter's punch
posset
purl
rickey
rince pichon
Rob Roy
rum punch
sangria
Sazerac
Scotch and soda
Scotch and water
screwdriver
sidecar
silver fizz
sling
smash
sour
swizzle
toddy
Tom and Jerry
Tom Collins
vermouth cassis
vodka martini
wassail
whiskey smash
whiskey sour

997. SOBRIETY

(unintoxicated state)

.1 NOUNS **sobriety, soberness;** unintoxicatedness, uninebriatedness, undrunkenness; temperance 992.

.2 VERBS **sober up,** sober off; sleep it off; bring one down, take off a high [slang].

.3 ADJS **sober,** in one's sober senses, in one's right mind, in possession of one's faculties; **unintoxicated, uninebriated,** uninebriate, uninebrious, undrunk, undrunken, untipsy; cold sober [informal], **sober as a judge;** able to walk the chalk, able to walk the chalk mark *or* line [informal]; temperate 992.9.

.4 **unintoxicating,** nonintoxicating, uninebriating; **nonalcoholic, soft.**

998. LEGALITY

.1 NOUNS **legality, legitimacy, lawfulness, legitimateness, licitness,** rightfulness, validity, scope, applicability; **jurisdiction** 1000; actionability, justiciability, **constitutionality,** constitutional validity; legal process, legal form, **due process;** legalism, constitutionalism; **justice** 976.

.2 **legalization, legitimatization,** validation; authorization, sanction; legislation, enactment 742.13.

.3 **law,** *lex, jus* [both L], **statute,** rubric, **canon,** institution; **ordinance,** ordonnance; **act, enactment, measure,** legislation 742.13; **rule, ruling; prescript,** prescription; **regulation,** *règlement* [Fr]; **dictate,** dictation; form, formula, formulary, formality; standing order; bylaw; **edict, decree** 752.4; **bill** 742.17.

.4 (laws) common law, *jus commune* [Fr]; chancery law, equity; substantive law; unwritten law, *lex non scripta* [L]; written *or* statute law, *lex scripta* [L], *jus scriptum* [L], positive law; constitutional law; civil law, *jus civile* [L]; criminal law, crown law [Brit]; penal law; public law, *jus publicum* [L]; decree law; martial law; case law; international law, law of nations, *jus inter gentes* [L], *droit des gens* [Fr]; local law, law of the place, *lex loci, lex situs* [both L]; law of the land, *lex terrae* [L]; law of the domicile, *lex domicilii*

[L]; law of general application, *lex generalis* [L]; law of the forum, *lex fori* [L]; mercantile law, *lex mercatorum, lex mercatoria* [both L]; commercial law, business law, corporation law, law merchant; maritime law, sea law, admiralty law; canon *or* ecclesiastical law, *jus ecclesiasticum* [L], Corpus Juris Canonici; Roman law, Corpus Juris Civilis; blue law; dry law; gag law.

.5 **code, digest,** pandect, capitulary, **body of law,** corpus juris, code of laws, digest of law; equity; codification; civil code, penal code; Napoleonic code, *Code Napoléon* [Fr].

.6 **constitution,** written constitution, unwritten constitution; constitutional amendment; Bill of Rights, constitutional guarantees.

.7 **jurisprudence, law,** legal science; nomology, nomography; forensic *or* legal medicine, medical jurisprudence, medico-legal medicine; forensic psychiatry; forensic *or* legal chemistry; criminology.

.8 VERBS **legalize, legitimize,** legitimatize, legitimate, make legal, declare lawful, validate; **authorize, sanction;** constitute, ordain, establish, put in force; prescribe, formulate; regulate, make a regulation; **decree** 752.9; **legislate, enact** 742.18.

.9 **codify,** digest.

.10 ADJS **legal, legitimate,** legit [slang], kosher [informal], competent, **licit, lawful,** rightful, according to law, within the law; actionable, justiciable, within the scope of the law; **judicial,** juridical; **authorized, sanctioned,** valid, applicable; **constitutional;** statutory, statutable; **legislative, lawmaking** 742.19; lawlike; **just** 976.8–10.

.11 jurisprudent, jurisprudential; **legalistic; forensic;** nomistic, nomothetic; criminological.

.12 ADVS **legally, legitimately, licitly, lawfully,** by law, *de jure* [L], in the eyes of the law.

999. ILLEGALITY

.1 NOUNS **illegality, unlawfulness, illicitness, lawlessness,** wrongfulness; unauthorization, impermissibility, **unconstitutionality;** legal *or* technical flaw, legal irregularity; **criminality,** criminalism; **outlawry; anarchy,** collapse *or* breakdown *or* paralysis of authority, anomie; illicit business 826.

.2 **illegitimacy, illegitimateness,** illegitimation; **bastardy,** bastardism, noth(o)–; bend *or* bar sinister, baton.

.3 **lawbreaking, violation of law,** breach of law, infringement, contravention, infraction, **transgression,** trespass, trespassing.

.4 **offense, wrong,** illegality; **violation** 769.2; **wrongdoing** 982; **crime, felony; misdemeanor;** tort; delict, delictum.

.5 VERBS **break the law, violate the law,** breach the law, infringe, contravene, infract, violate 769.4, **transgress, trespass,** disobey the law, offend against the law, fly in the face of the law, set the law at defiance, set the law at naught, circumvent the law, disregard the law, **take the law into one's own hands,** twist *or* torture the law to one's own ends *or* purposes; commit a crime; live outside the law.

.6 ADJS **illegal, unlawful, illegitimate, illicit,** nonlicit, nonlegal, lawless, wrongful, **against the law; unauthorized,** unallowed, impermissible, unwarranted, unwarrantable, unofficial; unstatutory; **unconstitutional,** nonconstitutional; flawed, irregular, contrary to law; actionable, chargeable, justiciable; triable, punishable; **criminal, felonious; outlaw, outlawed; contraband,** bootleg, black-market; under-the-table, under-the-counter; anarchic, anarchistic, anomic.

.7 **illegitimate, spurious,** false; **bastard,** misbegot, **misbegotten,** miscreated, baseborn, born out of wedlock, without benefit of clergy.

.8 ADVS **illegally, unlawfully, illegitimately, illicitly;** impermissibly; criminally, feloniously; contrary to law, in violation of law.

1000. JURISDICTION

(administration of justice)

.1 NOUNS **jurisdiction,** legal authority *or* power *or* right; original *or* appellate jurisdiction, exclusive *or* concurrent jurisdiction, civil *or* criminal jurisdiction, common-law *or* equitable jurisdiction, *in rem* jurisdiction, *in personam* jurisdiction; voluntary jurisdiction.

.2 **judiciary,** judicature, judicatory, legal system, the courts; **justice,** the wheels of justice, judicial process; judgment 494.

.3 **magistracy,** magistrature, magistrateship; **judgeship,** justiceship; mayoralty, mayorship.

.4 **bureau, office, department;** secretariat, ministry, commissariat; municipality, bailiwick; constabulary, constablery, sheriffry, sheriffalty, shrievalty; constablewick, sheriffwick.

.5 VERBS **administer justice,** administer, ad-

ministrate; preside, preside at the board; **sit in judgment** 1004.17; **judge** 494.8.

.6 ADJS **jurisdictional,** jurisdictive; **judicatory,** judicatorial, judicative, **juridic(al); judicial, judiciary;** magisterial.

1001. TRIBUNAL

.1 NOUNS **tribunal, forum, board,** curia, Areopagus; judicature, judicatory, judiciary; council 755; inquisition, the Inquisition.

.2 **court, law court, court of law** *or* **justice,** court of arbitration, legal tribunal, judicature.

.3 (courts) circuit court, civil court, common-law court, county court, criminal court, district court, divorce court, juvenile court, police court, prize court, superior court, court of claims, court of domestic relations, family court, court of errors, court of first instance, court of record, court of requests, court of wards; appellate court, court of review, court of appeals, court of last resort; court of common pleas; assizes, court of assize; chancery, chancery court, court of chancery; conciliation court; court of inquiry, court of honor; court of conscience, equity court, court of equity; small-claims court; small-debts court; hustings, hustings court; probate court, court of probate; sessions, court of sessions, petty *or* quarter *or* special *or* general sessions; night court; traffic court; kangaroo court [informal], mock court, moot court.

.4 (US courts) Supreme Court, United States Supreme Court; United States District Court, United States Circuit Court of Appeals, Federal Court of Claims, Court of Private Land Claims.

.5 (British courts) court of admiralty, Court of Appeal, Court of Criminal Appeal, Court of Common Pleas, Court of Common Bank, Court of Common Council, Court of Divorce and Matrimonial Causes, Court of Exchequer, Court of Exchequer Chamber, Court of Queen's *or* King's Bench, Court of the Duchy of Lancaster, High Court, High Court of Appeal, High Court of Justice, High *or* Supreme Court of Judicature, Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, Lords Justices' Court, Palatine Court, Rolls Court, Stannary Court, superior courts of Westminster, Vice Chancellor's Court; court of attachments, woodmote; wardmote, wardmote court; Green Cloth, Board of Green Cloth; Court of Session [Scot], Teind Court [Scot]; court of piepoudre *or* dustyfoot.

.6 (ecclesiastical courts) Papal Court, Curia, Rota, Sacra Romana Rota, Court of Arches [Brit], Court of Peculiars [Brit].

.7 **military court, court-martial,** general *or* special *or* summary court-martial, drumhead court-martial.

.8 **seat of justice, judgment seat,** mercy seat, **bench;** woolsack [Brit].

.9 **courthouse, court;** town hall, town house; **courtroom;** jury box; witness stand *or* box, dock.

.10 ADJS **tribunal, judicial,** judiciary, curial; appellate.

1002. JUDGE, JURY

.1 NOUNS **judge, magistrate, justice,** indicator, bencher, beak [Brit slang]; **justice of the peace,** JP; **arbiter, arbitrator, moderator; umpire, referee;** his honor, his worship, his lordship; Mr. Justice; critic 494.6, 7.

.2 (historical) tribune, praetor, ephor, archon, syndic, podesta; Areopagite; justiciar, justiciary; dempster, deemster, doomster, doomsman.

.3 [Muhammadan] mullah, ulema, hakim, mufti, cadi.

.4 (special judges) judge advocate, JA, presiding judge, probate judge, police judge *or* justice *or* magistrate, PJ; circuit judge; justice in eyre; ordinary, judge ordinary; judge *or* justice of assize; puisne judge *or* justice; military judge; lay judge; assessor, legal assessor; barmaster [Brit], chancellor, vice-chancellor, jurat, recorder, master, amicus curiae; ombudsman.

.5 Chief Justice, Associate Justice, Justice of the Supreme Court; Lord Chief Justice, Lord Justice, Lord Chancellor, Master of the Rolls, Baron of the Exchequer; Judge Advocate General.

.6 Pontius Pilate, Solomon, Minos, Rhadamanthus, Aeacus.

.7 **jury, panel,** jury of one's peers, sessions [Scot], country, twelve men in a box; inquest, jury of inquest; grand jury, petit jury, coroner's jury, special jury, trial jury, jury of the vicinage, jury of matrons *or* women, blue-ribbon jury *or* panel; police jury; jury panel, jury list, venire; hung jury.

.8 **juror, juryman,** veniremen, jurywoman; talesman; foreman of the jury, foreman, jury chancellor [Scot]; grand-juror, grand-juryman; petit-juror, petit-juryman; recognitor.

1003. LAWYER

.1 NOUNS **lawyer, attorney, attorney-at-law,** barrister, barrister-at-law, **counselor,** counselor-at-law, **counsel,** legal counselor, legal adviser, legal expert, **solicitor, advocate, pleader, mouthpiece** [slang]; member of the bar, legal practitioner, officer of the court; proctor, procurator; friend at *or* in court, amicus curiae; deputy, agent 781; intercessor 805.3; sea lawyer, latrine lawyer, self-styled lawyer, legalist.

.2 legist, jurist, jurisprudent, jurisconsult; law member of a court-martial.

.3 [derog terms] **shyster, ambulance chaser,** pettifogger, Philadelphia lawyer.

.4 (special lawyers) **district attorney,** DA; **prosecuting attorney,** prosecutor; trial judge advocate; public prosecutor; United States *or* US attorney; special pleader; private attorney, attorney in fact; court-appointed lawyer, public defender; **defense counsel;** criminal lawyer, mouthpiece [slang]; constitutional lawyer; corporation lawyer; law agent *or* writer to the signet [both Scot]; sergeant-at-law [Brit]; civilian; publicist; conveyancer; leader [Brit]; **attorney general,** AG; **solicitor general,** SG; Solicitor Supreme Court, SSC; King's *or* Queen's Counsel, KC, QC, silk, silk gown, silk-gownsman [Brit]; junior barrister *or* counsel, stuff gown, stuff-gownsman.

.5 **bar,** legal profession, members of the bar; representation, counsel, pleading, attorneyship.

.6 VERBS **practice law,** practice at the bar; take silk, be admitted to the bar.

.7 ADJS **lawyerly,** lawyerlike, barristerial; representing, of counsel.

1004. LEGAL ACTION

.1 NOUNS **lawsuit, suit,** suit in *or* at law; **litigation, prosecution, action, legal action,** proceedings, legal proceedings, legal process; legal remedy; **case,** cause, cause in court, legal case; judicial process.

.2 **summons, subpoena** 752.7; **writ, warrant** 752.6.

.3 **arraignment, indictment, impeachment;** charge 1005.1; presentment; information; bill of indictment, true bill; **bail** 772.2.

.4 **jury selection, impanelment,** venire, venire facias, venire facias de novo.

.5 **trial, jury trial,** trial by jury, trial at the bar, **hearing, inquiry, inquisition,** inquest, assize; court-martial; **examination,** cross-examination 485.11,12; mistrial; change of venue.

.6 **pleadings,** arguments at the bar; **plea,** pleading, argument; **defense,** statement of defense; demurrer, general *or* special demurrer; refutation 506.2; rebuttal 486.2.

.7 **declaration, statement,** allegation, allegation *or* statement of facts, procès-verbal; **deposition,** affidavit; claim; complaint; bill, bill of complaint; libel, narratio; nolle prosequi, nol. pros.; nonsuit.

.8 **testimony** 505.3; **evidence** 505; **argument,** presentation of the case; resting of the case; **summing up,** summation, charge to the jury, charging of the jury.

.9 **judgment, decision,** landmark decision; **verdict, sentence** 494.5; acquittal 1007; condemnation 1008, penalty 1009.

.10 **appeal,** appeal motion, application for retrial, appeal to a higher court; writ of error; certiorari, writ of certiorari.

.11 **litigant, litigator,** litigationist; suitor, **party,** party to a suit; **plaintiff** 1005.5; **defendant** 1005.6; witness 505.7; accessory, accessory before *or* after the fact; panel, parties litigant.

.12 VERBS **sue, litigate, prosecute,** go into litigation, **bring suit,** put in suit, sue *or* prosecute at law, **go to law,** seek in law, appeal to the law, seek justice *or* legal redress, implead, **bring action against,** prosecute a suit against, take *or* institute legal proceedings against, **take** *or* **have the law of** *or* **on** [informal], law [informal], take to court, bring into court, hale *or* haul *or* drag into court, bring a case before the court *or* bar, bring to justice, bring to trial, **put on trial,** bring to the bar, take before the judge; set down for hearing.

.13 **summons,** subpoena 752.12.

.14 **arraign, indict, impeach,** find an indictment against, present a true bill, prefer *or* file a claim, have *or* pull up [informal], bring up for investigation; **prefer charges** 1005.7.

.15 **impanel a jury,** impanel, panel.

.16 **call to witness,** bring forward, put on the stand; swear in 523.6; take oath 523.5; testify 505.10.

.17 **try,** try a case, conduct a trial, **hear,** give a hearing to; charge the jury, deliver one's charge to the jury; **judge, sit in judgment.**

.18 **plead,** implead, conduct pleadings, argue at the bar; **plead** *or* **argue one's case,** present one's case, make a plea, tell it to the judge [informal]; hang the jury [infor-

mal]; rest, rest one's case; sum up one's case.

.19 **bring in a verdict, pass sentence** 494.13; acquit 1007.4; convict 1008.3; penalize 1009.4.

.20 ADJS litigious, litigant, litigatory; causidical; litigable, actionable.

.21 PHRS **in litigation,** in court, in chancery, in jeopardy, **at law,** at bar, at the bar, **on trial,** up for investigation *or* hearing, before the court *or* bar *or* judge, *sub judice* [L].

1005. ACCUSATION

.1 NOUNS **accusation,** accusal, **charge, complaint,** plaint, count, **blame, imputation,** delation, reproach, taxing; **accusing, bringing of charges,** laying of charges, bringing to book; **denunciation,** denouncement; **impeachment, arraignment, indictment,** true bill; **allegation,** allegement; insinuation, implication, innuendo, veiled accusation, unspoken accusation; information, information against, bill of particulars; gravamen of a charge; prosecution, suit, lawsuit 1004.1.

.2 **incrimination,** crimination, **inculpation,** implication, **citation,** involvement, impugnment; attack, assault; **censure** 969.3.

.3 **recrimination,** retort, countercharge.

.4 **trumped-up charge,** false witness; **put-up job** *or* **frame-up** *or* **frame** [all slang].

.5 **accuser,** accusant, accusatrix; incriminator, delator, allegator, impugner; informer 557.6; impeacher, indictor; **plaintiff, complainant,** claimant, appellant, petitioner, libelant, suitor, party, party to a suit; **prosecutor,** the prosecution.

.6 **accused, defendant,** respondent, correspondent, libelee, suspect, prisoner.

.7 VERBS **accuse,** bring accusation; **charge, press charges, prefer** *or* **bring charges,** lay charges; complain, **lodge a complaint,** lodge a plaint; **impeach, arraign, indict,** bring in *or* hand up an indictment, return a true bill, article, **cite,** cite on several counts; book; **denounce,** denunciate; **finger** *or* point the finger at *or* put the finger on [all slang], inform on *or* against; allege, insinuate, imply; impute, fasten on *or* upon, pin on [informal], hang something on [slang], bring to book; tax, task, take to task *or* account; **reproach,** twit, taunt with; report, put on report.

.8 **blame,** blame on *or* upon [informal], hold against, **lay the blame on,** lay *or* cast blame upon, place *or* fix the blame *or* responsibility for.

.9 **accuse of, charge with,** tax *or* task with, saddle with, lay to one's charge, place to one's account, lay to one's door, bring home to, cast *or* throw in one's teeth, throw *or* thrust in the face of.

.10 **incriminate,** criminate, **inculpate,** implicate, involve; cry out against, cry out on *or* upon, cry shame upon, raise one's voice against; attack, assail, impugn; **censure** 969.13; throw a stone at, cast *or* throw the first stone.

.11 **recriminate,** countercharge, retort an accusation.

.12 **trump up a charge, bear false witness; frame,** frame up, put up a job [all slang].

.13 ADJS **accusing, accusatory,** accusative; imputative, denunciatory; recriminatory; **condemnatory** 969.23.

.14 **incriminating,** incriminatory, criminatory; delatorian; inculpative, inculpatory.

.15 **accused, charged, blamed,** tasked, taxed, reproached, **denounced, impeached, indicted, arraigned; incriminated,** inculpated, implicated, involved, in complicity; **cited,** impugned; under attack, under fire.

1006. JUSTIFICATION

.1 NOUNS **justification, vindication; clearing,** clearing of one's name, clearance, purging, purgation, destigmatizing, destigmatization, **exculpation** 1007.1; explanation, rationalization; reinstatement, restoration, rehabilitation.

.2 **defense, plea,** pleading; argument, statement of defense; answer, reply, counterstatement, response, riposte; **refutation** 506.2, **rebuttal** 486.2; demurrer, general *or* special demurrer; denial, objection, exception; **special pleading.**

.3 **apology,** apologia, apologetic.

.4 **excuse, cop-out** [slang], **alibi** *or* **out** [both informal]; lame excuse, poor excuse, likely story.

.5 **extenuation, mitigation, palliation,** softening; extenuative, palliative; **whitewash, whitewashing,** decontamination; gilding, gloss, varnish, color, putting the best color on; qualification, allowance; extenuating circumstances.

.6 **warrant, reason,** good reason, **cause,** call, **right, basis,** substantive *or* material basis, **ground, grounds,** foundation, substance.

.7 **justifiability, vindicability, defensibility;** explainability, explicability; **excusability,** pardonableness, forgivableness, remissibility, veniality; warrantableness, allowable-

ness, admissibility, reasonableness, reasonability, legitimacy.

.8 **justifier, vindicator;** defender, pleader; **advocate,** successful advocate *or* defender, proponent, **champion; apologist,** apologizer, apologete; whitewasher.

.9 VERBS **justify, vindicate,** do justice to, make justice *or* right prevail; **warrant,** account for, show sufficient grounds for, give good reasons for; **rationalize,** explain; cry sour grapes, "make a virtue of necessity" [Shakespeare]; **exculpate** 1007.4; **clear,** clear one's name, purge, destigmatize, reinstate, restore, rehabilitate.

.10 **defend,** offer *or* say in defense, allege in support *or* vindication, **support, uphold, sustain, maintain,** assert; **answer,** reply, respond, riposte, counter; refute 506.5, **rebut** 486.5; **plead for,** make a plea, offer as a plea, plead one's case *or* cause; **advocate,** champion, espouse, join *or* associate oneself with, stand *or* stick up for, speak up for, contend for, speak for, argue for, urge reasons for, put in a good word for.

.11 **excuse,** alibi [informal], offer excuse for, give as an excuse, cover with excuses; plead ignorance; **apologize for,** make apology for; alibi out of [informal], crawl *or* worm *or* squirm out of, lie out of.

.12 **extenuate, mitigate, palliate,** soften, lessen, diminish, **ease,** mince; **soft-pedal;** slur over, ignore, pass by in silence, give the benefit of the doubt, not hold it against one, **gloss over,** put a gloss upon, put a good face upon, varnish, **whitewash,** color, lend a color to, put the best color on, show in the best colors; **allow for,** make allowance for; give the Devil his due.

.13 ADJS **justifying,** justificatory; **vindicative,** vindicatory, rehabilitative; refuting 506.6; **excusing,** excusatory; **apologetic(al); extenuating,** extenuative, **palliative.**

.14 **justifiable, vindicable, defensible; excusable, pardonable, forgivable,** expiable, remissible, exemptible, venial; **condonable,** dispensable; **warrantable,** allowable, admissible, reasonable, legitimate; unobjectionable, inoffensive.

1007. ACQUITTAL

.1 NOUNS **acquittal,** acquittance, quittance; **exculpation,** disculpation, verdict of acquittal *or* of not guilty; **exoneration, absolution, vindication, remission,** compurgation, purgation, purging, clearing, clearance, destigmatizing, destigmatization, quietus; **pardon, excuse, forgiveness; discharge, release, dismissal;** quashing of the charge *or* indictment.

.2 **exemption, immunity,** impunity; **amnesty,** indemnity, nonprosecution, non prosequitur, nolle prosequi; stay.

.3 **reprieve,** respite, grace.

.4 VERBS **acquit, exculpate, exonerate, absolve,** give absolution, bring in *or* return a verdict of not guilty; **vindicate,** justify; **pardon, excuse, forgive;** remit, grant remission, remit the penalty of; amnesty, grant amnesty to; **discharge, release, dismiss, free, set free,** let off [informal], let go; quash the charge *or* indictment, withdraw the charge; **exempt,** grant immunity, exempt from, dispense from; clear, clear the skirts of, shrive, purge; blot out one's sins, wipe the slate clean; **whitewash,** decontaminate; destigmatize; nonpros.

.5 **reprieve,** respite, give *or* grant a reprieve.

1008. CONDEMNATION

.1 NOUNS **condemnation, damnation, doom,** guilty verdict, verdict of guilty; proscription, excommunication, anathematizing; **denunciation,** denouncement; **censure** 969.3; **conviction; sentence, judgment,** rap [slang]; death sentence, death warrant.

.2 attainder, attainture, attaintment; bill of attainder.

.3 VERBS **condemn, damn, doom; denounce,** denunciate; **censure** 969.13; **convict,** find guilty, bring home to; proscribe, excommunicate, anathematize; blacklist, put on the Index; pronounce judgment 494.13; **sentence,** pronounce sentence, pass sentence on; penalize 1009.4; attaint; sign one's death warrant.

.4 **stand condemned,** be convicted, be found guilty.

.5 ADJS **condemnatory, damnatory,** denunciatory, proscriptive; **censorious** 969.23.

1009. PENALTY

.1 NOUNS **penalty,** penalization, penance, penal retribution; **punishment** 1010; compensation, price; the devil to pay.

.2 **handicap,** disability, **disadvantage** 730.6.

.3 **fine,** mulct, amercement, sconce, damages; distress, distraint; forfeit, forfeiture; escheat, escheatment.

.4 VERBS **penalize,** put *or* impose *or* inflict a penalty on; **punish** 1010.10; **handicap,** put at a disadvantage.

.5 **fine,** mulct, amerce, sconce, estreat; distrain, levy a distress.

.6 ADVS **on pain of,** under *or* upon pain of, **on** *or* **under penalty of.**

1010. PUNISHMENT

.1 NOUNS **punishment,** punition, **chastisement, chastening, correction, discipline,** disciplinary measures *or* action, **castigation,** infliction, scourge, ferule, what-for [slang]; pains, pains and punishments; pay, payment; **retribution,** retributive justice, nemesis; judicial punishment; punishment that fits the crime, condign punishment, well-deserved punishment; **penalty,** penal retribution; penology; cruel and unusual punishment; judgment; deserts 960.3.

.2 (forms of punishment) penal servitude, jailing, imprisonment, incarceration, confinement; hard labor, rock pile; galleys; torture, torment, martyrdom; the gantlet, keelhauling, tar-and-feathering, railriding, picketing, the rack, impalement, dismemberment; strappado, estrapade.

.3 **slap,** smack, whack, whomp, **cuff, box,** buffet; blow 283.4; **rap on the knuckles,** box on the ear, slap in the face; slap on the wrist, token punishment.

.4 **corporal punishment, whipping, beating, thrashing, spanking, flogging,** flagellation, scourging, flailing, swingeing [dial], trouncing, basting, drubbing, buffeting, belaboring; **lashing, lacing,** stripes; horsewhipping; strapping, belting, rawhiding, cowhiding; **switching; clubbing,** cudgeling, caning, truncheoning, fustigation, bastinado; pistol-whipping; battery.

.5 [informal terms] **licking,** larruping, walloping, whaling, lathering, leathering, **hiding, tanning, dressing-down; paddling.**

.6 [slang terms] strap oil, hazel oil, hickory oil, birch oil; dose of strap oil, etc.

.7 **capital punishment, execution;** legal *or* judicial murder; **hanging,** the gallows, the rope *or* noose; **lynching,** necktie party *or* sociable [slang]; **crucifixion; electrocution,** the chair [informal], the hot seat [slang]; gassing, the gas chamber; **decapitation,** decollation, beheading, the guillotine, the ax, the block; **strangling,** strangulation, garrote; **shooting,** fusillade; **burning,** burning at the stake; **poisoning,** hemlock; stoning, lapidation; defenestration.

.8 **punisher,** discipliner, chastizer; **executioner,** executionist, deathsman [archaic], Jack Ketch [Brit]; **hangman; lyncher;** electrocutioner; headsman, **beheader,** decapitator; strangler, garroter; sadist torturer.

.9 **penologist;** jailer 761.10.

.10 VERBS **punish, chastise, chasten, discipline, correct, castigate, penalize; take to task,** bring to book, bring *or* call to account; deal with, settle with, settle *or* square accounts, **give one his deserts,** serve one right; inflict upon, visit upon; give a lesson to, make an example of; pillory; masthead.

.11 [informal terms] **attend to,** do for, take care of, serve one out, **give it to,** take *or* have it out of; pay, pay out, **fix, settle,** settle one's hash, settle the score, give one his gruel, **give one his comeuppance;** come down on *or* upon.

.12 [slang terms] **give what-for,** give a going-over, climb one's frame, let have it, light into, land on, mop *or* wipe up the floor with.

.13 **slap,** smack, whack, whomp, **cuff, box,** buffet; strike 283.13; slap the face, box the ears, give a rap on the knuckles.

.14 **whip,** give a whipping *or* beating *or* thrashing, **beat, thrash, spank, flog,** scourge, flagellate, flail, whale; whop *or* wallop *or* swinge [all dial], **smite,** thump, trounce, baste, **pummel,** pommel, **drub, buffet, belabor,** lay on; **lash, lace,** cut, stripe; horsewhip; knout; **strap,** belt, rawhide, cowhide; **switch,** birch, give the stick; **club, cudgel,** cane, truncheon, fustigate, bastinado; pistol-whip.

.15 [informal terms] **lick, larrup, wallop,** whale, welt, trim, flax, lather, leather, **hide,** tan, **tan one's hide,** dress down, give a dressing-down; **paddle.**

.16 [slang terms] **lambaste, clobber,** dust one s jacket, give a dose of birch oil *or* strap oil *or* hickory oil *or* hazel oil, take it out of one's hide *or* skin.

.17 **thrash soundly, batter, beat up** [slang], beat to a jelly, bruise, **beat black and blue,** beat the shit *or* tar out of [slang].

.18 **torture,** put to the question; rack, put on *or* to the rack; dismember, tear limb from limb; draw and quarter, break on the wheel, tar and feather, ride on a rail, picket, keelhaul, impale, grill.

.19 **execute, put to death,** inflict capital punishment; **electrocute,** burn [slang]; send to the gas chamber; **behead, decapitate,** decollate, guillotine, bring to the block; **crucify; shoot,** execute by firing squad; burn, **burn at the stake; strangle,** garrote, bowstring; stone, lapidate; defenestrate.

.20 **hang,** hang by the neck; **string up,** scrag

or stretch [all informal]; gibbet, noose, neck, bring to the gallows; **lynch;** hang, draw, and quarter.

.21 **be hanged,** suffer hanging, **swing,** dance upon nothing, kick the air *or* wind *or* clouds.

.22 **be punished, suffer,** suffer for, **suffer the consequences** *or* **penalty,** get it, **catch it** [both informal], get *or* catch it in the neck [slang]; **get one's deserts** 960.6; be doubly punished, get it coming and going [slang], sow the wind and reap the whirlwind.

.23 **take one's punishment, take the consequences, take one's medicine,** swallow the bitter pill, pay the piper, face the music [informal], make one's bed and lie on it; take the rap [slang].

.24 **deserve punishment, have it coming,** be for it *or* in for it, be heading for a fall.

.25 ADJS **punishing, chastising,** chastening, corrective, disciplinary; retributive; grueling [informal]; **penal, punitive,** punitory, inflictive; castigatory; penological.

1011. INSTRUMENTS OF PUNISHMENT

.1 NOUNS **whip, lash, scourge,** flagellum, mastig(o)–; strap, thong, rawhide, cowhide, blacksnake, kurbash, sjambok, belt, razor strap; knout; bullwhip, bullwhack; horsewhip; crop; quirt; rope's end; cat, cat-o'-nine-tails; whiplash.

.2 **rod, stick, switch; paddle,** ruler, ferule, pandybat; birch, rattan; cane; club 801.26.

.3 (devices) **pillory, stocks,** finger pillory; cucking stool, ducking stool, trebuchet; whipping post, branks, triangle *or* triangles, wooden horse, treadmill, crank.

.4 (instruments of torture) **rack,** wheel, Iron Maiden of Nuremberg; screw, thumbscrew; boot, iron heel, scarpines; Procrustean bed, bed of Procrustes.

.5 (instruments of execution) **scaffold; block, guillotine,** ax, maiden; **stake; cross; gallows,** gallows-tree, gibbet, tree, drop; **hangman's rope, noose,** rope, halter, hemp, hempen collar *or* necktie *or* bridle [slang]; **electric chair,** death chair, the chair [informal], hot seat [slang]; **gas chamber,** lethal chamber, death chamber.

1012. ATONEMENT

.1 NOUNS **atonement, reparation, amends,** making amends, **restitution, propitiation, expiation, redress, recompense,** compensation, making right *or* good, making up, squaring, redemption, reclamation, satisfaction, quittance; indemnity, indemnification; compromise, composition; expiatory offering *or* sacrifice, piaculum, peace offering.

.2 **apology, excuse,** regrets; acknowledgment, penitence, contrition, breast-beating, mea culpa, confession 556.3; abject apology.

.3 **penance,** penitence, repentance; penitential act *or* exercise, **mortification,** maceration, flagellation, lustration; **asceticism** 991, **fasting** 995; **purgation,** purgatory, "cold purgatorial fires" [T. S. Eliot]; **sackcloth and ashes;** hair shirt; Day of Atonement, Yom Kippur.

.4 VERBS **atone, atone for, propitiate, expiate,** compensate, recompense, redress, redeem, repair, satisfy, give satisfaction, **make amends, make reparation** *or* **compensation** *or* **expiation,** make good, make right, **make up for,** make matters up, square it, square things, pay the forfeit *or* penalty, pay one's dues [informal], wipe off old scores, set one's house in order; live down.

.5 **apologize, beg pardon, ask forgiveness,** beg indulgence, express regret; take back 628.9; get *or* fall down on one's knees, get down on one's marrowbones [slang].

.6 **do penance,** flagellate oneself, mortify oneself, mortify one's flesh, shrive oneself, purge oneself, cleanse oneself of guilt, stand in a white sheet, repent in sackcloth and ashes, wear a hairshirt, wear sackcloth *or* sackcloth and ashes; receive absolution.

.7 ADJS **atoning, propitiatory, expiatory,** piacular, reparative, reparatory, restitutive, restitutory, restitutional, redressing, recompensing, compensatory, compensational, righting, squaring; redemptive, redeeming, reclamatory, satisfactional; **apologetic(al);** repentant, repenting; **penitential,** purgative, purgatorial; lustral, lustrative, lustrational, cleansing, purifying; ascetic 991.3.

1013. DEITY

.1 NOUNS **deity, divinity,** divineness; **godliness,** godlikeness; **godhood,** godhead, godship, Fatherhood.

.2 **God,** the(o)–; **Lord, Jehovah, Providence,** Heaven, **the Deity,** the Divinity, **the Supreme Being, God Almighty, the Almighty, Almighty God,** the All-powerful, the Omnipotent, Omnipotence, **the Infinite,** the Infinite Being, the Everlasting, the Eternal, the Eternal Being, Alpha

and Omega, the Absolute, the Absolute Being, the Omniscient, Omniscience, the All-wise, the All-knowing, the All-merciful, the All-holy, the Infinite Spirit, the Supreme Soul, **King of Kings,** Lord of Lords, Lord of hosts, Demiurge, Demiourgos, I Am, the Preserver, **the Maker, the Creator,** the First Cause, Author *or* Creator of all things; the Unmoved Mover; the ground of being; ultimate concern.

.3 *Deus* [L], *Theos* [Gk], *Dieu* [Fr], *Gott* [Ger]; *Yahweh, Adonai, Elohim* [all Heb]; **Allah;** the Great Spirit, Manitou.

.4 (Hinduism) **Brahma,** the Supreme Soul, the Essence of the Universe; **Atman,** the Universal Ego *or* Self; **Vishnu,** the Preserver; **Shiva** *or* Siva, the Destroyer, the Regenerator.

.5 (Buddhism) **Buddha,** the Blessed One, the Teacher, **the Lord Buddha,** bodhisattva.

.6 (Zoroastrianism) **Ahura Mazda,** Ormazd, Mazda, the Lord of Wisdom, the Wise Lord, the Wise One, the King of Light, the Guardian of Mankind.

.7 (Christian Science) **Mind, Divine Mind,** Spirit, Soul Principle, Life, Truth, Love.

.8 **world spirit** *or* **soul,** *anima mundi* [L], universal life force, world principle, **world-self,** universal ego *or* self, infinite spirit, supreme soul *or* principle, **oversoul, nous,** archeus, **Logos,** World Reason.

.9 **Nature, Mother Nature,** Dame Nature, "Beldame Nature" [Milton].

.10 **Godhead, Trinity,** Holy Trinity, Triune, Triunity, Triune God, Trinity in Unity, Threefold Unity, Three in One and One in Three; **Father, Son, and Holy Ghost;** Trimurti, Hindu trinity *or* triad.

.11 **God the Father, the Father,** the All-father, the Everlasting Father, the Holy Father, Our Father, Our Father which art in Heaven, the Creator.

.12 God the Son, **Christ,** the Christ, **Jesus,** Jesu, **Jesus Christ,** Christ Jesus, Jesus of Nazareth, the Nazarene, the Galilean, the Man of Sorrows, **Messiah,** the Anointed, God-man, **Savior, Redeemer,** the Mediator, the Intercessor, the Advocate, the Judge, **Son of God, Son of Man,** Son of David, the son of Mary, the only son of Mary, the Only-Begotten, Only-Begotten Son, **Our Lord,** Lord Jesus, the Lamb, **Lamb of God, Immanuel,** Emmanuel, **the Master, King of Kings,** Lord of Lords, King of Kings and Lord of Lords, King of Heaven, King of Glory, King of the Jews, Lord our Righteousness, the Sun of Righteousness, **Prince of Peace, the Good Shepherd,** the Risen, the Door, the Way, the Truth, the Life, the Bread of Life, the Light of the World, the Vine, the True Vine; the Christ Child, the Infant Jesus; Christo–.

.13 **the Word, Logos,** the Word Made Flesh, **the Incarnation,** the Hypostatic Union.

.14 God the Holy Ghost, **the Holy Ghost, the Holy Spirit,** the Spirit of God, the Spirit of Truth, Paraclete, the Comforter, the Consoler, the Intercessor, the Dove.

.15 (divine attributes) infinity, eternity; infinite goodness, infinite justice, infinite truth, infinite love, infinite mercy; omniscience *or* omnisciency, infinite wisdom; omnipotence *or* omnipotency, infinite power; omnipresence, ubiquity; unity, immutability; holiness, glory, light; majesty, sovereignty.

.16 (divine functions) creation, preservation, dispensation; providence, dealings *or* dispensations *or* visitations of providence.

.17 (functions of Christ) salvation, redemption; atonement, propitiation; mediation, intercession; judgment.

.18 (functions of the Holy Ghost) inspiration, unction, regeneration, sanctification, comfort, consolation, grace, witness.

.19 ADJS **divine,** heavenly, celestial, empyrean; **godly, godlike** 1028.9; **transcendent,** superhuman, supernatural; self-existent; Christly, Christlike, redemptive, salvational, propitiative, propitiatory, mediative, mediatory, intercessive, intercessional; incarnate, incarnated, made flesh.

.20 **almighty, omnipotent,** all-powerful; creating, creative, making, shaping; **omniscient,** all-wise, all-knowing, all-seeing; **infinite,** boundless, limitless, unbounded, unlimited, undefined, omnipresent, ubiquitous; eternal, everlasting, timeless, perpetual, immortal, permanent; one; immutable, unchanging, changeless, eternally the same; supreme, sovereign, highest; holy, hallowed, sacred, numinous; glorious, radiant, luminous; majestic; good, just, loving, merciful.

1014. MYTHICAL AND POLYTHEISTIC GODS AND SPIRITS

.1 NOUNS **the gods,** the immortals; the major deities, the greater gods, *di majores* [L]; the minor deities, the lesser gods, *di minores* [L]; pantheon; theogony.

.2 **god,** *deus* [L]; **deity, divinity,** immortal,

heathen god, pagan deity *or* divinity; **goddess,** *dea* [L]; deva, devi, the shining ones; **idol,** false god, devil-god.

.3 godling, godlet, godkin; **demigod,** half-god, hero; demigoddess, heroine.

.4 (gods and goddesses) deities of fertility 165.5; deities of the household 191.30; earth goddesses 375.10; moon goddesses 375.12; sun gods 375.14; sea gods 397.4; rain gods 394.6; wind gods 403.3; thunder gods 456.5; gods of lightning 335.17; agricultural deities 413.4; gods of commerce 827.12; war gods 797.17; love deities 931.8; gods of marriage 933.14; Muses 535.2, poetry Muses 609.12; music Muses 464.22; Fates 640.3; water gods 1014.20; forest gods 1014.21; goddesses of discord 795.1; gods of evil 1016.6; deities of the nether world 1019.5, deities of justice 976.5.

.5 (Greek and Roman deities) Olympic gods, Olympians; Zeus, Jupiter, Jove; Jupiter Fulgur *or* Fulminator, Jupiter Tonans, Jupiter Pluvius, Jupiter Optimus Maximus, Jupiter Fidius; Helios, Hyperion, Phaëthon; Apollo, Apollon, Phoebus, Phoebus Apollo; Mars, Ares; Mercury, Hermes; Neptune, Poseidon; Vulcan, Hephaestus; Bacchus, Dionysus; Pluto, Hades, Dis, Orcus; Saturn, Kronos *or* Cronus; Cupid, Amor, Eros; Hymen; Momus; Juno, Hera *or* Here; Demeter, Ceres; Persephone, Proserpina, Proserpine, Persephassa, Kore *or* Cora, Despoina; Diana, Artemis; Athena, Minerva; Nike; Venus, Aphrodite; Hestia, Vesta; Ge *or* Gaea *or* Gaia, Tellus; Ate; Mithras; Cybele, Agdistis, Great Mother, Magna Mater, Rhea, Ops.

.6 (Norse and Germanic deities) Aesir, Vanir; Balder, Bor, Bori, Bragi, Forseti, Frey *or* Freyr, Heimdall, Höder *or* Hödr, Hoenir, Loki, Nerthus *or* Hertha, Njorth *or* Njord, Odin *or* Woden *or* Wotan, Reimthursen, Thor *or* Donar, Tyr *or* Tiu, Ull *or* Ullr, Vali, Vitharr *or* Vidar, Ymir; Völund, Weland, Wayland; Wyrd; Ing; Freya *or* Freyja, Frigg *or* Frigga, Hel, Nanna, Ithunn *or* Idun, Sif, Sigyn.

.7 (Celtic deities) Aine, Amaethon, Angus Og, Arawn, Arianrhod, Blodenwedd, Bóann, Bodb, Brigit, Dagda, Danu, Dôn, Dylan, Epona, Goibniu, Lir, Llew Llaw Gyffes, Lug, Macha, Manannán, Morrigan, Neman.

.8 (Hindu deities) Aditi, Agni, Aryaman, Asapurna, Avalokita *or* Avalokitesvara, Bhaga, Bhairava, Brahma, Brihaspati, Chitragupta, Daksha, Devaki, Dharma, Dyaus, Ganesa *or* Ganesha *or* Ganapati, Garuda, Himavat, Hanuman, Indra, Ka, Kala, Kama, Kamsa, Karttikeya, Marut, Mitra, Parjanya, Pushan, Rahu, Rhibhus, Rudra, Savitar, Shiva, Sita, Soma, Surya, Vaja, Varuna, Varuni, Vayu, Vibhu, Vishnu, Yama, Dharti Mai, Bhudevi; Devi, Bhairavi, Chandi, Durga, Gauri, Jaganmati, Kali, Parvati, Uma; Lakshmi, Sarasvati, Ushas; Asvins.

.9 (avatars of Vishnu) Buddha, Kalki, Krishna, Kurma, Matsya, Narsinh, Parshuram, Rama, Vaman, Varah; Juggernaut, Jagannath.

.10 (Egyptian deities) Anubis, Bast, Horus, Isis, Khem, Min, Neph, Nephthys, Nut, Osiris, Ptah, Ra *or* Amen-Ra, Set, Thoth.

.11 (Semitic deities) Adad, Adapa, Anshar, Antu, Anu, Anunaki, Ashur, Baal, Baba, Bau, Beltu, Dagon, Damkina, Dumuzi, Ea, Enki, Enkimdu, Enlil, Ereshkigal, Gibil, Girru, Gish Bar, Gishzida, Gula, Igigi, Inanna, Ishtar, Isimud, Ki, Kishar, Lahamu, Lahmu, Mama, Marduk *or* Bel-Merodach *or* Merodach, Moloch, Mylitta, Nabu *or* Nebo, Nammu, Namtar, Nanna, Nergal, Neti, Nina, Ningal, Ninhursag *or* Ninmah *or* Nintoo, Ninib, Ninkur, Ninlil, Ninsar, Ninshubur, Ninurta *or* Ningirsu, Nusku, Papsukai, Ramman, Shala, Shamash, Sin, Tammuz, Tashmit, Utnapishtim, Uttu, Utu, Zarpanit, Zubird.

.12 (animistic spirits and powers) manitou, huaca, nagual, mana, pokunt, tamanoas, wakan, zemi.

.13 (Chinese deities) Chang Fei, Chang Hsien, Chang Kuo, Ch'eng Huang, Cheng Wu, Han Chung-li, Heu Chi, Hou T'u, Hsi Wang Mu, Kuan Ti, Kuan Yin, Kuei Hsing, Lei Kung, Lung Wang, Lü Tung Pin, Ma Wang, Niu Wang, Tsai Shen, Tsao Chün, Ts'ao Kuo-ch'iu, Tung Wang Kung, T'u Ti, Wen Ch'ang, Yang Chin, Yen Lo.

.14 (Japanese deities) Amaterasu Omikami, Amatsumara, Hachiman, Hiruko, Hotei, Inari, Izanagi, Izanami, Kwannon, Ninigino-Mikoto, Susanoo.

.15 **spirit,** intelligence, supernatural being; **genius,** daemon, demon; atua; **specter** 1017; **evil spirits** 1016.

.16 **elemental,** elemental spirit; sylph, gnome, salamander, undine.

.17 **fairyfolk,** elfenfolk, shee *or* sidhe, **the little people** *or* **men,** the good folk *or* people, denizens of the air; **fairyland,** faerie.

.18 **fairy, sprite, fay,** fairy man *or* woman; elf,

brownie, pixie, gremlin, ouphe, hob, cluricaune, puca *or* pooka *or* pwca, kobold, nisse, peri; **imp, goblin** 1016.8,9; **gnome,** dwarf; **sylph,** sylphid; **banshee; leprechaun;** fairy queen; Ariel, Mab, Oberon, Titania, Béfind, Corrigan, Finnbeara.

.19 **nymph;** nymphet, nymphlin, nymph(o)– *or* nymphi–; **dryad,** hamadryad, wood nymph; vila *or* willi; tree nymph; oread, mountain nymph; limoniad, meadow *or* flower nymph; Napaea, glen nymph; Hyades; Pleiades, Atlantides.

.20 **water god, water spirit** *or* **sprite** *or* **nymph;** undine, nix, nixie, kelpie; naiad, limniad, fresh-water nymph; Oceanid, Nereid, sea nymph, ocean nymph, **mermaid,** sea-maid, sea-maiden, siren; Thetis; **merman,** man fish; **Neptune,** "the old man of the sea" [Homer]; Oceanus, Poseidon, Triton; Davy Jones, Davy.

.21 **forest god, sylvan deity,** vegetation spirit *or* daemon, field spirit, fertility god, corn spirit, **faun, satyr,** silenus, panisc, paniscus, panisca; **Pan,** Faunus; Cailleac; Priapus; Vitharr *or* Vidar, the goat god.

.22 **familiar spirit,** familiar; **genius, good genius,** daemon, demon, *numen* [L], totem; **guardian, guardian spirit, guardian angel,** angel, good angel, ministering angel, **fairy godmother, guide, control,** attendant godling *or* spirit, invisible helper, special providence; **tutelary** *or* **tutelar god** *or* **genius** *or* **spirit,** tutelary; *genius tutelae, genius loci, genius domus, genius familiae* [all L]; **household gods;** *lares familiaris, lares praestites, lares compitales, lares viales, lares permarini* [all L]; penates, lares and penates; ancestral spirits; manes, pitris.

.23 **Santa Claus,** Santa, Saint Nicholas, Saint Nick, Kriss Kringle, Father Christmas.

.24 **mythology,** mythicism; **legend, lore, folklore,** mythical lore; fairy lore, fairyism.

.25 ADJS **mythic(al), mythological,** mythic(o)–; **fabulous, legendary.**

.26 **divine, godlike** 1013.19,20.

.27 **fairy,** faery, **fairylike,** fairyish, fay; sylphine, sylphish, sylphy, sylphidine, sylphlike; **elfin,** elfish, elflike; gnomish, gnomelike; pixieish.

.28 nymphic, nymphal, nymphean, nymphlike.

1015. ANGEL, SAINT

.1 NOUNS **angel,** celestial, celestial *or* heavenly being; messenger of God; **seraph,** seraphim [pl], angel of love; **cherub, cherubim** [pl], angel of light; principality, archangel; recording angel; **saint,** hagi(o)–; beatified soul, canonized mortal; patron saint; martyr; redeemed *or* saved soul, soul in glory.

.2 **heavenly host,** host of heaven, choir invisible, angelic host, heavenly hierarchy, Sons of God, ministering spirits; Amesha Spentas.

.3 (celestial hierarchy of Pseudo-Dionysius) seraphim, cherubim, thrones; dominations *or* dominions, virtues, powers; principalities, archangels, angels; angelology.

.4 Azrael, angel of death, death's bright angel; Abdiel, Chamuel, Gabriel, Jophiel, Michael, Raphael, Uriel, Zadkiel.

.5 **Madonna, Holy Mary; Our Lady,** *Notre Dame* [Fr]; **Mother of God,** *Dei Mater* [L], Deipara, Theotokos; *mater dolorosa* [L], the Sorrowful Mother; Queen of Heaven, *Regina Coeli* [L]; Queen of Angels, *Regina Angelorum* [L]; Star of the Sea, *Stella Maris* [L]; **the Virgin,** the Blessed Virgin, **the Virgin Mary,** the Virgin Mother; *Sancta Virgo Virginum* [L], Holy Virgin of Virgins; *Virgo Sponsa Dei* [L], Virgin Bride of the Lord; *Virgo Clemens* [L], Virgin Most Merciful; *Virgo Gloriosa* [L], Virgin Most Glorious; *Virgo Potens* [L], Virgin Most Powerful; *Virgo Praedicanda* [L], Virgin Most Renowned; *Virgo Sapientissima* [L], Virgin Most Wise; *Virgo Veneranda* [L], Virgin Most Venerable; *hortus clusus* [L]; Immaculate Conception; Mariology; Mariolatry.

.6 ADJS **angelic, seraphic, cherubic; heavenly, celestial;** archangelic; **saintly, sainted,** beatified, canonized; martyred; saved, redeemed, glorified, in glory.

1016. EVIL SPIRITS

.1 NOUNS **evil spirits, demons, demonkind,** powers of darkness, spirits of the air, host of hell, hellish host, denizens of hell, inhabitants of Pandemonium, souls in hell, damned spirits, lost souls, the lost, the damned.

.2 **devil,** *diable* [Fr], *diablo* [Sp], *diabolus* [L], deil [Scot], *Teufel* [Ger], diabol(o)–.

.3 **Satan,** Satanas, **the Devil, Lucifer,** the Demon, the Fiend, the Foul Fiend, the Arch-fiend, the Wicked One, **the Evil One,** the Evil Spirit, **the Tempter,** the Adversary, the archenemy, the Common Enemy, the Old Enemy, the Devil Incarnate, the Author *or* Father of Evil, the Father of Lies, the serpent, the Old Serpent, the Prince of the Devils, the Prince

of Darkness, the Prince of this world, the Prince of the power of the air, His Satanic Majesty, the angel of the bottomless pit.

.4 [slang terms] **the Deuce, the Dickens, Old Harry,** Old Nick, Old Ned, Old Horny, Old Scratch, Old Gooseberry, Old Bendy, Old *or* Auld Clootie, Old Poker, the Old Gentleman.

.5 Beelzebub, Belial, Eblis, Azazel, Ahriman *or* Angra Mainyu; Mephistopheles, Mephisto; Shaitan, Sammael, Asmodeus; Abaddon, Apollyon; Lilith; Aeshma, Pisacha, Putana, Ravana.

.6 (gods of evil) Set, Typhon, Loki; Nemesis; gods of the nether world 1019.5.

.7 **demon, fiend,** fiend from hell, **devil,** satan, daeva, rakshasa, dybbuk, shedu, gyre [Scot], bad *or* evil spirit, unclean spirit; **hellion** [informal]; cacodemon, incubus, succubus; **jinni,** genie, genius, jinniyeh, afreet; evil genius; barghest; **ghoul,** lamia, Lilith, yogini, Baba Yaga, **vampire,** the undead.

.8 **imp, pixie, sprite, elf, puck,** kobold, *diablotin* [Fr], tokoloshe, poltergeist, **gremlin,** Dingbelle, Fifinella, **bad fairy,** bad peri; little *or* young devil, devilkin, deviling; erlking; Puck, Robin Goodfellow, Hob, Hobgoblin.

.9 **goblin, hobgoblin,** hob, ouphe.

.10 **bugbear, bugaboo, bogey,** bogle, boggart; **booger, bugger,** bug [archaic], **boogerman, bogeyman, boogeyman;** bête noire, fee-faw-fum, Mumbo Jumbo.

.11 **Fury,** avenging spirit; the Furies, the Erinyes, the Eumenides, the Dirae; Alecto, Megaera, Tisiphone.

.12 **changeling,** elf child.

.13 **werefolk, were-animals; werewolf,** lycanthrope, *loup-garou* [Fr]; werejaguar, jaguar-man, uturuncu; wereass, werebear, werecalf, werefox, werehyena, wereleopard, weretiger, werelion, wereboar, werecrocodile, werecat, werehare.

.14 **devilishness,** demonishness, **fiendishness;** devilship, devildom; horns, the cloven hoof, the Devil's pitchfork.

.15 **Satanism,** diabolism, **demonism, devilry, diablerie, demonry;** demonomy, demonianism; black magic; Black Mass; sorcery 1035; demonolatry, demon *or* devil *or* chthonian worship; demonomancy; demonology, diabolology *or* diabology, demonography, devil lore.

.16 **Satanist,** diabolist, **demonist;** demonomist, demoniast; demonologist, demonologer; demonolater, chthonian, devil worshiper, demon worshiper, Satan worshiper; sorcerer 1035.5.

.17 VERBS **demonize, devilize,** diabolize; possess, **obsess; bewitch,** bedevil 1036.10.

.18 ADJS **demoniac** *or* **demoniacal,** demonic(al), demonish, demonlike; **devilish,** devil-like; **satanic, diabolic(al); hellish** 1019.8; **fiendish,** fiendlike; ghoulish, ogreish; inhuman.

.19 **impish, puckish, elfish,** elvish; mischievous 738.6.

1017. SPECTER

.1 NOUNS **specter, ghost,** spectral ghost, **spook** [informal], **phantom,** phantasm, phantasma, **wraith, shade,** shadow, **apparition,** appearance, presence, shape, form, eidolon, idolum, revenant, larva; **spirit,** pneumat(o)–, psych(o)–, thymo–; sprite, shrouded spirit, disembodied spirit, departed spirit, wandering soul, soul of the dead, dybbuk; oni; Masan; astral spirit, astral; unsubstantiality, immateriality, incorporeal, incorporeity, incorporeal being *or* entity; walking dead man, zombie; duppy; vision, theophany; materialization; haunt *or* hant [both dial]; banshee; poltergeist; control, guide; manes, lemures; grateful dead.

.2 White Lady, White Lady of Avenel [Scot], White Ladies of Normandy; Brocken specter; Wild Hunt; Flying Dutchman.

.3 **double,** etheric double *or* self, co-walker, *Doppelgänger* [Ger], doubleganger, fetch, wraith.

.4 **eeriness, ghostliness, weirdness, uncanniness, spookiness** [informal].

.5 **possession, obsession,** spirit control.

.6 VERBS **haunt,** hant [dial], spook [informal]; **possess, obsess.**

.7 ADJS **spectral,** specterlike; **ghostly,** ghostish, ghosty, ghostlike; **spiritual,** psychic(al); **phantomlike,** phantom, phantomic(al), phantasmal, phantasmic, **wraithlike,** wraithy, shadowy; etheric, ectoplasmic, astral, ethereal 4.6; incorporeal 377.7; **supernatural** 85.15.

.8 **disembodied,** discarnate, decarnate, decarnated.

.9 **weird, eerie,** eldritch, **uncanny,** unearthly, macabre; **spooky** *or* spookish [both informal].

.10 **haunted,** hanted [dial], spooked *or* spooky [both informal], spirit-haunted, ghost-haunted, specter-haunted; **possessed, obsessed,** ghost-ridden.

1018. HEAVEN

(abode of the deity and blessed dead)

.1 NOUNS **Heaven, Paradise, glory, eternity, kingdom come** [informal], a better place, happy hunting ground, Land of the Leal [Scot], the happy land, the Promised Land, the world above, otherworld, better world, heaven above, high heaven, eternal home, abode of the blessed, inheritance of the saints in light, realm of light; Beulah, Beulah Land, Land of Beulah; **kingdom of heaven,** God's kingdom, heavenly kingdom, kingdom of God, kingdom of glory; God's presence, presence of God; Abraham's bosom.

.2 "my Father's house" [Bible], "God's residence" [Emily Dickinson], "mansions in the sky" [Isaac Watts], "the bosom of our rest" [Cardinal Newman], "the treasury of everlasting joy" [Shakespeare], "the great world of light, that lies behind all human destinies" [Longfellow].

.3 **the hereafter,** afterworld, afterlife 121.2.

.4 Holy City, **Zion,** New Jerusalem, Heavenly *or* Celestial City, City Celestial, Heavenly City of God, City of God, *Civitas Dei* [L], "heaven's high city" [Francis Quarles].

.5 **heaven of heavens, seventh heaven,** the empyrean, throne of God, God's throne, celestial throne, the great white throne.

.6 (Christian Science) bliss, harmony, spirituality, the reign of Spirit, the atmosphere of Soul.

.7 (Mormon) celestial kingdom, terrestrial kingdom, telestial kingdom.

.8 (Mohammedan) Alfardaws, Assama; Falak al aflak.

.9 (Hindu, Buddhist, and Theosophical) nirvana; Buddha-field; devaloka, land of the gods; kamavachara, kamaloka; devachan.

.10 (mythological) Olympus, Mount Olympus; Elysium, Elysian fields; fields of Aalu; Islands *or* Isles of the Blessed, Happy Isles, Fortunate Isles *or* Islands; Avalon; garden of the Gods, garden of the Hesperides, Bower of Bliss; Tir-na-n'Og, Annwfn.

.11 (Norse) Valhalla, Asgard, Fensalir, Glathsheim, Vingolf, Valaskjalf, Hlithskjalf, Thruthvang *or* Thruthheim, Bilskirnir, Ydalir, Sökkvabekk, Breithablik, Folkvang, Sessrymnir, Noatun, Thrymheim, Glitnir, Himinbjorg, Vithi.

.12 (removal to heaven) **apotheosis, resurrection, translation,** gathering, **ascension,** the Ascension; **assumption,** the Assumption; removal to Abraham's bosom.

.13 ADJS **heavenly,** heavenish; **paradisal, paradisaic(al),** paradisiac(al), paradisic(al); **celestial,** supernal, ethereal; **unearthly,** unworldly; **otherworldly,** extraterrestrial, extramundane, transmundane, transcendental; Elysian, Olympian; blessed, beatified, beatific(al), glorified, in glory; from on high.

.14 ADVS **celestially,** paradisally, supernally, ethereally; in heaven, in Abraham's bosom, *in sinu Abraham* [L], on high, among the blest, in glory.

1019. HELL

.1 NOUNS **hell, Hades,** Sheol, Gehenna, Tophet, Abaddon, Naraka, jahannan, avichi, **perdition,** Pandemonium, **inferno,** the pit, **the bottomless pit,** the abyss, "a vast, unbottom'd, boundless pit" [Robert Burns], **nether world,** lower world, underworld, infernal regions, abode *or* world of the dead, abode of the damned, place of torment, the grave, shades below; **purgatory; limbo.**

.2 **hellfire,** fire and brimstone, lake of fire and brimstone, everlasting fire *or* torment, "the fire that never shall be quenched" [Bible].

.3 (mythological) **Hades,** Orcus, Tartarus, Avernus, Acheron, pit of Acheron; Amenti, Aralu; Hel, Niflhel, Niflheim, Naströnd.

.4 (rivers of Hades) Styx, Stygian creek; Acheron, River of Woe; Cocytus, River of Wailing; Phlegethon, Pyriphlegethon, River of Fire; Lethe, River of Forgetfulness.

.5 (deities of the nether world) Pluto, Orcus, Hades *or* Aides *or* Aidoneus, Dis *or* Dis pater, Rhadamanthus, Erebus, Charon, Cerberus, Minos; Osiris; Persephone, Proserpine, Proserpina, Persephassa, Despoina, Kore *or* Cora; Hel, Loki; Satan 1016.3.

.6 VERBS **damn,** doom, send *or* consign to hell, cast into hell, doom to perdition, condemn to hell *or* eternal punishment.

.7 go to hell, be damned, go the other way [informal].

.8 ADJS **hellish, infernal,** sulfurous, chthonic, chthonian; pandemonic, pandemoniac; devilish 1016.18; Plutonic, Plutonian; Tartarean; Stygian; Lethean; Acherontic; purgatorial, hellborn.

.9 ADVS **hellishly, infernally,** in hell, in hellfire, below, in torment.

1020. RELIGIONS, CULTS, SECTS

.1 NOUNS **religion,** religio–; religious belief *or* faith, **belief, faith,** teaching, doctrine, creed, credo, theology 1023, orthodoxy 1024; system of beliefs; tradition.

.2 **cult, ism;** cultism; **mystique.**

.3 **sect** 1020.32, sectarism, religious order, **denomination, persuasion,** faction, **church,** communion, community, group, fellowship, affiliation, order, school, party, society, body, organization; branch, variety, version, segment; offshoot; **schism,** division.

.4 **sectarianism,** sectarism, **denominationalism,** partisanism, the clash of creeds; schismatism; syncretism, eclecticism.

.5 **theism; monotheism; polytheism,** multitheism, myriotheism; **ditheism,** dyotheism, dualism; **tritheism;** tetratheism; **pantheism,** cosmotheism, theopantism, acosmism; physitheism, psychotheism, animotheism; physicomorphism; hylotheism; anthropotheism, anthropomorphism; anthropolatry; allotheism; monolatry, henotheism; autotheism; zootheism, theriotheism; **deism.**

.6 **Christianity,** Christianism, Christendom; Latin *or* Roman *or* Western Christianity; Eastern *or* Orthodox Christianity; Protestant Christianity; Judeo-Christian religion *or* tradition *or* belief.

.7 **Catholicism,** Catholicity; **Roman Catholicism,** Romanism, Rome; papalism; popery, popeism, papism, papistry [all derog]; ultramontanism; Catholic Church, **Roman Catholic Church,** Church of Rome; Eastern Rites, Uniate Rites, Uniatism, Alexandrian *or* Antiochian *or* Byzantine Rite.

.8 Orthodoxy; **Eastern Orthodox Church, Holy Orthodox Catholic Apostolic Church,** Greek Orthodox Church, Russian Orthodox Church; patriarchate of Constantinople, patriarchate of Antioch, patriarchate of Alexandria, patriarchate of Jerusalem.

.9 **Protestantism,** Reform, Reformationism; Evangelicalism; Zwinglianism; dissent 522; apostasy 628.2; new theology.

.10 **Anglicanism;** High-Churchism, Low-Churchism; Anglo-Catholicism; Church of England, Established Church; High Church, Low Church; Broad Church, Free Church.

.11 **Judaism;** Hebraism, Hebrewism; Israelitism; Orthodox Judaism, Conservative Judaism, Reform Judaism, Reconstructionism; Hasidism; rabbinism, Talmudism; Pharisaism; Sadduceeism; Karaism *or* Karaitism.

.12 **Islam, Muhammadanism, Mohammedanism, Muslimism, Moslemism,** Islamism; Sufism, Wahabiism, Sunnism, Shiism; Black Muslimism.

.13 **Christian Science;** New Thought, Higher Thought, Practical Christianity, Mental Science, Divine Science Church.

.14 **religionist,** religioner; **believer** 1028.4; cultist, ist.

.15 **theist; monotheist; polytheist,** multitheist, myriotheist; ditheist, dualist; tritheist; tetratheist; **pantheist,** cosmotheist; psychotheist; physitheist; hylotheist; anthropotheist; anthropolater; allotheist; henotheist; autotheist; zootheist, theriotheist; **deist.**

.16 **Christian,** Nazarene, Nazarite.

.17 **sectarian,** sectary, **denominationalist,** factionist, schismatic.

.18 **Catholic,** Roman Catholic, RC [informal], Romanist, papist [derog]; ultramontane; Eastern-Rite Christian, Uniate.

.19 **Protestant,** non-Catholic, Reformed believer, Reformationist, Evangelical; Zwinglian; dissenter 522.3; apostate 628.5.

.20 **Jew, Hebrew,** Judaist, Israelite; Orthodox *or* Conservative *or* Reform Jew, Reconstructionist; Hasid; Rabbinist, Talmudist; Pharisee; Sadducee; Karaite.

.21 **Mormon,** Latter-day Saint, Josephite [informal].

.22 **Muslim, Muhammadan** *or* **Mohammedan** [both derog], Mussulman, Moslem, Islamite; Shiite, Shia, Sectary; Motazilite, Sunnite, Wahabi, Sufi; dervish; abdal; Black Muslim.

.23 **Christian Scientist,** Christian Science Practitioner.

.24 ADJS **religious, theistic; monotheistic; polytheistic,** ditheistic, tritheistic; **pantheistic,** cosmotheistic; physicomorphic; anthropomorphic, anthropotheistic; **deistic.**

.25 **sectarian,** sectary, **denominational,** schismatic(al).

.26 **nonsectarian, undenominational, nondenominational;** interdenominational.

.27 **Protestant,** non-Catholic, Reformed, Reformationist, Evangelical; Lutheran, Calvinist, Calvinistic, Zwinglian; dissentient 522.6; apostate 628.11.

.28 **Catholic; Roman Catholic,** RC [informal], Roman; Romish, popish, papish, papist, papistic(al) [all derog]; ultramontane.

.29 **Jewish, Hebrew,** Judaical, Israelite, Israel-

itic, Israelitish; Orthodox, Conservative, Reform, Reconstructionist; Hasidic.

.30 **Muslim, Islamic,** Muhammadan, Mohammedan, Moslem, Islamitic, Islamistic.

.31 (Oriental) Buddhist, Buddhistic; Brahmanic, Brahmanistic; Vedic, Vedantic; Confucian, Confucianist; Taoist, Taoistic, Shintoist, Shintoistic; Zoroastrian, Zarathustrian, Parsee.

.32 **religions and sects**

anthroposophy
Babism, Babi
Bahaism
Brahmanism
Brahmoism
Buddhism
Ch'an Buddhism
Chen Yen Buddhism
Ching-t'u Buddhism
Christianity 1020.6,33
Confucianism
Conservative Judaism
Dakshincharin Hinduism
Eleusinianism
Ethical Culture
Gnosticism
gymnosophy
Hinduism
Jainism
Jodo Buddhism
Judaism 1020.11
Lamaism
Lingayat Hinduism
Magianism
Mahayana Buddhism
Mandaeism
Mithraism
Muhammadanism 1020.12
Nichiren Buddhism
Orphism
Orthodox Judaism
Parsiism, Parsism
Reconstructionism
Reform Judaism
reincarnationism
Sabaeanism
Saivism
Shaivite Hinduism
Shiite Muslimism
Shin Buddhism
Shingon Buddhism
Shinto, Shintoism
Sikhism
Soka Gakkai Buddhism
Sufism
Taoism
Tendai Buddhism
Theosophy
Theravada *or* Hinayana Buddhism
T'ien-t'ai Buddhism
Unitarianism
Vaishnavite Hinduism
Vajrayana Buddhism
Vamacharin Hinduism
Vedanta, Vedantism
Wahabiism
Yoga, Yogism
Zen, Zen Buddhism
Zoroastrianism, Zoroastrism

.33 **Christian denominations**

Adventism, Second Adventism
Amish
Anabaptism
Anglicanism 1020.10
Anglo-Catholicism
antinomianism
Arianism
Athanasianism
Boehmenism
Calvinism
Catholicism 1020.7
Christian Science 1020.13
Congregationalism
Eastern Orthodox Christianity
Episcopalianism
Erastianism
homoiousianism
homoousianism
Jansenism
latitudinarianism
Laudism, Laudianism
Liberal Catholicism
Lutheranism
Mennonitism
Methodism
Moral Rearmament
Mormonism
New Thought
Origenism
Orthodox Christianity
Oxford Movement
Practical Christianity
Presbyterianism
Puritanism
Puseyism
Quakerism
quietism
Roman Catholicism
Rosicrucianism
Sabellianism
Salvation Army
Socinianism
Stundism
Swedenborgianism
Tractarianism
Trinitarianism
Ubiquitarianism
Uniatism
Unitarianism
Universalism
Wesleyanism, Wesleyism

.34 **religionists**

anthroposophist
Babist
Brahman, Brahmanist
Buddhist
Christian 1020.16,35
Confucianist
Gentoo
Gheber
Gnostic
gymnosophist
Hindu
Jain, Jaina
Jew 1020.20
Lamaist, Lamaite
Magian, Magus
Mandaean
Muhammadan 1020.22
Parsee
reincarnationist
Sabaean
Shintoist
Sikh
Taoist
Theosophist
Vedantist
Yogi, Yogin, Yogist
Zoroastrian

.35 **Christian sectarians**

Adventist, Second Adventist
Amish, Amish Mennonite
Anabaptist
Anglican
Anglo-Catholic
antinomian
Arian
Athanasian
Baptist
Bible Christian
Boehmenist
Bryanite
Calvinist
Campbellite
Catholic
Christadelphian
Christian Scientist 1020.23
Churchman
Congregationalist
Coptic Christian
Davidist
Disciple of Christ
Doukhobor
Dunker
Ebionite
Episcopalian
Erastian
Eusebian
Evangelical Congregationalist
Familist
Friend
German Baptist
Gideon
Glassite
Greek Orthodox
High-Churchman
Homoiousian
Homoousian
Huguenot
Independent
Irvingite
Jacobite
Jansenist
Jehovah's Witness
Jovinianist
Latitudinarian
Latter-day Saint
Laudist, Laudian
Liberal Catholic
Low-Churchman
Lutheran
Mennonite
Methodist
Mormon
Nestorian
Presbyterian
Protestant 1020.19
Protestant Episcopal
Puritan
Puseyite
Quaker
quietist
Restitutionist
Roman Catholic
Rosicrucian
Russian Orthodox
Sandemanian
Seventh-Day Adventist
Shaker
Stundist
Swedenborgian
Tractarian
Trinitarian
Ubiquitarian
Uniate
Unitarian
Universalist
Wesleyan

1021. SCRIPTURE

.1 NOUNS **scripture, scriptures, sacred writings, Bible;** canonical writings *or* books, sacred canon.

.2 **Bible, Holy Bible,** biblic(o)–; **Scripture,**

the Scriptures, Holy Scripture, Holy Writ, the Book, the Good Book, the Book of Books, the Word, the Word of God; Vulgate, Septuagint, Douay Bible, Authorized *or* King James Version, Revised Version, American Revised Version; Revised Standard Version; Jerusalem Bible; Testament; canon.

.3 **Old Testament,** Tenach; Hexateuch, Octateuch; Pentateuch, Chumash, Five Books of Moses, **Torah,** the Law, the Jewish *or* Mosaic Law, Law of Moses; the Prophets, Nebiim, Major *or* Minor Prophets; the Writings, Hagiographa, Ketubim; Apocrypha, noncanonical writings.

.4 **New Testament; Gospels,** Evangels, the Gospel, Good News, Good *or* Glad Tidings; Synoptic Gospels, Epistles, Pauline Epistles, Catholic Epistles, Johannine Epistles; Acts, Acts of the Apostles; Apocalypse, Revelation.

.5 **Talmud,** Mishnah, Gemara; Masorah.

.6 **Koran;** Avesta, **Zend-Avesta;** Granth, Adigranth; Tripitaka, agama; Tao Tê Ching; Analects of Confucius; the Eddas; Arcana Caelestia; **Book of Mormon;** Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures.

.7 (Hindu) **the Vedas, Veda,** Rig-Veda, Yajur-Veda, Sama-Veda, Atharva-Veda; Brahmana, Upanishad, Aranyaka; Samhita; shastra, sruti, smriti, purana, tantra; Bhagavad-Gita.

.8 (Buddhist) Vinaya Pitaka, Sutta Pitaka, Abhidamma Pitaka; Dhammapada, Jataka; The Diamond-Cutter, The Lotus of the True Law, Prajna-Paramita Sutra, Pure Land Sutras.

.9 **revelation, divine revelation; inspiration,** afflatus, divine inspiration; theopneusty, theopneustia; theophany, theophania, epiphany; direct *or* immediate communication, mystical experience, mysticism, direct intuition, mystical intuition; **prophecy,** prophetic revelation, apocalypse.

.10 ADJS **scriptural, Biblical,** Old-Testament, New-Testament, Gospel, Mosaic, Yahwist, Yahwistic, Elohist, revealed, revelational, prophetic, apocalyptic(al); inspired, theopneustic; evangelic(al), evangelistic, gospel; apostolic(al); textual, textuary; canonical.

.11 Talmudic, Mishnaic, Gemaric, Masoretic; rabbinic.

.12 epiphanic, mystic(al).

.13 Koranic; Avestan; Eddic; Mormon.

.14 Vedic; tantrist.

1022. PROPHETS, RELIGIOUS FOUNDERS

.1 NOUNS **prophet** 543.4, *vates sacer* [L]; Abraham, Amos, Daniel, Ezekiel, Habakkuk, Haggai, Hosea, Isaac, Isaiah, Jacob, Jeremiah, Joel, Jonah, Joseph, Joshua, Malachi, Micah, Moses, Nahum, Obadiah, Samuel, Zechariah, Zephaniah.

.2 (Christian founders) **evangelist, apostle, disciple,** saint; Matthew, Mark, Luke, John; Paul; Peter; **the Fathers,** Apostolic Fathers, ante-Nicene Fathers, Primitive Fathers; Barnabas, Clement of Rome, Hermas, Ignatius, Papias, Polycarp; Apologetic Fathers, Justin Martyr, Theophilus, Irenaeus, Clement of Alexandria, Tertullian, Origen, Cyprian of Carthage, Dionysius of Alexandria, Gregory Thaumaturgus; post-Nicene Fathers, Eusebius of Caesarea, Athanasius, Basil, Ephrem Syrus, Cyril of Jerusalem, Gregory of Nazianzus, Gregory of Nyssa, Epiphanius of Salamis, John Chrysostom, Cyril of Alexandria, Lactantius Firmianus, Hilary of Poitiers, Ambrose of Milan, Jerome, Augustine of Hippo.

.3 Martin Luther, John Calvin, John Wycliffe, Jan Hus, John Wesley, John Knox, George Fox (Protestant reformers); Swedenborg (Church of the New Jerusalem); Mary Baker Eddy (Christian Science); Joseph Smith (Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints).

.4 Buddha, Gautama Buddha (Buddhism); Mahavira *or* Vardhamana *or* Jina (Jainism); Mirza Ali Muhammad of Shiraz *or* the Bab (Babism); Muhammad *or* Mohammed (Islam); Confucius (Confucianism); Lao-tzu (Taoism); Zoroaster *or* Zarathustra (Zoroastrianism); Nanak (Sikhism); Ram Mohan Roy (Brahmo-Samaj).

1023. THEOLOGY

.1 NOUNS **theology, religion, divinity;** theologism; doctrinism, doctrinalism, doctrinal theology; canonics; dogmatics, dogmatic theology; systematic theology, systematics; philosophical theology; dialogical theology; patristic theology, patristics; physicotheology; natural *or* rational theology; hierology, hagiology; hierography, hagiography; soteriology, Christology, logos theology, logos Christology; apologetics; eschatology; theological hermeneutics; secularism; rationalism; school

theology, scholastic theology; Mercersburg theology; crisis theology, neoorthodox theology, neoorthodoxy; existential theology; phenomenological theology; Buddhology; Mariology, Mariolatry.

.2 **doctrine, dogma** 501.2; **creed,** credo; credenda, articles of religion *or* faith; Apostles' Creed, Nicene Creed, Athanasian Creed; Catechism.

.3 **theologian,** theologist, theologizer, theologer, theologician; divine; scholastic, schoolman; theological *or* divinity student, theological, theologue; canonist.

.4 ADJS **theological,** the(o)–, **religious,** religio–, **divine;** doctrinal, doctrinary; canonic(al); physicotheological; Buddhological; Mariological.

1024. ORTHODOXY

.1 NOUNS **orthodoxy,** orthodoxism; orthodoxness, orthodoxicalness; **soundness,** soundness of doctrine, rightness, right belief *or* doctrine; **authoritativeness,** authenticity, canonicalness, canonicity; traditionalism; the truth, religious truth, gospel truth.

.2 **the faith, true faith,** apostolic faith, primitive faith, "the faith once delivered unto the saints" [Bible]; old-time religion, faith of our fathers.

.3 **the Church, the true church,** Holy Church, Church of Christ, the Bride of the Lamb, body of Christ, temple of the Holy Ghost, body of Christians, members in Christ, disciples *or* followers of Christ; apostolic church; universal church, the church universal; church visible, church invisible; church militant, church triumphant.

.4 **true believer,** orthodox Christian; Sunni Muslim; Orthodox Jew; orthodox, orthodoxist; textualist, textuary; canonist; fundamentalist; the orthodox.

.5 **strictness,** strict interpretation, scripturalism, evangelicalism; hyperorthodoxy, puritanism, puritanicalness, purism; staunchness; straitlacedness, stiff-neckedness, hideboundness; **bigotry** 527.1; **dogmatism** 513.6; **fundamentalism,** literalism, precisianism; bibliolatry; Sabbatarianism; sabbatism.

.6 **bigot** 527.5; **dogmatist** 513.7.

.7 ADJS **orthodox,** orthodoxical; of the faith, of the true faith; **sound,** firm, faithful, true, true-blue; Christian; **evangelical; scriptural,** canonical; traditional, traditionalistic; literal, textual; standard, customary, conventional; **authoritative,** authentic, accepted, received, approved; correct, right, proper.

.8 **strict,** scripturalistic, evangelical; hyperorthodox, puritanical, purist *or* puristic, straitlaced; staunch; hidebound, creedbound; **bigoted** 527.10; **dogmatic** 513.22; **fundamentalist,** precisianist *or* precisianistic, literalist *or* literalistic; Sabbatarian.

1025. UNORTHODOXY

.1 NOUNS **unorthodoxy, heterodoxy;** unorthodoxness, **unsoundness,** un-Scripturality; **unauthoritativeness,** unauthenticity, uncanonicalness, uncanonicity; **nonconformity** 83.

.2 **heresy,** false doctrine, **misbelief; fallacy, error** 518; antinomianism, Arianism, Donatism, Ebionitism, emanatism, Erastianism, Gnosticism, hylotheism, Jansenism, Jovinianism, Manichaeism *or* Manichaeanism, pantheism, Sabellianism, Montanism, Monophysitism *or* Monophysism, Pelagianism; Albigensianism, Waldensianism, Catharism; Wyclifism, Lollardy.

.3 **infidelity,** infidelism; unchristianity; gentilism; **atheism, unbelief** 1031.5.

.4 **paganism, heathenism;** paganry, heathenry; pagandom, heathendom; pagano-Christianism; allotheism; animism, animatism; idolatry 1033.

.5 **heretic, misbeliever;** heresiarch; nonconformist 83.3; antinomian, Arian, Donatist, Ebionite, emanationist, Erastian, Gnostic, hylotheist, Jansenist, Jovinian, Manichaean, pantheist, Sabellian, Montanist, Monophysite, Pelagian; Albigensian, Waldensian, Cathar; Wyclifite, Lollard.

.6 **gentile;** non-Christian; **non-Jew,** goy, goyim [pl], *shegets* [Yid masc], *shiksa* [Yid fem]; non-Muslim, non-Moslem, non-Muhammadan, non-Mohammedan, *giaour* [Turk], kaffir; zendik, zendician, zendikite; non-Mormon; infidel; unbeliever 1031.11.

.7 **pagan, heathen;** allotheist; animist; idolater 1033.4.

.8 VERBS **misbelieve, err,** stray, deviate, wander, go astray, go wrong, fall into error; be wrong, be mistaken, be in error; serve Mammon.

.9 ADJS **unorthodox,** nonorthodox, **heterodox, heretical; unsound; unscriptural,** uncanonical, apocryphal; **unauthoritative,** unauthentic, unaccepted, unreceived, unapproved; **fallacious,** erroneous 518.16; antinomian, Arian, Donatist, Ebionitist, emanationist, Erastian, Gnostic, hylo-

theist *or* hylotheistic, Jansenist *or* Jansenistic, Jovinianist *or* Jovinianistic, Manichaean, pantheist *or* pantheistic, Sabellian, Montanist *or* Montanistic, Monophysite *or* Monophysitic, Pelagian; Albigensian, Waldensian, Catharist; Wyclifite, Lollard.

.10 **infidel,** infidelic, misbelieving; **atheistic,** unbelieving 1031.19; **unchristian,** non-Christian; gentile, non-Jewish, goyish, uncircumcised; non-Muslim, non-Muhammadan, non-Mohammedan, non-Moslem, non-Islamic; non-Mormon.

.11 **pagan, paganish,** paganistic; **heathen, heathenish;** pagano-Christian; allotheistic; animist, animistic; idolatrous 1033.7.

1026. SANCTITY

(sacred quality)

.1 NOUNS **sanctity,** sanctitude; **sacredness, holiness,** hallowedness, numinousness; sacrosanctness, sacrosanctity; heavenliness, divineness; venerableness, **venerability, blessedness;** awesomeness, awfulness; inviolableness, **inviolability;** ineffability, unutterability, unspeakability, inexpressibility, inenarrability; godliness 1028.2; odor of sanctity.

.2 **the sacred,** the holy, the holy of holies, the numinous, the ineffable, the unutterable, the unspeakable, the inexpressible, the inenarrable.

.3 **sanctification, hallowing; purification;** beatification, beatitude, blessing; **glorification,** exaltation; **consecration,** dedication, devotion, setting apart; sainting, canonization, enshrinement; **sainthood, blessedness; grace,** state of grace; justification, justification by faith, justification by works.

.4 **redemption,** redeemedness, **salvation,** conversion, regeneration, new life, reformation, adoption; rebirth, new birth, second birth; circumcision, spiritual purification *or* cleansing.

.5 VERBS **sanctify, hallow; purify,** cleanse, wash one's sins away; **bless,** beatify; **glorify,** exalt; **consecrate,** dedicate, devote, set apart; saint, canonize, enshrine.

.6 **redeem,** regenerate, reform, convert, save, give salvation.

.7 ADJS **sacred,** sacr(o)–, **holy,** hier(o)–, hagi(o)–, numinous, **sacrosanct, religious, spiritual,** heavenly, divine; **venerable,** awesome, awful; inviolable, **inviolate,** untouchable; **ineffable,** unutterable, unspeakable, inexpressible, inenarrable.

.8 **sanctified, hallowed; blessed,** beatified; consecrated, devoted, dedicated, set apart; **saintly,** sainted, canonized.

.9 **redeemed, saved,** converted, regenerated, regenerate, justified, reborn, born again, renewed; circumcised, spiritually purified *or* cleansed.

1027. UNSANCTITY

.1 NOUNS **unsanctity,** unsanctitude; **unsacredness, unholiness,** unhallowedness, unblessedness; **profanity,** profaneness; unregenerateness, reprobation.

.2 **the profane,** the unholy; the temporal, the secular, the worldly, the fleshly, the mundane.

.3 ADJS **unsacred,** nonsacred, **unholy,** unhallowed, unsanctified, unblessed; **profane,** secular, temporal, worldly, fleshly, mundane; unregenerate, reprobate.

1028. PIETY

.1 NOUNS **piety, piousness,** pietism; **religion, faith; religiousness,** religionism, religious-mindedness; theism; **devoutness,** devotion, devotedness, worship, worshipfulness, prayerfulness, cultism; faithfulness, dutifulness, observance, churchgoing, conformity 82; **reverence,** veneration; love of God, adoration.

.2 **godliness,** godlikeness; fear of God; **sanctity,** sanctitude; odor of sanctity, beauty of holiness; **righteousness, holiness,** goodness; **spirituality,** spiritual-mindedness, holy-mindedness, heavenly-mindedness, godly-mindedness; **purity,** pureness, pure-heartedness, pureness of heart; **saintliness,** saintlikeness; saintship, sainthood; **Christianity, Christliness,** Christlikeness; angelicalness, seraphicalness; heavenliness; **unworldliness,** unearthliness, otherworldliness.

.3 **zeal,** zealousness, zealotry, zealotism; **revival,** revivalism; pentecostalism, charismatic movement, charismatic renewal, baptism in the spirit; charismatic gift, gift of tongues, glossolalia; **overreligiousness,** overpiousness, overrighteousness, **overzealousness,** overdevoutness; bibliolatry; **fanaticism** 473.11; sanctimony 1029.

.4 **believer,** truster, accepter, receiver, –arian; God-fearing man, pietist, religionist, saint, theist; **devotee,** devotionalist, votary, **zealot; Christian,** good Christian; **churchgoer,** churchman, churchite; pillar of the church; communicant, daily communicant; **convert,** proselyte, neophyte,

catechumen; **disciple,** follower; **fanatic** 473.17.

.5 **the believing, the faithful,** the righteous, the good; the elect, the chosen, the saved; the children of God, the children of light; Christendom.

.6 VERBS **be pious, be religious; have faith,** trust in God, love God, fear God, **believe** 501.10; keep the faith, fight the good fight, let one's light shine, praise and glorify God, walk humbly with one's God.

.7 **be converted, get religion** [informal], receive *or* accept Christ, stand up for Jesus, be washed in the blood of the Lamb.

.8 ADJS **pious,** pietistic; **religious,** religious-minded; theistic; **devout,** devoted, worshipful, prayerful, cultish, cultist, cultistic; **reverent,** reverential, venerative, venerational, adoring, solemn; faithful, dutiful; believing 501.21; Christian, Christianly, Christianlike.

.9 **godly, godlike; God-fearing; righteous, holy,** good; **spiritual,** spiritual-minded, holy-minded, godly-minded, heavenly-minded; **pure,** purehearted, pure in heart; **saintly,** saintlike; **Christly, Christlike; angelic(al),** seraphic(al); heavenly; **unworldly,** unearthly, otherworldly, not of the earth, not of this world.

.10 **regenerate,** regenerated, **converted, redeemed, saved,** reborn; sanctified 1026.8.

.11 **zealous,** zealotic; **overreligious,** ultrareligious, overpious, overrighteous, **overzealous,** overdevout; **fanatical** 473.32; sanctimonious 1029.5.

1029. SANCTIMONY

.1 NOUNS **sanctimony, sanctimoniousness; pietism,** piety, **piousness,** pietisticalness, false piety; religionism, religiosity; **self-righteousness;** goodiness *or* goody-goodiness [both informal]; pharisaism, pharisaicalness; Tartuffery, Tartuffism; **falseness, insincerity, hypocrisy** 616.6; affectation 903; **cant,** mummery, snivel, snuffle; unction, unctuousness, oiliness, mealymouthedness.

.2 **lip service, mouth honor,** lip homage, lip worship, lip devotion, lip praise, lip reverence; formalism, solemn mockery; BOMFOG, brotherhood of man and fatherhood of God.

.3 **pietist,** religionist, **hypocrite,** religious hypocrite, canting hypocrite, pious fraud, religious *or* spiritual humbug, whited sepulcher, **pharisee,** Holy Willie [Robert Burns], "a saint abroad and a devil at home" [Bunyan]; **canter,** ranter, snuffler, sniveler; dissembler, dissimulator; affecter, poser 903.7,8; **lip server,** lip worshiper, formalist; Pharisee, scribes and Pharisees; Tartuffe, Pecksniff, Mawworm, Joseph Surface.

.4 VERBS be sanctimonious, be hypocritical 616.23; cant, snuffle, snivel; give mouth honor, render lip service.

.5 ADJS **sanctimonious,** sanctified, **pious, pietistic(al),** self-righteous, pharisaic(al), holier-than-thou; goody *or* goody-goody [both informal]; **false, insincere, hypocritical** 616.25–34; affected 903.15; Tartuffish, Tartuffian; canting, sniveling, unctuous, mealymouthed.

1030. IMPIETY

.1 NOUNS **impiety, impiousness; irreverence,** undutifulness; desertion, renegadism, apostasy, recreancy; backsliding, recidivism, lapse, fall *or* lapse from grace; **atheism, irreligion** 1031.1.

.2 **sacrilege, blasphemy,** impiety; **profanity,** profaneness; sacrilegiousness, blasphemousness; **desecration, profanation.**

.3 sacrilegist, **blasphemer,** Sabbath-breaker; deserter, renegade, apostate, recreant; backslider, recidivist; **atheist,** unbeliever 1031.11.

.4 VERBS **desecrate, profane,** dishonor, unhallow, commit sacrilege.

.5 **blaspheme;** vilify, abuse 972.7; curse, swear 972.6; take in vain.

.6 ADJS **impious, irreverent,** undutiful; **profane,** profanatory; **sacrilegious, blasphemous;** renegade, apostate, recreant, backsliding, recidivist *or* recidivistic, lapsed, fallen, lapsed *or* fallen from grace; atheistic, **irreligious** 1031.17.

1031. NONRELIGIOUSNESS

.1 NOUNS **nonreligiousness, unreligiousness; undevoutness;** indevoutness, indevotion, undutifulness, nonobservance; adiaphorism, indifferentism, Laodiceanism, lukewarm piety; indifference 636.

.2 **worldliness,** earthliness, earthiness, mundaneness; **unspirituality,** carnality; worldly-mindedness, earthly-mindedness, carnal-mindedness; materialism, Philistinism.

.3 **ungodliness,** godlessness, **unrighteousness, irreligion, unholiness,** unsaintliness, unangelicalness; unchristianliness, un-Christliness; impiety 1030; **wickedness, sinfulness** 981.4.

.4 **unregeneracy,** unredeemedness, **reprobacy,** gracelessness, shriftlessness.

.5 **unbelief, disbelief** 503.1; infidelity, infidelism, faithlessness; **atheism;** nullifidianism, minimifidianism; secularism.

.6 **agnosticism; skepticism, doubt, incredulity,** Pyrrhonism, Humism; scoffing 967.1.

.7 **freethinking,** free thought, **latitudinarianism; humanism,** secular humanism.

.8 antireligion; antichristianism, antichristianity; antiscripturism.

.9 **iconoclasm,** iconoclasticism, image breaking.

.10 **irreligionist; worldling,** earthling; **materialist** 376.6; iconoclast, idoloclast; antichristian, antichrist.

.11 **unbeliever, disbeliever,** nonbeliever; **atheist, infidel, pagan, heathen;** nullifidian, minimifidian; secularist; **gentile** 1025.6.

.12 **agnostic; skeptic, doubter,** dubitante, **doubting Thomas,** scoffer, Pyrrhonist, Humist.

.13 **freethinker, latitudinarian,** *esprit fort* [Fr]; humanist, secular humanist.

.14 VERBS **disbelieve,** doubt 503.5,6; scoff 967.9.

.15 ADJS **nonreligious, unreligious; undevout,** indevout, indevotional, undutiful, nonobservant; adiamorphic, indifferentist *or* indifferentistic, Laodicean, lukewarm, indifferent 636.6.

.16 **worldly, earthly,** earthy, terrestrial, **mundane,** temporal; **unspiritual, profane,** carnal, secular; worldly minded, earthly minded, carnal-minded; **materialistic,** material, Philistine.

.17 **ungodly,** godless, **irreligious, unrighteous, unholy,** unsaintly, unangelic(al); **unchristian,** un-Christly; impious 1030.6; **wicked, sinful** 981.16.

.18 **unregenerate,** unredeemed, **unconverted,** godless, reprobate, graceless, shriftless, **lost, damned.**

.19 **unbelieving, disbelieving, faithless; infidel,** infidelic; **pagan, heathen; atheistic,** atheist; nullifidian, minimifidian; unchristian.

.20 **agnostic; skeptic(al), doubtful, dubious, incredulous,** Humean, Pyrrhonic.

.21 **freethinking, latitudinarian.**

.22 **antireligious;** antichristian; antiscriptural; **iconoclastic.**

1032. WORSHIP

.1 NOUNS **worship,** worshiping, **adoration, devotion, homage, veneration, reverence,** "transcendent wonder" [Carlyle]; cult, cultus, cultism; latria, dulia, hyperdulia; falling down and worshiping, prostration; co-worship; idolatry 1033.

.2 **glorification,** glory, **praise,** laudation, laud, exaltation, magnification.

.3 **paean,** laud; hosanna, hallelujah, alleluia; **hymn,** hymn of praise, **doxology, psalm, anthem,** motet, canticle, chorale; **chant,** versicle; mantra, Vedic hymn *or* chant; Introit, Miserere; Gloria, Gloria in Excelsis, Gloria Patri; Te Deum, Agnus Dei, Benedicite, Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis; response, responsory, report, answer; Trisagion; antiphon, antiphony; offertory, offertory sentence *or* hymn; hymnody, hymnology, hymnography, psalmody.

.4 **prayer, supplication, invocation,** imploration, impetration, entreaty, beseechment, appeal, petition, suit, aid prayer, bid *or* bidding prayer, orison, obsecration, obtestation, rogation, **devotions;** silent prayer, meditation, contemplation, communion; intercession; **grace, thanks, thanksgiving;** litany; breviary, canonical prayers; collect, collect of the Mass, collect of the Communion; Angelus; Paternoster, the Lord's Prayer; Hail Mary, Ave, Ave Maria; Kyrie Eleison; chaplet; rosary, beads, beadroll; prayer wheel *or* machine.

.5 **benediction, blessing,** benison, invocation, benedicite; sign of the cross; laying on of hands.

.6 **propitiation,** appeasement 804.1; atonement 1012.

.7 **oblation, offering, sacrifice, immolation,** incense; libation, drink offering; burnt offering, holocaust; thank offering, votive *or* ex voto offering, heave offering, peace offering, sacramental offering, sin *or* piacular offering, whole offering; human sacrifice, mactation, infanticide, hecatomb; self-sacrifice, self-immolation; sutteeism; scapegoat, suttee; offertory, collection.

.8 divine service, **service,** public worship, **liturgy** 1040.3, office, duty, exercises, **devotions;** meeting; church service, church; **revival,** revival meeting, camp meeting, tent meeting, praise meeting; watch meeting, watch-night service, watch night; **prayer meeting,** prayers, prayer; morning devotions *or* services *or* prayers, matins, lauds; prime, prime song; tierce, undersong; sext; none, nones; novena; evening devotions *or* services *or* prayers, vesper, vespers, vigils, evensong; compline, night song *or* prayer; bedtime prayer; Mass 1040.9.

.9 **worshiper,** adorer, venerator, votary, communicant, daily communicant, celebrant, churchgoer, chapelgoer; prayer, suppliant,

supplicant, supplicator, petitioner; beadsman; revivalist, evangelist; congregation; **idolater** 1033.4.

.10 VERBS **worship, adore, reverence, venerate, revere, honor,** do *or* pay homage to, pay divine honors to, do service, lift up the heart, bow down and worship, humble oneself before; **idolize** 1033.5,6.

.11 **glorify, praise, laud, exalt, extol,** magnify, bless, celebrate; praise God, praise *or* glorify the Lord, bless the Lord, praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost; sing praises, sing the praises of, sound *or* resound the praises of; doxologize, hymn.

.12 **pray, supplicate,** invoke, petition, make supplication; **implore, beseech** 774.11; offer a prayer, send up a prayer, commune with God; **say one's prayers;** tell one's beads, recite the rosary; **say grace, give** *or* **return thanks;** pray over.

.13 **bless, give one's blessing,** give benediction, confer a blessing upon, invoke benefits upon; cross, make the sign of the cross over *or* upon; lay hands on.

.14 **propitiate,** make propitiation; appease 804.7; **offer sacrifice,** sacrifice, make sacrifice to, immolate before, offer up an oblation.

.15 ADJS **worshipful,** worshiping; **adoring,** adorant; **devout,** devotional; **reverent,** reverential; **venerative,** venerational; solemn; at the feet of; **prayerful, supplicatory,** supplicant, suppliant, precatory, precative, imploring, on one's knees, on bended knee; prone *or* prostrate before, in the dust.

.16 INTERJS **hallelujah!,** alleluia!, **hosanna!, praise God!,** praise the Lord!, praise ye the Lord!, "praise ye Him . . . all His hosts!" [Bible], Heaven be praised!, glory to God!, glory be to God!, glory be to God in the highest!, bless the Lord!, "bless the Lord, O my soul: and all that is within me, bless His holy name!", "hallowed be Thy Name!" [both Bible]; thanks be to God!, *Deo gratias!* [L]; (Hinduism) om!, om mani padme hum!

.17 O Lord!, our Father which art in heaven!; God grant!, pray God that!; God bless!, God save!, God forbid!

1033. IDOLATRY

.1 NOUNS **idolatry, idolatrousness, idolism,** idolodulia, **idol worship;** heathenism, paganism; image worship, iconolatry, iconoduly; **fetishism; demonism,** demonolatry, demon *or* devil worship; animal worship, snake worship, fire worship, pyrolatry, Parsiism, Zoroastrianism; sun worship, star worship, Sabaism; tree worship, plant worship, Druidism, nature worship; phallic worship, phallicism; hero worship; idolomancy; –latry.

.2 **idolization** 1033.8, fetishization; **deification,** apotheosis.

.3 **idol,** idolo– *or* eidolo–; **fetish,** joss; **graven image, golden calf;** devil-god, "the god of my idolatry" [Shakespeare]; Baal, Juggernaut.

.4 **idolater,** idolatress, idolizer, idolatrizer, idolist, idol worshiper; fetishist; demon *or* devil worshiper, demonolater, chthonian; animal worshiper, zoolater, theriolater, therolater, snake worshiper, ophiolater; fire worshiper, pyrolater, Parsi, Zoroastrian; sun worshiper, heliolater; star worshiper, Sabaist; tree worshiper, arborolater, dendrolater, plant worshiper, Druid, nature worshiper; phallic worshiper; anthropolater, archaeolater, etc.; –later.

.5 VERBS **idolatrize,** idolize, idolify, idol; fetishize, fetish; **make an idol of, deify,** apotheosize.

.6 **worship idols,** worship the golden calf, *adorer le veau d'or* [Fr].

.7 ADJS **idolatrous,** idolatric *or* idolatrical, **idol worshiping;** idolistic, fetishistic; heathen, pagan; demonolatrous, chthonian; heliolatrous; bibliolatrous; zoolatrous.

.8 **idolatries, idolization**

anthropolatry
arborolatry
archaeolatry
astrolatry
autolatry
Bardolatry
bibliolatry
classicolatry
cosmolatry
curatolatry
demonolatry
dendrolatry
diabolatry
ecclesiolatry
episcopolatry
geniolatry
grammatolatry
gyneolatry
hagiolatry
heliolatry
hierolatry
hydrolatry
hygeiolatry
ichthyolatry
iconolatry
idiolatry
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Japanolatry
juvenolatry
litholatry
logolatry
lordolatry
mammonolatry
martyrolatry
mobolatry
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neolatry
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ophiolatry
Oxonolatry
palaeolatry
papolatry
parsonolatry
parthenolatry
patriolatry
physiolatry
phytolatry
plutolatry
pseudolatry
pulpitolatry
pyrolatry
Russolatry
selenolatry
sermonolatry
Shakespearolatry
sociolatry
statolatry
staurolatry
symbolatry
taurolatry

Teutolatry
thaumatolatry
theriolatry
therolatry
titanolatry
topolatry
uranolatry
urbanolatry
verbolatry
zoolatry

1034. OCCULTISM

.1 NOUNS **occultism, mysticism; esoterics,** esotericism, esoterism, esotery; cabalism, cabala; yoga, yogism, yogeeism; **theosophy,** anthroposophy; symbolics, symbolism; anagogics; anagoge; mystery; mystification, hocus-pocus, mumbo jumbo.

.2 **supernaturalism,** supranaturalism, preternaturalism, **transcendentalism; the supernatural,** the supersensible.

.3 **metaphysics,** hyperphysics, transphysical science, the first philosophy *or* theology.

.4 **psychics,** psychism, psychicism; **parapsychology, psychical research;** metapsychics, metapsychism; psychosophy; panpsychism; psychic monism.

.5 **spiritualism,** spiritism; mediumism; necromancy; séance, sitting; spirit 1017.1.

.6 psychic(al) phenomena, spirit manifestation; materialization; spirit rapping, table tipping *or* turning; poltergeistism, poltergeist; telekinesis, psychokinesis, power of mind over matter, telesthesia, teleportation; levitation; trance speaking; psychorrhagy; automatism, psychography, automatic *or* trance *or* spirit writing; Ouija board, Ouija; planchette.

.7 **ectoplasm,** exteriorized protoplasm; aura, emanation, effluvium; ectoplasy.

.8 **extrasensory perception,** ESP; **clairvoyance,** lucidity, second sight, insight, sixth sense; intuition 481; foresight 542; premonition 544.1; clairsentience, clairaudience, crystal vision, psychometry, metapsychosis.

.9 **telepathy, mental telepathy, mind reading,** thought transference, telepathic transmission; telepathic dream, telepathic hallucination.

.10 **divination** 543.2,15; **sorcery** 1035.

.11 **occultist,** esoteric, **mystic,** mystagogue, cabalist, supernaturalist, transcendentalist; adept, mahatma; yogi, yogin, yogist; theosophist, anthroposophist.

.12 **psychist,** psychicist; **parapsychologist;** metapsychist; panpsychist; **metaphysician,** metaphysicist.

.13 **psychic; spiritualist,** spiritist, **medium,** ecstatic, spirit rapper, automatist, psychographist; necromancer.

.14 **clairvoyant;** clairaudient; psychometer, psychometrist.

.15 **telepathist, mental telepathist, mind reader,** thought reader.

.16 **diviner** 543.4; **sorcerer** 1035.5–9.

.17 **astral body,** astral, linga sharira, design body, subtle body, vital body, etheric body, bliss body, Buddhic body, spiritual body, soul body; kamarupa, desire *or* kamic body; causal body; mental *or* mind body.

.18 (seven principles of man, theosophy) spirit, atman; mind, manas; soul, buddhi; life principle, vital force, prana; astral body, linga sharira; physical *or* dense *or* gross body, sthula sharira; principle of desire, kama.

.19 **spiritualization,** etherealization, idealization; **dematerialization,** immaterialization, unsubstantialization; **disembodiment,** disincarnation.

.20 VERBS **spiritualize,** spiritize; etherealize; idealize; **dematerialize,** immaterialize, unsubstantialize; **disembody,** disincarnate.

.21 practice spiritualism, hold a séance *or* sitting; call up spirits 1035.11.

.22 ADJS **occult, esoteric(al), mystic(al), mysterious,** mystico–; anagogic(al); metaphysic(al); cabalic, cabalistic; **supernatural** 85.15; theosophical, theosophist.

.23 **psychic(al), spiritual; spiritualistic,** spiritistic; mediumistic; **clairvoyant,** second-sighted, clairaudient, clairsentient, **telepathic; extrasensory,** psychosensory; supersensible, supersensual, pretersensual; telekinetic, psychokinetic; automatist.

1035. SORCERY

.1 NOUNS **sorcery, necromancy, magic,** sortilege, **wizardry,** theurgy, gramarye [archaic], rune, glamour; **witchcraft,** spellcraft, spellbinding, spellcasting; **witchery,** witchwork, bewitchery, enchantment; **voodooism, voodoo,** hoodoo, wanga, juju, jujuism, obeah, obeahism; shamanism; magism, magianism; fetishism; vampirism; thaumaturgy, thaumaturgia, thaumaturgics, thaumaturgism; alchemy; white *or* natural magic; sympathetic magic; **divination** 543.2,15; spell, charm 1036.

.2 **black magic,** the black art; **diabolism, demonism,** Satanism 1016.15.

.3 (practices) magic circle; ghost dance; Sabbat, witches' meeting *or* Sabbath; ordeal, ordeal by battle *or* fire *or* water *or* lots.

.4 **conjuration,** conjurement, evocation, invocation; **exorcism,** exorcisation; exsufflation; **incantation** 1036.4.

.5 **sorcerer, necromancer, wizard, wonderworker,** warlock, theurgist; thaumaturge,

thaumaturgist, miracle-worker; **conjurer; diviner** 543.4; dowser, water witch; diabolist 1016.16; Faust, Comus.

.6 **magician,** mage, magus, magian; Merlin; illusionist 619.2.

.7 **witchman,** witch master; **shaman,** shamanist; **voodoo,** voodooist, wangateur, **witch doctor,** obeah doctor, **medicine man,** mundunugu, isangoma; witch-hunter, witch-finder; exorcist, exorciser; unspeller.

.8 **sorceress,** shamaness; **witch,** witchwoman [dial], witchwife [Scot], **hex, hag,** lamia; witch of Endor; coven, witches' coven, Weird Sisters [Shakespeare].

.9 **bewitcher, enchanter, charmer, spellbinder; enchantress, siren,** vampire; Circe; Medusa, Medea, Gorgon, Stheno, Euryale.

.10 VERBS sorcerize, shamanize; wave a wand, rub the ring *or* lamp; ride a broomstick.

.11 **conjure, conjure up,** evoke, invoke, raise, summon, call up; **call up spirits,** conjure *or* conjure up spirits, summon spirits, raise ghosts, evoke from the dead, "call spirits from the vasty deep" [Shakespeare].

.12 **exorcise,** lay; lay ghosts, **cast out devils;** unspell.

.13 cast a spell, bewitch 1036.7–10.

.14 ADJS sorcerous, necromantic, **magic(al),** magian, numinous, thaumaturgic(al), cantrip *or* weird [both Scot], wizardlike, wizardly; shaman, shamanic, shamanist *or* shamanistic; witchlike, witchy, witch; voodoo, hoodoo [informal], voodooistic; incantatory, incantational; talismanic.

1036. SPELL, CHARM

.1 NOUNS **spell,** magic spell, **charm,** glamour, weird *or* cantrip [both Scot], wanga; hand of glory; evil eye, *malocchio* [Ital], whammy [slang]; **hex, jinx, curse; exorcism.**

.2 **bewitchment, witchery, bewitchery; enchantment, entrancement,** fascination, captivation; illusion, maya; bedevilment; **possession, obsession.**

.3 **trance, ecstasy,** ecstasis, **rapture;** yoga trance, dharana, dhyana, samadhi; hypnosis 712.7.

.4 **incantation, conjuration,** magic words *or* formula; hocus-pocus, abracadabra, mumbo jumbo; open sesame.

.5 **charm, amulet, talisman, fetish,** periapt, phylactery; **voodoo, hoodoo,** juju, obeah, mumbo jumbo; **good-luck charm,** good-luck piece, **lucky piece,** rabbit's-foot, lucky bean, whammy [slang]; mascot; madstone; love charm, philter; scarab, scarabaeus, scarabee; veronica, sudarium; swastika, fylfot, gammadion.

.6 **wish-bringer,** wish-giver; **wand, magic wand,** Aaron's rod; Aladdin's lamp, magic ring, magic belt, magic spectacles, magic carpet, seven-league boots; wishing well, wishing stone; wishing cap, Fortunatus's cap; cap of darkness, Tarnkappe, Tarnhelm; fern seed; wishbone, wishing bone, merrythought [Brit].

.7 VERBS **cast a spell,** spell, **spellbind; entrance,** trance, put in a trance; **hypnotize, mesmerize.**

.8 **charm,** becharm, **enchant, fascinate,** captivate, glamour.

.9 **bewitch,** witch, **hex, jinx;** voodoo, hoodoo; **possess, obsess;** bedevil, diabolize, demonize; hagride; overlook, look on with the evil eye, cast the evil eye.

.10 **put a curse on,** put a hex on, put a juju on, put obeah on, give the evil eye, give the *malocchio,* give a whammy [slang].

.11 ADJS **bewitching, witching;** illusory, illusive, illusionary; **charming, enchanting, entrancing, spellbinding, fascinating,** glamorous, Circean.

.12 **enchanted, charmed,** becharmed, charm-struck, charm-bound; **spellbound,** spell-struck, spell-caught; **fascinated,** captivated; **hypnotized, mesmerized;** under a spell, in a trance.

.13 **bewitched,** witched, witch-charmed, witch-held, witch-struck; hag-ridden; **possessed, obsessed.**

1037. THE MINISTRY

.1 NOUNS **the ministry, pastorate,** pastorage, pastoral care, cure *or* care of souls, **the church,** the cloth, the pulpit, the desk; **priesthood,** priestship; apostleship; call, vocation, sacred calling; holy orders; rabbinate.

.2 ecclesiasticalism, ecclesiology, priestcraft.

.3 **clericalism,** sacerdotalism; priesthood; priestism; episcopalianism; ultramontanism.

.4 **monasticism,** monachism, monkery, **monkhood,** friarhood; celibacy 934.

.5 (ecclesiastical offices and dignities) cardinalate, cardinalship; primacy, primateship; prelacy, prelature, prelateship, prelatehood; archbishopric, archiepiscopate, archiepiscopacy; bishopric, bishopdom; episcopate, episcopacy; deanery, deanship; prebend, prebendaryship, prebendal stall; canonry, canonicate; curacy; rector-

ate, rectorship; vicariate, vicarship; pastorate, pastorship; deaconry, deaconship; archdeaconry; chaplaincy, chaplainship; abbacy; presbytery, presbyterate.

.6 **papacy,** papality, **pontificate,** popedom, the Vatican, Apostolic See, See of Rome.

.7 hierarchy, hierocracy; theocracy.

.8 **diocese, see,** archdiocese, bishopric, archbishopric; province; synod, conference; **parish.**

.9 **benefice,** living, **incumbency,** glebe, advowson; curacy, cure, charge, cure *or* care of souls; prelacy, rectory, vicarage.

.10 **holy orders, orders** 1038.4, major orders, apostolic orders, minor orders; calling, election, nomination, appointment, preferment, induction, institution, installation, investiture; conferment, presentation; **ordination,** ordainment, consecration, canonization, reading in [Brit].

.11 VERBS **be ordained, take holy orders,** take orders, take vows, read oneself in [Brit]; **take the veil,** wear the cloth.

.12 **ordain,** frock, **canonize, consecrate;** saint.

.13 ADJS **ecclesiastic(al), churchly; ministerial, clerical,** sacerdotal, **pastoral; priestly,** priestish; prelatic(al), prelatial; episcopal, episcopalian; archiepiscopal; canonical; capitular, capitulary; abbatical, abbatial; ultramontane; **evangelistic;** rabbinic(al); priest-ridden.

.14 **monastic,** monachal, **monasterial, monkish;** conventual.

.15 **papal, pontifical,** apostolic(al); **popish** *or* papist *or* papistic(al) [all derog], papish [dial].

.16 **hierarchic(al),** hierarchal; theocratic, theocratist.

.17 **ordained;** in orders, in holy orders, of the cloth.

1038. CLERGY

.1 NOUNS **clergy,** clerico–, **ministry,** the cloth; clerical order, clericals; **priesthood;** priestery; presbytery; prelacy; Sacred College; rabbinate.

.2 **clergyman,** man of the cloth, **divine, ecclesiastic, churchman, cleric,** clerical; clerk, clerk in holy orders, tonsured cleric; **minister, minister of the Gospel, parson, pastor,** *abbé, curé* [both Fr], **rector,** curate, man of God, servant of God, shepherd, sky pilot *or* Holy Joe [both slang], reverend [informal]; supply minister *or* preacher, supply clergy; **chaplain;** military chaplain, padre [informal]; the Reverend, the Very *or* Right Reverend; Doctor of Divinity, DD.

.3 **preacher,** sermoner, sermonizer, sermonist; pulpiter, pulpiteer; predicant, predikant; preaching friar; circuit rider.

.4 holy orders, major orders, priest *or* presbyter, deacon *or* diaconus, subdeacon *or* subdiaconus; minor orders, acolyte *or* acolytus, exorcist *or* exorcista, reader *or* lector, doorkeeper *or* ostiarius.

.5 **priest,** *gallach* [Heb], **father,** father in Christ, **padre,** cassock, presbyter; curé, parish priest; confessor, father confessor, spiritual father *or* director *or* leader; penitentiary.

.6 **clergywoman,** priestess, ministress, pastoress, parsoness, preacheress.

.7 **evangelist,** revivalist; **missionary,** missioner; missionary apostolic, missionary rector, colporteur.

.8 benefice-holder, beneficiary, **incumbent;** resident, residentiary.

.9 (church dignitaries) ecclesiarch, hierarch, **patriarch, high priest; pope,** pontiff, papa, Holy Father, servant of the servants of God; antipope; **cardinal,** cardinal bishop, cardinal priest, cardinal deacon, primate, exarch, metropolitan, abuna, archpriest, **archbishop, bishop,** prelate, diocesan, suffragan, coadjutor, bishop coadjutor, dean, subdean, archdeacon, prebendary, canon, rural dean, **rector, vicar, chaplain,** curate; penitentiary, Grand Penitentiary; devil's advocate, promoter of the faith.

.10 (minor and lay officers) clerk, parish clerk, Bible clerk; reader, Bible reader, lay reader, lecturer, lector, anagnost; capitular, capitulary; elder, elderman, teaching elder, lay elder, ruling elder; deacon, deaconess; churchwarden; sidesman; almoner; verger, vergeress; beadle, bedral [Scot], *suisse* [Fr]; sexton, *shames* [Yid]; sacristan, sacrist; acolyte, thurifer, choir chaplain, precentor, succentor.

.11 (Mormon) deacon, teacher, priest, elder, Seventy, high priest, bishop, patriarch, apostle; Aaronic priesthood, Melchizedek priesthood.

.12 (Jewish) **rabbi,** rabbin; chief rabbi; *baal kore* [Yid]; cantor; priest, *kohen* [Heb], high priest; Levite; scribe.

.13 (Muslim) imam, qadi, sheikh, mullah, murshid, mufti, hajji, muezzin, dervish, abdal, fakir, santon.

.14 (Hindu) Brahman, pujari, purohit, pundit, guru, bashara, vairagi *or* bairagi, Ramwat, Ramanandi; sannyasi; yogi, yogin; bhikshu, bhikhari.

.15 (Buddhist) bonze, bhikku, poonghie, tala-

poin; lama; Grand Lama, Dalai Lama, Panchen Lama.

.16 (pagan) Druid, Druidess; flamen; hierophant, hierodule, hieros, daduchus, mystes, epopt.

.17 **religious,** *religieux* [Fr]; **monk,** monastic; brother, lay brother; cenobite, conventual; caloyer, hieromonach; **mendicant, friar;** pilgrim, palmer; stylite, pillarist, pillar saint; beadsman; prior, claustral *or* conventual prior, grand prior, general prior; abbot; lay abbot, abbacomes; hermit 924.5; ascetic 991.2; celibate 934.2.

.18 (religious orders) Franciscan, Gray Friar, Friar Minor, Minorite, Observant, Recollect *or* Recollet, Conventual, Capuchin; Dominican, Black Friar, Friar Preacher, preaching friar *or* brother; Carmelite, White Friar; Augustinian, Augustinian Hermit, Austin Friar, begging hermit; Benedictine, Black Monk; Jesuit, Loyolite; Crutched Friar, Crossed Friar; Templar, Hospitaler; Bernardine, Bonhomme, Carthusian, Cistercian, Cluniac, Gilbertine, Lorettine, Maturine, Premonstratensian, Trappist; Brigittine; Marist; Maryknoll; Oratorian; Redemptorist.

.19 **nun,** sister, *religieuse* [Fr], clergywoman, conventual; abbess, prioress; **mother superior,** lady superior, superioress, the reverend mother; canoness, regular *or* secular canoness; novice, postulant.

1039. LAITY

.1 NOUNS **laity, laymen,** nonclerics, nonordained persons, seculars; brethren, people; flock, fold, sheep; **congregation,** parishioners, churchgoers, assembly; *minyan* [Heb]; **parish,** society; class.

.2 **layman,** laic, secular, churchman, **parishioner,** church member; brother, sister, lay brother, lay sister; laywoman, churchwoman; catechumen; communicant.

.3 ADJS **lay,** laic *or* laical; **nonecclesiastical,** nonclerical, nonministerial, nonpastoral, nonordained; nonreligious; **secular,** secularist, secularistic; temporal, popular, civil; congregational.

1040. RELIGIOUS RITES

.1 NOUNS **ritualism,** rituality, **ceremonialism, formalism,** liturgism; symbolism, symbolics; **cult,** cultus, cultism; sacramentalism, sacramentarianism; sabbatism, Sabbatarianism; ritualization, **solemnization,** solemn observance, **celebration;** liturgics, liturgiology.

.2 **ritualist, ceremonialist,** liturgist, **formalist,** formulist, formularist; sacramentalist, sacramentarian; sabbatist, Sabbatarian; High-Churchman, High-Churchist.

.3 **rite, ritual,** rituality, **liturgy,** holy rite; order of worship; **ceremony, ceremonial; observance,** ritual observance; **formality,** solemnity; **form,** formula, formulary, form of worship *or* service, mode of worship; prescribed form; service, function, duty, office, practice; **sacrament,** sacramental, mystery; ordinance; institution.

.4 (rites) celebration, high celebration; processional; litany, greater *or* lesser litany; invocation, invocation of saints; confirmation, imposition *or* laying on of hands; confession, auricular confession, the confessional, the confessionary; sign of the cross; pax, kiss of peace; love feast, agape; reciting the rosary, telling of beads; thurification, incense; aspersion, asperges; lustration; circumcision; bar mitzvah, bas mitzvah.

.5 **seven sacraments,** mysteries: baptism, confirmation, the Eucharist, penance, extreme unction, holy orders, matrimony.

.6 **unction,** sacred unction, sacramental anointment, chrism *or* chrisom, chrismation, chrismatory; **extreme unction, last rites,** viaticum; ointment; chrismal.

.7 **baptism,** baptizement; **christening; immersion,** total immersion; **sprinkling,** aspersion, aspergation; affusion, infusion; baptism for the dead; baptismal regeneration; baptismal gown *or* dress *or* robe, chrismal; baptistery, **font.**

.8 **Eucharist, Lord's Supper, Last Supper, Communion,** Holy Communion, **the Sacrament,** the Holy Sacrament; intinction; consubstantiation, impanation, subpanation, transubstantiation; real presence; elements, consecrated elements, bread and wine, body and blood of Christ; Host, wafer, loaf, bread, altar bread, consecrated bread; Sacrament Sunday.

.9 **Mass,** *Missa* [L], Eucharistic rites; **the Liturgy,** the Divine Liturgy; High Mass, *Missa solemnis* [L]; Low Mass, *Missa bassa* [L]; Rosary Mass, Rosary, Rosary of the Seven Dolors of Mary; Lady Mass; Dry Mass, *Missa sicca* [L]; Liturgy of the Presanctified, *Missa praesanctificatorum* [L]; *Missa publica, Missa privata, Missa cantata, Missa media, Missa adventitia, Missa manualis, Missa capitularis, Missa legata* [all L]; requiem, Requiem Mass, dirge, Memento of the Dead.

.10 (parts of the Mass) Prayers at Foot of the Altar, Introit, Kyrie, Kyrie Eleison, Glo-

ria, Collect, Epistle, Gradual, Alleluia, Tract, Gospel, Credo, Offertory, Lavabo, Secreta, Preface, Sanctus, Tersanctus; Canon, Memento of the Living, Consecration, Elevation of the Host, Anamnesis, Memento of the Dead; Paternoster, Fraction, Agnus Dei, Pax, Communion, Post-Communion, Dismissal, Blessing, Last Gospel.

.11 (sacred and ritualistic articles) relics, sacred relics; monstrance, ostensorium; Host; eucharistial, pyx, ciborium; tabernacle; ark; crucifix, cross, rood, holy cross *or* rood; osculatory, pax; Agnus Dei; icon, icon(o)– *or* ikon(o)– *or* eikon(o)–; *bambino* [Ital], veronica, *Pietà* [Ital]; sacramental; holy water; holy-water sprinkler, aspergillum, asperges, asperger; thurible, censer, incensory; cruet, urceole; rosary, beads, beadroll; chaplet; prayer wheel *or* machine; candle, votive candle, vigil light, paschal candle; Sanctus bell, sacring bell; Sangraal, Holy Grail; *menorah, shofar, sukkah, matzo* [all Heb]; *tallith* [Heb], prayer shawl; *tefillin* [Heb], phylacteries; *mezuzah* [Heb]; *mikvah* [Heb].

.12 (ritualistic manual) missal, Mass book; ritual, *rituale* [L], manual, formulary, church book, service book; rubric, canon, ordinal, breviary; farse; lectionary; pontifical; Virginal; prayer book; *siddur, machzor, haggadah* [all Heb]; Book of Common Prayer, euchologion *or* euchology, litany; Torah, Torah scroll, *Sefer Torah* [Heb].

.13 **psalter, psalmbook;** Psalm Book, Book of Common Order; the Psalms, Book of Psalms, the Psalter, the Psaltery.

.14 **holy day,** hallowday [dial], holytide; feast, fast; Sabbath; Sunday, Lord's day; saint's day; church calendar, ecclesiastical calendar.

.15 (Christian holy days) Advent; Christmas; Candlemas, Candlemas Day; Epiphany, Three Kings' Day, Twelfth-tide, Twelfth-night, Twelfth-day; Septuagesima; Shrove Tuesday, Mardi Gras, Carnival, Pancake Day; Ash Wednesday; Lent, Lententide; Quadragesima, Quadragesima Sunday; Holy Week, Passion Week; Palm Sunday, Holy Thursday *or* Maundy Thursday, Good Friday; Easter, Eastertide, Easter Saturday, Easter Sunday, Easter Monday; Annunciation, Annunciation Day, Lady Day; Ascension Day *or* Holy Thursday; Pentecost, Whitsuntide, Whitsun, Whitweek; Whitsunday, Whitmonday, Whit-Tuesday, White Sunday, etc.; Trinity Sunday, Corpus Christi; Lammas, Lammas Day, Lammastide; Michaelmas, Michaelmas Day, Michaelmastide; Hallowmas, Allhallowmas, Allhallowtide, Halloween; Allhallows, All Saints' Day; All Souls' Day; Martinmas; Ember days.

.16 (Jewish holy days) Passover, Pesach; Pentecost, Shabuoth, Feast of Weeks; Rosh Hashanah, New Year; High Holy Days; Yom Kippur, Day of Atonement; Sukkoth, Feast of Tabernacles; Simhath Torah, Rejoicing over the Law; Hanukkah, Feast of the Dedication; Purim; Fast of Av, Ninth of Av, Tishah b'Av.

.17 (Muslim holy days) Ramadan (month), Bairam, Muharram.

.18 VERBS **celebrate, observe, keep, solemnize;** celebrate Mass; communicate, administer Communion; attend Communion, receive the Sacrament, partake of the Lord's Supper; attend Mass.

.19 **minister, officiate,** do duty, **perform a rite,** perform service *or* divine service; administer a sacrament, administer the Eucharist, etc.; anoint, chrism; confirm, impose, lay hands on; make the sign of the cross.

.20 **baptize, christen;** dip, immerse; sprinkle, asperge.

.21 **confess,** make confession, receive absolution; **shrive,** hear confession; **absolve,** administer absolution; administer extreme unction.

.22 ADJS **ritualistic, ritual; ceremonial, ceremonious; formal,** formular, formulary; **liturgic(al),** liturgistic(al); High-Church; **sacramental,** sacramentarian; eucharistic(al), baptismal; paschal.

1041. ECCLESIASTICAL ATTIRE

.1 NOUNS **canonicals,** clericals [informal], robes, cloth; **vestments,** vesture; liturgical garments, ceremonial attire; pontificals, pontificalia, episcopal vestments.

.2 **robe,** frock, mantle, gown, cloak.

.3 **staff,** pastoral staff, **crosier, cross,** cross-staff, crook, paterissa.

.4 ADJS **vestmental,** vestmentary.

.5 **clerical garments**

alb
almuce
amice
apron
bands
biretta
bishop's ring
black gown
buskins
calotte
cap
capuche, capuchin
cardinal's hat
cassock
chasuble
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cincture
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clerical collar
cope
cotta
cowl
crucifix
cuculla
dalmatic
dog collar [slang]
episcopal ring
fanon
Geneva bands
Geneva cloak *or* gown
habit
hood
lawn sleeves
maniple
mantelletta
mantellone
miter
mozzetta
pallium
pectoral cross
rabat, rabbi
reversed collar
rochet
Roman collar
rosary
Salvation Army bonnet
sandals
scapular
scarf
shovel hat
simar
skullcap
soutane
stole
subcingulum
succinctorium
surplice
tiara
tippet
triple crown
tunic
tunicle
vakass, vagas
zucchetto

1042. RELIGIOUS BUILDINGS

.1 NOUNS **church,** kirk [Scot], bethel, **meetinghouse,** church house, **house of God,** place of worship, house of worship *or* prayer; conventicle; **mission;** basilica, major *or* patriarchal basilica, minor basilica; **cathedral,** cathedral church, *duomo* [Ital].

.2 **temple,** fane; **tabernacle; synagogue,** *shul* [Yid]; **mosque,** masjid; dewal, girja; pagoda; kiack; pantheon.

.3 **chapel,** chapel of ease, chapel royal, side chapel, school chapel, sacrament chapel, Lady chapel, oratory, oratorium; chantry; sacellum, sacrarium.

.4 **shrine,** holy place, dagoba, naos; sacrarium, delubrum; tope, stupa; reliquary, *reliquaire* [Fr].

.5 **sanctuary, holy of holies, sanctum, sanctum sanctorum,** adytum, sacrarium.

.6 **cloister, monastery, house, abbey,** friary; priory, priorate; lamasery; **convent, nunnery.**

.7 **parsonage, pastorage,** pastorate, manse, **church house,** clergy house; presbytery, **rectory,** vicarage, deanery; glebe.

.8 bishop's palace; **Vatican;** Lambeth, Lambeth Palace.

.9 (church interior) vestry, sacristy, sacrarium, diaconicon *or* diaconicum; baptistery; ambry, apse, blindstory, chancel, choir, cloisters, confessional, confessionary [archaic], crypt, Easter sepulcher, nave, porch, presbytery, rood loft, rood stair, rood tower *or* spire *or* steeple, transept, triforium.

.10 (church furnishings) piscina; stoup, holy-water stoup *or* basin; baptismal font; paten; reredos; jube, rood screen, chancel screen; altar cloth, cerecloth, chrismal; communion *or* sacrament cloth, corporal, fanon, oblation cloth; rood cloth; baldachin, *baldacchino* [Ital]; kneeling stool, *prie-dieu* [Fr]; prayer rug *or* carpet *or* mat.

.11 (vessels) cruet; chalice; ciborium, pyx; chrismal, chrismatory; monstrance, ostensorium; reliquary; font, holy-water font.

.12 **altar,** scrobis; bomos, eschara, hestia; **Lord's table,** holy table, **Communion table,** chancel table, table of the Lord, God's board; rood altar; altar desk, missal stand; credence, prothesis, table *or* altar of prothesis; predella; superaltar, retable, retablo, ancona, gradin; altarpiece, altar side, altar rail, altar carpet, altar stair; altar facing *or* front, frontal; altar slab, altar stone, mensal.

.13 **pulpit, rostrum,** ambo; **lectern,** desk, reading desk.

.14 (seats) **pew; stall;** mourners' bench, anxious bench *or* seat, penitent form; amen corner; sedilia.

.15 ADJS **churchly,** churchish, **ecclesiastical;** churchlike, templelike; cathedral-like, cathedralesque; tabernacular; synagogical, synagogal; pantheonic.

.16 **claustral, cloistered; monastic,** monachal, **monasterial; conventual,** conventical.

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INDEX GUIDE

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Numbers after index entries refer not to pages but to categories and paragraphs of the text. The text is divided into 1042 numbered categories and each category has numbered paragraphs. Most index references are made with two-part numbers; the first part is the number of the category, the part after the period is the number of the specific paragraph. On the opposite page, the number 681.5 after the entry **ablution** directs you to category 681 and then to paragraph 5 within that category.

An entry such as **ablution,** which consists of a term in boldface type and a number, reflects a term that appears only once in the text. When a word or phrase occurs in several places in the text it is indexed as a boldface entry and supplied with numbered subentries that indicate all of its text positions and its meaning at each of them. At the entry **abhor,** for example, the first lightface entry indicates that the word **abhor** appears in the third paragraph of category 867, where it has the meaning "dislike"; the second that **abhor** occurs in the fifth paragraph of category 930, in the sense of "hate." In a few cases, a subentry indicates a broad subject area rather than a limited meaning. Such is the case with the subentry "sailing" under the bold entry **aboard.**

When a bold index entry has several parts of speech in the same spelling, the subentries are divided with part-of-speech labels. If, therefore, you are looking for a noun, you can ignore all of the subentries except those for nouns. The labels occur here in the same sequence that is used in a text category: *n.* (nouns), *v.* (verbs), *adj* (adjectives), *adv* (adverbs), *prep* (prepositions), *conj* (conjunctions), *interj* (interjections), and *phr* (phrases). When a bold entry has but one part of speech, no label is used.

In order to keep the index within reasonable bounds, many of the terms in the text have been omitted here. The omissions do not impair the efficiency of the index because the editors have taken care to drop only the terms that were least likely to serve as starting points, or those for which ample clues are entered in other forms.

Very few terms in word lists are indexed because most of them have no synonyms. Access to specific items in these lists can be had through the more general terms that serve as their headings: **receptacles, art styles, philosophers,** etc.

When entries for several different forms of a word would repeat references to the same categories, less familiar forms are usually dropped. The verb **abash** and the adjective **abashed** are indexed, but not the noun **abashment.** If you want synonyms for the noun, pick the desired meaning from the verbs or adjectives, and look among the nouns in the category to which you are directed.

Some adverbs ending in *-ly* have been dropped, so have the more obscure technical terms, quotations, and most long phrases. Many shorter phrases are omitted also, especially verb phrases that begin with auxiliaries, and phrases for specific subjects and limited concepts that are indexed under very familiar short or more general terms. Thus, **alive** is indexed, but "be alive" is not; **ignorance,** but not "gross ignorance"; **linguistics,** but not "historical linguistics"; **hospital,** but not "government hospital."

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anat	anatomy
anon	anonymous
Arab	Arabic
archit	architecture
Ariz	Arizona
astron	astronomy
Austral	Australian
biol	biology
bot	botany
Brit	British
Cal	California
Can	Canadian
chem	chemistry
Chin	Chinese
conj(s)	conjunction(s)
Dan	Danish
derog	derogatory
dial	dialectal
Du	Dutch
E	East, Eastern
eccl	ecclesiastical
Eng	England, English
etc.	et cetera
fem	feminine
Fla	Florida
Fr	French
geol	geology
Ger	German
Gk	Greek
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Heb	Hebrew
her	heraldry
Hind	Hindustani
Hung	Hungarian
interj(s)	interjection(s)
Ir	Irish
Ital	Italian
Jap	Japanese
Ky	Kentucky
L	Latin
La	Louisiana
masc	masculine
Mass	Massachusetts
math	mathematics
Md	Maryland
med	medicine, medical
mil	military
min	mining
mus	music
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N	North, Northern
naut	nautical
NC	North Carolina
Norw	Norwegian
Pg	Portuguese
phr(s)	phrase(s)
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pl	plural
Pol	Polish
prep(s)	preposition(s)
RI	Rhode Island
Rom	Roman
RR	railroading
Russ	Russian
S	South, Southern
Scot	Scottish
sing	singular
Skt	Sanskrit
Sp	Spanish
Sp Amer	Spanish American
Swah	Swahili
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Tenn	Tennessee
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